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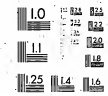

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American Festival photos

Several photographs from activities held during the American Festival in Thief River Falls last weekend appear in this edition of The Times.

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Miss Thief River Falls candidates are pictured in evening gown and talent competition. Scholarships from the pageant are also listed.

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All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilalire next weekend

St. Hilaire will host All Nations Cultural Festival next weekend, July 8 and 9. The third annual event includes performers from Norway, Croatia, Ireland, Sweden, and Red Lake Indian reservation. Activities for the two-day event begin 11 a.m. both days.

Rain or shine, the event will be held in tents and on a big stage in St. Hilaire.

In addition to performers, the event will include the Cass and Crocker Fur Trade Era Encampment, pony rides, a mining exhibitions, a Native American history encampment, old time demonstrations, a pioneer village display, ethnic food demonstrations, arts and crafts and an ethnic and traditional flag display, and a dance floor that is open all day.

Saturday's events begin at 11 a.m., with the Harmony Swings from Gentry, Sweden, 12 p.m. with Goosebumps The Clown, 12 p.m. the Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers, 1 p.m. L'Ensemble Folklorique De La Riviere-Rouge, 1:30 p.m. Heart of Croatia Tamburitzans, 2:15 p.m. Fiadia Ukrainian Dance Ensemble, 2:30 p.m. Caribbean Connection, 3:30 p.m. Fresh Tracks Drug Group and Ojibwe Dancers, 4:30 p.m. Harmony Swings, 5:30 p.m. L'Ensemble Folklorique De La Riviere-Rouge, 6:25 p.m. Heart of Croatia Tamburitzans, 7:10 p.m. Fiadia Ukrainian Dance Ensemble, 7:45 p.m. The Caribbean Connection, 8:45 p.m. Fresh Tracks Drum Group and Ojibwe Dancers, 9:45 p.m. Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers.

Sunday's events include the following: 11 a.m. Fiadia Ukrainian Dance Ensemble; 12 p.m. Goosebumps the Clown; 11:30 p.m. The Caribbean Connection; 12:30 p.m. L'Ensemble Folklorique De La Riviere-Rouge; 1:05 p.m. Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers; 2:05 p.m. Fiadia Ukrainian Dance Ensemble; 2:40 p.m. Heart of Croatia Tamburitzans; 3:25 p.m. Fresh Tracks Drum Group and Ojibwe Dancers; 4:25 p.m. The Caribbean Connection; 5:25 p.m. Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers; 6:25 p.m. Heart of Croatia Tamburitzans; 7:10 p.m. Harmony Swings; 8:10 p.m. Fresh Tracks Drum Group and Ojibwe Dancers; 9:10 p.m. Harmony Swings.

Concessions will be available all weekend and will include a beer garden.

Gates open at 10 a.m. on both days. Admission is $3 for adults and $2 for children 12 and under.

Fiaika Ukrainian Dance Ensemble from Selkirk, Man., Canada will return by popular demand for performances Saturday and Sunday, July 8 and 9, at the All Nations Cultural Festival.

Tera Marquis, 18, daughter of Arlen and Joani Marquis of Trail and a 1995 graduate of Oslee high school, was crowned Miss Thief River Falls Saturday evening in the Lincoln high school auditorium. Pictured left to right are Nicole Paulson, 21, daughter of David and Diane Paulson of Goodridge and first runner-up; Marcia Erickson, daughter of Rev. Carroll and Sue Erickson of Thief River Falls and Miss Thief River Falls 1993-94; Tera Marquis, 1995 Miss Thief River Falls and swimsuit division winner; Mya Gunderson, 20, daughter of Vernon and Peggy Gunderson of Newfolden, talent division winner and second runner-up, and Christina Anderson, 20, daughter of Ronald J. and LaVonne Anderson of Karlstad, selected in a vote among all the contestants as Miss Congeniality.

Tera Marquis crowned Miss Thief River Falls

Tera Marquis, 18, daughter of Arlen and Joani Marquis of Trail, was crowned Miss Thief River Falls 1995 Saturday evening at the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program in the Lincoln high school auditorium.

Crowning the new Miss Thief River Falls was Marcia Erickson, Miss Thief River Falls 1993-94. No Miss Thief River Falls program was held last year due to a lack of candidates.

First runner-up was Nicole Paulson, 21, daughter of David and Diane Paulson of Goodridge and second runner-up was Mya Gunderson, 20, daughter of Vernon and Peggy Gunderson of Newfolden.

Miss Gunderson won the talent division of the contest and Miss Marquis won the swimsuit division. No winner is announced in the on-stage personality (evening gown) or personal interview categories.

Christine Anderson, 20, daughter of Ronald J. and LaVonne Anderson of Karlstad, was named Miss Congeniality, in a vote among the six contestants.

Other contestants were Kristi Lindquist, 20, daughter of Jon and Judy Lindquist and Misty Turenne, 18, daughter of Ed and Lyn Turenne, all of Thief River Falls.

Mistress of ceremonies for the program was Debbie Erickson Spencer. Miss Thief River Falls 1986-87. Entertainment was provided by Marcia Erickson and Laura Williams. Vocalist for the opening production number was Jodie Anderson.

Official Miss America Program certified judges who judged the competition were Dorothy Kantz, Doug and Charlene Hyhus, Kim Palm and Sandie Rosz. Co-chairs of the program were Sue Erickson and Randy Twistol.

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TRF council discusses Christmas lighting project

It's July and the Thief River Falls city council is thinking Christmas — Christmas lighting, to be specific. Thief River Falls city council met Tuesday night and discussed, among many other things, how to fund a Christmas lighting project that would add to enhance the outlined and other Christmas decorations on the city's collection.

Dick Bjornson of Bjornson's in downtown Thief River Falls, and a representative for the chamber's Christmas lighting committee, said he thinks that since the whole community enjoys the decorations and it benefits the entire community, the whole community should pay for replacement decorations. Bjornson was not enthusiastic about a private fundraising project, especially after recent fund-raising efforts and proposed projects.

Arlo Rude, city utilities superintendent, recounted meetings with the chamber of commerce last year in which the decorations were discussed. From his preliminary investigation, he estimated the cost to replace the decorations at $300 per pole. He said transformer decorations cost around $1,200. He estimated that it would cost $45,000 to replace the decorations, but more investigation needs to be done because there are many options.

A letter from the Chamber of Commerce outlined a plan for new Christmas decorations. The area involved in the project includes the major entrances to the city, the downtown section, and the Highway 59 entrance to the city. The total cost of a "lighting system" was estimated at $45,000. The letter added that the actual cost might be something less if lighting was purchased under bids. It is also a possibility that used decorations could

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Medical center opens nominations for positions on board of directors

With several terms on the board of directors expiring, Northwest Medical Center Association membership will hold a meeting to nominate candidates for the board of directors on August 1.

In September 1995, the terms of Carl Johnson, Keith Sieva, Larry Rohl and Peter Johnson, M.D., will expire as directors on the Northwest Medical Center Board of Directors.

Keith Sieva and Larry Rohl have agreed to have their names placed into re-nomination for three year terms expiring in September 1998.

Peter Johnson, M.D., has declined the opportunity to have his name placed into re-nomination for election.

Carlyn Belmont has served nine consecutive years on the association board of directors and is not eligible for re-nomination.

On Friday, June 30, 1995, the Northwest Medical Center board of directors nomination committee met and nominated Keith Sieva, Larry Rohl, Robert Flynn and Ashok Patel, M.D., for three year terms which will expire in September 1998.

In addition, the Northwest Medical Center nominating committee took action to nominate Kenneth Freschheimer for a two year term which will expire in September 1997, to fill the unexpired term of James Rogalla who resigned in December 1994.

The Northwest Medical Center Association by-laws provide for Northwest Medical Center Association membership with the opportunity to nominate candidates for Northwest Medical Center's director's slate. Further membership in the board of directors. Such nominations must be accompanied by each

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Racers pushed their jet sports boats and themselves to the limit of their endurance during the jet sports boat racing in Thief River Falls at the American Festival in Thief River Falls. This racer really leaned into the corner around one of the buoys on the course. He was one of about 300 racers participating in races this weekend.

City council considers Christmas decoration questions at meeting

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be purchased.

Many on the council seemed to agree in principal that Christmas lighting should be paid for by the entire community, but they want to see more specific plans and a lot of other questions answered before a recommendation is passed on to the entire city council.

Mayor Robert Reeve and Alderman Don Barron, want to see a plan, how much it will cost, and to know that it is supported by merchants. Barron also wants to know if the city was already too late to place an order for next year's Christmas holiday.

Many on the council talked about going to a revolving loan fund held by the city to pay for the project, and pay it back over a three year period.

■ **Location for proposed mobile home park annexed.** The city council approved a recommendation calling for the annexation of 31 acres of land abutting Pennington Avenue in Rocksbury township. Property owners, Les Snetting and Regan Rohl are proposing to develop on the property a "no-rental" manufactured home (mobile home) park. The are proposing to have 70 lots on the property.

Annexation does not mean the project has been approved. Annexation was approved because, if developed, "the city can best and most appropriately provide infrastructure and services needed by the proposed development."

■ **Audit shows no irregularities.** Tom Kays of Anderson, Poissant and Kays, presented a draft of its audit of city finances to the administrative services committee of the city council prior to the regular city council meeting Tuesday. Kays said, "things are solid and steady." He said there are some things that could be improved, but not many.

Kays complimented the staff in a year of upheaval and change. He said staff worked conscientiously and everything went smoothly.

In other business, the council: approved a variance request by Brian and Nancy Sturgeon, 821 Taft Street East; approved a progression raise for Mike Poole, a police officer; extended current committee appointments until January 1; appointed Ann Strauss of Northwest Multi-County HRA to be the Small Cities Development Grant designated finance officer; approved assignment of the Technical College building lease at the regional airport; recommended 1995 city auction sale proceeds be allocated to the city's Centennial Fund ($5,611.50), and rescheduled the final public hearing on the city's comprehensive plan for 7 p.m. July 17 at the Heritage Community Center.

Medical center opens nominations for positions on board of directors

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nominee's written consent and shall contain the signatures of five Northwest Medical Center association members. The additional nominations shall be received in the CEO's office at Northwest Medical Center on or before 5 p.m. August 1, 1995.

The annual meeting of the association is scheduled for Monday, September 11, at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls. The annual meeting time and agenda have not been determined by the board of directors; however, the media and the entire association membership will receive an advance mailing during the week of August 28, 1995.

Plan crop production workshop at Crookston

Producers will have an opportunity to improve crop management and field troubleshooting skills at a Crop Production Workshop July 13 at Crookston. The hands-on, in the field workshop will be at the University of Minnesota's Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston. It will emphasize small grain, sugar beet, sunflower, and dry bean production.

The workshop is limited to 100 participants and the registration deadline is July 1. To obtain registration information, contact your county office of the Minnesota Extension Service or Jochum Wiersma, Northwest Experiment Station, 108 Agriculture Research Center, Crookston, MN 56716; phone (218) 281-8629.

Over six acres of demonstration plots have been designed for the program, which will run from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be small group activities and personalized instruction by University of Minnesota faculty members.

The session on weed management will cover herbicide injury symptoms, herbicide mode of action, and herbicide slectivity. The session on entomology will include field plot comparisons of new insecticides in wheat, canola, and potatoes; and insecticide management when transgenic plants become available. The session on plant pathology will cover seed treatments for scab management, chemical control of fusarium head blight in barley, and fungicide and variety interactions in wheat. The session on crop growth and development will cover terminology, field troubleshooting techniques, and field problem-solving.

The workshop is sponsored by the University of Minnesota Extension Service and Northwest Experiment Station.

Dog and Owner Look Alike division in the dog show at the Pennington County Fairgrounds during An American Festival Saturday was won by Wanda Vigness of Thief River Falls and her two-year-old Cocker Spaniel "Muffin."

Best Costumed Dog in the dog show during An American Festival at the Pennington County Fairgrounds Saturday was the Santa outfit worn by Pepper, exhibited by Kay Steiger of Thief River Falls. Pepper is a three-year-old mixed breed of Chihuahua, Poodle and Pekingese.

Parade entries earn prizes by divisions

Thousands of people lined the parade route for the 2nd Annual American Festival parade in Thief River Falls Saturday. In many places, the crowd was three or four deep. There were 81 entries in the parade, including marching bands from Thief River Falls and Bemidji, to entertain and amuse spectators.

Parade judges awarded nine trophies to parade participants, and announced the winner of the Chamber of Commerce sponsored Tigershark give-a-way.

Millard Nelson of Thief River Falls triumphantly accepted the keys to a new Tigershark manufactured by Arctco. Nelson was one of several finalists for the grand prize.

Mayor Robert Reeve, grand marshal of the parade, awarded the Mayor's Pick trophy to the Skylite apartments float. Other award winners included: Bob Skogland of Holt in his 1929 Chevrolet for Favorite Classic Car; Gary Tveiten driving a 1927 Ford for the Miss TRF Pageant won Favorite Custom Car; the three Crowd Favorite Trophies were awarded to the Bemidji marching band, Nuisence, which put on an impromptu performance for the judges, and the Lincoln high school marching band; Best Commercial unit trophy was awarded to Hartz Foods; Best Non-Commercial unit trophy was awarded to Warren-Sons of the American Legion; and the Climbers Choice trophy was awarded to the National [illegible] Aqua Car.

Paul Spyhalski on Dean's list at law school

Paul Spyhalski of St. Paul was recently named to the spring semester dean's list in the law school at Hamline University. Members of the dean's list are full-time students who achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale. Spyhalski is the son of Richard and Linda Spyhalski of Thief River Falls. He is the spouse of Victoria Spyhalski.

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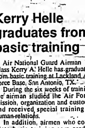

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Youngsters in Thief River Falls were able to meet several costumed characters during the American Festival in Thief River Falls Saturday.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

The Dog Has The Life

Dogs are dogs. Kids are kids. You would think that this is a true statement: that there is a distinct difference between owning a dog or raising a child, and a distinct difference between being a dog or being a child. But I know, for a fact, that this is false. Sometimes the dog gets the better deal.

For the last week I've been with my sister who traveled from Idaho with her dog, Axel. To clarify the issue: My sister and her husband do not have children, but they have Axel, who doubles as their son.

When friends and relatives show pictures of their children, my sister digs into her purse and produces a photograph of Axel, her baby. Isn't he cute?

Axel is a Boston Terrier, complete with a spiked collar. My sister wouldn't like it if she heard me say this, but that dog is so ugly, he's just ugly. He's the kind with the pushed-in nose that makes him sound fiercer than he really is. When he breathes, it sounds as if he's ready to amputate your foot. Fierce doesn't have anything to do with this; that snort, similar to a snoring sound, is annoying.

His whining is just as annoying as his nasal emission. Toddlers and preschoolers whine to get what they want, or they whine when they don't get it. The same goes for Axel. If you don't play with him, he whines. If my sister goes for a walk without him, he whines. If we're eating and not contributing table scraps, he whines. If you're touching a stick or ball that he wants, he whines.

When children whine, adults attempt to correct the behavior and hope for a more pleasant voice. When dogs whine they get what they want so we can get them to be quiet.

In the car, a child is strapped in the carseat for safety. But a dog, being a dog, gets the luxury of riding on someone's lap. When a lunch stop is made at a fast-food restaurant, the child usually orders the kids' meal with a prize. The dog isn't treated differently; he receives a hamburger, a kid-size cone and a prize to chew on.

A dog also has an edge over children when manners are involved. Take Axel, for example. When he fluffs or burps, everyone thinks it's cute, and he doesn't have to say "excuse me." If my four-year-old son emits those sounds, he's likely to be reprimanded and encouraged to excuse himself, or else.

Axel is treated like he is a child, a human being. He sleeps on the bed, under the covers. When my sister leaves and can't take Axel along, she arranges for doggie day care. It's definitely not like a kennel. The provider produces an environment that the pet is familiar with. So if the dog sleeps in the bed with its owners, she, too, will allow the dog in her bed.

My sister makes sure that Axel is properly cared for. One day, the dog acted lethargic; he wouldn't eat, and it looked as if he was in pain. Should she take him to the doctor or not? Most parents sympathize with her dilemma. It's often a difficult decision to wait and see what happens, or spend the money on a doctor call.

She chose to take Axel to the veterinarian. This entailed using a half-day vacation (can you take sick leave for a pet?) and driving an hour to the nearest dog doctor. In the end, the vet determined that Axel was just a little sore from running the previous day. Simple rest would cure his ailment. That's $35 for the diagnosis, please.

I know my sister has really gone over the edge when she jokes that Axel's name should be entered into the Christmas gift drawing. She rationalizes that if she has to buy my rug rat a gift, Axel should get one too. He sometimes receives a box of cookies or a chewy bone at the holidays, but he's usually not on my shopping list. I'm wondering what kind of Minnesota souvenir he'll take home. A dead fish or a stick?

Axel is almost ready to get in the car and hit the road back to Idaho. I'm glad my son has had a chance to play with his "cousin" Axel. Pretty soon, my child will want to be a dog because at my sister's house it looks like it's a pretty good life!

Kerry Helle graduates from basic training

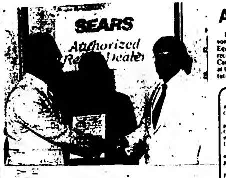
Air National Guard Airman 1st Class Kerry A. Helle has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, TX.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Helle is the daughter of Gerald J. and Imogene L. Helle of Thief River Falls.

She is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls, and a 1994 graduate of St. Cloud State University.



Rodney Knutson (center) and Roger Evenson (right), whose Sears store will open soon at the corner of Main Avenue and Third Street in Thief River Falls, recently completed a week of advanced training to prepare for the operation of the business. They are pictured with Steve Titus, divisional vice president of Sears at the company headquarters in Chicago, IL.

Attend Case IH session

Eldon Bursaad and Cecil Anderson from Anderson Power and Equipment of Thief River Falls, recently joined nearly 800 other Case IH dealership representatives at the Case Corporation manufacturing plant in Fargo, ND, for a first-hand look at the new Case IH 9300 Series Steiger tractors. The four-wheel drive units feature a host of customer-driven improvements that enable them to handle a wide range of implements.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held before the Thief River Falls Joint Airport Zoning Board for the purpose of considering the adoption of an Airport Zoning Ordinance in the area of the Thief River Falls Regional Airport.

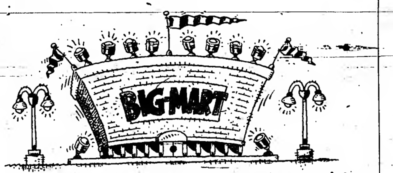
The public hearing will be held on the 18th day of July, 1995, commencing at 7:00 p.m., at the Heritage Community Center located at 301 4th Street East. The proposed Ordinance and the accompanying maps are available for public inspection at the office of the Thief River Falls Engineering Service Director, 324 Second Street East, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, during regular business hours.

The property affected by the proposed Airport Zoning Ordinance is some, but not all, of the land lying within 14,500 feet of the airport's runways. The types of restrictions proposed for each area are set forth in detail in the proposed Ordinance and maps.

The precise restrictions which would be imposed vary, depending on the location of the property. The restrictions generally regulate the height of structures, the location of, size, and use of buildings and density of population. The most restrictive provisions would apply to the areas located in a trapezoidal area off the end of each runway, which area extends out from the end of the runway a distance equal to the length of the runway plus two hundred feet.

Persons who believe that they may be affected by the proposed Ordinance are encouraged to review it and ascertain the specific impact which it would have on their property.

Date: June 27, 1995 By Thief River Falls Joint Airport Zoning Board



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Next week we will be opening a store with the national resources of Sears and the local service of Rodney Knutson and Roger Evenson's new Thief River Falls store. It's a combination of the best brands of lawn and garden equipment, tools, electronics and appliances. You'll be able to see Kenmore, Whirlpool, Sony, GE, Craftsman and Diehard...all under one roof. You'll have Sears national guarantees and the lowest monthly payments in the industry*. And of course, with Rodney and Roger, you'll have their personal commitment to customer satisfaction. We guarantee low prices and very friendly service. Rodney and Roger decided on a store that is big enough to have what you want...but small enough to care who you are. Look for our Grand Opening Event on July 22nd, at 303 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls.

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Women's nutritional needs vary with age and circumstance

Women have special needs.

By now most of us know about the nutritional pyramid that tells us we can lean fat, eat more fruits and vegetables, and more breads, cereals, rice and pasta; limit salt intake; drink more water; and limit alcohol. Good advice, but what about other needs?

Exercising is one of the best things you can do for your body, starting with at least 20 minutes a day, three times a week. But there are several other things to keep in mind as you plan a healthy future.

ANEMIA

Beginning with the onset of menstruation, women need iron to replace the small amount they lose in menstrual bleeding each month. Without enough iron, iron deficiency anemia can develop and cause symptoms like fatigue and headaches. Some examples of iron-rich foods are fish, poultry, peas, potatoes and spinach.

OSTEOPOROSIS

Calcium is an important nutrient for building and strengthening bone mass. The calcium women get in their teens through their 20's protects bone mass in the years that most women only get half of the calcium they need. This can result in weak and broken bones later on and in a condition called osteoporosis. Exercising to strengthen your bones and increasing calcium intake can work together to prevent osteoporosis. Examples of calcium-rich foods are milk, cheese, yogurt, broccoli, peas and beans.

MENOPAUSE

As you age, your nutritional needs change. Older women need fewer calories to sustain themselves because metabolism decreases. Potassium, found in foods like bananas and broccoli, is important to women at mid-life because it lowers blood pressure and strengthens the heart. While calcium is more easily absorbed by the body in younger years, it should be a crucial part of your diet and, combined with exercise, it will continue to ward off osteoporosis.

PREGNANCY

New studies show that if you have plans to be pregnant in the near future, there's a lot you can do to prepare for a healthier baby. Start with a reliable method of birth control now, so that you can choose when to become pregnant. Be sure to have an annual exam. This exam detects symptomless infections, genital herpes, ovarian cysts and conditions that often result in abnormal Pap smears. These can be difficult or risky to treat after the onset of pregnancy.

Millions of women are unaware that they have an infection that can affect their ability to become pregnant or cause problems for the fetus. An immunization against rubella is also an important step in ensuring a healthy baby, but you should not get pregnant for at least three months after receiving the vaccine, so plan ahead.

The word is out on folic acid. It is a nutrient essential for cell reproduction and normal growth in a developing baby. Doctors are now recommending that women begin taking folic acid supplements at least one month before trying to become pregnant. Folic acid deficiencies can result in low birth weights, bleeding late in pregnancy and neural tubal defects like spinal bifida. Also, your doctor can prescribe prenatal supplements early on and talk to you about nutritional needs during pregnancy.

One last word about before pregnancy. In the first 12 weeks of pregnancy all the major organs are beginning to form in the developing fetus. So as soon as you decide to have a baby, act as though you are already pregnant. Don't wait for a clear baby what you would give directly to a newborn. That means quitting any smoking and alcohol consumption because there's no safe level of alcohol intake during pregnancy. Alcohol crosses the placenta and can directly affect the health of your pregnancy.

(Contributed by Nancy Eubanks, Bemidji resident and member of the Planned Parenthood of Minnesota Regional Advisory Committee.)

Two-year old Lillian Fox and her folks, Jeff and Melissa Fox took advantage of the windy weather on Sunday when they participated in the kite-flying event at the American Festival.

Blood pressure & foot care clinic

Thursday, July 13, there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 9-11 a.m. at the Goodridge Senior Citizen's Center. Nurses will test feet and trim nails only.

Call "Inter-County Nursing Service for foot care appointments at 681-5930. The public is welcome.

Linda Hegeland (fer right) made sure that everyone got plenty to eet at the 4-H pancake breakfast at the American Festival on Sunday morning, July 2. Noone went eway hungry.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Thursday
Senior Dance at the Heritage Center from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Band is Pony Express.

Sunday
Heritage Center Meal 12 noon pork chop dinner. Call 681-2393 for reservations.

Monday
Praise through Play for grades 1-5 at 2 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Expectant Parent class at Northwest Medical Center meeting rooms B-lb at 7 p.m. Call 681-4240, extension 446 to register.

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Ordahl and Molstad plan outdoor wedding July 29

Donald and Sharon Ordahl of Milnor, ND announce the engagement of their daughter, Wendy Ann, to Craig Lyle, son of Marlys and the late Oliver Molstad of Thief River Falls.

Craig is employed by the Northwest Regional Planning Commission in Spooner, WI and Wendy is employed by Scott Equipment Company in Ladysmith, WI.

An early outdoor wedding is planned at S. Turtle Lake on July 29. Craig and Wendy will make their home in Ladysmith.

Howard and Clark plan July 15 wedding at Ada

Duane and Claudia Howard of Ada are pleased to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Stephanie, to Bradley Clark, son of Brent and Karen Clark of Erie, PA.

The bride-to-be is a 1989 graduate of Goodridge High School and a 1993 graduate of Moorhead State University. She is employed by Nash Finch Company in Minneapolis as a System Support Specialist. She is also attending graduate school.

Her fiance is a 1987 graduate of McDowell High School in Erie and attended Dickinson University. He is a manager of Radio Shack. Brad is also attending school.

The wedding is planned for July 15 at Grace Lutheran Church in Ada.

65th wedding anniversary for the Manuel Hansons

The children and grandchildren of Manuel and Anna Hanson are hosting an open house in honor of their 65th wedding anniversary. The open house will take place at the Solvan Community Room on Sunday, July 16.

No invitations are being sent, all friends and family welcome. No gifts please.

CORRECTION

Last week, in the story of the teen who saved her grandfather's life, the names were misspelled. The girl's name is Tina Nicolas and her grandfather is Norman Mathson. The Times apologizes for the mistake.

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Marvin to marry Biondi

Kelly Marvin and Joe Biondi along with their parents, Buzz and Kent Marvin and Joe and Marilyn Biondi, all of Warroad, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

The bride-to-be is a 1991 graduate of Warroad High School and a 1995 graduate of the University of Minnesota, Duluth where she earned a bachelor of applied science degree in marketing. She is the granddaughter of Mr. Tony Dom and the late Teddy Dom.

Her fiance is a 1989 graduate of Warroad High School and graduated from the University of Minnesota, Duluth with a degree in business administration. He is currently employed in the sales and marketing department at KBIR-TV in Duluth.

An August 4 wedding is planned at Our Lady of the Rosary Cathedral in Duluth.

Nelson and Sylskar plan wedding for August 12

Amy Nelson and Kenneth Sylskar Jr. along with their parents, Kevin and Paula Olson of Solon and Kenneth Sr. and Theresa Sylskar of Karlstad, announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Amy is a graduate of Roseau High School and is presently employed at Marvin Windows at Warroad. Kenneth is a graduate of Karlstad high school and is also employed at Marvin Windows in Warroad.

An August 12 wedding is planned for Assumption Catholic church at Pinlan.

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Tennerman and Boen plan July 15 wedding

Candace Sue Tennermann, daughter of Keith and Sue Higginbotham of Thief River Falls, and Corey James Boen, son of Phillip and Yvonne Boen of Strandquist, announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Candace is a 1987 high school graduate from Goodridge and is currently attending Bemidji Technical College for nursing.

Corey is a 1987 graduate of Strandquist high school. He also graduated from Moorhead State University with a degree in education and is currently teaching at Bemidji Middle School in Bemidji.

The wedding is planned for Redeemer Lutheran Church at 5 p.m. on July 15 in Thief River Falls with a reception to follow at the church. All friends and family are welcome.

THANK YOU

The Family Of Alice Hasby Wishes To Thank The Green Funeral Home For The Words Of Comfort And Help During The Loss Of Their Mother & Wife. Also Thanks To NWMC And EMS, And To Pastor Terri Skildum For Her Words Of Comfort, And To Deb Holmgren & Penny Schindler For The Music. To All The People Who Brought Food To The House & All The Friends For The Phone Calls, Comforting Words, Cards, Your Concern And Sympathy Was Deeply Appreciated.

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BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On June 24, a baby girl was born to Timothy and Brenda Wrenn of Thief River Falls. She has been named Katherine Jeanette.
- On June 28, a baby boy was born to Corey and Lori Wikstrom of Karlstad. He has been named Aaron Walker.
- On June 29, a baby girl was born to Daryl Kiesow and Stacy Jenson of Thief River Falls. She has been named Erin Jean Kiesow.
- On June 30, a baby boy was born to Gerald Nordby and Jessica McMahon of Thief River Falls. He has been named Donovan Douglas Thomas Nordby.

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Holen to marry Nelson July 29 in Grand Forks

Sandra Holen and Timothy Nelson announce their engagement. Parents of the couple are Dale and Dorothy Holen of Walhalla, ND and Wesley and Karen Nelson of Grand Forks, ND.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Walhalla high school and attended UND and Northwest Technical College. She is employed at the Grand Forks clinic.

Her fiance is a 1988 graduate of Central High School In Grand Forks and a 1995 graduate of UND. He is employed at the Grand Forks Clinic.

A July 29 wedding is planned for 2 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church, Grand Forks with a reception to follow at the Highlander in Grand Forks.

Noon meal at the Heritage Center

The Heritage Center dinner will be a pork chop dinner at noon on Sunday, July 9

THANK YOU

I'd like to thank everyone who helped me celebrate my "80th" birthday. Especially my 7 sisters and other family members who attended. Also thanks for the many cards & gifts.

Ruby Knutson

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Christine, Stephanie, Alexandra and Cassandra would like to welcome Meckenzie Rose Hegen to the family. Meckenzia was born to Jereld and Susan Hegen of Newfolden on June 21, weighing 8 lbs. 10 oz. and measuring 22 and one half inches. Her grandparents are Paul and Merllyn Hegen of Cooperstown, ND, Myron and LaVonne Olson of Kiester. Her great-grand-mother is Rose Bekken of also Kiester.

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Open house to celebrate Finstads' 50th anniversary

The children of Kenneth and Doris Finstad are hosting an open house in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary. The celebration will be July 16 from 2-4 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls. No gifts please.

Burton and Bendickson wed June 24th in Bejou

Shawn Marie (Benson) Burton and Curtis Marshall Bendickson were united in marrige on June 24 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Bejou.

Shawn is the daughter of Vern and Darlene Benson of Lakeland, FL. Curtis is the son of Albertha Bendickson and the late Bertram Bendickson of Bejou.

A reception will be held in their honor on July 4 in Fertile.

Elly Schmidt and Joshua Balmer were married March 25 at the Best Western in Thief River Falls. Pastor Todd Peterson officiated at this double ring ceremony. Parents of the bride are Geneve Schmidt of Roseau and Jerry Schmidt of Rothsay. Parent of the groom are Donald and Sonie Balmer of Thief River Falls. The couple now resides in Alexandria, VA. The groom is stationed with the U.S. Army at Fort Myer, VA.

Danielle Davis, Becky Ulfarte, Amanda Severson and Rachel Olson practiced for the karaoke contest at the American Festival on Sunday. Danielle, age 10, won second place in the 12 and under category with her rendition of "Achy Breaky Heart." The first place winner in the category was Alicia Vigness, age 11 and Dana Frolland, age 10, won third place.

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Expectant parents classes

The summer session of Expectant Parents Classes will begin at Northwest Medical Center on Tuesday evening, July 11 at 7 p.m. in Meeting Rooms B/BY. Registrations are being taken now. The classes are designed for those in their first six months of pregnancy. Parents and parents-to-be are provided with information that promotes healthy babies, and healthy mothers and gives new families a good beginning. The classes will be held on Tuesday evenings for five consecutive weeks and are free. The instructor is Evadell Tangquist, RN, Patient Education Coordinator at Northwest Medical Center. For more information or to register, call 681-4240, extension 446.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Mud Pies

Whatever happened to mud pies? Few of today's children have had the joy of experimenting with plain mud. Yet this is probably the oldest form of sculpting and the first of all creative art mixtures. If possible, work outside with mud mixtures. If you need to work inside, mud mixtures work well in a large dishpan.

You will need:
2 cups dirt (free of pebbles)
plastic knives and
water.

Mix the dirt with enough water to form mud that will hold together. If possible, mix the mud in a hole in the yard. Pat the mud dough out to a thickness of about 1/4 inch. Use plastic knives to cut the mud dough into various shapes. Make farm animals, people, vehicles or simple geometric shapes. Dry the figures in the sun on a rack and use them for outdoor play.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need flour, salt, cornstarch, warm water, toothpicks and paint.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Brown, Marc. D.W. The Picky Eater. As D.W. finds all sorts of mischievious ways to avoid foods she doesn't like, one wonders if she will ever become an adventurous eater and try something new.

Moon, Nicola. Lucy's Pictures. A beautiful gift from the heart emerges as Lucy sets out to surprise Grandpa with a picture like no other.

VIDEO VARIETY

Rookie of the Year. It's a grand slam for baseball fans of all ages when the cast is removed from a clumsy 12-year-old's arm to find it has become a 100-mile-per-hour thunderbolt.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Camping With Children

Camping can be a wonderful family experience or it can be a disaster. "Roughing it" in the great outdoors is not for everyone. If you are not sure you can take it, choose a campground with bathrooms, laundry facilities and a general store for your first outing. You may feel safer if your camp site is not near a road, lake or stream. Always remember that children, even responsible preschoolers, must be watched constantly!

Try to be flexible. Accept each moment for its own enjoyment. Original plans and destinations sometimes have to be changed midstream!

Stage a practice run in your back yard. You can test all your equipment and accustom your children to the experience. If you should decide that that's as much camping as you can handle with small children, they will still have had a great experience.

Include rain gear, boots and jackets when packing, no matter what the weather report says. Make washability a priority for camping clothes and select them with an eye to layering.

Pack some clothing and gear in plastic pails of various sizes that you can use for dishwashing, hand laundry or the kids can use at the beach.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk about your camping experience ahead of time. Talk about where you will go, the campground and other experiences you plan to have.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

Bridal shower for Nancy Campbell

A bridal shower for Nancy Campbell, bride-to-be of David Hofstad, will be Sunday, July 9 at 2 p.m. at the Edwin Olson home. All friends and relatives are invited.

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SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

...Love to See Them Come...

Having a houseful of company over a holiday weekend can certainly be exhilarating. I'm always so happy when someone is coming -- I cook and clean and plan ahead -- and I am cheerful for days before the big event.

Then they are here with all of their hustle and bustle, and I am too busy too think. I am busy making meals and baking goodies and trying to carry on conversations, staying up much too late and getting up much too early in an effort to keep order in the house. There is always something to do and someone to solve a problem for and some place to go and someone to wait for who will be coming home from some place or another.

Meals and food seem to take up entirely too much of the time, what with preparation, consuming and cleaning up after. I find myself carrying on extensive conversations with someone from the kitchen, often discovering that there is no one listening to me in the other room, at all and I am talking to myself.

But when the hustle and bustle are over and everyone leaves again, and the house is utterly quiet, I don't know whether I am happy or sad. Perhaps I am a little of both.

At first I miss the fellowship and laughter and the house seems like a vacuum, as if everything had been taken out of it. I wander around, picking up and straightening little things here and there, and wonder where the time went, reliving the visiting and conversations we had. I remember all of the things I meant to mention to one or another that I completely forgot to bring up -- all the advice I planned to give -- all of the things I had stored up to talk about.

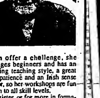
The dog wanders around like a lost soul, checking all of the bedrooms to see if there isn't at least one person left to play with him. When he realizes that it just the two of us, he retires to his bed with a sad expression, missing everyone already.

Later, after I've become accustomed to the silence, I find I am enjoying it. I survey the devastation that has been left behind and wonder if the house will ever be clean and tidy again, making note of what I will have to do to have it neat once again.

As I walk around the house in my bare feet, I realize the carpet is filled with hateful little pebbles and the kitchen floor has sticky spots. I survey the furniture and realize that my once clean house is a disaster and I will have to do another thorough housecleaning before it is liveable again. An abundance of dirty dishes are piled in the dishwasher, waiting to be washed, and I see that the laundry baskets are filled with towels and sheets that must be taken care of. As I inventory the items in the refrigerator, I see that shopping must be done if we are to have any meals in the future.

Ah well, such is life. Tomorrow I can go to work and leave the mess behind me. But I really think that those of us who had company over the holidays should have another day or two of holiday after the holiday just so we could get things cleaned up again.

Irish quilting workshop will be held in Brooks



A two-day "Irish Quilts" workshop will be held in Brooks July 18 and 19 with Helen Hardesty, Galway, Ireland, Instructor.

Helen, a native Minnesotan, has been a resident of Ireland for over 20 years. She began teaching patchwork in Minneapolis in 1968 and continued teaching after moving to Ireland. Helen is self-employed. Her work includes designing quilts and production on commission, and she also lectures, writes, sponsors exhibitions and sometimes travels to give workshops, which lead her sister, Pat Larson of Brooks, to invite her to the area.

Pat, a beginning quilter, enlisted the help of her friend Shirley Cyr, Oklee, in coordinating efforts to organize the workshop.

Two patterns, Celtic Cross and Connemara Stars were selected. Both are variations of the Double Irish Chain. Either a wall hanging or a quilt top can be made. Though Helen works with advanced quilters and can offer a challenge, she encourages beginners and has an easy-going teaching style, a great deal of patience and an Irish sense of humor, so her workshops are fun and open to all skill levels.

To register, or for more information, call Pat at 218-698-4499 (home), 698-4221 (work) or Shirley at 218-796-5564 (home), 796-5150 (work).

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Immunization clinics for Marshall county

The immunization clinics will be held Friday, July 7 at the Newfolden Community Center from 9 to 11 a.m.; Tuesday, July 11 at Stephen Clinic Building from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.; Thursday, July 13 at Grygla Civic building from 9 to 11 a.m.; Monday, July 17 at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Warren 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.; Saturday, July 15 from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. at Marshall County Nursing Service; and Saturday, July 15 at Living At Home Block Nurse Program in the Argyle Mall from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Clinics are open to the public and anyone who needs immunizations is encouraged to attend. The vaccine used is provided free of charge by the Minnesota Department of Health for use in community-based clinics.

There will be a $4 fee for administering the vaccine, but no one will be refused because of inability to pay.

The clinic asks that you take your infant to your family physician for the initial DTP and oral polio immunization or bring a signed referral from the physician indicating the immunization is to be given by the clinic. The clinic also wants to state that immunization services given at the public clinics should not be substituted for the child's usual well-child visit with his or her physician. Bring the child's Immunization record each time the child is brought for a shot. Immunizations will not be given unless the Immunization record is presented, unless it is the first shot.

For more information contact Nancy Maurstad, RN, at the Marshall County Nursing Service at 218-745-5154 or 1-800-950-6986.

Senior citizens' dance Thursday

A senior citizens' dance will be at the Heritage Center on Thursday, July 6 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. with music by "Pony Express." All seniors are welcome.

Bridal shower for Dena Prestebak

There will be a bridal shower for Dena Prestebak, bride-to-be of Mike Halsa, on Monday, July 17 at 7 p.m. in Faith Lutheran Church, Goodridge. All friends and family are invited to attend.

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Cora H. Dahle, 86
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Thomas Pederson, 92
Orville Sorenson, 79
Blanche Novotny, 78
Clara Coan, 92

Cora H. Dahle, 86

Thief River Falls — Cora H. Dahle, 86, died Friday, June 30 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were Monday, July 3 at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls with Rev. Gary Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by Diane Johnson. Selections were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymn was "Children of the Heavenly Father."

Casketbearers were Harold Overbye, Arlen Overbye, Mark Anderson, Jeff Dahle, Mike Dahle, Randy Dahle, Terry Dahle, Kevin Dahle, Marvin Dahle, Jr. Honorary casketbearers were all of Cora's relatives and friends. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Cora H. Stigen was born on December 6, 1908 in Shelly to Theodore and Emily (Housker) Stigen. She was baptized and confirmed into the Lutheran Faith. At an early age, Cora moved with her family to Steiner in Excel township, Marshall county and attended Steiner school.

She married Theodore Dahle on July 2, 1928 in Thief River Falls. The couple moved to Mayville, ND where they farmed until 1940, when they moved back to the Thief River Falls area. In 1950, they moved to Cando, ND where Theodore and Cora worked for the Jorde Brothers Potato growers until their retirement in 1971.

She moved to Valley Home in Thief River Falls in September of 1991 and enjoyed her time there. In May of 1995, she entered Oakland Park Nursing Home due to her failing health.

Cora enjoyed quilting and made quilts for her family.

She is survived by daughter, Esther Anderson of Thief River Falls; son, Clifford Dahle of Holt; 17 grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Ernest and Raymond, both of Thief River Falls; sister, Alice Dahle of Thief River Falls; daughters-in-law, Shirley Dahle of Thief River Falls, Margie Dahle and Marlys Dahle-TaTraalt, both of Cando, ND and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; daughter, Anne; three sons, Thorman, Rueben and Marvin; three brothers, Carl, Millard and George; a sister, Ella and one granddaughter, Sandra Dahle.

Clara Coan, 92

Thief River Falls — Clara Coan, 92, died Thursday, June 29 at the CNC Unit of the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were Monday, July 3 at 2 p.m. at Kindom Hall in Thief River Falls with Larry Mogen officiating. The Congregational hymn was "Life Without End-At Last!"

Casketbearers were Tom Scheef, Roger Larson, Brian Larson, Richard Coan, Gary Coan, Warren Coan. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

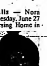
Clara Bye was born July 19, 1902 in Grygla to John and Marie (Tangen) Bye. Clara lived in Grygla until 1908 when they moved to Star township, Pennington county.

On November 14, 1924, she was united in marriage to John Thomas Coan in Thief River Falls. The couple made their home in Star township where they farmed. Clara cooked at Ponemah Indian School. The couple later moved to Reiner township, Pennington county where they farmed. John died on August 18, 1982.

She is survived by two sons, James of Goodridge and Raymond of Embarrass; eight grandchildren; nine great grandchildren and sisters, Minnie Tollefson, McIntoch, Mabel Oie, St. Paul, Nellie Tviet, Goodridge and Olga Kolstrand, Red Lake Falls.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; sisters, Minnie Bye, Betsy Svare and Emma Bucholz; brothers, Oscar and Henry; two granddaughters and one great-granddaughter.

Nora Douchette, 93



Thief River Falls — Nora Doucette, 93, died Tuesday, June 27 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were Thursday, June 29 at the New Life Assembly of God in Thief River Falls with Reverends Sandy and Cathy Stevenson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Sandy Selstad and Rev. Robert and Louise Leen. The congregational hymn was "Leaning On the Everlasting Arms."

Casketbearers were David Sheridan, Ervin Strandquist, John Flom, David Stromlund, Raymond Molskness and Scott Sheridan. Honorary casketbearers were all of Nora's relatives and friends. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Nora Gangness was born November 7, 1901 in Clear Lake, IA to Severen and Anne (Holland) Gangness.

She was united in marriage to Phillip Doucette on January 20, 1921 in Vinton, IA. The couple moved to Thief River Falls in 1931. Phillip died May 2, 1970.

Nora was owner and operator of the Third Street Cafe and worked as a cook at Northwestern Hospital. She lived at the Skylite Apartments for eight years, moved into Valley Home in 1994 and was at Oakland Park Nursing Home for one year. Nora was a lifetime member of the New Life Assembly of God.

She is survived by one daughter, Phyllis Jablinski of Baudette; two grandchildren, Judy Jablinske and Robert Jablinske; seven great-grandchildren and 14 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one great-granddaughter; one great-great-grandson; two brothers, John and William; three sisters Sadie, Marie and Molly and several nieces and nephews.

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Merle Dagen, 67

Thief River Falls — Merle Dagen, 67, died Monday, July 3 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls.

Dear Readers,
We learn so much when we travel the lonely road of grief. Suddenly we begin to put our priorities in order and appreciate the value of life. People who have experienced the loss of a loved one are more understanding and sensitive to the needs of others. They know the true meaning of compassion, and have a common bond with those who suffer. It is difficult to imagine that sorrow could have any positive aspects, but it is possible to grow through grief.
Respectfully,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

George Mostue, 95

Thief River Falls — George Mostue, 95, died on Sunday, July 2 at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were Wednesday, July 5 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Reverend John Wollenzien officiating. Music was provided by Dorothy Larson, organist and LeRoy Aasland, vocalist. Violin selection by Jim Solstea was "Going Home." Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "This Is My Father's World."

Casketbearers were Michael Fox, Brian Peterson, Tim Benton, Barry Fellman, Dwight Tangeist, David Beito, Keith Stevs and Bob Wold. Honorary casketbearers were John Michael Anderson and members of Rotary Club and Golden Kiwanis. Interment was at Holt Cemetery.

George Ariel Mostue was born September 16, 1899 in Grafton, ND to Elias and Regina (Arnstad) Mostue. When George was one year old, the family moved to Highlanding where he attended rural school for some years. The family came by steamboat and settled in Thief River Falls when he was 10 years old.

He continued to attend school in Thief River Falls, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1919, where he was active in athletics and drama. He worked for the Soo Line Railroad for a number of years, was employed as a salesman for Gamble-Robinson and bought the Hillard and Mostue Grocery Store on Main Street. In 1944, he purchased the Thief River Falls Greenhouse and established Mostue Floral Company which he owned and operated for 30 years.

He was united in marriage to Inez Andetson on April 29, 1945 at Moorhead.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Rotary Club, Golden Kiwanis, the Elks, Eagles, Chamber of Commerce, a life member of the Sons of Norway and George was named to the Prowler Hall of Fame in June of 1995.

He is survived by his wife, Inez; two sons, Brain of Medford, OR and Brooks of Boston, MA and five grandchildren, Alison, Anne, Margaret, Jane and David.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Grace Mostue and two brothers, John and Eben.

Orville Sorenson, 79

Plummer — Orville Sorenson, 79, of rural Plummer, died Tuesday, June 27 at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were Friday, June 30 at 2 p.m. in Salem Lutheran Church, rural Oklee with the Reverend Rolf Wangberg, officiant. Special music was provided by Elizabeth Munt, organist and vocalists Dean and Dann Oberpriller. Duets were "Amazing Grace" and "The Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Children of the Heavenly Father."

Casketbearers were Carl and Bill Larson, Ray Rosten, Alton Torske, Orrin and Dennis Linder. Interment was in Salem Church Cemetery.

Orville Sorenson was born December 17, 1915 in Games township, Red Lake county, the son of Carl and Bergit (Braaten) Sorenson. He grew up on, lived on and farmed the home farm in Games township, except for the time that he spent in the U. S. Army during World War II.

He was a member of Salem Lutheran Church, rural Oklee. He never married.

He is survived by three sisters, Avis Frotland of Plummer, Sarah Oberpriller of Minneapolis and Edna Hill of Dodgeville, WI and nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister Cora and five brothers, infant Ingvald and Harry, Iver, John and Neuben.

Blanche Novotny, 78

Badger — Blanche Novotny, 78, died Saturday, July 1 at United Hospital, Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were Wednesday, July 5 at St. Mary's Catholic Church of Badger. Interment was in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Badger.

Blanche Evelyn Novotny was born June 18, 1917 at Badger, daughter of Ernest A. and Molly (Bendickson) Meyer. She grew up and attended school in Badger.

After graduating from Badger high school, she attended the Warroad State Teachers Training School, graduating in 1936. She taught school in Roseau county for five years.

On February 1, 1941, she and Marcel Novotny were united in marriage at Badger. When World War II began, Marcel entered the Army. Blanche became active in community affairs.

She helped organize the Badger VFW Ladies Auxiliary, serving as first president. She was very active in her church, St. Mary's Catholic Church of Badger. She also worked at Northern Upholstry near Roseau and was a cook at the Badger school for several years.

Blanch is survived by nine children, Evelyn Paulson, Thief River Falls, Carol Odegard, Badger, Robert, Rosemont, Patricia Gryskiewcz, Greenbush, Mary Jo Kvien, Roseau, Annette Erlandson, Brainerd, Paul, Badger, Debbie Yager, Badger and Gary, Lakeville. She is also survived by two sisters, Gladys Sluka of Badger and Frances Johnson of Crookston; one brother, Lawrence Meyer of Badger and 24 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Marcel in 1962; son Timothy in 1969, sister Alice Urtel; two brothers, Clinton and Elsworth and six grandchildren.

Emil Holmaas, 76

East Grand Forks — Emil Holmaas, 76, died Saturday, July 1 at United Hospital in Grand Forks.

Funeral services are Thursday, July 6 at 10:30 a.m. at Westaker Free Lutheran Church in Newfolden with Reverend LeRoy Flickinger officiating. Music was by Donna Mae Hogberg, organist and Virgil and Marville Hjelle, vocalists. Duets were "Amazing Grace" and "Just As I Am." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Beautiful Savior."

Casketbearers were Daniel Suedel, Mark Knutson, Edward Hanson, Brandon Stromberg, Russel Holmaas and Merle Bjornrud. Interment is in Westaker Cemetery, New Folden township, Marshall county.

Emil Omer Holmaas was born March 11, 1919 in Marsh Grove township, Marshall county, to Andrew and Julia (Stokke) Holmaas. He was baptized and confirmed at Westaker Lutheran Church. Emil attended schools in the Marsh Grove area and Newfolden high school.

He was united in marriage to Lillian Matousek on November 16, 1940 in Viking. The couple farmed in the Newfolden area, then later he worked on various construction jobs until they moved to Emerado, ND and owned and operated a small grocery store and a trailer court. The couple moved to East Grand Forks in 1977 and he worked at Home of Economy in Grand Forks, ND until his retirement in 1981.

Mr. Holmaas was a member of the Dacotah Aerie 350 Eagles Club in East Grand Forks.

He is survived by his wife, Lillian of East Grand Forks; two daughters, Linda Stromberg and Starr Holmaas, both of East Grand Forks; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; sister, Alice Knutson, Thief River Falls; brother, Arthur of Mt. Jackson, VA and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Melvin, Elmer, Bill and Stanley and sisters, Inez Holmaas and Violet Lee.

Goodridge

Shari Liedberg
681-4448

Mrs. Clarance Dahlen and Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls visited with Mrs. Jamae Marty at Pelican Rapids on the phone on Father's Day.

Those who visited at the Clarence Dahlen home on Father's Day and were lunch guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mrs. Neil Liedberg, Nathan and Shari, Francine Kazmiarczak and Roger Nelson. They all brought Father's Day greetings to Norman and Clarence.

Nathan Liedberg and Francine Kazmiarczak were callers at the Neil Liedberg home Father's Day.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Mrs. Bob Purdy attended the Resonance Quartet Concert sponsored by the Berean Senior Fellowship of the Evangelical Free church in Thief River Falls. The Concert was dedicated in memory of Pearl Dalzall who passed away May 30. May her memory be blessed.

Mrs. Neil Liedberg, Nathan and Shari and Francine Kazmiarczak wished Neil Liedberg Father's Day Greetings on Sunday evening in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hanson attended the wedding and reception of Amy Haugen to Sean Kelly at the Ebenezer Lutheran church at rural Oklee on Saturday afternoon. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hanson and family attended the wedding dance for Amy and Sean held at the Eagles in Thief River Falls. Congratulations Amy and Sean!

Peg Mehrkens, Brock Nelson and Stevan Bergland warmed up their voices before the KSNR-KTRF kareoke contest at the American Festival. Brock, 13, took third place in his age group. Other winners in the 13 to 48 year old age bracket are Triehe Bergeron, first place and Heather Wheat, second place. Winners for the 19 and over category are Chad Hassalm first place, Diena Rud, second place, Yvette Lucas, third place and Teri Heugan Abbene, fourth place.

Jana Mattson passed out kites to youngsters at the American Festival on Sunday. Children of all ages enjoyed the perfect kite-flying weather in Thief River Falls on July 2.

Eight sisters had a reunion at the Heritage Center on the occasion of the oldest sister's 80th birthday. It was the first time they had all been together in 17 years. Pictured in row one, Frances Carlson of Chico, CA, Ruby Knutson, the birthday girl, of Thief River Falls, Ethel Stronstad of Fargo, ND. In the back row are, Helen Peterson of Grand Forks, ND, Shirley Meksymchuck of Babbitt, Lillian Getschal of Fergus Falls, Malvie Stewart of Humbolt and Kathy Roy of Langdon, ND.

Thomas Pederson, 92

Wahpeton, ND — Thomas "Tommy" Pederson, 92, formerly of Greenbush, died Friday, June 30 at Wahpeton Health Care Center, Wahpeton, ND.

Funeral services were Wednesday, July 5 at Bethel Lutheran Church, Greenbush, with Pastor Jim Gerth officiating.

Pallbearers were Walter, Amie, Orville and Carlyle Pederson, Art and Delford Anderson and Leslie and Merlyn Alme. Interment was in Bethel Lutheran Cemetery.

Thomas Pederson was born October 7, 1902 at Stephen, the son of Gunder and Annette Marie (Gunnelson) Pederson. He came to Greenbush in 1907 and later graduated from Greenbush high school. He was a member of the basketball team that advanced to state finals during his senior year.

He married Myrtle Reierson on June 7, 1935 at Bethel Lutheran Church in Greenbush. He farmed for many years near Greenbush in Hereim township, where he built their home, barn and other farm buildings.

Tommy played piano music for many church and community functions. He also painted nature and outdoor scenes. Tommy served on the Hereim township board for several years.

Myrtle Pederson died on May 16, 1989. Tommy continued to live in Greenbush until he moved to the Leach Home in Wahpeton, ND in 1992. He had been a resident of the Wahpeton Health Care Center since March of 1995.

He is survived by two daughters, Rene Moen of Wahpeton, ND and Annette Steinbach of Waupun, WI; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren and two sisters, Ella Alme of Greenbush and Rosella Jennings of Marmaduke, AK.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, six brothers and three sisters and one son-in-law.

Ethel Olson (left) and Susy Dowers designed the pattern and created the quilt which will be raffled by the Thief River Falls Quilter's Guild at the Pennington County Fair. The design of the quilt, which will fit a king size bed, features hand applique, silk ribbon embroidery, regular embroidery, paper piecing and hand and machine quilting. Members of the guild joined in the hand quilting effort at their June meeting last week.

Kalab Zahara got some help from his mom, Valerie, when they when kite-flying on Sunday, July 2 at the American Festival.

NCTC president has positive attitude about July 1 consolidation

Maintaining a positive attitude and assuring that change works for the benefit of students and community are goals of Dr. Orley Gunderson, president of the new Northland Community and Technical College (NCTC), as he looks at the July 1 mergers of Minnesota's colleges and universities in general and of Northland Community College and Northwest Technical College in Thief River Falls in particular.

The local community college and technical college campus are officially merged today, which is also the effective date of merger for all of the state's community colleges, technical colleges and state universities under the umbrella of Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU).

"I'm certainly positive about the future, especially from the standpoint of being able to serve students locally at the college here," he said. "We are now a well-rounded college with nearly 40 student life activities in everything from fine arts to student government to athletics and an excellent transfer of credits to four-year universities within the state system.

"We are working hard to effect closer ties with business and industry to provide the training that they need in present and future employees. And we are committed to custom training and other educational assistance programs, as evidenced by our farm business management, small business management and specialty crop programs."

NCTC has hired Shari Olson as director of custom training services and taken over administration of 19 farm business management instructors, two specialty crop instructors and two instructors in small business management.

"The local consolidation should also be good news for the taxpaying public because we should be more efficient through elimination of some duplicative services, facilities and equipment," Dr. Gunderson added.

"While I'm sure nearly all higher education administrators in the state have questions about how the MnSCU system will work, I will do what I can within that structure to preserve quality educational opportunity for students from our area. Although I feel the community college and technical college here worked very cooperatively in the past, the state merger did make it possible for the actual consolidation of the two Thief River Falls campuses. I have to view that as a plus for the reasons I have already mentioned."

The statewide merger has been four years in the making, growing out of a law passed by the legislature in 1991. In a nutshell, it means that community colleges, technical colleges and state universities are all part of the same official family, without one board and one chancellor instead of three.

The changes are real, but they involve colleges and universities that have been around for a long time, and most will keep their old names.

MnSCU begins life with a new chancellor, Dr. Judith S. Eaton, and a mandate from the legislature to reform higher education in Minnesota. The legislature backed away from any direct order to close some of the 62 campuses, but there seems to be a sense that lawmakers are asking the new system to rethink the notion that a college or university must be nearby for everyone. One of the questions for MnSCU may be whether bigger and better colleges might be preferable, even though students might have to go farther to find them.

Eaton calls the merger, "an extraordinary opportunity" and says the people of Minnesota "showed foresight and courage" in taking a fresh look at higher education. Outgoing Chancellor Jay Noren calls the merger "a powerful vehicle for change," but says the merger must be "a means to excellence, not an end in itself." In a 32-point blueprint for restructuring, Noren said some small campuses might have to become receiving points for education delivered by technology (such as television and the Internet).

As the new organization is born, three others will fade away. After midnight Friday, there will be no more Minnesota Community College System, no more Minnesota Technical College System and no more State University System. The central office of MnSCU — about 200 people — will serve the campuses of all three types of institutions.

Two other pairs of community and technical colleges will join forces under new names on Saturday, packing away old names and rivalries. The new colleges are:

• Central Lakes College, the consolidation of Brainerd Community College and Brainerd-Staples Technical College. The two Brainerd units eventually will be joined on one campus, with technical programs in a new building. For now, they'll operate from three sites with one administration.

• Lake Superior College, consolidating Duluth Technical College and the Duluth Community College Center. New construction will bring community college programs onto the technical college campus, but they'll operate as one organization right away.

All three of the newly-united colleges will offer both academic and technical programs but will have new opportunities to do it more efficiently and with an eye to new combinations of education that may serve students better. Over the next two years, seven additional pairs of technical and community colleges are expected to consolidate into single organizations. Early estimates are that such consolidations can save $200,000 to $400,000 each year in administrative costs.

Where once there were three governing boards, now there will be one. And even though it has a new name, effective July 1, the 15-member board of trustees of Minnesota State Colleges and Universities will compare with the University of Minnesota board of regents in power and influence.

In number of buildings, number of students and number of almost everything else — except dollars — the MnSCU system is larger than the University of Minnesota. The "U" got a slightly larger two-year appropriation from the legislature this year ($937.1 million for MnSCU vs. $968.9 million for the University of Minnesota).

What is MnSCU? It is 62 campuses in Minnesota, plus another in Japan; 163,000 students at any given time; 20,000 employees; 467 buildings; hundreds of vehicles; lots of tools and machinery - especially at technical colleges; a radio station or two; thousands of books and computers; and lots of history.

The state universities date back to 1858, when the legislature established the state's first normal school (teacher training institution) opened in 1860 in Winona. Schools opened in 1868 in Mankato and 1869 in St. Cloud. The normal schools became teacher's colleges in 1921, state colleges in 1957, and state universities in 1975. Metropolitan State College opened in 1972 as the newest member of the group.

Community colleges owe their lineage to locally-owned junior colleges, many of them operating on the second or third floor of the local high school. The first was at Cloquet in 1914. While it didn't last, the one at Rochester did — opening in 1915 and operating today as Rochester Community College. A state junior college system was established in 1964. The legislature changed the name to community college for both the schools and the system in 1973.

The technical college network grew out of six programs operated in the Kline Garage in Mankato in 1945. The early name was Area Vocational-Technical Schools. The first one opened in Mankato in 1947. The name later became Area Vocational-Technical Institutes, and still later to Technical Colleges.

One of the major changes brought about by the merger is the movement of all technical college property to state ownership and movement of technical college employees to the state payroll. Up to now, they had been employed by local school districts or special technical college boards.

Enrollment last fall totaled 54,896 at the seven state universities, 54,806 at the 21 community college campuses and 53,286 at the 34 technical college campuses. With one board and one chancellor, the aim will be to provide unimpeded movement in and out of the various types of schools for students who may start one place and finish somewhere else.

The MnSCU board and administration are looking for a new office site in St. Paul. For now, administrators will be concentrated in the Capital Square and Park Office Building in St. Paul.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Michael and Debbie Waterworth and Reed visited with Aaron and Blanche Waterworth on Saturday evening.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Rocky Point and visited with Frank and Harriet Kujava and their families.

Wednesday evening, Arnold and Varnica Larson visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Thursday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson went and spent the night with Konny and Sybil Cwikla at their trailer at Ameson resort on Friday we did some fishing had good luck and had a very enjoyable time. We also stopped to visit a short time with Frank and Harriet Kujava at their trailer.

Beverly Erickson visited with Jan Leeder on Tuesday forenoon.

Saturday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were LaVel Thun and Donald Larson.

Charles and Phyllis Thrane came up last weekend to visit with Alice Ellingson and also to attend a wedding in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Jerry Gillund visited at the Milton Erickson home on Sunday evening.

Wednesday, June 19th, those that helped Helen Sorenson celebrate her birthday were Sybil Peterson, Lillie Olson, Bud and Ruby Moon. Harryet Larson was there in the forenoon.

Wednesday the 14th, Curt and Elaine Thompson enjoyed a nice evening visit from Floyd and Adeline Nelson. We also enjoyed a snack while visiting.

Joel and Lori Waterworth and Katie visited with Aaron and Blanche Waterworth on Sunday.

Elaine Thompson enjoyed a nice visit from Donna Mae Hogberg on Thursday evening the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Anderson of Hallsville, MO visited at the Milton Erickson home on Sunday afternoon.

Lillie Olson visited at the Lyle and Becky Olson home on Friday evening.

Mark Thompson and Barb Herman of Moorhead drove down to help Curt Thompson celebrate Father's Day on Sunday the 16th. They came and prepared the dinner and ate with us in the afternoon. Roger and Robbin Mothsen, Renelle, Ryan and ReAnne, Lisa Wilson, Jeremy, Jayme, Amber and Mackenzie came the girls brought Strawberry Shortcake and chocolate cake with ice cream which we all enjoyed. Grandpa received many nice cards and gifts also one from his daughter-in-law, Dawn Thompson, Michael, Chad and Amy who couldn't be here. We had a lovely day.

Sunday, Father's Day those that visited and enjoyed supper at the Arnold Larson home were Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Josh and Andy, Kenny and Sybil Cwikla, Tom and Sue Dondelinger, Shane, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Kari Jesmo and Collin and Wesley Peterson. They also brought Father's Day gifts and cards to Arnold. He also received a telephone call from his son, Jim Larson of Mounds View had a very nice day.

Emil Johnson visited at the Milton Erickson home on Sunday forenoon.

Curt and Elaine Thompson enjoyed a nice afternoon visit from their Pastor LeRoy Flickinger on Tuesday the 20th. We enjoyed a snack while visiting. In the evening Harvey Skyberg came over.

Wanda Vignass and daughters, Sarah and Kendra of Thief River Falls stopped by for a visit at the Merle Bjomrud home on Wednesday afternoon. Wanda is Beulah's sister, Clara's daughter. She came by after taking her daughter, Alicia to Bible camp at Lake Bronson.

Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesmo and Collin.

Thursday, Sanora Elseth enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson.

Monday visitors at the Arnold Larson home were Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan.

Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Edward and Janice Carlson.

Friday evening the 23rd, Floyd and Adeline Nelson came and visited Curt and Elaine Thompson and their granddaughter, Amber Wilson. We had a nice visit and lunch.

Saturday, Clara Hanson attended the funeral for Art Swonson at the Viking Covenant church.

Tuesday evening, Arnold Larson visited with Carvol Gillund.

Visitors Sunday afternoon with Curt and Elaine Thompson and granddaughter, Amber Wilson were Gib and Clarice Trontvet of Thief River Falls. Later in the afternoon Verne and Betty Slettan and boys came to visit with Curt and Elaine. We had such a nice visit with them, they are from Grygla.

Monday, Verna Myhrer visited over coffee with Clara Hanson.

Aaron and Blanche Waterworth visited at the Joel Waterworth home on Sunday.

Sunday evening Florance Borg and Lillie Olson visited at the Brad Olson home and helped Craig celebrate his birthday.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

Aleura Donaldson celebrated her 5th birthday on Sunday, June 18th, with a picnic supper at her home. Those who came to wish her a Happy Birthday were her grandparents, Vance and Adrienne Lefrooth, Elsie Lefrooth, Clara Nelson, Marcelyn Lindstrom, Ida Bruce, Henry and Vanette Pettis and family, Brent and Mary Krantz, Megan and Larissa, and Holly and Katie Hanson. Her parents, Jeff and Margaret Donaldson and sister, Sara had the supper at their home and the children kept cool by playing in their pool.

Morris and Hazel Anderson, Kristopher and Kenrick Anderson, Keith, Kathy, Josh and Jared Britten, and Dorothy Challee of Wibaux, MT had dinner in Grand Forks with Jim and Cindy Welterlund to celebrate Morris and Keith's birthday. They were joined by Rodney and Bernice Welterlund of the Cities later in the evening.

Ted and Lori Johnson and family of Hallock, Pat Lindstrom and children and Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom helped Marcelyn Lindstrom celebrate her birthday a week ago Friday.

Sunday visitors for Father's Day at Frank Kleinvachter's were Joan Gehrls of Inkster, ND, Kaye Turnwall of St. Hilaire and June Kosprowicz and Julius and Toni Kleinvachter.

Marcelyn Lindstrom took Lois Carrico to the Grand Forks airport Thursday forenoon. Lois is spending some time with her daughter in California.

Isaac Thompson visited Lloyd Nelson of Kennedy on Sunday afternoon.

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JULY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
JULY 3 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 4 BAR BINGO TIP BOARDS 4-7 P.M. SERVING HAMBURGERS	JULY 5 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 6 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 7	JULY 8 BAR BINGO 5-6:30
JULY 10 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 POST AUX. MEETING 8:00	JULY 11 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	JULY 12 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 13 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 14	JULY 15 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

MONDAY-FRIDAY 1 P.M. - 1 A.M. SATURDAY 11 A.M.-1 A.M.

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Harmony Swings (5-Piece Band from Orebro, Sweden)
Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble from Selkirk, Manitoba, Canada
Fur Trade Encampment • Native American Encampment • Goosebumps the Clown
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Petting Zoo • Old Time Demonstrations • Concessions • Beer Gardens

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94th Annual Pennington County FAIR
BULLRIDING Thurs. & Fri. July 13 & 14
July 12-16, 1995
THIEF RIVER FALLS
– FREE GATE –
PAM TILLIS Saturday July 15

- HORSE SHOW
- DEMO DERBY
- LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS
- PEDAL PULL
- TEEN DANCE
- FREE BANDSHELL ENTERTAINMENT
- GOSPEL MUSIC SPECIAL
- SENIOR CITIZEN PROGRAM
- PETTING ZOO

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 12TH – CHURCH NIGHT
(NO EXHIBITS CAN BE ENTERED)
5:00 P.M. - Closing .... Midway Open – A carnival ride bracelet can be purchased, which will provide an unlimited number of rides between noon and 6:00 p.m. or 6:00 p.m. to closing, except Wednesday. The cost of the bracelet is $12.00 at the fair or $10.00 pre-sale at 60 grocery and convenience stores or $25.00 for a Mega Pass for all 5 days.
5:00 P.M. .... 4-H dog show followed by open class dog show
6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. .... Gospel Music in Bandshell
9:00 P.M. .... Grandstand – Teen Dance – "Klipsch"

THURSDAY, JULY 13TH – ENTRY DAY
9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. .... Entry Day. Flower exhibits must be entered by 4:30 P.M.
9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. .... 4-H entries and conference judging
12:00 Noon - Closing .... Midway Open
1:30 P.M. - 10:30 P.M. .... Bandshell Open
4:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M. .... Bingo – Curling Club Building
7:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M. .... Prairie Schooners Car Club Drive & Display
7:00 - 9:00 P.M. .... Grandstand – Bullriding

FRIDAY, JULY 14TH – JUDGING DAY & SENIOR CITIZEN DAY
9:00 A.M. .... 4-H swine followed by open class swine, 4-H sheep and open class sheep judging
9:00 A.M. .... 4-H dairy judging followed by open dairy judging
9:30 A.M. .... 4-H rabbit judging
10:30 A.M. .... Open class rabbit judging
11:00 A.M. .... 4-H beef judging followed by open class beef judging
12:00 Noon - Closing .... Midway Open
1:00 P.M. .... 4-H poultry judging followed by open class poultry
1:30 P.M. - 10:30 P.M. .... Bandshell Open
2:00 P.M. .... Senior Citizen program in Ag building
Pennington County Outstanding Senior Citizen recognized
4:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M. .... Bingo – Curling Club Building
7:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. .... Bullriding

SATURDAY, JULY 15TH – FAMILY DAY
9:00 A.M. .... 4-H and open goat show
9:00 A.M. .... 4-H horse show followed by open class horse show
11:00 A.M. .... KKAQ rooster crowing contest
12:00 Noon - Closing .... Midway Open
1:30 P.M. - 10:30 P.M. .... Bandshell Open
2:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M. .... Bingo – Curling Club Building
7:00 P.M. & 9:00 P.M. .... Grandstand – Pam Tillis

SUNDAY, JULY 16TH – "FUN DAY"
9:00 A.M. .... Registration for Horse Show
[illegible]
12:00 Noon - Closing .... Midway Open
1:00 P.M. .... 4-H Fashion Revue followed by 4-H awards program and Share-The-Fun performances
1:30 P.M. - 10:30 P.M. .... Bandshell Open
2:00 P.M. .... Pedal Pull in front of arena
2:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M. .... Bingo – Curling Club Building
3:30 P.M. .... 4-H Market Animal Auction
5:30 P.M. .... Grandstand – Jaycee Demo Derby
7:00 P.M. .... Exhibits released

GOSPEL MUSIC NIGHT
Wednesday, July 12, 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. In The Bandshell

★★★★ 6:00 P.M. – OUR SAVIOURS ACADEMY SINGERS ★★★★
★★★★ 6:20 P.M. – TROCHMANN FAMILY (Southern Style Gospel) ★★★★
★★★★ 6:40 P.M. – EARL & FLOYD HANSON (Instrumental) ★★★★
★★★★ 7:00 P.M. – "STRAIGHT FROM THE HEART" ★★★★
★★★★ 7:20 P.M. – KELSEY CARLSON (Soloist) ★★★★
★★★★ 7:30 P.M. – KELSI HOLLAND (Soloist) ★★★★
★★★★ 7:40 P.M. – JENIFER HALVORSON (Soloist) ★★★★
★★★★ 7:50 P.M. – VICKY EITZEGAIO (Soloist) ★★★★
★★★★ 8:00 P.M. – ROBIN ASP (Soloist) ★★★★
★★★★ 8:20 P.M. – JULY MELBY (Soloist) ★★★★
★★★★ 8:40 P.M. – TWYLA HICKS (Soloist) ★★★★

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BANDSHELL SCHEDULE

TIME	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1:30	Magician	Magician	Magician	Magician
2:30	Matt Vorderbruggen	Key Lane	Key Lane	Key Lane
3:30	Magician	Martin Family	Martin Family	Martin Family
4:30	Matt Vorderbruggen	Magician	Magician	Magician
5:30	Magician	Key Lane	Key Lane	Key Lane
6:30	Matt Vorderbruggen	Martin Family	Martin Family	Martin Family
7:30	Sugar Creek	Magician	Magician	Magician
8:30	Sugar Creek	Key Lane	Key Lane	Key Lane
9:30	Sugar Creek	Martin Family	Martin Family	Martin Family

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July

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9 Senior Citizen Discount $5.00 off Bingo	10 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	11 Seafood Buffet	12 Breakfast Special Free Cap With Breakfast Guy's Night Out At Bingo	13 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	14 Try Our Special Breakfast Menu	15 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
16 Super Bingo $4,500 Coverall	17 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	18 Seafood Buffet	19 Breakfast Special Free Cap With Breakfast	20 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m. Ladies Night Out At Bingo	21 Yah-Hoo Bingo!!!	22 2 For 1 All Levels
23 T-Shirt Day At Bingo Prime Rib & Walleye	24 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	25 Seafood Buffet	26 Breakfast Special Free Cap With Breakfast	27 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	28 Food Shelf Drive At Bingo	29 July Birthdays $5.00 Off Bingo

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Thief River Falls Lions Club officers for 1995-96 were installed Wednesday, June 28, at the noon meeting of the club. Pictured left to right are, front row, Romal Burtness, director; Ellsworth Jorgenson, secretary; Ray Safranski, president; and Brad Renslow, third vice president; back row, Dan Dravlow, past president; Dr. Charles Samuelson, tail twister; Bob Sorvig, Lion tamer; Rev. Dennis Reymond, director; and John T. Anderson, treasurer. Not pictured are Kurt Marben, first vice president; Regan Rohl, second vice president; Norm Wassink, back-up secretary; Orville Hanson, back-up treasurer; Ron Lindberg and Cliff Swenson, directors.

Several thefts listed in law enforcement news

Law enforcement officials in Penington county and Thief River Falls received several reports of thefts and again some reports involving drugs during the past week.

Thefts. On June 27 Veronica Lynn Scovel, 27, Thief River Falls, was charged with theft under $200 following investigation of a report on April 20 in which a radio antenna was taken from a garage in the 300 block of South Arnold.

On June 27 at 5:14 p.m. police received a call from Kmart. A 33-year-old female was caught taking items from the store without paying for them.

On July 1 at 3:57 a.m. a resident of Aberdeen, SD, visiting the community reported that a duffel bag was taken from the back of his pickup. It contained two pistols, a 357 magnum valued at $350, a .22 caliber valued at $250, jeans, books, and other clothing items. The total theft loss was estimated at $720.

On July 1 at 8:18 a.m. police received a report of a theft in the 800 block of North Davis. Sometime during the night two industrial drills were taken from an elevator. They were valued at $600 each.

On July 4 police received a call in reference to a theft on June 18 from a vehicle. A 14-year-old male from Thief River Fals was arrested for felony theft, which consisted of a theft of stereo equipment and CDs valued at $1,200.

Pennington county sheriff's department has issued citations for issuance of dishonored checks to the following individuals: (amounts listed include fees): Karla Faye Olson, 23, Stacy, $85; Dawn Marie Swenson, 24, Strathcona, $76.35; Mary Jane Donnell, 45, Redby, $94.25; Brian Edward Troumbly, 28, Taconite, $105; Nicole Rae Taylor, 24, Grand Forks, ND, $75; Heather Joy Dalzell, 19, Thief River Falls, $35; Donald Robert Haberle, 37, Black Duck, $35; Diane Marie Peterson, 24, Thief River Falls, $40; Thomas Scott Taylor, 40, East Grand Forks, $175; Louann Beito, 34, Thief River Falls, $395.97.

Vandalism. On June 25 at 2:10 a.m. a deputy on duty noticed damage to a car parked in the 400 block of South Tindolph. Upon contacting the owner, the deputy learned that the window had been smashed, and the left side of the car scratched. Damage loss was estimated at $300. Several items from inside the car, including cassette tapes were missing. The theft loss was estimated at $340.

Alcohol and cigarettes. On June 30 at 12:08 p.m. police received a complaint about kids exchanging money behind Northern State Bank. They were talked with and police learned that they had cigarettes and a bottle of alcohol in a bag. A 15-year-old male from Thief River Falls was charged with possession of alcohol by a minor, and a 13-year-old male from Thief River Falls, was cited for possession of alcohol by a minor. Karla Joan Loerzel, Thief River Falls, was charged with sale of tobacco to a minor.

Accidents: On June 30 at 10 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Third Street east of Horace Avenue. Jason George Breiland, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup and was stopped behind a line of cars. Karl Duane Anderson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car and was looking off to the side when his vehicle rear-ended the Breiland vehicle. Damages were estimated $300 to the Breiland vehicle, and $1,000 to the Anderson vehicle. Anderson was cited for inattentive driving.

On July 1 at 10:37 p.m. police received a report from the hospital that they were treating an accident victim. Police learned that James Ronald Fox, Hastings, was driving a moped in LaFave park when it skidded on the wet grass, and he fell from the vehicle and broke his a clavicle.

On July 4 at 12:38 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident. Ronnie Calmer Rud, Newfolden, was driving a pickup north on Highway 59, three-quarters north from Highway 1 in North township and Darcy Ann Gonsorowski-Hestekind, Viking, was also driving a car north on Highway 59. Darcy bent down to move something on the floor and when she looked up she noticed that Rud was attempting to turn and the vehicles collided. Rud complained of a sore neck. Darcy complained of bloody nose and sore teeth. Both were taken to Northwest Medical Center. Darcy was cited for inattentive driving. Damages were estimated at $500 to the Rud vehicle and $3,000 to Darcy's vehicle.

Burglary. On June 30 at 6:12 p.m. a local resident in the 1200 block of North Main reported that someone had entered their home and had stolen some food stamps and change. Upon investigation, Charles Wayne Zornes, 18, Thief River Falls, is being charged with burglary in the second degree. Michael Joseph Greggory, 18, Des Moines, IA, is being charged with aiding burglary in the second degree.

On July 1 at 7 p.m. a resident in the 500 block of North Dewey reported that someone had been in the house and had taken some things. Upon returning to their home they found the door open and two of their stereo systems in the porch blocking their door. A black leather jacket, a screen tent, and food had been taken from the freezer. The door had been forced open. The total theft loss was estimated at $349.

Drugs. On June 30 at 1:25 a.m. sheriff's deputies made a traffic stop on County road 7. Arrested was Kathern Marie Baum, 32, Thief River Falls, and Mitchell Delewoyn Hinden, 35, Thief River Falls. Pending test results, Baum could be charged with driving after revocation, open bottle, and driving under the influence of a controlled substance. Pending test results, charges against Hinden could include possession of a controlled substance and open bottle.

On July 3 at 5:30 p.m. police went to a residence where they found a small amount of marijuana. Jonathon Jonas McHam, 32, Thief River Falls, faces a charge of possession of a small amount of marijuana.

Driving while intoxicated. On June 28 at 1:15 a.m. police stopped a vehicle on North Davis. The driver, Dudley Lee Johnson, 56, Thief River Falls, was charged with misdemeanor driving while intoxicated.

On July 2 Phillips Randall Swanton, 40, Thief River Falls, was arrested by the sheriff's department for driving while intoxicated.

On July 4 at 1:23 a.m. police stopped a vehicle on South Conley. Charged with misdemeanor driving while intoxicated Carol Joy Hanson, 21, Thief River Falls.

Two arrests made after vandalism at Huot cemetery

Two people have been arrested and more arrests are anticipated in an incident reported June 29 in which about 25 headstones at Huot Cemetery west of Red Lake Falls were tipped over and or broken.

Jason Blow, 19, Crookston, and Michael Travis Fields, 22, were arrested Thursday and transported by Red Lake county sheriff's deputies to the Regional Corrections Center in Crookston on charges of criminal damage to property. According to a dispatcher with the Red Lake county sheriff's department, the sheriff's department received a report at about 8:50 a.m. June 29 of vandalism at Huot Cemetery. Damage was being evaluated Friday, but about 25 stones had been tipped over and or broken.

Red Lake county sheriff's department, the Crookston police department, and the Polk county sheriff's department are continuing their investigation into the incident. Other arrests are pending.

Heidi Shafland on College Dean's list

Heidi Shafland of Thief River Falls was one of 342 students to earn their way onto the Dean's list for the Winter/May term at Wartburg College in Waverly, IA.

In order to be named to the list, students must have attained a minimum grade point average of 3.5 (on a 4.0 basis) in at least five courses for the two terms. Of those five courses, four must be graded by the traditional grades of A through F and not use the P/D/F option.

Dressed for their opening production number in the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program are the six contestants for the title. Left to right are Christine Anderson, Karlsted, Miss Congeniality winner; Mya Gunderson, Newfolden, talent division winner and second runner-up; Tera Marquis, Trail, swimsuit division winner and 1995 Miss Thief River Falls; Maja Turenne, Thief River Falls; Kristi Lindberg, Miss Thief River Falls; and Nicole Paulson, Goodridge, first runner-up. Tera will receive a $1,500 scholarship and $1,000 expense fund.

Swimsuit division winner at the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program Saturday at the Lincoln high school auditorium was Tara Marquis, who was also named Miss Thief River Falls 1995.

Tim & Jodi Kozan have a baby girl

Tim and Jodi Kozan are the proud parents of a baby girl.

She has been named Jessica LeeAnn. She was born, weighing 9 lbs. 3 oz. and measuring 22 inches, at Royal University Hospital in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan on May 23. She has a sister, Jaclyn, who is 2 and one half years old. Grandparents are Richard and Judy Anderson of Thief River Falls and Ted and Julie Kozan of Garson, Manitoba. Great-grandparents are Signe Miller of Goodridge and Gilmer and Frances Anderson of Thief River Falls.

Eisbrener & Sollom are named senior citizens-of-the-year

Doris Eisbrener and Al Sollom will be honored Friday, July 14 at the Pennington county fair. Eisbrener and Sollom were named Pennington County Senior Citizens of the year.

Shock factor hit the top of the scale for Tara Marquis Saturday evening when the crown of Miss Thief River Falls 1995 was placed on her head by Marcie Erickson, Miss Thief River Falls 1993-94. Tara will receive a $1,500 scholarship and $1,000 travel and expense allowance for her reign and participation in the Miss Minnesota Scholarship Program next spring.

Crown of Miss Thief River Falls was placed on the head of Tara Marquis by 1993-94 Miss Thief River Falls Marcie Erickson at the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program Saturday evening in the Lincoln high school auditorium.

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Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson 681-3852

Sunday, they and the Wesle/Grandstrand family attended the open house party for Kirk. They returned Monday afternoon.

Miss TRF candidates in evening gown competition

No division winner was announced in the evening gown (on-stage personality) portion of the Miss Thief River Falls Program

Nicole Paulson Mya Gunderson Maja Turenne Christine Anderson Kristi Lindberg Tera Marquis

Candidates give talent performances

Talented Candidates

Competition in the talent division of the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program Saturday evening at the Lincoln high school auditorium was considered to be the strongest throughout the field in the local event in some time. Mya Gunderson (above) won the event with her vocal solo. Other contestants (clockwise from upper left) are Tera Marquis, vocal solo; Maja Turenne, interpretation of poetry; Kristi Lindberg, vocal solo; Christine Anderson, vocal solo; and Nicole Paulson, jazz/funk dance. Tera Marquis won the Miss Thief River Falls 1995 title with Nicole Paulson as first runner-up and Mya Gunderson as second runner-up. Tera also won the swimsuit division and Christine Anderson was selected as Miss Congeniality.

Tera Marquis is crowned as 1995 Miss Thief River Falls

As Miss Thief River Falls, Miss Marquis receives a $1,500 scholarship, $1,000 in travel and expense allowance, crown from the Fountain of Jewels, handcrafted keepsake box for her crown, $50 gift certificate from New Attractions and a dictionary from Northwest Regional Library. She also received 14 kt. gold earrings as the swimsuit division winner.

Miss Paulson receives a $400 scholarship and Krementz Crystal earrings and Miss Gunderson a $200 scholarship and 14 kt. gold bracelet as second runner-up. She also receives a Krementz Crystal necklace as talent division winner.

Miss Anderson receives a sterling silver bracelet as Miss Congeniality. All contestants receive a $100 scholarship.

As Miss Thief River Falls, Miss Marquis will compete next June in the Miss Minnesota Program in Austin.

Lions benefit for Libertie Traxler

The Plummer Lions and Lioness are sponsoring a benefit dinner for Libertie Traxler on Sunday, July 9 at the Plummer Hall from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The menu will consist of turkey, baked potato, cole slaw, corn, apple crisp, coffee and juice. A free-will donation will be accepted. The Lutheran Brotherhood branch #8129 and AAL will match the funds raised.

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Contestants receive scholarships

Contestants in the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program Saturday evening in the Lincoln high school auditorium claimed $2,400 in scholarships. The program was an Official Miss America Preliminary event.

Miss Thief River Falls of 1995, Tera Marquis of Trail, earned a $1,500 scholarship. She will be a second year student at Northland Community and Technical College this fall.

First runner-up Nicole Paulson of Goodridge earned a $400 scholarship; second runner-up Mya Gunderson of Newfolden received a $200 scholarship and contestants Maja Turenne and Kristi Lindberg of Thief River Falls and Christine Anderson of Karlstad earned $100 scholarships.

Program sponsor is the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce.

A young face for a young sport. Fourteen-year-old Chris Verhel of Duluth was the winner of the ProAm 900 during the American Festival MRP personal watercraft race in Thief River Falls Sunday. The ProAm 900 is the distance event of the sport and involves 45 laps around a circuitous course.

Prowler Marching Band from Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls was a crowd favorite during the 1995 American Festival parade in Thief River Falls.

Cast members of Two Rivers Area Theatre's production of "Into the Woods" participated in the American Festival parade in Thief River Falls Saturday. The performers will present "Into the Woods" July 13,14 and 15 at 7:30 p.m., and on July 16 at 2 p.m.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Sunday, July 9: Pork chop, whipped potatoes, sauerkraut, bread, cheesecake, milk.

Monday, July 10: Salisbury steak, baked potato, peas, bread, plum sauce, milk.

Tuesday, July 11: Liver and onions or chicken, boiled potato, creamed wax beans, bread, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Wednesday, July 12: Meatballs, escalloped potatoes, winter mix, bread, apricot sauce, milk.

Thursday, July 13: Swiss steak, boiled potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread, pumpkin bars, milk.

Friday, July 14: Salmon loaf, boiled potatoes, California mix, bread, fruit, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th East street Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, July 10: Pork cutlet with gravy, seasoned noodles, French style beans, mixed fruit, pound cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, July 11: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, strawberry gelatin with fruit cocktail and topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, July 12: Swedish meatballs with gravy, steamed potatoes, peas and carrots, apple cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, July 13: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned spinach, vanilla ice cream, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, July 14: Baked fish with lemon sauce, tator tots, seasoned peas and carrots, banana cream dessert, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, July 10: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.

Tuesday, July 11: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, July 12: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

Thursday, July 13: Milk, applesauce, Rice Krispies, muffins.

Friday, July 14: Milk, apple juice, Kix, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, July 10: Homemade chicken noodle soup, saltines, bologna sandwiches, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, July 11: Hot tuna buns, hashbrown potato, lettuce salad with peas and cheese, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday, July 12: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, July 13: Hamburger noodle hotdish, beans, pear halves, milk.

Friday, July 14: Hot dog on a bun, potato chips, pork and beans, pickles, apple crisp, milk.

Ventriloquist Ian Verelle and his young friend, both of St. Paul, entertained crowds on Sunday, July 2 at the county fairgrounds grandstand at the American Festival.

Bridal shower for Jennifer Walter

There will be an open house for Jennifer Walter, bride-to-be of Jason Yutrzenka, on Sunday, July 9 at 2 p.m. at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church in Plummer. All friends and family are invited. No invitations are being sent.

Baby shower for Ashli Davidson

There will be a baby shower in honor of Ashli Taylor Davidson, daughter of Corey Davidson and Tammy Ekmon, at the Nazareth Lutheran Church in Holt from 2-4 p.m. on Saturday, July 8. All friends and family welcome.

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"Nunsense" performers Sally Erickson, Heidi Hoks, and Karl Frisch put on an impromptu performance during the American Festival parade Saturday in Thief River Falls.

Highlanding News

Margie Coan
378-4351

Dolores Johnerud visited on Monday evening by telephone with her sister, Doris Hasby of Heartford, WI.

Dolores Johnerud were among those who attended a bridal shower for Shirley Weber held at the Family Bowl in Thief River Falls.

Margie Coan visited during the week with Deanna Coan.

Dolores Johnerud enjoyed coffee with Doris and Orville Nelson on Sunday afternoon.

Dolores Johnerud accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roger Johnerud, Jason, Mathew and Rochelle to Horse Show in Red Lake Falls on Sunday evening.

Sherry LaToxler of Bromington, WA called on Sunday evening to visit with her mom Dolores Johnsrud.

Donna Horschek visited during the week with Ann Hoden.

Hilda Hoffman and Susan Hoffman of Nashville, TN came to visit with Bill and Olive Rehm on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited on Monday afternoon with Dolores Johnsrud.

Shelly Hughes of Warroad visited on Monday morning with her grandparents, Emil and Lois Swanson.

Sunday evening visitors of the Orvin Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Engelsted of Gatzke.

Dertie Haugen visited on Monday following Bible study at Pastor Dohlen home with Lorraine McGinity and Bob Hutchinson.

On Friday evening, Ann Hoden attended a bridal shower for her daughter, Shirley Weber held at the Family Bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Simmons of Ham Lake, Julie Kiosow and Shuri Sado, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Halverson of Thompson, ND were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Orvin Anderson home.

Gertie Haugen and Hilda Hoffman attended the funeral on Saturday for Pearl Tonner held at the Ekolund Lutheran church of rural Goodridge.

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Wendy Kokie, and Melissa Molitor tie the ceremonial knot symbolically merging Northland Community College and Northwest Technical College into one college. Kokie and Molitor will be among students in the first class to graduate from the college, which will be known as Northland Community and Technical College.

The ribbon-tying ceremony was held Friday morning in the cafeteria of the two colleges. Following the ribbon-tying ceremony, a groundbreaking ceremony was held for the $1.9 million student housing project currently under construction behind the school.

Representatives of Northwest Technical College and Northland Community College symbolically tied a knot in the cafeteria of the colleges, which represented the merger of the two colleges. Equal representation from both schools, along with the district's state senator, LeRoy Stumpf, and state representative, Tim Finseth, participated in the symbolic ribbon-tying ceremony. Pictured from left are: Sen. LeRoy Stumpf, Dr. Orley Gunderson, new president of Northland Community and Technical College, Julie Thorson, Northwest Technical College faculty member, Wendy Kokie, technical college student, Melissa Molitor, community college student, Dr. Tyronne Birkeland, community college faculty member, Sue Minnick, acting community college provost, and Rep. Tim Finseth.

Danielle Grandbois (right) of St. Hilaire, a member of the Thief River Falls Saddle Club, was one of nine contestants in the Miss Rodeo Minnesota Pageant held during the Fourth of July weekend in Park Rapids at the Headwaters of the Mississippi Rodeo. At left is the new Miss Rodeo Minnesota, Rachel Boyce of Menahga. Between them is the reigning Miss Rodeo Minnesota, Terese Miller of Nevis. Miss Miller, 24, assumed her title January 1 and will represent Minnesota in the Miss Rodeo America contest in December at the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, NV. Miss Boyce will assume the state title Jan. 1, 1996.

Family reunion set for July 9th

The Aaton, Krogloss, Hanson family reunion will be held at the Newfolden community center July 9th. Starting at noon, potluck will be served, bring something for lunch.

Riverside Terrace celebrates May & June birthdays

May and June birthdays were celebrated at Riverside Terrace on May 27.

May birthdays were Florence Carlson (6), Thelma Smith (7), Esther Fuller (18), Ellen Juhl (23), Mable Mathiason (27), Ruth Omdahl (28), Irene Fellman (30) and Helga Jelle (31).

June birthdays were Marie Kleinvachter (12) and Olga Lindland (15).

Program entertainers were Eldon Larson and Mylan Abrahamson.

Shriners plan screening clinic for prospective clients

Children in need of orthopedic treatment will have an opportunity to be evaluated for free care at the Shriners Hospital in Minneapolis during a screening clinic sponsored by the Kem Shrine Temple of Grand Forks. The clinic will be held in Grand Forks on Wednesday, July 19, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Kem Shrine Temple, 423 Bruce Avenue, Grand Forks, ND.

The screening clinic is an opportunity for parents to have their child evaluated by a Shriners Hospital physician, as well as find out whether the child is medically eligible for treatment at the hospital. The goal is to identify children with correctable orthopedic problems whose families would face a financial burden if they received care elsewhere. There is no charge for any of the care or services provided by Shriners Hospital.

For more information or to make an appointment, contact Leo Luettjohann at (218) 281-4577 daytime or (218) 281-1561 evenings.

Viking

On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjerven attended the midsummer fest at the Vega Lutheran church. After supper the Jubilation Singers of East Grand Forks presented a program.

Bert and Joyce Kron drove to Moorhead on Thursday and continued on with Orland Roppe and Gretchen to St. Cloud hospital to visit Karen Odberg following her surgery. They were joined by Keith Kron of Payette, KS and Leonard and Michelle Kron of St. Paul. Keith returned home with Bert and Joyce and will visit several days when his family will join him.

Saturday afternoon, Lloyd Ranum was a luncheon guest at the LeRoy Susted home.

Carrie Nicholson and Marlys Gillaspie were coffee guests at Liz Swanson's on Wednesday morning.

Raymond Drotts was a coffee guest at the LeRoy Sustad home on Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. David Swanson and Joe Field of Stephen were visitors at the Wallace Hanson home on Monday.

On Wednesday, Arlene Hanson, Ethel Anderson and Annie Gustalson visited at the Alma Drotts home.

Clara Hanson of Newfolden visited with Liz Swanson on Thursday morning.

MARKETS

as of Friday, June 30

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.90
New Crop 95	4.65
Spring Wheat #2	4.45
Spring Wheat #3	4.00
Spring Wheat #4	3.40
Winter Wheat	4.30
Durum	4.75
Top Malting Barley	2.50
Feed Barley	2.18
Top Milling Oats	1.40
Ordinary Oats	1.30
Oil Sunflowers	10.50
New Crop 95	10.75
Corn	2.50
Rye	2.00
Flax	4.90
Soybeans	5.30
Buckwheat	12.00
Confectionery Sunflowers	12.00
Canola	11.70

Ready to leave for a week of camping at the Minnesota Elks Youth Camp near Nisswa June 28 through July 6 was this group of boys. Left to right are, kneeling, Nathan Hesse and Travis Hjelle; standing, Josh Jablinske, Dylan Hanson, Matt Appel and Joey Appel. Adults are Allen Morkrid and Dan Bylander, exalted ruler of the Elks.

Demonstrations held at Settler's Square in Warren

Demonstrations will be held at Settler's Square located at the south end of the fairgrounds during the Marshall County Fair July 6-9.

Demonstrating at Settler's Square will be: Melvin and Avis Mattson on weaving; Bev Johnson on pine needle baskets; Pam Grove on creative memoires photo storage; Warren Jadeke on miniature train display, kiddy train rides.

Concessions will also include: root beer floats by Northland Community Hospice, lefsa by Jeanette Reierson, Mexican food by Maria Torrez, fry bread by Colette Baker coffee; lemonade, cookies and ice cream cones served by Marshall County Historical Society.

Special attractions this year will be a carpenter who will use tools dating back to the early 1900s, and cow milking by a local 4-H member.

When coming to Settler's Square, be sure to see the many actors in buildings telling tales from the early pioneer days.

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Peter Ringerud, Fargo, ND, was men's second place finisher in the Sparkler Sprint 10K (6.2 mile) race in Thief River Falls Saturday. The race was one of the events of the American Festival.

Bemidji High School Lumberjack Marching Band was awarded a trophy as Crowds Favorite during a parade for the American Festival Saturday in Thief River Falls.

Beau Bergner, son of UPS Manager Mike Bergner, was a member of the UPS entry in the American Festival parade Saturday.

100 on MCC 4th quarter honor roll

An even 100 students were placed on the Marshall County Central high school honor roll at Newfolden for the fourth quarter of the 1994-95 school year, according to the office of Ron Paggen, superintendent and principal.

The list included 47 students with A or A- averages and 53 with B+ or B averages. Seventh grade led with 25 honor students, including 15 on the A list, followed by the seniors with 21 honor students, including 14 on the A list.

A list of scholastic honor students includes the following

A and A- Averages

Grade 7—Holly Augustine, Tina Beito, Andrew Bjorgaard, Mandi Blawat, Tiffany Bring, Jeanette Dohl, Ashley Donarski, Chad Donarski, Christina Hagen, Jessica Hodny, Kristi Kilen, Erin Klemmetsen, Jessica Kuznia, Amanda Larson and Brenda Lunke;

Grade 8—Andrew Filer and Danielle Rockstad;

Grade 9—Michelle Waterworth and Renae Wawrzyniak;

Grade 10—Balinda Burrell, Philip Flickinger, Jackie Klemmetson, Kelly Liedberg and Brandi Olson;

Grade 11—Kyle Halvorson, Rachel Larson, Sorah Larson, Jackie Magner, Trever Magner, Terry Olson, Tricia Pederson, Jessica Rokke and Sheri Skadsem;

Grade 12—Matthew Augustine, Janelle Bjorgaard, Jill Duray, Tiffany Harbott, Susan Johnson, Wayne Johnson, Jami Kuznia, Jerad Liedberg, Amie Lokstad, Melissa Lund, Mitchell Price, Nicol Rockstad, Kent Rokke and Daren Wawrzyniak;

B+ and B Average

Grade 7—Jill Anderson, Michael Fillmore, Dustin Jarshaw, Emily Kragness, Maria Larson, Denise Magner, Kyle Muetzel, Nicholas Ueland, Benjamio Waterworth and Tricia Weckwerth;

Grade 8—Jessica Anderson, Nicholes Beito, Nicol Bennett, Randine Hall, Stephanie Mereil and Aaron Riesen;

Grade 9—Danea Barrett, Gregory Duray, Dayton Elseth, Troy Elseth, Caleb Holthusen, Katie Kilen, Annie Larson, Lucas Larson, Matthew Nelson, Gregory Ueland, Craig Wawrzyniak and Anthony Weleski;

Grade 10—Travis Black, Kevin Engelsrud, Kia Frericks, Corey Hanson, Erin Holthusen, Tracy Kuznia, Amy Larson, Nathaniel Peterson, Dominik Steinhauer, Dustin Swan and Steven Yonke;

Grade 11—Ryan Anderson, Sarah Engelsrud, Darlene Nelson, Jill Nelson, Michael Olson, Micah Ranum and Shari Timm;

Grade 12—Jason Campbell, Sarah Carlson, Erika Halvorson, Cindy Holthusen, Heather Larson, Andrew McCauley and Mandy Rybakowski.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vegle
436-2133

Paul, Shirley, Konrick and Kristopher Andorsoo, Morris Anderson and Dorothy Chalfoe of Montono attended the midsummer picnic at Bethesda Lutheran church on Sunday

LaVorna Rasmussan of Buffalo Grove, IL and Gary Vegle from Delaware visited with Peter and Pearl Thompson of this week.

Lois Lindstrom, Amy Gunderson, Susan Wastberg, Karon Mitsueda, Pat Lindstrom, Dionno, Tyler and Casey visited at Morris and Marcolyn Lindstrom's on Tuesday.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's this week have been Brian Nelson, Matthew and Brittany, Karl and June Kasprowicz, Cloudia Berggren, Jassie and Kali, and Lowell Lofrooth.

Jennifer Anderson spent Thursday-Monday visiting at the Morris and Naomi Jansen home in Ely to help David celebrate his birthday.

The following have visited Elsie Lofrooth this past week, Marlys Lofrooth, Doris Song, Lois Carrico, Shirley Lofrooth, Joyce Sjodin, Pearl Thompson, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Walter Thompson and Roy and Myrtle Vagle.

Morris and Marcolyn Lindstrom, Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom, Clifford Davis, Loural Davis and Riley, Roger and Judy Davis and granddaughter helped Dionno Lindstrom celebrate her 13th birthday at Bob and Pat Lindstrom's on Sunday.

Ephie Adlis visited Elsie Lofrooth on Wednesday telling about her visit to Florida with her daughter and granddaughter. Time is running out for me and I will give a report on her visit with her daughter next week.

Koren Mitsueda of Redding, CA, Susan Westberg of Columbus, OH, Wally Lindstrom of Robin, Olive Bloke of New Hampshire and Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom were guests at a steak cookout at Morris and Marcolyn Lindstrom's on Wednesday evening to celebrate Susan's birthday. Karen and Susan are Morris and Lloyd's nieces here on vacation.

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Robert "Bud" Hegeland helped pour juice on Sunday morning, July 2 at the 4-H pancake breakfast at the American Festival.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Thursday, Arnold Larson, Roy Roppe and Stanley Larson went fishing up at Rocky Point. They reported very good luck.

Marie and Beulah Bjornrud were to the Roy and Cheryl Johnson farm near Grand Rapids on Saturday, June 10th for Bart Johnson's graduation party. Bart is Jeannie Bjornrud's nephew so while there they got to visit with Martins family. Linn and Allison Bjornrud rode back to Bemidji with Grandpa and Grandma to spend the weekend with Bonnie and Steve Hanson and friends there. Beulah helped Bonnie plant her garden later Saturday afternoon. Steve and Marie went fishing for a while, from there Marie and Beulah went on to Blackduck to spend the rest of the weekend with Charles and Linda Glonzar and grandchildren Joseph, Benjamin and Nathan attended Sunday school and church at the Evangelical Free church there a picnic with the Glanzers at noon and taking Linda and boys to the lake so the grandkids could have fun in the water in the afternoon Charles Glonzer is a nurse at the Lutheran Nursing Home in Blackduck and had to work that weekend. They left for home Monday morning having spent three weekends with three of their children and families. Matt graduated and Allison graduated the following weekend and then they went to Grand Rapids for a graduation party. They were ready to just go home and get to planting garden and flowers and mow lawns. It was great spending that time visiting and helping our kids and also getting more acquainted with the grandchildren, but good to be home again.

Shirley Wagner and Olga Thompson drove out to Olland church north of Greenbush on Wednesday forenoon where they attended the funeral for Lily Healand mother of Mrs. Donald Thompson dinner was served at the church. After the dinner they visited several ladies at the Greenbush Nursing Home were Shirley's husband Bill Wagner is employed.

Marvin and Betty Moen visited with Hanne Moen on Sunday.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to visit with Gladys Erickson and also stopped to visit with Frank and Harriet Kujava.

Mark and Jane Schaumberg and Matt spent the weekend at the Milton Erickson home Mark and Jane also attended Jane's class reunion both Friday and Saturday evenings.

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Testing a new way to distribute candy. Several individuals dressed in costumes handed out candy from grocery carts during the American Festival parade in Thief River Falls. The city adopted a new ordinance this year in the wake of a death during a parade in Oklee. The young girl was killed while attempting to collect some candy during a parade. Parade officials said the crowd was well behaved and the new method seemed to work out well.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak and Raymond and grandson, Adam Mattson of Minot, ND attended the 25th anniversary of priest-hood of Fr. Duane Pribula in Oklee on Saturday. Adam is enjoying his summer holiday with his grandparents.

Mrs. Willie Katschke accompanied with daughter, Marsha McPherson of Frankfort, IN, returned last Friday from an enjoyable holiday visiting relatives at St. Petersburg, FL, enroute to the Gulf of Mahoma and a seven day cruise to the Bahamas.

Sharon Laniel of Denver, CO and Ruth Wilens of Plummer visited Pearl Laniel on Tuesday.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Shirley Jadeke of Warren, Betty Folsom of Pennington, Millie Schummer of Bemidji, Janel Walter and Kristine of Plummer and Mrs. Dorothy Myhre.

Willard Hince, Evangeline Grove, Russell Hince, Tammy Grove of Oklee, and Cory Benoit of Thief River Falls, were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Dot and Cindy Determan and family were among those who attended the Determan family annual reunion on Father's Day weekend at the Marshall County State Park.

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Local and area officials participated in the ceremonial ground-breaking for the Student Housing project behind Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls last Friday. Pictured behind the individuals, the student housing structures are already being built. Pictured from left are: Sen. LeRoy Stumpf and his daughter, Mayor Robert Reeve, Sue Minnick, Dr. James Haviland, Dr. Orley Gunderson, Rep. Tim Finseth, and Superintendent Bob Duncan.

Red Lake Gaming Enterprises provided this parade float for the American Festival parade in Thief River Falls Saturday. There were over 80 entries in the parade.

Several individuals participated in the ceremonial ground-breaking for the Student Housing project behind Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls last Friday. Pictured from left are: Melissa Molitor, Julie Thorson, Pat Ueland, Roger Peterson, Wendy Kokie, Gordon Peterson, and Dr. Tyronne Birkeland.

Street construction crews were busy working on Main Avenue (Highway 32) in Thief River Falls last week. The road was completely dug up and replaced during the summer of 1992, but some dips caused by settling over utility trenches developed. The construction crews were back last week and milled down the sections with dips. They will patch the areas where they milled down the road and attempt to match it to the road grade level.

Ground-breaking and ribbon tying ceremony held in TRF

by David Hill
Associate Editor

Local and regional dignitaries met at Northland Community and Technical College Friday for a ribbon-tying ceremony, and a ground-breaking ceremony for the new student housing project located behind the school.

Prior to this historic merger, the cafeteria was one of the few places where students from the two separate Thief River Falls colleges could meet. The cafeteria's importance became a symbolic focal point Friday for a "ribbon-tying" ceremony.

The event also signified a commencement of an end and a beginning. Dr. James Haviland, outgoing president of Northland Community College, said the event represented the closing of one book and the opening of another.

Officially, the merger of 62 college and university campuses, which created the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU) took place at midnight on July 1.

Dr. Orley Gunderson, president of the merged campuses in Thief River Falls now known as Northland Community and Technical College, said it was an exciting day. He said it was a happy event, because it will benefit students and allow for a more efficient, less confusing method of obtaining a vocational and academic education. He noted that there will be less duplication, and the ties to industry will be stronger. He said they were saying good bye to a lot of friends, but it was a very good day.

Gunderson also noted during the celebration that it is the first time in history, outside of the Twin Cities area, that on-campus housing will be available for college students at a community college.

The $1.9 million project will consist of five buildings housing a total of 184 students. Three of the five buildings will be ready for occupancy in October 1995, and the remaining two completed in November 1995.

Thief River Falls Mayor Robert Reeve said the college has always been an important part of the community and will continue to be an important part of the community. Reeve also said the city is proud to have played a small part in the development of the new facilities.

It was School District 564 Superintendent Bob Duncan's last day as superintendent for the district. Duncan is looking forward to his new job as superintendent in Fergus Falls, but Friday he talked about the rocky path to the merger. He said it is a positive move for the community and college, and will be a great amenity to the community. Duncan noted that the kindergarten through grade 12 schools had had a good working relationship with the college and that it is important that good relationship continue.

Gordon Peterson of Northland Foundation said that when the foundation was formed in 1976 an important issue to the founders was the development of student housing. He noted that the issue atrophied over the years, but now they're digging. "What a blessing".

Peterson said the project will mean lots of students, lots of curricula, and lots of jobs. That's important to the community, he said.

Wendy Kokie, a student at the school, noted that the student housing project was something that has been needed for a long time. She said the students are looking forward to it, and it will add to the strength of the college and the community.

At one time Rep. Tim Finseth was a student at Northland Community College. He said that had anyone told him at the time that he would go on to become a state representative and attend a ribbon-tying ceremony for the merger of the colleges, he would have laughed.

Finseth didn't down play the importance of the event at all. He said that at the time they had so far to go toward a merger that he didn't think it would happen. He said, "this (merger) will provide education for students". He noted that it happened only because of the efforts of everyone working together.

Sen. LeRoy Stumpf provided a review of the long history of the effort to merge the campuses. Sen. Stumpf said it's like walking on new ground. He said the new system and student housing project was important to fulfilling the needs of the students.

The ceremony ended with representatives of both schools tying a ribbon in the center of the cafeteria and then planting gold-plated shovels into the soft grass behind the college, where frames for the new student housing could already be seen.

Viking News

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Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad were amongst the many passengers on Carpenters Overland Travel Tour Coach for a two day sight-seeing trip to Duluth. Upon their arrival at the Old Depot Museum they then had a two hour lake shore train ride followed by dinner at Perkins and an overnight stay at the Comfort Inn Motel. Wednesday morning it was off to the Congdon Tour known as the Glensheen Mansion which is property of the University of Minnesota since July 1979 and is open to the public for tours. Chester and Clara Congdon were at the Tischer's Creek area in July 1903 and measured the place for the huge house. It wasn't until 1905 that construction began and in 1908 the family moved in. There were eventually seven children and at the time the house was built they ranged in age from 10 to 26. There was a special room for everything, wood, laundry, reception, red room, blue room, sewing room and even a milk room. Milk was prepared after it was brought in from the stables, the floor made of tile with slopes to facilitate drainage and on the table a cream separator. It is all well preserved and very interesting, for instance, the cook's pantry to the left of the stove was used for storage and food preparation. It was here on the marble slab that pastries and cookies were rolled out for cutting. Also on the kitchen wall are the communication devices. The first one lists rooms, names and shows arrows. When it is activated a bell would ring and the arrow would point to the room where service was needed and the other device is part of the intercom system. Other interesting features were a fireplace of Numidian Marble from Algeria, tapestry woven in Germany, hand carved Mahogany woodwork all over, masque oil lamps from the Middle East and much more. One could spend hours to see it all and have it explained by tour guides. We then left and drove to the lake piers where we boarded the Vista King Cruise launch to tour the harbors; so much to see and very good tour guides to explain various historical and modern day points of interest. While on board the boat we enjoyed a delicious buffet luncheon. By mid-afternoon we were homeward bound having had a wonderful time of fun, food and fellowship. The temperature seemed to rise higher the closer we got to Thief River Falls. Quite a contrast with the breeze off Lake Superior!

Saturday evening, Adelle and Gordon Skjorven had supper at the Carey Skjorven home.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjorven, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Woleski and children, Dan, Kathy and Terry Olson and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Skjorven and children attended the Golden Wedding for Hervey and June Skjorven at the Oralton Lutheran church.

Safety Camp celebrates successful first year

Plans are underway for next year's Safety Camp

A successful first year of Safety Camp has encouraged organizers to begin planning for Safety Camp next year.

Madelyn Vigen, parks and recreation director in Thief River Falls, said success of this program has to be credited to many people and businesses. "Safety Camp could not have happened without the unbelievable support from area businesses, organizations and individuals."

She specifically listed the following organizations in the Safety Camp graduation ceremony brochure: City of Thief River Falls park and recreation department, Northwest Medical Center-Dakota Clinic of Thief River Falls, CP Rail, Arctco, Inc., Minnesota Extension Service, Thief River Falls police department, SD 564 Community Education, Minnesota National Guard, United Way, Minnesota State Patrol, Thief River Falls volunteer fire department, Thief River Falls fire department, Thief River Falls power and light, Quin County Community Health, Lutheran Brotherhood Branch 8129, Pizza Hut, Hartz Foods, Hugo's, McDonald's, Zion Lutheran Church Youth Group, Frito-Lay, R.E.A., Bridgeman's, Jubilee Foods, Kiwanis Club, Golden K's, Hardee's, C'mon Inn, Lee Plumbing and Heating, US West, Smiley 4-H, Pepsi Cola Bottling, KTRF, KKAQ, Thief River Falls Times, Pennington county sheriff's department, Thief River Jobbing, Great Lakes Transmission, Harlan Kirkeide, SD 564 Building and Grounds, Pamida, Purdy's, Cellular 2000, Sons of American Legion, Golden K's, Municipal Liquor Store, D & J Radio, EMS Ambulance Service, UPS, and Amoco.

Vigen said Safety Camp will be held next year at about the same time and it will continue to focus on quality not quantity, which means the course will be limited to the same number of students. Vigen also said she hopes the registration fee can remain at the same price. She added that it will once again be open to Thief River Falls and Goodridge students. The age of the students participating in the camp has been discussed, but a decision has not been made.

Vigen said she first learned of Safety Camp while attending a League of Minnesota Cities meeting over a year ago. One of the presenters discussed Safety Camp, but Vigen said she first thought he was talking about Safety Town. She began asking a lot of questions, picked up additional material and made some good contacts. She contacted the Minnesota Safety Council and their staff provided a training seminar for a group in Thief River Falls.

Vigen has heard a lot of good comments about the program since the first camp graduation. She said a lot of parents have commented that their children talked about it for several days after. They also said the children remind them of how to be safe when they forget, so the students did learn something by attending the camp.

Vigen emphasized again that the success of the program was a result of community support and involvement. Over 50 governmental and private business or individuals participated with staff or gave financial support. Main financial contributors included Northwest Medical Center/Dakota Clinic $500, United Way $500, Minnesota Safety Council Grant $500, Lutheran Brotherhood $250, Minnesota Extension Service Grant of $250, and Arctco $300. Volunteer firemen in Thief River Falls also paid for rental of a fire escape training house.

Vigen said planning meetings were held once a month beginning in November, so it was quite a time commitment for organizers, as well.

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Sports Section

Start of the Thief River Falls American Festival Sparkler Sprint Saturday morning took place in Centennial Park, where runners, walkers and joggers headed out on either a 5K or 10K course along the river and through residential areas of the city. Little Sparkler Run for the younger entries preceded the longer version of the event.

TRF activities numbers announced for 1994-95

According to figures compiled through the School District 564 Activities office, 70.1 percent of the Thief River Falls students in grades 9-12 participated in fine arts or athletic programs during the 1994-95 school year.

Recently-released data showed that 56.7 percent of the 141 members of the senior class were active in fine arts or activities, along with 71.2 percent of the 174 juniors, 78.8 percent of the 180 sophomores, and 71.1 percent of the 194 freshmen.

Lincoln High School listed 689 students in its four grades this year.

The information also showed the number of participants involved in each sport. The figures for grades 9 through 12 include:

Fall Sports

■ Football - 113, cross country - 14 boys, 9 girls; girls swimming - 19, volleyball - 46; girls tennis - 29.

Winter Sports

■ Boys basketball - 42; girls basketball - 37; hockey - 37; boys swimming - 16; wrestling - 13.

Spring Sports

■ Baseball - 53; boys golf - 43; girls golf - 16; track - 35 boys, 23 girls; boys tennis - 15; boys tennis - 15; softball - 46.

TRF splits VFW twinbill

Thief River Falls VFW baseball team is 4-13 for the year following a Friday doubleheader split against Detroit Lakes at Irv Wilson Field.

Detroit Lakes scored three times in the top of the seventh on two walks and two errors for a 3-0 win in Game 1. A first inning run was the only scoring in a 1-0 Thief River Falls victory in Game 2.

TRF/Detroit Lakes - Game 1

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TRF VFW	000 000 0	0	4	4

Detroit Lakes - Nestad (WP)
TRF - Edwards (LP) - struck out 11, walked 3

TRF/Detroit Lakes - Game 2

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Detroit Lakes	000 00	0	5	2
TRF VFW	100 0x	1	4	1

Detroit Lakes - Mucik (LP)
TRF - Jordet (WP), Nordhagen RBI single

TRF Sparkler Sprint draws field of 40 runners

Cool and calm weather conditions greeted the over 40 runners participating in the 2nd Annual Sparkler Spring held in Thief River Falls Saturday morning.

The 10K (6.2 miles) and 5K (3.1 miles) race began shortly after the conclusion of the Little Sparkler Sprint, which was for children 7 and under. Overall men's and women's winners of the 5K, who took home trophies, were Benji Marquis of Goodridge, and Jean Larson of Thief River Falls. Marquis finished in a time of 18:32. Larson finished in a time of 23:12. Men's and women's winners of the 10K were John Ringerud of Carrington, ND, and Darla Miller of Mayville, ND. Ringerud finished the course in 42:57. Miller finished the course in 46:27. Trophies were awarded to the top men and women in the event, and medals were awarded through third place in each age group.

Results

Little Sparkler Sprint: Males 7 and under - 1) Jordan Torgerson, age 6, 2) Tim Winkelman, age 5, 3) Dylin Davidson, age 3;

Girls 7 and under - 1) Sallie Wiseth, age 7, 2) Sarah Mattison, age 6, 3) Katelyn Winkelman, age 5.

Sparkler Sprint 5K, 3.1 mile race: (12 and under) males — 1) Steven Wiseth, 26:03, 2) Mitch Pribula 24:45, 3) Stacy Wiseth 27:51; females - 1) Stephanie Demars 28:42, 2) Maggie Mostue 40:35, 3) Kelsi Halland 41:18;

(13-19) males - 1) Benji Marquis 18:32, 2) Danny Demars 19:40; females - 1) Dayna Halland 47:06;

(20-29) males - 1) Wayne Mensen 20:41, 2) Tom Scholin 24:55; females - 1) Michelle Lyndeen 29:50;

(30-39) females - 1) Heidi Bakke 34:32;

(40-49) males - 1) Lloyd Wagner 27:52, 2) Brooks Mastue 60:00; females - 1) Jean Larson 23:12, 2) Pat Bitker 27:33, 3) Mary Jo Mugaas 30:35;

(50-59) males - 1) Terry Soine 30:00; females - 1) Rita Saine 26:55.

Sparkler Sprint 10K, 6.2 miles race: (20-29) males - 1) John Ringerud 42:57; females - 1) Darla Miller 46:27, 2) Suzanne Tupa 1:02:32;

(30-39) males - 1) Peter Ringerud 45:00, Kevin Iliff 50:45; females - 1) Brenda McCarty 50:50, 2) Pam Mauer 51:29, 3) Pam Columbus 1:02:31;

(40-49) 1) Jim Langland 45:24, 2) Charlie Bedard 45:26, 3) Kevin Sanderson 50:06; females - 1) Lois Wang 48:58, 2) Penny Langland 55:13, 3) Linda Rockstad 1:18:23;

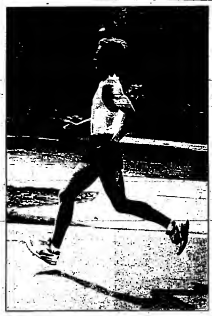
(50-59) 1) John Schmitz 56:52; (60 and over) males - 1) Gerry Gast 58:34; females - 1) Pat Larsan 1:04:51.

American Festival golf tournament is played on Sunday

Eight four-member teams participated Sunday in the Thief River Golf Club American Festival tournament.

Using the California handicap scramble scoring system, the winning foursome included Scott Blankenfeld, Kevin Sanders, Rary Nordheim, and Bruce Saustad.

Second place went to Kjell Melvie, Keith Melvie, Bruce Restad, and Chuck Tuthill, while the third place group included Jim Carlson, Jayce Carlson, Jason Carlson, and Norm Baune.



John Ringerud of Carrington, ND, was the overall winner of the Sparkler Sprint 10K (6.2 miles) race in Thief River Falls Saturday.

TRF Legion, VFW baseball teams to take on Moorhead

Thief River Falls American Legion and VFW baseball teams will return to action after a short Fourth of July break with doubleheaders against Moorhead.

The Terry Wiseth-coached Legion 17-18-year-olds were scheduled to be in Moorhead to face the Blues today (Wednesday) at Matson Field. The Jason Svir-coached VFW 16-year-olds host Moorhead Gold Thursday at Irv Wilson Field.

TRF Baseball July 5-9

■ Wednesday, July 5 - Legion at Moorhead (2), 5:30 p.m.
■ Thursday, July 6 - VFW vs. Moorhead (2), 5:30 p.m., Irv Wilson Field.
■ Friday, July 7 - Gophers vs. Roseau (2), 10 a.m., Irv Wilson Field.
■ Saturday, July 8 - Pioneers vs. Badger (2), 10 a.m., Irv Wilson Field; Legion at Crookston Invitational.
■ Sunday, July 9 - Thieves at Warroad, 2 p.m.; Legion at Crookston Invitational.

Damian Powell

Michigan player is Northland's latest basketball recruit

Damian Powell, a 6-7 center from Port Huron, Michigan, has signed a letter of intent to play basketball at Northland Community and Technical College.

Powell averaged 13 points and 11 rebounds per game as a high school senior in 1994-95.

"Damian will really help us on the inside," said Northland coach Mark Dannhaff. "He was highly recruited; and we are happy to have him in our '95 recruiting class. We expect Damian to contribute immediately."

Amoco 24/Pizza Hut is American Festival softball title winner

Amoco 24/Pizza Hut of Thief River Falls emerged the winner of the 10-team, round-robin Thief River Falls American Festival Invitational men's slow pitch softball tournament Sunday.

Top two finishers in each of the five-team round-robin brackets reached the championship semifinals, where Snook's (Oklee) outscored Pepsi (TRF) 26-16 and Amoco 24/Pizza Hut (TRF) handled Danny's Pizza (Warroad) 14-1.

Amoco 24/Pizza Hut beat Snook's 7-1 for the title, while Pepsi stopped Danny's Pizza 15-8 in the third place game.

Men's Softball

Division I

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Busch	12	2
Pepsi	10	4
Amoco 24/Pizza Hut	10	4
Bears/Swede's/Pennington	8	6
Northwest Eye Center	7	7
Budget Electronics	7	7
DW's/Anderson Bros.	6	8

Division II

	w	l
Thygeson Construction	11	3
RC Cola/Taco John's	11	3
Keystone/Kainz Chiropractic	8	8
Best Western Inn	3	10
Miller Lite	3	10
Forsberg's Inc	3	10

Division III

	w	l
Elks Lodge	9	4
Phillips Iron & Metal Inc.	9	6
Rick's Appliance	6	7
VFW	6	8
WCF Distributors	5	8
Hutchinson Transfer	4	9
Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen	4	9
United Methodist Church	1	12

Schedule

■ Thursday, July 6 - (6:20 p.m.) Thygeson Construction vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, Field 1; Pepsi vs. Amoco 24/Pizza Hut, Field 2; Budget Electronics vs. Busch, Field 3; DW's/Anderson Bros. vs. Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic, Field 4; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. Northwest Eye Center, St. Hilaire; (7:30 p.m.) Thygeson Construction vs. Budget Electronics, Field 1; Amoco 24/Pizza Hut vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, Field 2; Busch vs. DW's/Anderson Bros., Field 3; Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic vs. Pepsi, Field 4; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. Northwest Eye Clinic, St. Hilaire.

Women's Softball

Division I

	w	l
B&E/Terrys	10	2
Best Western Ridgerunners	9	3
Baker's Acres	8	4
Sather Law Office/Legion	6	8
Pizza Hut/Amoco 24	4	10

Division II

	w	l
Swingers	11	1
Musherettes	6	6
Best Western Inn	1	11
Digi-Key	1	11

Schedule

■ Wednesday, July 5 - (6:20 p.m.) Digi-Key vs. Baker's Acres, Field 1; Best Western Inn vs. Pizza Hut/Amoco 24, Field 2; Best Western Inn Ridgerunners vs. B&E/Terrys, Field 3; Musherettes vs. Swingers, Field 4; (7:30 p.m.) Digi-Key vs. Best Western Inn, Field 1; Swingers vs. Pizza Hut/Amoco 24, Field 2; B&E/Terrys vs. Baker's Acres, Field 3; Musherettes vs. Best Western Inn Ridgerunners, Field 4.

Tour de Pennington bike race is won by Grand Forks entry

Forty-nine entries were on hand Sunday for the second annual Tour de Pennington bike race.

Thirty-Seven covered the 75K (46.5-miles) portion of the event, and 12 took part in the 30K tour.

Overall winner was Kirby Harman by a mere 1:46.33.422-1:46.33.819 over Mitch Rabinson.

Tour de Pennington Winners

■ Overall winner - Kirby Harmon, Grand Forks, 1:46.33.422.
■ Men ages 40-over - Dave Thompson, Grand Forks, 1:47.55.786.
■ Men 30-39 - Mitch Robinson, Grand Forks, 1:46.33.819.
■ Men 20-29 - Kirby Harmon, Grand Forks, 1:46 33.422.
■ Men 19-under - Mike and Matt Langland, TRF.
■ Female 40-over - Deb Kosmelke, Grand Forks, 1.55.30 567.
■ Female 30-39 - Dana Robson, Grand Forks, 2:01,36.278.

TRF Bison collect baseball wins vs. Warroad, Roseau

Latest outings for the Thief River Falls Baseball Association Bison 14-15-year-olds include a 22-1 Thursday win at Warroad and a 9-3 Friday victory over visiting Roseau.

The wins put the Bison at 11-2 for the year.

TRF Bison/Warroad

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Warroad	000 10	1	2	6

Bison - Mike Dowers (WP), Andy Harbott, Josh Boman, Ryan Rogalla, Jeremy Swanson, Mike Dowers had 2 hits each, Brendan Rokke 3 RBI, Bison had 10 hits in the fifth inning.

TRF Bison/Roseau I

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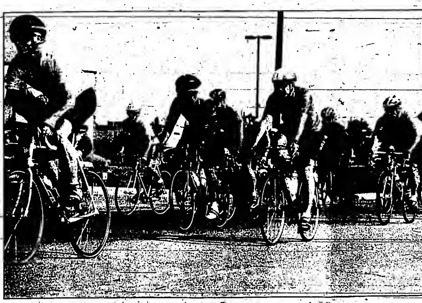
TRF Bison	003 123 x	9	5	1

Bison - Josh Boman (WP), Brendan Rokke (6-save), Ryan Rogalla 2 hits and 2 RBI



Second annual Tour de Pennington bike race began Sunday at 8:30 a.m. on Pennington Avenue. Part of the Thief River Falls American Festival, the 46.5-mile event featured both team and individual competition. Finish line was on Highway 1 near the Northland Community and Technical College, where awards and refreshments were presented.

Nathan Nelson of Argyle lined up the target in the woods during the Thief River Falls American Festival Dakota Round archery tournament. Nelson won the Cub Division

Instructor training classes offered...

Hunter education sessions will be held in TRF, Roseau

Training sessions will be held in Thief River Falls and Raseau for people interested in serving as an Advanced Hunter Education instructor.

Minnesotans who love to hunt can leave a legacy of wisdom and common sense by becoming an Advanced Hunter Education Instructor. Currently, advanced hunting courses are not offered in some parts of the state for lack of qualified instructors.

"Our aim is to fix that," said Roger Grosslein of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. "This summer we want to recruit several dozen hunters from the vast legion who find freedom and fulfillment in the sounds of the swamp and silence of the forest."

Hunters who want to become an Advanced Education Instructor can attend a training session Saturday, Aug. 12, in the Thief River Falls city auditorium basement meeting room or Saturday, Aug. 19 in the Roseau school library. Both sessions will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Advanced Hunting Education courses are important, said Grosslein, because they satisfy out-of-state big game hunting education requirements, which are becoming increasingly stringent; satisfy safety requirements imposed by certain cities when they hold special urban hunts; and speak to the future of hunting itself, whose long-term

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Archery is part of American Festival weekend schedule

A 14-target Dakota Round archery tournament was part of the 1995 Thief River Falls American Festival weekend schedule.

The Saturday competition, held at the Thief River Falls Archery Club outdoor range, featured men's and women's limited, unlimited and traditional divisions.

Next scheduled event for the club will be the 44th annual Outdoor 42-Target 3-D Animal Round Aug. 5-6. For information on the event call Darrel Janisch at 681-2106.

American Festival Tournament

■ Cub - 1. Nathan Nelson, Argyle; 2. Brandon Nelson, Argyle
■ Bowhunter freestyle unlimited (female) - 1. Audrey Burda, TRF.
■ Bowhunter freestyle - 1. Wayne Johanson, 2. Al Hugg
■ Freestyle unlimited - 1. Mark Robertson, Argyle, 2. Kent Waller, Bemidji

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Horseshoe event at Mayville draws Newfolden group

Newfolden area horseshoe pitchers travelled to Mayville, ND recent to participate in the Coca-Cola Tournament.

Newfolden Results

■ Gary Denardi, second in Class J. He threw 14.3 percent for the day with a game high of 24 percent.
■ Gerald Nelson, third in Class D - 36.4 percent for the day, game high 46 percent.
■ Dick Moen, fourth in Class B - 42 percent for the day, game high 52 percent.
■ Jerald Hagen, fourth in Class C - 34.4 percent for the day, game high 42 percent.
■ Chad Denardi, fourth in Junior Class C - 10.4 percent for the day, game high 15 percent.
■ Nathan Nelson competed in Class H - 14.5 percent for the day, game high 18 percent, and Christina Hagen compete in Junior Class C - 5.8 percent for the day, game high 10 percent.

TRF Sioux defeat Roseau team 5-2

Thief River Falls Sioux scored four times in the bottom of the fifth inning Friday for a 5-2 baseball win over Roseau in a match-up of 14-15-year-olds at Irv Wilson Field.

The Sioux are 5-8 for the year.

Scoring/Innings

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Roseau - Herling (LP), Lee (6)
TRF - Nelson (WP) - 8 strike-outs, Houske 2/3, Berg 2/4, Nelson 2 RBI

Red Lake Falls group planning trip to watch U-M basketball game

A trip to a University of Minnesota men's basketball game in December has been organized through the Lace 'em Up Basketball Camp in Red Lake Falls.

Two Gophers worked at the camp, creating interest in attending a game in Minneapolis.

A motorcoach bus has been chartered, tickets and motel room have been reserved for the Saturday, Dec. 16, game vs. the University of California.

The bus will leave Red Lake Falls at 8:30 a.m. A lunch stop will be made and the Twin Cities arrival is expected to be about 3 p.m. - allowing time to swim, rest or eat before leaving for the game at 5:45 p.m. The bus will return to the motel following the game, and leave for home Sunday at 11 a.m., arriving in Red Lake Falls at approximately 5:30 p.m.

Cost for the trip, which is open to anyone, is $55 per person.

Those interested in making the trip should send a check for $55 to Steve Philion, Route 1, Box 107, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. Registration deadline is Aug. 1.

For additional information, call Philion at 281-253-2499.

Area Sports

RLF Softball

Red Lake Falls Invitational men's slow pitch softball tournament will be held Sunday, July 9.

Entry fee for the double-elimination event is $80, plus a softball. Trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers.

Tournament directors are Bob Philion, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, telephone 218-253-4372; and Alois Schmitz, Route 2, Box 142, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, telephone 218-253-2401.

Crookston Softball

Crookston Invitational men's slow pitch softball tournament for Class D and Class E teams will be held Sunday, July 16.

Entry fee for the 16-team, double-elimination event is $90. To enter, contact the Crookston Park & Recreation Department, 124 No. Broadway, Crookston, MN 56716; telephone 218-281-1242.

Large turnout is on hand for festival at Old Mill State Park

Music festival held at Old Mill State Park Sunday, June 18, helped draw 1,055 people to the grounds that day, it was reported by park officials.

With temperatures in the upper 80's and a hot wind blowing from the south, the swimming pond drew a large crowd.

Music, enjoyed by many people sitting under the shade of the oaks at the picnic area, was presented by Arlynn Tunheim, Newell Berggren and Bruce Elseth; the North Country String Band of Jeanne O'Neil, Tom O'Neil, Suzanne Tupa and Mike Gregory (with Jeanne and Suzanne demonstrating appalachian clogging and other dance steps); Gary Hodne, Howard Hodne, Beverly Swenson, Newell Berggren, Gordon Bring, and Rueben Haugen with songs featuring each artist along with Clayton Broten, Steve Broten and Robert Broten, who wrapped up the afternoon.

Park officials expressed thanks to the musicians who volunteered their time, and to Gladwin Lynne for the programs.

Daris Miller of Mayville, ND, and St. Hilaire, crosses the finish line at the Sparkler Sprint 10K (6.2 mile) race in Thief River Falls Saturday. Miller was the overall winner among woman competitors in the race and was awarded a trophy and a medal.

Swimmers host first meet

Thief River Falls swim club members competed against swimmers from Warroad, Grand Forks, Roseau and Fosston-Bagley in their first summer swim meet in Thief River Falls last week.

Ryan Browning, new summer swim team coach, said local club members turned in some good times, especially the youngers swimmers. He said he is looking for faster times from the younger swimmers in the future.

Local team results

Boys Open 200 Free — 1) Chris Pribula 2:11.22, 2) Zach Olson 2:12.40, 3) Rory Hoven 2:42.23; Girls Open 200 free — 2) Andi Sorvig 2:36.53, 3) Jennifer Sorvig 2:36.77; 200 Medley Relay — 3) C. Sorvig, C. Tuthill, G. Carlson, E. Haymond; Open A 200 Medley Relay — 2) TRF C. Pribula, R. Hoven, C. Borneman, Z. Olson; Open B, 200 Medley Relay — 3) TRF G. Haj, A. Sorvig, D. Schroeder, J. Chrzanowski;

Boys 8 and Under 25 Free — 6) Lance Klaven 36.38; Girls 8 and under 25 free — 3) Sierra Dyrdal 27.98; Girls 10 and under 25 Free — 1) Kendra Moony 23.16, 2) Nikki Anderson 32.45;

Boys 10 and under 50 free — 3) Bryan Sorvig 38.62, 4) Aaron Bendickson 45.46, 5) Gabe Carlson 1:05.43; Girls 10 and under 50 free — 2) Kassia Koukari 39.97, 6) Ellen Haymond 46.81, 8) Chrissy Tuthill 1:11.98; Boys 12 and under 50 free — 5) Cody Sorvig 41.46, 8) Joseph Haj 48.07; Boys open 50 free — 1) Chris Pribula 27.00, 2) Zack Olson 28.48;

Boys 12 and under 100 IM — 1) Joseph Haj 2:11.31; Boys open 100 IM — 1) George Haj 1:33.24;

Boys 8 and under 25 back — 4) Lance Klaven 39.40; Girls 10 and under 25 back — 2) Nikki Anderson 33.67; Boys 10 and under 50 back — 2) Aaron Bendickson 59.10; Girls 10 and under 50 back 1) Ellen Haymond 46.51; Boys 12 and under 50 back — 4) Cody Sorvig 51.29; Girls open 50 back — 1) Lindsay Ehrenstrom 37.39; Boys open 100 back — 1) Chris Pribula 1:13.97; Girls open 100 back — 3) Danica Schroeder 1:41.26;

Boys 10 and under 25 fly — 1) Gabe Carlson 35.26; Girls 10 and under 50 fly — 4) Kassia Koukari 56.16; Boys 12 and under 50 fly — 2) Rory Hoven 39.84; Boys open 50 fly — 2) George Haj 33.04; Girls open 50 fly — 2) Jenny Sorvig 41.75, 4) Julie Chrzanowski 42.15;

Boys 12 and under 100 free — 1) Rory Hoven 1:11.41; Boys open 100 free 1) Zack Olson 1:02.15; 5) George Haj 1:21.64, 6) Chad Borneman 1:16.65; Girls open 100 free — 2) Lindsay Ehrenstrom 1:11.18, 4) Julie Chrzanowski 1:17.02;

Boys 10 and under 25 breast — 1) Aaron Bendickson 30.00, 2) Gabe Carlson 38.02; Girls 10 and under 25 breast — 1) Ellen Haymond 30.48, 2) Chrissy Tuthill 44.18; Girls 10 and under 50 breast — 4) Kassia Koukari 57.59; Girls 12 and under 50 breast — 4) Brenda Kopari 1:17.09; Boys open 100 breast — 2) Chad Borneman 1:39.30; Girls open 100 breast — 1) Andi Sorvig 1:30.36;

Mixed A open 200 free relay 2) TRF Z. Olson, C. Borneman, R. Hoven, C. Pribula; Mixed B open 200 free relay — 1) TRF A. Sorvig, J. Sorvig, J. Chrzanowski, L. Ehrenstrom, 4) TRF K. Koukari, J. Lindquist, B. Kopari, B. Sorvig.

Hunter education

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For further information, contact Dick Anderson, Route 5, Box 272-6, Fergus Falls, MN 56537; telephone 218-736-7327.

Baseball drawing winners selected

Drawing for the Thief River Falls Baseball Association $5,000 Lotto, sponsored by American Legion Post 117, was held Saturday at the Legion.

Winning the $250 drawings were: 1. Gus Holmes; 2. Lions Club; 3. Ross Walseth; 4. St. Hilaire Elevator; 5. Scott Bergland; 6. Kris Haapoja; 7. Marilyn Wolff; 8. Mitch Hams; 9. Marlene Beedy; 10. Kermit Finstad; 11. J.B. Prichard; 12. Marlene Beedy; 13. Jan Haider; 14. Emery Wicklander; 15. Marvin Koop; 16. Kris Haapoja; 17. Kermit Finstad; 18. Mary Spong; 19. Dee Noreen; 20. Dave Thompson.

Benji Marquis of Goodridge was the top finisher in the 5K portion of the Thief River Falls American Festival Sparkler Sprint Saturday morning.

An exciting entry in the American Festival parade in Thief River Falls was this entry from Prancin' Paradise Stage Coach Line. Security could have been a little better for the stage coach which was robbed several times during the parade. There was nothing to worry about, however, as the robberies were staged for the entertainment of spectators.

Millard Nelson of Thief River Falls was the winner of the Tigershark Montego in a Chamber of Commerce Great Tigershark Giveaway promotion. Nelson hammed it up for the crowd when it was announced that he was the winner. For two months throughout May and June chamber of commerce members were given an opportunity to buy into a promotion in which the Tigershark would be on display at their business for a day. On that day each business was awarded one drawing for a potential winner. There were 22 finalists for the Tigershark. The promotion was sponsored by Arctco, RV Sports, and the Chamber of Commerce.

Mayor's Favorite during the American Festival parade Saturday was awarded to Skylite Apartments of Thief River Falls. The oldest member of those on the float was 102, and the youngest 7.

Lois Stlager holds two plates while Dave Fredrick dishes up the sausages. Both were cooking breakfast for the 4-H pancake breakfast at the American Festival on Sunday. Dale Hanson is apparently supervising the operation.

Viking Community News

Elizabeth Swenson
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Thursday, A. M. Alvin and Bernyce Grandstrand motored to Fridley where they were guests at the Wesley Grandstrand home. That evening they attended the graduation at Bethel College of Minnehaha Academy senior class of which grandson, Kirk was a member.

House guests at the Liz Swenson home this past weekend were Bill Copeland of Kent, WA and Margaret Kirkeby of Drayton, ND. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Copeland of Malta, MT left for their home on Wednesday morning after spending a few days at the Liz Swenson home.

Soon after arriving home on Wednesday evening from their trip to Duluth Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad were invited by granddaughter Holly and Jennifer to a surprise birthday party they had planned for their mother after arriving home late from her business trip to Grand Forks. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Noss, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Distel enjoyed birthday cake and ice cream with Donna and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Copeland of Malta, MT and Liz Swenson were supper guests at the Glenn Halvorson home in Warren on Tuesday night. They called at the Kendall McGlynn home on Monday afternoon.

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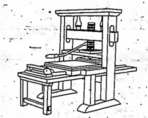

Bill Mehrkens

Bill Mehrkens Camera Man

If you visit **The Times** office, you may not see Bill Mehrkens, but he's there. He's usually back in a mysterious place called: the dark room.

"I shoot everything that goes in the paper with a camera that won't fit in your pocket," says Bill of his job. Bill started working at **The Times** 35 years ago as a stereo type caster, then later switched to camera man when the company changed printing methods.

Previous to his employment at **The Times**, Bill was engaged in farming, both general livestock and grain.

A native to the area, Bill grew up near Holt. He attended Manor school, rural Thief River Falls, for a few years. Then attended a year at Holt and a year and a half at Newfolden.

He says he once fancied himself a fisherman and craftsman, but is really a fishing tackle collector and tool collector.

He is the father of three adult children, Paul, David and Peggy.

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Watercraft violations in local court reports

Several watercraft violations were listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the period of June 23-29.

Minnesota department of natural resource cases: Victor Michael Braun, Thief River Falls, 32, within 100-feet of another personal watercraft, $53.50; Lyle Derwood Hanson, Thief River Falls, 50, allow bow riding while underway, $17.50. Troy Paul Friedrick, Thief River Falls, 24, watercraft with no personal flotation device, $53.50; Bradley Gene Owens, Euclid, 22, watercraft with no personal flotation device, $53.50;

Thief River Falls police department cases: Frank Charles Zedlik, Warroad, 19, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Michael Joseph Gregory, Thief River Falls, 18, no drivers license, no proof of insurance, $124.50; Michael Joseph Gregory, Des Moines, IA, 18, criminal damage to property, $100 restitution; Travis Dean Nelson, Thief River Falls, 21, permitting public nuisance, $250; Heather Joy Dalzell, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21, $200; Jason Paul Allen, Thief River Falls, 23, stop sign violation, $76; Wendy Lynn Hell, Thief River Falls, 31, 50/40, $87.50.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Melanie Ingrid Krepp, Thief River Falls, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Larry Wayne Dykema, Bismarck, ND, 45, failure to use seat belt, $47.25. Craig Allen Lindahl, Thief River Falls, 23, 50/40, $64.50; Jamie Marie Adams, Fargo, ND, 22, school bus arm violation, $552.50. Rodney Paul Dearinger, Jr., Thief River Falls, 20, 65/55, $64.50; Paul Everett Magner, Newfolden, 29, 4,000 pounds over registered gross weight, and 3,200 pounds over tandem axle weight, $593.50; Shane Mark Nelson, Newfolden, 24, 6,000 pounds over tandem axle weight, $187.50; David John Swenson, Bagley, 38, 65/55, $64.50;

Cara Leeann Kotrbu, Thief River Falls, 16, seat belt usage, $47.25; Sharon Ann Olson, Newfolden, 25, seat belt usage, $47.25; Joseph Edward Sabol, Thief River Falls, 18, seat belt usage, $47.25; Robert Walter Wichman, Grand Forks, ND, 32, 70/55, $87.50; Jeremy Wayne Comstock, Thief River Falls, 17, 68/55, $76; Cindy Lynn Holmme, Thief River Falls, 27, seat belt usage, $47.25.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Russell Eric Bolleseu, Thief River Falls, 22, failure to display proper registration, $41.50; Steven Eric Conely, Red Lake Falls, 21, failure to display proper registration, $41.50; Bryon Allan Neff, Mercer, ND, 30, 68/55, $76; William Fredrick Volker, Fisher, 78, 72/55, $87.50; Steven Alan Wasley, Thief River Falls, 38, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years.

Two TRF men sentenced to prison terms

Donald Paulson and Galen Wik were sentenced to serve prison sentences for separate and unconnected incidents last week.

Donald Duwayne Paulson, 54, Thief River Falls, was convicted of criminal sexual conduct in the second degree. The charge stemmed from an incident involving a minor female. Judge Dennis Murphy sentenced Paulson to 36 months in prison, and ordered him to pay court costs of $32.50.

Galen Robert Wik, 43, Thief River Falls, was convicted and sentenced on two charges of gross misdemeanor and felony assault in the fifth degree. Judge Larry Jorgenson sentenced Wik on one charge of felony fifth degree assault to one year in jail to be served concurrently with other charges. In another case, involving a similar gross misdemeanor charge of fifth degree assault, Judge Dennis Murphy sentenced Wik to two years in prison with one year stayed and placed him on unsupervised probation for two years. Both sentences were handed down on June 26.

Goodridge student on research team

High school students from across the country, including Brian Haugen of Goodridge, are working alongside scientists at the University of Wisconsin-Superior this summer to study the effects of acid rain.

Twenty students are enrolled in this year's Young Scholars Program "Modeling Acid Deposition: An Introduction to Scientific Methods". These academically advanced students combine classroom, lab and field work to learn about chemistry, biology, applied mathematics and computer modeling.

The program, sponsored by the National Science Foundation, seeks to increase students' exposure to science and mathematics, interest them in science careers and introduce them to university life. It's one of many efforts aimed at encouraging students to pursue careers in science.

During a five-week session beginning June 19, students analyze data using statistical methods and computer modeling. They work with scientists and mathematicians to develop a predictive model for acid rain based on such chemical components as sulphate, nitrate, calcium and ammonium. They also learn about the environmental effects of acid rain and study the chemical makeup of rain and lake water samples.

"This program gives students an opportunity to combine information and techniques from the fields of mathematics, chemistry and biology to understand and study environmental problems," said Dr. Francis Florey, the program's director. "The students also find out that they can survive an intensive program and leave with a feeling of accomplishment. They leave here feeling they are ready for college; in fact, they are ready to tackle the world."

Airman Hagen finishes basic training class

Air Force Airman Eric J. Hagen, son of Dale and Nellie Hagen of rural Badger, has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, TX.

During the six weeks of training he studied the air force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations. He also earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

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The Second Section

Chris Verhel of Duluth is interviewed about winning the ProAm 900, the premiere endurance event, at the jet sports boats race held during the American Festival in Thief River Falls. Verhel was named Rookie of the Year in the sport last year, and demonstrated why in Thief River Falls.

More American Festival pictures inside this section

TRF Watercraft race results

Young Duluth racer wins big endurance race in TRF

Jet sports bike competition was greeted with curiousity by residents of Thief River Falls in its debut during the American Festival.

Crowds drifted in and out of the viewing area both days of the event. Perhaps several thousand spectors had an opportunity to see the 300 or so racers, push their jet sports bikes and themselves to the limit of their endurance.

Unofficially, the winner of the premiere event, the ProAm 900, was a 14-year-old out of Duluth — Chris Verhel. Although young, Verhel demonstrated why he was named Rookie of the Year in the new sport last year, by weaving past slower and older competitors, during the 45-lap event.

Verhel said he competed in six races last year and anticipates competing in about eight races this year, this being the fourth race of the year. He said he felt great in winning the ProAm 900 in Thief River Falls because he had never won a ProAm 900 before. Truth-be-known, Verhel said he went out their just so he would appear on camera. (Midwest Sports Channel was filming the event for later broadcast.)

Verhel said the weeds in the river were a problem at first, but organizers seemed to get them cleared up eventually. He also said the river was a little mudier than he was used to but it wasn't much of a problem for him. Of his experience in Thief River Falls, Verhel said the town was "awesome".

The cash award to Verhel in this event was $830.

Joey Hallstrom of Arctco was pleased with the performance of racers riding Tigersharks. Hallstrom said Arctco is "just getting its feet wet" in the sport, and is looking forward to the future.

Top Tigershark performances were turned in by Jim Beck Sr. and Jim Beck Jr. of Elk River. Jim Beck Sr. won the 640 limited division.

Other local Tigershark racers included. Jesse Strege of Lancaster, who placed fifth in the Amateur Runabout 640, and Rick Stokke of Thief River Falls, who placed sixth in the Amateur Runabout 640; Troy Roland of St. Hilaire was also in the ProAm 900.

All top five places in the ProAm 900 were won by racers riding XP 800 Sea-Doos. Unofficial results were as follows: 1) Chris Verhel of Duluth, 2) Drew Hough, no address, 3) Jenny Beck of Anoka, 4) Todd Wolff of Annandale, and 5) Robert Ebert of Buffalo.

Possible scam is investigated

Local law enforcement officials are warning residents of an apparent attempt by a Nigerian Petroleum company to obtain bank account numbers and other important information.

A local business received a letter in which the business owner was asked for permission and consent to transfer $22.5 million through his account. The resident was asked for a bank account number, bank address, phone number and fax, both for their residence and business. In return the letter said the resident would be entitled to 30 per cent of the fund for providing the account number.

The letter arrived in a hand-printed brown envelope from an individual claiming to be a resident of Nigeria and that the money would go to a petroleum company.

Local law enforcement strongly suspect that the offer is too good to be true and that recommend residents not provide any of the information requested should they receive a similar letter.

The letter has been turned over to an investigator.

Several local and area runners participated in the Sparkler Sprint 10K and 5K events in Thief River Falls early Saturday morning. Pictured above are Darla Miller of Mayville, ND, (St. Hilaire), Jim Langland of Thief River Falls, and Charlie Bedard of Thief River Falls.

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Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
465-4375

Elizabeth Hamilton, Kevin and Brian arrived on June 10th for vacation at the home of Carl and Joyce Magers and to attend the wedding of her niece Sarah Magers to Wade Grinde on June 17th.

Friday evening guests of Carl and Joyce Magers after the groom's supper at Third Base of Brooks were Elizabeth Hamilton and boys of Bloomington, Dan and Shelley Willett of Warroad, Janet O'Hara of Grand Forks, Shane Freyholtz of Alaska, Neil Huotari of Rochester, Jeff Lorenson of St. Cloud, Bill Otto, Chad Rolandson, Chris Nerson, Steve Pahlen, Janet O'Hara, Jill Brand and Marsha McPherson of Indiana.

Mike and Sandy Greenwald attended the graduation of Derek Seibel, son of Dan and Sharon Seibel of Champlin. They were house guests of Byron Baune and other family guests were Norm and Shirley Baune, Joyce and Jim Carlson of Thief River Falls, Jim and Jan Baune of Grand Forks.

Deb Greeley, accompanied by Tanya Vetter of Fargo, drove to Winona last weekend for the wedding of college friend Taresa Winker and Robert Meuser on June 17th.

Wedding

Out of town guests to attend the wedding of Sarah Magers and Wade Grinde on June 17th were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christian and family of Bloomington, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hayes of Spring Grove, Nancy Jo Mattison and Taylor of Woodbridge, VA, Marsha McPhersen of Frankfurt, IN, Betty Vogel of Knox, IN, Dick and Greg Bope of Hamlet, IN, Perry and Edna Bope of No Judson, IN, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce of Hutchinson, Rusty and Tammy Shepherd and Adam of LaFayette, IN, Neil Huotari of Rochester, Shane Freyholtz of Wrangle, AK. Other out-of-town guests were from Plymouth, Bemidji, Grand Forks, Fargo, Mayville ND, Monticello, Thief River Falls, Bloomington, St. Hilaire, North Branch, Warroad, Minneapolis, Elk River, Moorhead, Center ND, Detroit Lakes, Greenbush, Lake Bronson, Red Lake Falls, Oklee, Winger, Breckenridge and Plummer. The wedding was held in Zion Lutheran church of Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Willett and boys arrived on June 15th to attend the wedding of Sarah Magers and Wade Grinde on June 17th in Oklee.

Arne Willett, Dustin and Nick attended the wedding of his god child, Sarah Magers to Wade Grinde of Spring Grove, held at Oklee on June 17th.

Edna Hyde was a guest at a baby shower for little Marshall McKeever on Thursday at the Duane Jenson home in Erskine.

Ernie and Dorothy Pederson spent the weekend in Bemidji with relatives.

Ray and Shirley Vigstol of rural Thief River Falls were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Byer home.

Arne and Wilma Artt visited with Evelyn Ulrich at Hillcrest on Sunday afternoon.

Dorothy Myhre was a Sunday afternoon luncheon guest of Ruth Wilkens. Other callers that afternoon were Dennis and Sheryl Hyde of St. Hilaire.

Florence Walker of Red Lake Falls spent some time on Saturday afternoon with her uncle Art Schiefert.

Wilma and Arnie Artt were supper guests at the Vern and Alice Tillman home on Sunday evening.

Baptism

Alyssa Payton Carlson, daughter of Roger Carlson and Michelle Carlson, was given the right of Holy Baptism on Sunday evening at Immanuel Lutheran church of Plummer with Pastor Johnson officiating. Alyssa was born on February 24th at Roseau Medical Center. Sponsors for her baptism were Val Tran, Kerry Thompson, Helen Butler, Carl Anderson and Melissa Sorenson. Grandparents Merlin and Judy Carlson attended the service.

Herb and Esther Walter visited at the home of Bill and Pauline Purath of Red Lake Falls on Monday. Son Douglas and Donna Purath recently of Anchorage, AK were there visiting enroute to Phoenix where he will be stationed next.

Lone and Betty Howell of Killarney, Manitoba were Monday overnight guests of Edna Hyde.

Ruth Wilkens visited on Monday at the Richard Ott home with sisters in law and cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maki of Grand Forks have been visiting his mother Martys Maki for a few days. They were Monday dinner guests of Uncle Howard and Myrtle LaFayette. They left Plummer on Tuesday for a new assignment with the armed forces in New Jersey.

Pam O'Neil and girls of Oklee were Tuesday visitors of her grandmother Myrtle LaFayette.

Nora Seibel of Grand Rapids arrived on Tuesday at Lorena Westerlund's to spend a few days, having ridden this way with her son Dan Seibel of Champlin.

Supper guests at the Arnie Artt home on Friday were Les, Mary Aaron and Dusty Artt of Red Lake Falls, Vern and Alice Cormican of Euclid, Alice and Kam Tillman, Lloyd and Rosemary Artt of Milaca, Lowell, Cindy and Amy Artt, Emily Blue and Aaron Rostan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Artt of Milaca visited for a few days at the Arnie Artt home and also with his sister Evelyn Ulrich at Hillcrest.

Ordination Party

Howard and Margaret Greenwald, Frances Schiefert and Helen Fisher, Cheryl, Patty and Sheena Greenwald were among a number of Plummer folks who attended the 25th Anniversary of Father Pribula's priesthood on Sunday in Oklee. It was held as a Polka Mass and was in the school gym and the festival meal was in the Community Center. Father Pribula serves Oklee Catholic church, St. Vincent's Catholic church in Plummer and St. Joseph's Catholic church in Brooks. A large number of parishioners from Brooks, Terrebonne, Plummer and Oklee helped him celebrate.

George and Hazel Olie visited at the Jon Kuper home in Red Lake Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Edna Hyde attended an Avon Honor Society meeting at the Evergreen Eating Emporium of Thief River Falls, meeting many old-time friends there.

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Worship Services – Redeemer: Sundays at 10 a.m.
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Worship Services – Oak Park: Sundays at 10 a.m.
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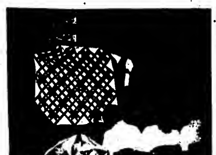

Pathways Bible Camping Ministry will sponsor a quilt auction Sunday, July 9, at 2:30 p.m. at Lake of the Woods Bible Camp near Baudette. More than 30 handmade quilts will be on the auction and viewing will start at 1:30 p.m. All proceeds will go toward the Bible camping ministry of Pathways and the camp located seven miles north of Baudette off highway 172 and the Wabanica Bay road (turn at Bayview Lodge).

Lane Osborn, referred to as Miss Lana on Christian television and children's video, will be a special guest for the third year anniversary of Church On The Move in Thief River Falls Saturday through Monday, July 8-10. On Saturday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 10 a.m. she will minister at Children's School and Precious Preschool. Sunday at 6:30 p.m. and Monday at 7 p.m. she will conduct adult services. Persons who would like to participate in any of the services and need transportation may call Church On The Move at 681-5534. Miss Lana is an associate minister and woman's ministry coordinator at the Church On The Move in Tulsa, OK.

Kitty Cat riders had tons of fun at the Pennington County Fairgrounds Saturday and Sunday. This was just one of many youngsters who found Cat riding to their liking.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Al and Vi Radniecki of Oklee attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary for Arlie and Luvarna Fore at Gully on Sunday afternoon. In route home they stopped and visited with Rosa Aaknes. Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Kathy Bakke of Gonvick were also callers on Rose.

Shirley Strubla of Columbia Falls, MT is visiting her sister and family, Howard and Sylvia Flateland and with her children in Thief River Falls and North Dakota.

Stanford and Pat Anderson of Packford, IL are spending their vacation in Trail in there home here with his brother, Gary Anderson and family at Plummer.

Al and Vi Radniecki and Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Kurt Bakke of Gonvick were callers at Rosa Aaknes on Thursday evening.

Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes were luncheon guests with Darlene Eisbrener of rural Trail on Friday.

Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes took in the all school reunion parade in Gonvick on Saturday afternoon. They were brief callers on Kathy and Wayne Bakke.

Roger Helvorson and Roymond Halvorson of California visited with their brother, Elmor Halvorson in Trail and their sister and family, Bill and Valerie Fritz Jr. at McIntosh and other relations. On Sunday they called on Rose Aaknes. They talked about being in the World War II. There were five Halvorson brothers in the service.

Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes made a business trip to Gonvick on Monday. They also called on Kathy Bakke.

Sylvia Flateland and Rose Aaknes made a business trip to Oklee on Monday forenoon.

Sympathy goes out to the Lester Evje family. Lester Evje age 70 of Eden township rural Gully passed away Sunday, June 18, 1995 at his home. Funeral services was held on Wednesday, June 21, 1995 at 10:30 a.m. Sand Valley Lutheran church in Trail. Pastor Bob Kelly officiated the services. Interment will be in the Sand Valley cemetery. Carlin-Heielmon Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Flag presentations by the Trail V.F.W. Post #8426. Pallbearers were Arne Dodland, Leo Pietschell, Dallas Disrud, Lerry Emerson, Halvor Rikje, Donald Belmo.

Lester Allen Evje was born November 7, 1924 to parents, John and Alma Brenne Evje in Eden township, Polk County, rural Gully. Where he was a life-long resident. He was baptized and confirmed in Zion Lutheran church rural Fosston and attended Willowside country school and Fosston high school.

Lester served his country as a member of the United States Army during the World War II Korean occupation. He entered the army in May of 1945 and received his Honorable Discharge in September of 1947.

Lester was united in marriage to Doris May on November 8, 1947 at the Gully Parsonage. He farmed in Eden township all of his life and also worked for Arctic Enterprises in Thief River Falls for 11 years and at the present time was a part-time bartender in Gully. He was a member of the Sand Valley Lutheran church in Trail, was a member of the Trail Community club and a member of the Trail V.F.W. Post #8426. His hobbies were hunting, fishing and sports especially baseball.

Survivors include his wife, Doris, sons, Douglas of Thief River Falls, Dean of Fosston, David of Lithia Springs, GA, Darly and wife, Lisa of Lithia Springs, GA and Darren at home in Gully. 1 Daughter, Dianne Danielson and her husband, Bob of Bagley. 3 Granddaughters, Kara and Magan Danielson of Bagley and Caitlin Evje of Lithia Springs, GA. 1 Sister, Delores Bertrom and her husband, Clifford of Ashley as well as several nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents and 2 brothers, John and Russell.

Lester Evje will be missed by the Trial Community Club and the Trail V.F.W. Post #8426 for all he did for the community.

Don't forget the Trail V.F.W. Post #8426 and the Trail Community club will have their 50th Anniversary parade on the 4th of July at Trail. The parade will start at the Trail schoolyard at 1 p.m. on July 4th. In the evening they will have a dance to music by Kathy Erickson, $250.00 in cash drawings. They will have a kiddie parade. Bingo and many other activities and also the big fireworks. We'll see you all at the 4th of July celebration. Let's all remember our World War II Veterans by flying your flags that day.

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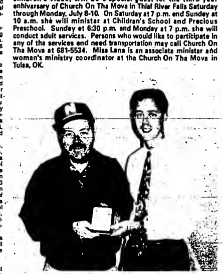

Ronald Hanson (left), who served as secretary of the Thief River Falls Foundation for more than 20 years, was presented with a service appreciation plaque by the Foundation recently. Jason Funk, present secretary, presented the plaque on behalf of the organization's board of directors which unanimously authorized the award with special appreciation at its annual meeting. The Thief River Falls Foundation is a local non-profit educational student loan fund.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Amie Cokalla and Jamie Johnson of Hinckley visited with Charlie and Lore Johnson on Monday evening.

Mrs. Betty Folsom of Pennington and Millie Schummer of Bemidji were weekend guests of Pearl Laniel.

On Monday, Dean and Joy Torkelson and girls of Plummer, Russell and Cheryll Hince and Sharon, Evangeline Grovo, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, were guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Pat and Joan Proulx and Daeny of St. Paul were guests throughout the week of her mother, Mrs. Vi Gagnor.

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July's Birthdays and Anniversaries

July Birthdays 1-Alice Ellingson, Deloras Bakke, Sara Lokstad, Mark Knutson. 2-Nedine Nelson. 3-Kim Novak, Joyce Meekme. 4-Joel Waterworth, John Roseland. 6-Gary Hodne, Sheila Nelson, Karen Loe, James Nelson. 7. Kerry Hodne, Helga Nelson. 8-Arnold Larson. 10-Vanessa Larson. 11-Jan Haagenson, Roger Mathsen. 17-Brian Rokke. 18-Shirley Wagner, Dean Anderson, Verne Green, Evelyn Elseth, Marsha Larson. 19-Mark Weber. 20-Shane Oondelinger, Greg Bengtson, Kore Myhrer. 21-Carl Green. 22-Adeline Olson, Brent Hanson, Janice Olson. 23-Eunice Liedberg, Olger Rokke. 24-Harvey Dyrud, Anthony Donarski. 25-Lori Engelsrud, Tracy Olson, Diana Lysne. 27-Deon Hanson. 29-Curt Thompson. 31-Adeline Nelson.

Anniversaries 8-Lyle and Becky Olson, Emory and Jennifer Flaten. 9-Glen and Joyce Meekma. 15-Doyle and Marilyn Herstad. 31-Marvin and Avis Nelson.

Wednesday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Patty Wagner and boys visited with Frances Gorszewski on June 9th.

Alice Ellingson, Charles and Phyllis Threne visited with Chuck and Carol Ellingson on Sunday.

Mark and Jane Schaumberg and Matt of Crookston and Tyler Schaumberg spent the weekend at the Milton Erickson home for Father's Day.

Hanna Moen attended the wedding for her grandson Nathan Nelson to Nikki Tharaldson at Goodridge on Saturday.

Gene Waterworth, Rick Waterworth and Trace spent the weekend at the Aaron Waterworth home.

Saturday evening, Roy and Laura Roppe visited with Bert and Adeline Roppe.

Thursday, Sarah Larson visited at the Arnold Larson home. She also helped grandma with some house cleaning, she was a lot of help.

Peter and Frances Gorszewski went to Warren and were supper guests of Bill and Margaret Gorszewski on Sunday June 11th.

Saturday evening, Mark and Jane Schaumberg and Matt, Milton and Beverly Erickson, Jason Erickson, Shelly Stabler and Ashley were among many friends and relatives at the 25th Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Howdahl at the Bruce Anderson home at Greenbush.

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Little Oak

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378-4367

Callers recently at the Willie Good home were Adeline Hanson, Lorraine Mostrom, Kathy Good and Mae and Lester Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerkle and Ryan visited at the Clara Peterson home Sunday evening.

Marlyn Chruszch and granddaughter of Angus visited at the Arnold Haugen home on Monday. Other callers there were Ricky Bjerkle and Matthew and Bud and Linda Homme.

Joni Bjerkle and Clara Peterson called at the Gene Marquis home late Monday afternoon.

Ardith Kloth of Thief River Falls visited at the Arnold Haugen home on Monday afternoon. She also helped her mother with some work. Sharron and Gary Johnson were coffee guests there Monday morning.

Lois Burstad and Ardith Kloth arrived at their homes in Thief River Falls Monday evening. They had visited relatives in Seattle, WA. They said the weather out there was in the 60 and 70's.

Clara Peterson called at the Gene Marquis home Wednesday afternoon.

Neil Gillespie and Mike Noel of Thief River Falls called at the Arnold Haugen home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bendickson of Lavina, MT arrived at the Willie Good home on Tuesday and they visited with relatives until Saturday when they left for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good and Ole Watne visited at the Pearl Watne home near Gully on Sunday.

Those that came to the Lester Hanson home Friday evening to celebrate Lesters birthday were Willie and Jane Good, Ernest and Lorraine Mostrom, Clyde and Irene Bendickson and Vernar and Mildred Arveson. Happy Birthday Lester.

Callers during the week at the Willie Good home were Lester Kolstrand, Karen Good, Lester Hanson, Ernest and Lorraine Mostrom and Jimmy Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bendickson visited at the Adeline Hanson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gustafson and Mildred Howard of Thief River Falls were visitors at the Edwin Halvorson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Lineath and Bethany of Stephen visited at the Edwin Halvorson home on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Halvorson, Katie, Megan, Betsy and Sarah were visitors at the Edwin Halvorson home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson and Raymond Halvorson of McIntosh attended the funeral for Pearl Tanner held at the Ekelund church near Goodridge on Saturday.

Brief callers at the Arnold Haugen home on Saturday were Harold Sheerbrook, Ardith Kloth and Clara Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited with Ted Halvorson in Clearbrook last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Johnson, Brandon, Kyle, Ryan and Ethan of Jamestown, ND came to the Gary Johnson home Friday evening and they spent the weekend visiting there. On Monday they left for Duluth to visit with Kath Haugen and Mike Geordt and then they will go sightseeing around Lake Superior for a few days as they all had their vacation.

Ted Roy visited at the Arnold Haugen home late Thursday afternoon.

Clara Peterson visited at the Gene Marquis home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Johnson and boys of Jamestown, ND and Sharron and Brian Johnson and Lois Burstad visited at the Arnold Haugen home Sunday afternoon.

Raymond Halvorson of McIntosh visited at the Gary Halvorson home on Saturday.

Mrs. Arnold Haugen enjoyed a visit by telephone Friday from Orrin Haugen of Hibbing and Edna Hawk of Seattle, WA.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Fore of Gully celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at the Gully Community Center, Sunday June 11, 1995.

Hosting the celebration were the Fore's children and their families, Steven and Lauran Hughes, Shannon, Kerry and Ben, Denise and Renae Clemenson, Heather and Matt, Todd and Mary Fore, Mike and Liz.

Lauren Hughes opened the program by welcoming everyone and introducing special guests and family members. Pastor Kelly gave devotions. Liz Fore read a poem about Grandma and Grandpa's house. Heather narrated slides showing the Fore family over the past fifty years. Kerry Wree reminisced about events that took place in 1945. Shannon Wree read a humorous story about Grandma and Grandpa that she had written. Sanna Brovold also spoke, she told a story about Arlie's red truck that she had written for the lovely memory book she made for the occasion. Todd Fore paid tribute to his parents for all their support to their children and grandchildren over the years. The program closed with remarks by Forrest Knudson. The tables were beautifully decorated with white and gold centerpieces. A delicious lunch was catered by Sybil Bergman and Betty Langseth. Liz Fore poured punch. A beautiful cake was baked by Kathy Bakke. Julie Hadin and Alice Forsbarg cut and served the cake. Guests from a distance were Alice Todd, Arlis, sister from Abilene, TX, Verna Gore of St. Paul, Maunco and Noil Lillo from Mankato, Dons Bollows and Clete Carlis of Colorado Springs, CO, Dorothy Fore, Rick and Becky Fore, Darrell and Terry Fore of East Grand Forks and Dave and Judy McMenamy of Grand Forks, ND; Dennis, Kathy and Brett Calliton of West Fargo, ND, Larry Solien of Denver, CO, Pam and Virgil Prigge of Chisholm, Beverly and Lowell Bremseth of Plymouth, Virgil and Mona Knudson of Detroit Lakes, Erin and Bob Swamnick and Courtnoy of Brainerd, Wallace and Gladys Mattson of Bemidji, Vorlotto Nylend of Bemidji, Gary and Melain Evje of Los Vegas, NV, Bill and Mabel Soeger of Montor, Alvin Foro, Eldon and Joyce Larson, Marvin and Rogina Gustalson, Linda Turonne, LoRoy and Lucille Aaslend, Bill and Hank Neas all from Thief River Falls. Barb and Carlin Berg from Elbow Lake. Evolyn Moyors of Warroad. This special day was enjoyed by all who attended.

Francis and Ruthio Pladsen form the Minneapolis area spent last weekend visiting Vincent and Goraldine, Agnes and Barbara Pladnes. Also Francis and Marion Webor homo south of town, they came for the all class reunion celebration at Gonvick.

Audience participation added to the appeal of magician Gary Tyson's acts in front of the grandstand at the Pennington County Fairgrounds Saturday during An American Festival. Here severed yarns have been magically tied together inside a sealed envelope.

With his chew bone prize firmly in his teeth, "Duke" the Great Dane posed with his owner, Derlene Olson of Newfolden, for this photo Saturday at the Pennington County Fairgrounds. "Duke" had just won the Biggest Paws division of the dog show paws down. He is four years old and weighs 150 pounds.

Magician Gary Tyson of Mankato amazed and amused this young volunteer with his feats of magic Saturday during An American Festival at the Pennington County Fairgrounds. The youngster had counted out 10 cards and sealed them in an envelope. When he reopened the envelope there were 13 cards inside.

Most Loveable Dog at the dog show held during An American Festival Saturday at the Pennington County Fairgrounds was "Magic," a seven-week-old Dalmatian puppy shown by Dustin Melby of Thief River Falls. The Most Loveable Dog category had the most entries at the show.

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Goodridge

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Clifton Hanson was one of the many Bible Campers to attend Lake of the Woods Bible Camp near Baudette this week. Intern John Mountsen and his wife Kristen also attended the Bible camp for the youths in grades 5-6.

Mrs. Dale Hanson visited at the Neil Liedberg home late Monday afternoon.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sherr, Mr. and Mrs. Clarance Dahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg and Roger Natson all of Thief River Falls and Jim Liedberg of Warren were among the many that attended the annual picnic at the Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home at rural Thief River Falls.

Saturday afternoon and evening, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg attended the Meet Your Neighbor Day at Argyle. They also took in Neil's class reunion at the American Legion in Argyle that day.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg spent the day in Grand Forks.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg were supper guests at the Nathan Liedberg home at rural Goodridge.

Howard Liedberg was also a guest at the Nathan Liedberg home late Monday afternoon.

Ruth Liedberg and Mrs. Pate Comstock and Olivia of rural Roseau spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kovank and Tyler at Fargo, ND. Mrs. Quentin Pfutzenreuter of Elgin, ND was also a guest at the Kovank home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kazmierczak of rural Stephen, Howard Liedberg and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg were supper guests on Wednesday evening at the Nathan Liedberg home.

Viking

Weekend guests at the Wallace Hanson home were Dr. and Mrs. Steve Abeler of Andover and children. Ann and the youngsters remained for the week and they all returned to Andover the following Sunday. While here they visited Annie Gustafson in Viking the Steve Fisher's in Warroad and the Kent Hudsons in Thief River Falls.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Susted attended the 25th Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Eldar Omdahl of Warren at the Heritage Center in Thief River Falls.

A dinner reunion was enjoyed at the Best Western in Thief River Falls on Sunday, June 14th by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gustafson of Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Halvorson, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gustafson, Dennis Erickson; Debbie Hagman, Delores and Dadane Forsberg all of Thief River Falls and Annie Gustafson and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hanson.

Friday they visited at the Winslow Grandstrand home in St. Paul on Saturday they attended the midsummer celebration at the Swedish Institute in Minneapolis.

Several youngsters participated in the Little Sparkler Sprint in Thief River Falls Saturday morning. The event was held in Centennial Park. The top three participants were Jorden Torgerson, Tim Winkelman, and Dylin Davidson for the boys, and Sallie Wiseth, Sarah Mattison, and Katelyn Winkelman for the girls.

Tigershark had several entries in the jet sports boat events held during the American Festival in Thief River Falls this weekend. Pictured above is a Tigershark Barracuda.

Mercie Erickson, Miss Thief River Falls of 1993-94, entertained during the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program Saturday evening.

Debbie Erickson Spencer, Miss Thief River Falls of 1986-87, served as emcee for the Miss Thief River Falls Scholarship Program Saturday evening at the Lincoln high school auditorium.

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A Touch Of Reason In State Bureaucracy

There was a saying going around in business circles a few years ago that "If you think OSHA is a small town in Wisconsin you could be in a world of trouble." The Occupational Safety and Health Act enforcement created more than a few "horror stories" of bureaucratic power totally out of hand

Hand in hand with the federal OSHA program as a concern of business is the Environmental Protection Agency. More horror stories of fines and penalties and horrendous costs abound from EPA regulations. Ditto on a more local basis from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) Business owners live io fear of being found in possession of property oo which some unacceptable practice may have occurred in the past and for which they may now be liable.

Enter now a touch of reason as outlined in a letter from Commissioner Charles W. Williams of the MPCA:

"Small businesses in Minnesota face new challenges every day, including increased competition and new regulations that protect our environment. Minnesotans have told us that keeping the state's air, water and land clean are high priorities. That means that we all have a responsibility to protect our environment," be writes.

"But many business owners are afraid that enforcement of environmental laws will harm their companies, especially small firms. A new law, effective Aug. 1, 1995, creates a four-year pilot project that will allow small businesses to review their own operations and discuss problems they discover with the MPCA without fear of any penalties."

How's that again?

"The new law," Commissioner Williams notes, "called the 'Environmental Improvemeot Act,' will allow Minnesota's small businesses to come in and talk with the MPCA about violations they discover, figure out how to comply with environmental regulations, and develop o schedule for compliance. This process will not be driven by the fear of fines or other penalties, but by the goal of achieving measurable environmental results.

This 'amnesty bill,' as I call it, is truly a positive advance for business and the environment, since companies will discover and quickly correct environmental problems that could haunt them as future liabilities or that would eventually pollute our air, water or land.

"This law reinforces the fact that successful business ventures and environmental protection go hand in hand. Another positive benefit of this pilot project is that companies meeting the self-audit requirements will earn the privilege of displaying a 'Green Star' at their facilities, which will symbolize their commitment to environmental protection."

OK, so the green star bil is a little hokey, but the intent seems good. A similar concept in the printing industry has been environmentally positive for the past couple of years.

"This new environmental audit program reinforces my goal of focusing first on technical assistance and compliance rather than on enforcement and cleanup," Commissioner Williams adds. "My agency strives for positive, proactive relationship with businesses because that approach produces tangible benefits for everyone. Not only is it more expensive to penalize and clean up a violation after the fact, it often does little to prevent future problems from occurring. MPCA jast does not have the resources to visit every facility in the state to provide the kind of audits and assistance that this new law will allow companies to do for themselves.

"The bottom line is that this new environmental auditing law is good news for business, and I encourage companies all over the state to take advantage of it," the commissioner said. "Call us to learn how to conduct your own investigations. Find out if you have problems that need attention. Fix the problems if you find them. If you need assistance, the MPCA is developing a self-audit checklist that will make it even easier and less expensive to conduct your own self-audit."

To contact the MPCA, call 1-800-657-3864.

Don't Say There's Nothing To Do 'Around Here!'

"There's never anything to do around here!" Does that refrain sound familiar? It shouldn't apply to the Pennington county area this summer.

The past weekend's An American Festival was an introduction to to a frenzy of activity for the immediate Thief River Falls area. Public response on Saturday and Sunday at the fairgrounds and other community locations was good, despite the tradition that many families have of heading for the lakes or other destinations during the Fourth of July holiday.

This coming weekend, July 8 and 9, offers another entertainment bonanza with the All Nations Cultural Festival at the park in St. Hilaire. After somewhat of a struggle against the weather and other factors to become established, the Cultural Festival has gained stature as an enjoyable, entertaining and even relaxing event. The performers, organizers and exhibitors do all the work. All the public has to do is sit back and enjoy. How can you beat a deal like that.

Just a suggestion: If you have never been to the Cultural Festival before, plan your visit so you don't miss the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble from Selkirk, Manitoba, Canada. You can't help but enjoy the energy and enthusiasm of this group of young people and their colorful costuming. They are scheduled to perform at 2:15 and 7:10 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. Sunday.

Hot on the heels of the Cultural Festival comes the Pennington County Fair July 12-16. From the Gospel Music Night Wednesday through the Demolition Derby Sunday there will be fun for everyone. Pam Tillis, 1994 Country Music Vocalist of the Year, will entertain Saturday with two shows at 7 and 9 p.m.

A new attraction in front of the grandstand this year will be PBRA professional bullriding at 7 p.m. Thursday and Friday. The bulls will be rough, the riders will be tough, and if that's not enough, there will be kids' sheep riding as well. Throw in four days and nights of free bandshell entertainment; horse, goat, dog and rabbit shows; teen dance; Senior Citizen Day; pedal tractor pull; 4-H market livestock auction; Bingo; and the competitive exhibits and you have an entertainment package that just won't quit.

Nothing to do around here? Get real!

Roger Johnsrud, president of the Thief River Falls Saddle Club, settles a youngster in the saddle for a pony ride during An American Festival Saturday at the Pennington County Fairgrounds. The saddle club members were kept busy throughout the afternoon.

Mariah Torgerson, with some walk-along assurance from her Mom, Carla, enjoyed a pony ride during An American Festival Saturday afternoon at the Pennington County Fairgrounds. The pony rides were provided by the Thief River Falls Saddle Club.

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

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Star News

Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Mrs. Milan Eliason were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Wednesday. Then later Mrs. Iverson and Mrs. Eliason visited and had coffee with Anna Kriel at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Friday, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi and Shannon and Alissa Lundeen left for Northeast Minnesota and Canada sight-seeing. They returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Rodney Anderson of Minneapolis and Ruby Anderson of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests on Thursday at the Dale Anderson home.

Those who got together at the Donald Mosbeck home in St. Hilaire on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson, Mrs. Ruth Mosbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson, Anne Kriel, Mildred Hovat, Alvina Sunsdahl and Hazel Huot all of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sparby of Bloomington, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson and family of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Mosbeck, Emily and Sara and Sara's friend of St. Hilaire. They all enjoyed a good time.

Thursday, Jennifer Kotrey and June and Lindy Johnson visited with Katie at the Dale Anderson home.

Shannon Lundeen spent a couple of days at the Greg and Gail Helgmen home of Oklee.

Elve Fiedler spent from Tuesday until Sunday in Sleepy Eye at the Clara Hudson home. Clara is a patient at the hospital in Sleepy Eye. Clara is doing a lot better. We wish you a speedy recovery Clara.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henford Roisland home were Stanley Erickson, Ethel Johnson, Leslie Iverson, Robert Myrum of Oklee and Randy Culkins.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Wednesday forenoon, Mrs. Merle Naesoth and Michelle and Monica Johnson had coffee and cake with Clarence and Mayme Johnson. Mrs. Naesoth brought a Father's Day cake over to the Johnson home for her dad.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with Dolores Johnsrud.

Milan Eliason came on Friday to visit at the Vernon Iverson home. Then on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Milan Eliason left for home. Mrs. Eliason had spent a week visiting at the Vernon Iverson home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen were visitors at the Albert Chruzk home near Angus.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie and Pam Frederick were visitors on Friday at the Ruby Anderson home in Thief River Falls. Then that night Katie Anderson and Pam Frederick were overnight guests at the Ruby Anderson home. Then on Saturday Ruby Anderson brought Katie and Pam home and Ruby also visited at the Dale Anderson home.

Thursday morning, Alissa Lundeen was a visitor at the Dave Holleck home in Thief River Falls.

Merlin Haugen of Oklee was a visitor and lunch guest at the Vernon Iverson home on Thursday forenoon.

Tuesday morning, Aldon Hyland was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Friday, Agnes Eldelbos went to the Al and Eva Bowman home in Alvarado to visit. Then on Sunday Eva and Al brought Agnes Eldelbos home.

Wednesday and Thursday, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi were visitors and supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hoffman were visitors and lunch guests at the Vernon Iverson home on Tuesday evening.

Tuesday evening supper guests at the Clarence Johnson home were Jason Naesoth, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Johnson, June and Lindy were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday evening at the Dale Anderson home.

Sunday, Anna Kriel and Mildred Hovet of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie visited on Saturday night at the Aldon Hyland home

Highlanding News

Margie Coan
378-4351

The Mason's held their family picnic on Sunday in Goodridge at the Lion's Park. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Swenson, Karl, Aaron, Michael, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kainz, Kurt Kainz and son, Craig Kainz, Dr. Kainz and family and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Drangsvodt.

Simon Dahle of Attwater, CA arrived home to attend the funeral of his mother, Pearl Tanner and to visit with other family members.

Dolores Johnsrud visited during the week with Donna Horechek.

Father's Day company at the Orvin Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Anderson, Jordon and Kimbor, Larry Forsberg of Thief River Falls.

On Sunday, Gertie Haugen, Bea Hutchinson and Mary Baker visited at the Valley Home with Inga Coan, Tillie Nesland, Lillotte Anderson, Gorda Knutson and Emma Erickson.

Orland Sletaos was a Sunday evening caller at the Russell Hedon home.

Plummer

Ellie Byer
465-4375

Paula Cater was honored at a coffee party on Sunday by members of Redeemer congregation. Paula, a recent graduate of Veterinary College of St. Paul, is spending some time with her parents, Burton and Joyce Carlson and the party followed church services.

Mike and Sandy Greenwald drove to the Cities for the weekend and were house guests of Don and Sharon Selbel of Champlin. The Greenwalds and Selbels, also Rick and Bonnie Greenwald and Chancy of Stacy attended the "Back to the 50's Car Show" at the St. Paul Fair grounds.

Bob and Arlene Slick of Warroad celebrated their 25th Wedding Anniversary with an open house on Saturday afternoon. Attending from here were her mother Doris Malwitz, Helen Simpson, Sylvester Hesse, Loretto and Peggy Hesse, Barb and Donovan Culkins, Gloria and Kevin Malwitz, Jodi and Dale Story of Warroad, Connie and Brian Peterson of Middle River.

Edith Eicksted, her daughter, Mrs. Virgil Roberson and son, Danny, all of Bemidji visited on Thursday morning with Charlotte Loning.

George and Hazel Olie attended the wedding of Jason Magnell and Toni Melugin at the Old Magnell home on Saturday afternoon.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—J. W. Swanstrom's horse had his bed and board on R. B. Vining's garden on Sunday evening. Vining must get his garden insured.

—A new baseball field is being fixed up at the north end of Main street.

—The fire department of Thief River Falls, not satisfied with practicing in the daytime, turned out at twelve o'clock last Saturday night and extinguished a fire in a pile of lumber and boxes behind O. P. Johnson's store.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—This June went on record as the coldest and wettest June in recent years.

—Owing to sickness, Census Enumerator Sweaas has not completed his task and will extend the counting until July 10.

—Some old settlers of this area held an old-fashioned July 4 picnic at the Nels Knutson farm west of town. Amusements included a foot race between Gilbert Haava and Mrs. Knutson, which was won by the latter and a wrestling match between Frank Tilton and two women. "Mr. Tilton was thrown down good and hard," the News stated, "but claims that the women did not go by the rules of the game."

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Tom Majeres, Great Northern ticket agent, left on a trip to the west coast.

—Sentiment expressed at a meeting of the Commercial club was in favor of the city buying the power dam from Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar.

—Schuyler Schmitz attended the Barnum and Bailey circus in Grand Forks.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—John and Arthur Sund have taken over the garage and blacksmith shop at Knight avenue and Second street.

—Modern farm home of Mrs. Lena DuChamp near Mavie was destroyed by fire.

—Rev. Charles Gerlinger, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, accepted a call extended by a Fergus Falls church.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—James Cosgrove has sold his cafe and beer parlor to L. J. Stokke and will begin operating a rooming house on south LaBree avenue.

—It was announced that on August 1, E. O. Peterson of Belle Plaine will succeed Alfred Skarstad as cashier of the Union state bank.

—Post office receipts for the past fiscal year hit a new high mark of $33,040.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—A water carnival and sports day will be held in Thief River Falls July 8.

—An artificial breeders association was formed by local cattlemen to cooperate with a similar group now functioning at Roseau.

—A total of 1,500 of the new $5 automobile use stamps have been sold at the post office here.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—The International War Veterans Alliance will hold its 1956 convention in Thief River Falls.

—Campaigning by "wet" and "dry" factions reached its peak with temperance leader Sam Morris of San Antonio, Texas addressing a "dry" rally in the Lincoln high school auditorium.

—Kalmer Ostby was elected president of the local Rotary club, succeeding E. A. Hamerski.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Poppler Furniture store will open for business Tuesday in its new location, the former Woolworth building.

—Northwestern hospital operated on a net operating income of only 14 cents per patient day during the past fiscal year, according to Norman Peterson, administrator.

—Phil Kays succeeded Ralph Lohman as president of the Thief River Falls Lions club.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Bob Wolf, Bemidji District engineer for the state highway department, effectively squelched any ambitions by city officials for large scale improvements on highway 59 south in the near future.

—Flood conditions continue throughout the Times area as aftermath of heavy rainfall and water-clogged drainage channels causes millions of dollars of damage to farm crops, livestock and other property.

—Brenda Laidley became the first contestant from this city in four years to win the title of Miss Thief River Falls during the pageant featured as a Jaycee Aquacade highlight.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Ed Mozinski of Thief River Falls received a Bronze Star this week, nearly 41 years after he qualified for it in action against the German army in 1944.

—Named as outstanding senior citizens of Pennington county for this year are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson of rural Goodridge.

—The Calvary Lutheran church in St. Hilaire will celebrate its centennial on July 20-21.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
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On Monday, Mrs. Dorothy Myhra and Veronica Bouchar were among those who attended the birthday luncheon party in honor of Edna Hyde of Plummer at her home.

Mrs. Sharon Laniel and son, Brian of Denver, CO were Tuesday dinner guest of Mrs. Pearl Laniel.

On Thursday, Wilferd and Shirley Hince and Michael Hegger of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Evangeline Grove, Russell Hince and Renie Grove of Mentor visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Joseph Larson of Erskine visited with his grandparents, Milo and Pat Larson last week.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel, Sharon Laniel and Brian of Denver, CO, Michael and Diane Laniel and Stuard of Minneapolis, Arnie Sr. and Alice Cokalla of Hinckley, Linus and Ruth Carriere and grandson, Jason of Spring Lake Park, James and Barb Laniel, Tia and Bea of Prior Lake, Paul Laniel of Denver, CO, Bob and Ann Hince and Troy Mayer, Charlie and Lorna Johnson and Charlie Jr. of Oklee, Roger and Janel Welter and family of Plummer, Gary and Joan Carpenter, Tracy, Tanya and Grant of Jamestown, ND; Darryll and Dolores Grimm and Darrin Grimm of Selol all were among those who attend the wedding of Sean Carpenter and Kimberly Nystad at Carrington, ND on Saturday.

On Friday evening, Mrs. Connie Dugstad of Oklee made and served a fish fry dinner party in honor of her mother, Mrs. Mayme Borberich birthday with Lawrence, John and Butch Barborich, Kay Borborich and Joe Sharp as guest.

Sunday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Dallas Paradis, Mable Sabourin, Evangeline Grove and Renie Grove.

Sunday overnight guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Arnie Sr. and Alice Cokalla and Arnie Jr. and Konny of Hinckley, Paul Laniel of Denver, CO and Michael Laniel of Minneapolis.

The Barberich family all gathered together on Saturday evening at the Cozy Lounge to help sister, Rita Fonnes of Bemidji, celebrate her birthday and extended the birthday greetings to mother, Mayme Borborich also. Happy 40th Birthday, Rita and Happy Birthday Mayme!

Willard Hince, Evangeline Grove and Mable Sabourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday.

Last week Aurel and Gloria Parenteau attended his school class reunion at St. Cloud College of St. Cloud.

Paul Laniel and Mike Laniel were Monday overnight guests of their mother, Mrs. Pearl Laniel.

Marsha McPherson and son, Rusty of Frankfort IN and a grandson Adam, his friend Tommy Couch of West LaFayette, IN, cousins Betty Vogel, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bope, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bope of Knox, IN were last weekend guests of Walter and Willie Katschko and to attend the wedding of Sarah Magers and Wade Grinde of Plummer held on Saturday, June 17th.

Herman and Marion Toupa of Grand Forks, Mrs. Mildred Novak of East Grand Forks visited with Walter Sr. and Monica Novak Saturday evening.

Sunday, June 17th, Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum accompanied her sister, Mrs. Hilda Kvaale of Gully to More and were overnight guests of their brother, Omer and Marion Fretto, they all motored to Chicago, IL and were guests of a niece, Michael and Morridan Penice and daughter, Glenna and visited a brother, Theodore and LaVonne Fretto resident of a Nursing Home. Enroute home they visited Minnie Shoggrud of More and Hilda's daughter, Don and Eunice Sanka and attended a 50th Wedding Anniversary of Don's Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sanka in St. Cloud.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Dianne Gagnor joined her Hollyhock club members and enjoyed a skip day tour and sightseeing in Grand Rapids.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — July 5, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Zehlian Unit of Woman's Club Wins Prize

"First prize of the penny art awards from the Minnesota Federation of Women's Clubs was won by the Zehlian Art Group of the Woman's Club for its work during the past year. It is the first time in the club's history that an art prize has been won. The painting, 'Winter Landscape,' by Emily Abbott, is done in tempera paint mixed with egg yolk and is valued at $50."

Can Now Send Letters to Some Countries by Air

"Postmaster Andrew Anderson announces that, effective at once, letters acceptable for mailing to Norway, Denmark, Belgium, France, Netherlands, Switzerland and Luxembourg will be forwarded by air when prepaid at the rate of 30 cents per half-ounce or fraction. Letters, he added, may not exceed two ounces in weight, except those destined for The Netherlands, where a one-ounce limit is in effect."

Nearly Total Eclipse of Sun Visible Here

"Residents of this community next Monday morning, July 9, will have the opportunity to witness a nearly complete eclipse of the sun, at 6:12 (CWT). Dr. William Luyten, head of the astronomy department of the University of Minnesota, stated that at Fargo 90 per cent of the sun will be obscured, and at Winnipeg 95 per cent. The next total eclipse will be visible in this area June 30, 1954."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Claudette Colbert
Fred MacMurray
"Practically Yours"
Falls Theatre
Buy Defense Stamps at Our Box-Office

Fireworks Display Will Climax Water Carnival Sunday

"Local children and their elders who were disappointed the evening of July Fourth when rain caused the cancellation of the fireworks display scheduled for the occasion will have the opportunity to witness the display instead next Sunday evening, July 8, when it will supply the closing feature of the water carnival and sports day program sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. The display will be set off across the river from the Elks park."

New Postoffice Ruling Affects Overseas Mail

"Under a new ruling by the post office department that became effective July 1, new and renewal subscriptions to the Times for the U.S. Navy, Marine and Coast Guard personnel having fleet post office addresses at New York and San Francisco may no longer be entered without a written request from the addressee. Present subscriptions however, will be continued until their expiration."

Cool Rainy Weather Continues in July

"The chilly rainy weather that has prevailed most of the summer to date continued into July, rain falling on four of the first five days of the month, and bringing a low temperature of 42 Monday morning, making it necessary to start up furnace fires again. Total precipitation during the past week was .73 inch, while during the month of June a total rainfall of 3.35 inches was recorded on the firehall rain gauge."

Topics of The Times
Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Helon, former Times Editor

—Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce are keeping their fingers crossed until they see what kind of day the weatherman dishes up for their water carnival Sunday.

—With 75,000 workers on strike in this country last week, a lot of folks must be of the opinion the war is over.

—After inspecting some of today's swimsuits, a fellow wouldn't turn his head to look at Lady Godiva.

—Simile: As difficult as the problem of arranging vacations in these days of help shortages.

—The Minnesota poll reveals that the majority of citizens think Hitler is still alive. For once we agree with the majority.

—Suggested by the Northfield News as Minnesota's theme song after July 8: "Your Time is My Time."

—As is to be expected, current high poultry prices are accompanied by reports of the activities of chicken thieves in the northwest.

—Under that new state law, it will be a mighty comfortable feeling for a motorist to be protected by liability insurance.

—Too many fellows, we are reminded, have an average income of midnight or later.

—The lumber shortage wasn't helped last week when a fire at Detroit Lakes destroyed 700,000 feet of that stuff.

—It takes only a look at the tires on the old school bus to convince one that the 35-mile-per-hour speed limit is pretty sensible.

—A lot of returning prisoners of war agree that internment was too suggestive of interment.

—The latest war bond slogan, and one of the best, is "E's Now - ease later."

—You early risers will have a chance to see a partial ellipse of the sun next Monday morning, starting at 6:12 (CWT).

—The king of Belgium is in the position of the man who is all dressed up and no place to go.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — July 3, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

The Fourth of July

"The committee having in charge the arrangements for celebrating the Fourth have been hard at work and the result will be a celebration that will be a credit to the village. Arrangements have been made for all kinds of amusements, races, etc. and good purses will be put up. There will be a match game of baseball, a shoot by the gun club, a grand calethumpian parade and numerous other amusements. Good speakers have been engaged to deliver orations suitable to the day. In the afternoon the bowery will be opened and dancing will commence: A good string band and good callers have been engaged and a large platform has been erected to accommodate those who wish to trip the light fantastic. The program will be closed by a grand display of fireworks in the evening. Remember this is all free and no one will be asked to chip in and help pay for the celebrations. Come one and all and enjoy yourselves in good old style!"

Turkey bowling was exactly that on Saturday afternoon during An American Festival at the fairgrounds in Thief River Falls. Northern Pride, Inc., the local turkey processing cooperative, and Hartz Foods sponsored the event. A frozen Northern Pride turkey in a Hartz Foods bag with a handle was hurled down an "alley" in an attempt to knock down five bowling pins. Those who knocked down all the pins received a free frozen turkey. Approximately 50 turkeys were given away as prizes and 10 more in a drawing among bowling participants.

Tom Risdal (left), regional Dean of Management Education at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls, greeted Deputy Secretary of Agriculture Richard Rominger, keynote speaker at the 123rd annual convention of the National Farm and Ranch Business Management Education Association in Bismarck, ND. Risdal is a past president of NFRBMEA.

Risdal attends convention on business mgt.

Tom Risdal, regional Dean of Management Education at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls, attended the 23rd annual convention of the National Farm and Ranch Business Management Education Association (NFRBMEA) June 10-15 in Bismarck, ND.

A past president of NFRBMEA, Risdal noted that more than 100 farm and ranch business management instructors from the United States and Canada participated in the convention and that the 1996 event will be held in Detroit Lakes.

An international organization of farm and ranch business management instructors and administrators, NFRBMEA has as its mission to promote educational, economic and practical information and procedures to increase the effectiveness of its members.

Theme of the 1995 convention was "Looking to the Future: Where Are We Going?" Sessions dealt with issues of leadership development, planning and decision making, the farm of the future, transferring the farm to the next generation, world trade and competing in a global economy.

Keynote address for the convention was delivered by Richard Rominger, Deputy Secretary of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, who updated participants in the convention on development of the 1995 U.S. Farm Bill and the restructuring of the agriculture department.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Carmen Gustafson and Mabel Christofferson visited at the Emma and Wallar Poderson home at Oklee on Tuesday afternoon.

Edith and Harold Nabben and Florence Nabben were Saturday afternoon visitors at the Doris Kaushagen home.

Bernice Knutson was a visitor at the Esther Fuller home on Wednesday afternoon.

Tuesday visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Obet and family from Cincinnati, OH, Mrs. Daryl Wagnor and Mrs. LuVerne Wagner from Argyle visited with Martha Torgerson at her home on Thursday.

Diane Nelson and her granddaughter, Kayla were weekend guests at the home of Jean Nelson. On Saturday morning, Jean and her guests visited at the Oscar Odegaard home, and with Gladys Odegaard in the evening.

Adeline Moe and Art Moe were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Bernice and Ray Barth were visitors at the David Barth home in Warroad on Monday. In the evening, Bill and Diane Barth were callers at they Ray Barth home.

Carman and Larry Gustafson visited at the Annie Gustafson home on Monday evening.

Sunday evening visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home were Alice Rodahl and Clarice Clemons from California.

Bernice Knutson visited with Mavis Hillyer at the Bill Stock home on Sunday afternoon.

Carmen Anderson and Elvina Stevens were morning visitors and brunch guests at the home of Ida Rupprecht on Thursday.

Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
465-4378

New Arrivals!

Doris Malwitz proudly announces the birth of a new granddaughter! Brittany Renee was born on June 1 in the Roseau hospital to Jodi and Dale Story of Warroad. The Storys have a 3-year-old daughter Brook also. Doris spent two weeks helping out the family and getting acquainted with her new granddaughter.

Charlotte Leining proudly announces the arrival of a new great-granddaughter. Erin Lindsay was born on June 15 weighing in at eight pounds to Beth (Leining) Oelchenbruns of Hayward. Grandparents are Wayne and Barbara Leining of Austin.

Lorna Huotari proudly announces the birth of a new grandson! Jorey Russell, first born child of DeeAnn and Jon Egeland of Billings, MT, was born on June 18, a Sunday child full of grace. Grandma Lorna has been eagerly awaiting this newest Great-grandparents are Tom and Wilma Huotari. Congratulations and good wishes to all of these new babies and their families.

Helen Fisher accompanied Art and Alma Nelson of Thief River Falls to Chisholm where they attended the graduation and reception for Helen's granddaughter, Jessica, daughter of Dave and Sherry Fisher, on June 2.

Monte Greenwald, Jr. came on June 3 to spend summer weeks with his grandparents, Howard and Margaret Greenwald. His home is in Colorado.

Karn and Alice Tillman arrived in early June from their home in Anaheim, CA to spend the summer here in their mobile home.

Annie Blair of Altona, Manitoba, Canada arrived on Thursday to spend the weekend with cousin Edna Hyde. She helped celebrate her birthday and left again on Monday.

Wavell Sorenson visited on Friday at the CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center with Clara Coan, Jessie and Theodora Anderson and Lila Stephanson, all formerly of Goodridge.

Doreen Bjorkness of Erskine visited on Friday evening with Art and Frances Schiefert.

Tony Baca of Libertyville, IL came last week in his motorhome to spend some time visiting at the home of Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Herb and Esther Walter visited with Harold and Beverly Waldal at the Ernie Pederson home last week. The Waldals had come to visit parents, Ernie and Dorothy Pederson, and Lawrence and Emma Waldal.

Margaret and Howard Greenwald visited on Friday evening with Art and Frances Schiefert.

Elinor Lalski of Red Lake Falls, Penn Milligan, Lillie Halvorson and Floyd Lalski of Minneapolis visited Lorana Westerlund on Saturday afternoon.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson were among the many who attended the wedding of Sarah Magers and Wade Grinde on Saturday at Zion Lutheran church in Oklee.

Orville Sorenson is now a patient at the CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center. His sister, Edna Hill, arrived on Wednesday to visit with him and her sister, Avis and Art Frelland. Other recent visitors of Orville have been Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Sheila Gerardy and children.

Evelyn Ulrich recently entered Hillcrest Nursing Home after by-pass surgery. Arnie and Wilma Arlt visited her there on Saturday.

John and Clara Helley returned on Saturday having attended the summer Special Olympics at the University of Minnesota. Meet started on Thursday and John was kept busy volunteering at the track meet. They were also treated to a banquet honoring the athletes.

A family gathering at the Art Schiefert home for an early Father's Day celebration on Saturday were the families of Harley and Alice Schiefert of Fargo, ND; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Schiefert of Bloomington, Sandy and Glen Osbjornson of Oklee, Marie and Bob Swanson of Thief River Falls, Jim and Sherrie Schiefert of Plummer. This included almost all of the children and grandchildren.

Bunny Duchamp accompanied Gertie Haugen of Goodridge, and Knute and Stella Nesland of Thief River Falls on Sunday to Salol where they attended the wedding reception for Karin and Chris Mellstrom that evening at the Keith Mellstrom home. They spent the night at the Nesland's cabin at Springsteel Island. Enroute home on Sunday, they visited at the Milton and Linda Anderson home near Gatzke.

Penn Milligan, Elinor Lalski of Red Lake Falls and son Floyd of Minneapolis were Saturday afternoon visitors of Charlotte Leining.

Saturday evening visitors of Charlotte Leining were Evelyn Clausen of Erskine and daughter Faith of Detroit Lakes. They had come to Plummer to attend the wedding reception for Wade and Sarah Grinde.

Ron and Kathy Juneau, Margaret and Pete Harriman and Tony Baca enjoyed dinner and the afternoon at Maple Lake on Sunday. Later in the day Betty Derosier came to visit in their home.

Deb and Carman Walter of Moorhead spent Father's Day with parents, Arlan and Gerda Koskela and Dean.

Albert and Evelyn Tarvo spent from Friday to Monday at the home of his sister, Edna Caray, at Lake Andrew near New London. Their daughter, Renee, joined them there on Sunday.

Birthday

Roger and Janel Walter and family were among the many relatives and friends who gathered on Sunday at the home of Todd and Nancy Gustafson to celebrate the birthday of their son, Dusty.

Effie and Purnel Byer visited on Sunday with cousin Virginia Olson of Guthrie and her family and attended the estate auction of her late husband, Oliver Olson.

Jeff Vigstol, Lorie Freeman, Amber and Nicky were Father's Day guests of Orlon and Karen Vigstol. Effie and Bunnie were evening visitors.

Father's Day dinner guests of Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson were Russell Sorenson of Roseau, Sheila Gerardy and Mallory, Brett and Abigail.

Father's Day guests at the Arnie Arlt home were Lowell, Amy and Rosa Arlt, Gary Arlt and Cindy Jaeger.

George and Hazel Olie visited on Sunday with Walter and Katie Luxenburg at Union Lake.

Jolayne Simpson and Mike Greenwald visited on Sunday evening, bringing Father's Day greetings to Howard Greenwald and Margaret.

Clara Hesse spent Sunday with her daughter, Shirley and Jon Haglund, and family of Baudette.

Father's Day guests at the home of Joe and Helen Fisher were Ray and Marilyn Fisher and family, Tom and Brenda Fisher and children of Thief River Falls, Kenny and Heidi Fisher and family of Grand Forks, ND and Harvey Fisher of Holt.

Birthdays!

Sunday dinner and supper guests at the Edna Hyde home to help Elsie, Roger Hyde and Duane celebrate their birthdays were Danny and Coray Hyde, Stacy and Amy Beth Swanson and Luan Schumar, Stephanie Dietz of Minnetonka, Jake and Jean Friesen of Altona, Manitoba, Canada; Leonard, Karen, Matthew and Kristen of Rosenfeld, Manitoba, Canada; Mary Blair, Audrey Wessels and Marie Balames of Walhalla; Bruce, Elsie, Mels and Carman Magnus of Langdon; Percy Blair and Agnes McCloud of Necha, ND; Sheldon, Terry and Bruce Friesen of Emerson, Manitoba, Canada; John and Clara Helley, Inga Lindar and Sonja Kolstoe; Carol, Duane, Nicholas, Ben and Kelly Boucher of Brooks; Garry Mattison, Roy, Mary, Wade and Amber Westlake; Karen, Rebecca, Joel, Ryan and Megan Damarais; and Annie Blair of Altona. To honor the fathers present, Elsie and her daughters serenaded the guys with several vocal selections.

Sheila Gerardy and children and Wavell Sorenson visited with Shari Daniels and new little son, Ryan Christopher, on Monday. Shari is Plummer's Kindergarten teacher. They also visited with Celeste Gerardy at the hospital.

Barb and Jerry Bjerke and children of Newport News, VA arrived on Sunday at her parents, John and Clara Helley. Jerry left again to return to their home, but Barb and the children will spend most of the summer here.

Birthday For Edna

Monday dinner guests of Edna Hyde to celebrate her birthday were the party arrangers: Bunny Duchamp, Kathy Juneau, Bertha Hughes and Annie Blair; also Lillie Halvorson, Clara Helley and granddaughter, Fern Eskeli, Willie Gallant, Margaret Harriman of Maine; Betty Derosier, Esther and Kristina Walter, Dorothy Myhra, Veronica Boucher, Lucille Kvasager, Amelia Eskeli, Idelle Rawortz, Myrtle Petnode, Pat Larson, Margaret Greenwald, Jean Carpenter, Lorena Westerlund, Effie and Bunnie Byer, Gloria Fossum, Myrtle LaFayette, Clara Hesse, Charlotte Leining, Alice Tillman, Fern Whitney, Karen and Megan Demarais, Mary Beth Westlake, Susan Jacobs, Alma Hanson and Inga Linder. Ruth Wilkens was a morning caller. Some of the guests made homemade cards with verses to suit and Edna says, "I almost made my wings sprout!" Evening guests were Karen and Karl Vigstol. Another party with Connie Hughes furnishing dessert was held at the Lantern for her. Schar Fox, Lorraine Fisher, Madonna Lallier, and Stella Howard helped Edna celebrate.

Norma Jean and Andy Masley of Huntington Beach, CA spent a few days visiting with friends Karn and Alice Tillman last week.

Jackie Peterson of Middle River spent a few days with her grandmother, Doris Malwitz.

Homemaker's Holiday

The Hollyhock Homemaker's club spent Tuesday on their annual outing. They enjoyed breakfast in Bemidji and visited a number of interesting places before going on to Grand Rapids where they toured different points of interest. Enroute home they had "dinner out" in an air-conditioned restaurant before returning in the chauffered Karen Demarais air conditioned car. Making the trip were Karen Demarais, Jean Carpenter, Bertha Hughes, Dianne Gagner, Rosemary Eskeli, Kathleen Juneau, and Edna Hyde.

Senior Citizens Meet

Plummer Senior Citizens met on Wednesday for its annual picnic with all members bringing food for the noon potluck. Honored birthdays were Woodrow Eskeli, Ruth Wilkens, Dorothy Pederson, Frances Schiefert, Art Frelland, Sophie Anderson, Edna Hyde and Jean Carpenter, with only Ruth in attendance. Where were the rest? After table grace everyone enjoyed a delicious meal. Nadina Johnson called the meeting to order in the absence of John Helley, president, and Howard Greenwald led in the flag pledge. Reports were given and old business consisted of discussion on the consignment sale to be held on July 1 also the Red Lake County Fair. The sale is being held in conjunction with the Community Club who will share expenses and profits. Bring your items for sale no later than 9 a.m. to the auction lot north of the Legion Hall. The Senior Citizen trailer, which has been used for parades will be sold, and all items donated to the Club will be sold from it. Be as generous as you can! Lunch, including the regular Saturday hamburgers, will be sold starting at 11 a.m. There will also be BBQ's and bars sold. If you can help in any way, be it work or money, please let Ruth Wilkens know.

Senior Day at the County Fair will be on Friday, July 21, in Oklee. A first-time event will include a flag-raising ceremony at 9 a.m. with Plummer American Legion supplying the flag and conducting the ceremony. The flag will be flown during the entire fair. The Seniors program will be at 1 p.m. with entertainment, many door prizes and free lunch. Our regular July meeting will not be held, but all members should attend this special day at the Fair.

Other business included the announcement of scholarships given at graduation time to Nicola Konickson and Aaron Rosten. A nominating committee was elected for the August election. Serving on this committee are Harold and Marian Vatthauer and Inga Lindar. $2.00 door prizes went to Bunnie Byer and Tilmer Johnson. Inga read an article on flour sacks that brought back a lot of memories and our poet Lorana Westerlund read her poem about the early days of our Senior Citizen Club when ladies met in the Emardville hall and did fancywork. The meeting adjourned and the next one will be on August 16 with members A through L serving the meal.

Clara Helley, Barb Bjerke and daughters visited with grandparents, Duane and Arlana Bjerke, and great-grandma Minnie Bjerke, all of Thief River Falls, on Wednesday.

Arlys Konickson hosted the Grace circle meeting on Wednesday evening at the church. Pastor Johnson led the Bible Study and Lorraine Loranson conducted the business.

Death

Word has been received of the death of Rolland VanDaventer who passed away recently at the age of 80, at the Harmanson Hospital in Oregon. He and his family farmed near Brooks for many years until they moved to Boardman, OR. He is survived by his wife Menda and sons Orlin of Minneapolis and Donald of Boardman, OR. They were members of Redeemer church in Plummer and the sons attended school in Plummer.

Sympathy is extended to Art and Avis Frelland and other relatives in the death of Avis' brother, Orville Sorenson of rural Oklee, who died on Tuesday at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Art and Gloria Fossum attended Art's 50th Class Reunion of Aneta, ND, held at the Ramada Inn in Grand Forks, ND on June 16th. The celebration continued on the 17th with a turkey BBQ in Aneta.

Art and Gloria Fossum went to Harvey, ND for the weekend and attended the wedding of Sean and Kimberly Carpenter at Carrington, ND, visiting relatives in Harvey and Carrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Supranant of Cudahy, WI and Arizona, Ralph Supranant of Idaho and Gloria Normendin of Crookston were Tuesday visitors of Art and Gloria Fossum.

"Muffin," a two-year-old Cocker Spaniel, won the Best Trick category at the dog show Saturday afternoon during An American festival at the Pennington County Fairgrounds. Putting "Muffin" through its paces was owner Wenda Vigness of Thief River Falls.

Smelliest Dog division winner at the dog show during An American Festival Saturday at the Pennington County Fairgrounds was "Snuggles," a Tea Cup Poodle owned and shown by Donne Gravelle of Grand Forks, ND.

"Chelsea," a one-year-old Yorkshire Terrier owned by Laurie Miller of Billings, MT, was judged as the entry with the shortest tail at the dog show held during An American Festival Saturday at the Pennington County Fairgrounds. Last year "Chelsea" won the Most Loveable Dog division as a 10-week-old puppy.

Reading Between The Lines

Minnesota Vacationers

Studies show:
- 7 out of 10 Minnesota households take vacations or pleasure trips to places in the state each year...
- 40% of Minnesota's households make several in state trips each year...
- 55% of Minnesota's households plan to take an out-of-state trip within the next 12 months...

of this percentage:
- 40.7% go hiking or camping
- 57.8% go fishing
- 45.7% go to a casino
- 50% go boating
- 28.3% go golfing
- 40.5% go to professional sporting events

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Prancin' Paradise Stagecoach Line of Sebeka had a steady line of passengers waiting for rides Saturday afternoon at the Pennington County Fairgrounds during An American Festival. The four Belgian horses had a workout but the temperature was moderate and the time it took to unload and load passengers gave them regular rests.

Craft show and flea market during An American Festival at the Pennington County Fairgrounds in Thief River Falls Saturday and Sunday was an attraction for the public, including Corisse Rae Kruse, four-year-old daughter of Chellie and Guy Kruse of Thief River Falls.

Balloon creations found favor with a steady parade of youngsters Saturday afternoon at the Pennington County Fairgrounds during An American Festival. An appreciative youngster accepts this Lion King caricature from Randy E. Long of The Kiownerz from Fargo, ND.

Jet sports boats raced on the Red Lake River in Thief River Falls Saturday and Sunday. Motorsports Racing Plus Inc., was the sanctioning sponsor of the event, which was a major event for the American Festival in Thief River Falls. The race drew top riders from throughout the three-state region.

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Randy Haugen of Rapid City, SD came to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Pearl Tanner and went with his parents Ronnie and Ordella Haugen and other family.

Dorothy Kingsburg of Redwing spent three days visiting with her sister-in-law, Olive and brother, Bill Rehm. Dorothy also visited her sister Marie Holdahl of Thief River Falls.

On Sunday afternoon, Gertie Haugen, Bea Hutchinson and Mary Baker all visited with Lila Stephenson and Anne Johnsrud.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson visited at the Dale Anderson home. On Sunday evening and also enjoyed birthday cake with Shauna on her 16th birthday.

Dolores Johnsrud visited on Sunday afternoon at the Roger and Denise Johnsrud home of rural Thief River Falls.

Elizabeth Johnson attended Bible Camp at Emmaus near Menagha.

Dolores Johnsrud visited recently and enjoyed coffee with Adaline Hansen.

On Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson were coffee guests and visitors at the Roy Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kondalo of Thief River Falls visited on Saturday evening at the Bill Rehm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson attended the funeral of Pearl Tanner on Saturday at Ekolund.

Olive Wiskow visited on Monday afternoon with Margie Coan.

Dolores Johnsrud visited with Bonnie Johnsrud in Thief River Falls recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swenson were coffee guests on Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Noer of New Brighton.

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Public Notices

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to give thanks to all who remembered our Mom, Ann Marie, with a card, flowers, or memorial gifts. Special thanks to the Aurora Baptist Church in Pastor Christopher church women for preparing the luncheon and serving it. Thanks to the Aurora Fire and Rescue.
The Family Of The Late Ann Marie Jacobs

Public Notices

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Ann Bergquist wishes to thank the nurses, aides, and staff of the Hill Crest Nursing Home and Care during Ann's stay, and to thank the friends, neighbors and relatives who brought food, cards, flowers, and gifts, for Ann's birthday, Easter, and friends at church May God Bless you.
Elizabeth Swanson and family 263p

NOTICE STATE TIMBER SALE

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INTERMEDIATE AUCTION
WARROAD CITY HALL
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Legal Notices

July 5, 1995
OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
BEMIDJI CITY COUNCIL
ADMINISTRATIVE SESSION
June 13, 1995 - 10:00 A.Pm.
Mayor Lee Sheehy called the Administrative Session of the Bemidji City Council to order. Present: Council members Jones, Lee, Sheehy, Stewart, Wilson. Staff present: Administrator Mark Rotenberg, Finance Director Jerry Bowe, Public Works Director Jim Fischer, Community Development Director Jim Stegmeier, Fire Chief Jim Dalen, Police Chief Jim Tarvis, City Attorney Gaylord Dunn.
Fire Chief Jim Dalen reviewed the proposed Fire Station Project. Discussion followed.
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Mayor Lee Sheehy reviewed the Mayor's Youth Advisory Council

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson enjoyed coffee with Hazel Hunt in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Late Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited at the Ron Fulton home in Roseau.

Gilmer Manderud had coffee with Verner and Mildred Arveson on Sunday evening.

Sunday evening Fr. Joe DeCrans of Thief River Falls was a coffee guest at the Clarence Johnson home.

Tony Rutschko, Joey, Andy and Ott were visitors at the Clayton Johnsrud home on Thursday morning.

Joanna Johnson visited with Jessica at the Jean Johnson home on Sunday afternoon.

Bryan Bjerklie spent a couple of nights at the Gene Marquis home during the week.

Sunday morning Darwin Eidelbes, Bobbie Miller and Danny Johnsrud were visitors and coffee guests at the David Sjulestad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited and had coffee with Delores Johnsrud on Sunday morning.

Monday Mrs. Larry Kotrba visited with her dad Gilmer Manderud.

A week ago Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Verbout and family in Wannaska.

Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Walberg and Cody of Colorado Springs came to spend a couple of weeks visiting at the David Sjulestad home and also with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday afternoon at the Obert Hovet home.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Jean Johnson were visitors and lunch guests at the Clarence Johnson home. Merle and Donna also did some work for the Clarence Johnson's. Then in the evening on Sunday Jean Johnson, Michelle and Monica made supper and took it over to the Merle Naeseth home.

Randy Johnsrud came home on Tuesday evening to visit with his parents the Clayton Johnsrud's. Randy went back to Bemidji on Thursday.

Jean Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Merle Naeseth home on Saturday afternoon.

Bob Johnson left for his home in Baxter after spending a month helping his parents, the Leonard Johnson's with some work.

Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marquis were visitors at the Gene Marquis home.

Lorraine Watne went with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hanson and Luene to Alexandria to visit with Lyle Watne and Larry Watne. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Watne, Jackie, David and Brittany of Grygla also visited on Saturday with Lyle and Larry. They all returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited on Friday night with her granddaughters, Monica and Michelle Johnson at the Jean Johnson home, they enjoyed watching movies.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and coffee guests at the Mervin Rindahl home.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henford Roisland home was Leslie Iverson.

Friday, Kristian Solberg was an overnight guest with his grandmother Marion Schroeder at Olstad Acres near Grygla.

Brief callers on Monday at the Larry Kotrba home were Gilmer Manderud and Marlin Kotrba.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest of Joanna's at the Gary Johnson home on Thursday night and Friday night. She later returned home on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kleven of Cook came on Thursday to spend a couple of days visiting at the Clayton Johnsrud home. While here Mr. and Mrs. Kleven took Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud out to supper at the Third Base in Brooks on Thursday night in honor of their anniversary. Congratulations Marlys and Clayton.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson visited and had coffee with June Johnson on Sunday.

Jessica Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Merle Naeseth home on Monday evening. Then later that evening Jason Naeseth brought Jessica home and Jason also visited at the Jean Johnson home that evening and was an overnight guest there.

Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea were visitors at the Clara Peterson home during the week.

Sunday evening, Jessica Johnson and Joanne Johnson visited at the Clarence Johnson home.

Norman Kriel was a visitor and coffee guest on Tuesday morning at the Leonard Johnson home.

Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited with June Johnson during the week.

Monday night, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson were visitors at the Clarence Johnson home.

Jeanne Stegner of Brainerd spent from Thursday until Saturday visiting at the Leonard Johnson home.

Monday evening, Mrs. Vernon Holthusen of Thorhult called and visited by phone with Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Merlin Kotrba and Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Norman Kriel home.

Monday a birthday party was held for Corey at the Gene Marquis home. Corey's guests were Jared and Michelle Eidelbes, Anc Bjerklie, Mathew and Emily Bjerklie, Justin Ovaley, Billy Fersgen and Bryan Bjerklie. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake. Corey also received gifts and cards from his guests. Happy Birthday Corey.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and Megan visited with June Johnson on Saturday.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Gilmer Manderud home.

Henford Roisland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hanson in Fosston during the week.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristien visited at Olstad Acres near Grygla. Kristian Solberg spent Friday night at Olstad Acres. Then Saturday Kristian returned home with his parents. Joshua Davis returned with the Solbergs to spend a couple of nights at the Bruce Solberg home.

Adeline Hanson, Renae Seurdiff of Grygla and Amy Holthusen of Selol were visitors and coffee guests on Monday afternoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter, Michelle Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls. Then later the Johnson's had dinner at Handy Farms.

Those who spent the weekend at Spring Steele fishing were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel, Mr. and Mrs. Darcey Moses of Rush City, Roger Kriel and Steven Kriel.

Sunday, Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud took Melinda Kotrba, Kelsey Johnsrud, Andrea Marquis and Adam Sjulestad to Lake of the Woods Bible Camp on Sunday. They will be returning home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland were visitors and coffee guests on Friday at the Galen Englund home of rural Grygla.

Zaanna Linder along with Ivan, Leonard, Saul, Emmat and Max LaCouaiara halpad Marjoria Schafer paint tha set sha designed for tha Two River's Araa Theatre production of "Into tha Woods" which opens in Red Laka Falls July 13.

Gully

Norman and Joanne Ellertson of Billings, MT spent the weekend with Forrest Knudson and attended the celebration at Gonvick. Norris Ellertson visited Forrest. He is from Alexandria.

Mene Knudson had a group of ladies over for a luncheon on Monday afternoon. Those attending were Luverne Fare, Sanna Brovold, Deloris Ringstad, Natalie Haugen, Mildred Selen, Cathy Senger, Alice Forsberg and Grace Nyland. She served a delicious rhubarb cream pie and coffee.

Jennie and Fred Bortsch and Marcel and Julius Schefer of Devils Lake, ND visited from Tuesday to Thursday at the home of Wendt and Cathy Senger.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hood and Jason of Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nord of Fosston and Betty Devine of Harris were Tuesday evening visitors at Effie Handy. Richard Brewing and Gloria Merks of Minneapolis, Stelle Kothenbeetle of Rochester, Joyce Monty of Grand Meadow, Neomi Hedlund and Lois Wilms of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Heddens of Mountain Lake, Paul Grover of Scandia and Lynn Turenne were all callers at Effies Friday p.m. also Marion Handy.

Larry and Norma Emerson, Stella, Joyce, Naomi, Sonny Berg and Effie were supper guests Thursday evening of Emma Nyland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Christopherson and Mavis, Mrs. Darrel Christopherson, Mrs. Glenn Llabraaten and Effie were Monday p.m. visitors at the Ed Turennes at Thief River Falls.

Kenneth Emerson of Moorhead, Mrs. Myles Olson of Thief River Falls called at Effies Sunday evening.

Visitors at Brian and Sofie Carlson of Pine Lake were Dan and Shirley Sundquist of Duluth they came for family and school reunions.

Doug and Sandy Evans of Blaine spent the weekend at Floyd and Florence Borgs. They attended the Clearbrook celebration. Doug is a graduate of the Clearbrook high school. They were able to visit with many friends and former classmates.

Joe Linder and Melinda Hooser play Jack (of Jack and the Beanstalk fame) and his mother, who wants him to listen closely and do what he is told. When he goes into the woods, Jack crosses paths with people from famous fairy tales. Other characters include, Cinderella, Prince Charming and a witch. "Into the Woods" runs July 13-16 in the Red Lake Falls community hall and is a Two Rivers Area Theatre production.

River Valley

Virgil and Therese Radniecki attended the Graduation ceremony of Cameron Robidoux in New Berlin, WI. His parents Randy and Mary Kay hosted a pool side reception for 50 guests at their home on Saturday June 17.

In route to New Berlin, Therese and Virgil stopped in Staples to visit with their daughter Gayle, Steve, Josh and Travis. The next evening they stayed at the Penny and Dick Kehler home in Coon Rapids. That evening they attended a special dinner in honor of their grandson Mark. Mark graduated Cum Laude from the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis on June 11, 1995 and felt honored to have Hilary Clinton as speaker at this ceremony.

Virgil and Therese also were pleased to offer congratulations to their grandson, Gary Kehler, for the honor of being accepted to the Minnesota School of Arts for the next year.

There were many from the Deer Park township working on the new playground at the Deer Park town hall. On Sunday work continued on the backstop for baseball, a backstop for basketball, teeter totters and the slide was completed. The hard workers were Karen and Andy Peterson, Shirley and Darrow Lundeen, Tian Matson, Kim and Barb Chervestad and family, Johnny Hanks and family, Kory and Aaron Chervosted, Denny Nelson, Robbie and Jared Hotstad, and Jimmy Dulka. The newest addition to the playground was a greatly appreciated outdoor restroom facility donated by Kory and Carol Chervestad and a picnic table to use from the Petersons. What a great community effort.

The Lost River Ramblers 4H club were guests at the Kelly and Connie Lundeen home recently as they hosted the annual 4H picnic. A potluck dinner was enjoyed by the club, and a short business meeting was held.

Fr. Duane Pribula celebrates his 25th year of ordination.

Fr. Duane Pribula celebrated his 25th anniversary of his ordination as a Catholic priest with over 400 relatives, friends, and former parishioners helping Fr. Duane celebrate on Saturday, June 24, 1995 in Oklee. Fr. Bill Merhkens of Red Lake and Fr. John Kleinvechter of Mahnomen were co-celebrants at the Mass held in the Oklee high school gym. The Cathy Erickson band provided the music for the Slovak/Bohemian Polka Mass. Fr. Duane's family also participated in the Liturgy as readers, servers and communion ministers.

Host and hostess for the celebration were Mike and Audrey Bechand of St. Francis Xavier Parish, Sheri and Jim Schiefert of St. Vincent de Paul Parish, and Pam Paradis of St. Joseph's Brooks. A reception and dance were held in the Oklee Community Hall following the dinner. Greg Pribula of Thief River Falls hosted the program honoring his brother with Father's family taking part with the humorous anecdotes and skits.

After the program there was a dance with music provided by H and V Melodies. Among the special guests were many priests and sisters of the Diocese and Bishop Victor Balke from Crookston. The anniversary celebration continued on Sunday at 8:30 Mass at St. Francis Xavier church. Carol Pribula of Phoenix, AZ sang and accompanied by Charity Wicks played the flute. Masses of thanksgiving will be celebrated at Oslo, Warren and Tabor the weekend of July 12, 1995.

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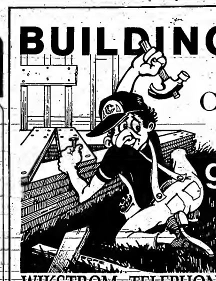

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Fialka Dancers Page 12
Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble members from Selkirk, Manitoba, think culture is important, but they love to dance.

Four Arrested Page 16
Four individuals who entered the country illegally were arrested in Thief River Falls Sunday when law enforcement found them in a railroad boxcar.

Tornado Page 16
Eight were injured when a tornado swept through parts of Kittson county damaging homes, businesses, and the grandstand at the county fairgrounds.

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94th Pennington County Fair begins 5-day run Wednesday

1995 Pennington Co. Fair Bandshell Schedule

Wednesday

Gospel Music Night

6 p.m.	Our Saviour's Academy Singers
6:20 p.m.	Trochmann Family (Southern Style Gospel)
6:40 p.m.	Earl and Floyd Hanson (Instrumental)
7:00 p.m.	"Straight From the Heart"
7:20 p.m.	Kelsey Carlson (Soloist)
7:30 p.m.	Kelsi Holland (Soloist)
7:40 p.m.	Jenifer Halvorson (Soloist)
7:50 p.m.	Vicky Bitzegaio (Soloist)
8:00 p.m.	Robin Asp (Soloist)
8:20 p.m.	Judy Melby (Soloist)
8:40 p.m.	Twyla Hicks (Soloist)

Thursday-Sunday

Time	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1:30	Magician	Magician	Magician	Magician
2:30	Vorderbruggen	Key Lane	"	"
3:30	Magician	Martin Family	"	"
4:30	Vorderbruggen	Magician	"	"
5:30	Magician	Kay Lane	"	"
6:30	Vorderbruggen	Martin Family	"	"
7:30	Sugar Creek	Magician	"	"
8:30	Sugar Creek	Key Lane	"	"
9:30	Sugar Creek	Martin Family	"	"

Pennington County Fair will begin its 94th annual run today (Wednesday, July 12) at 5 p.m. with many special attractions included in the five-day event ending Sunday, July 16.

Headlining the fair will be Pam Tillis, voted 1994 Female Vocalist of the Year by the Country Music Association. Tillis will appear in two performances at 7 and 9 p.m. Saturday, July 15, in front of the grandstand. Tickets may be purchased in advance for either performance at Kezar Music or Hugo's Supermarket in Thief River Falls. Tickets will also be on sale at the fair board office on the grounds and at the ticket booth prior to the concerts.

Considerable interest is being expressed in an event new to the Pennington County Fair this year. Two nights of Professional Bull Riders (PBR) sanctioned bucking bull riding will be held Thursday and Friday, July 13 and 14, in front of the grandstand.

Bull riders from throughout the country are expected to enter in the quest for points and prize money toward national finals qualification. An added purse of $10,000 is expected to draw top entries to challenge the string of bulls provided by David Bailey and Dakota West rodeo companies. Both stock contractors have had several bulls qualify for the National Finals Rodeo (NFR) of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA).

Admission will be $10 for adults and $6 for children and tickets are available in advance at Pennington Square, Amoco 24, Erl's Market and Petro Pumper in Thief River Falls and RCC Western Store in Grand Forks, ND.

Free entertainment at the bandshell begins tonight (Wednesday) with Gospel Music Night and continues through Sunday. See accompanying schedule.

Premium lists have been available to the public for several weeks and include information on the fair as well as a listing of items which may be entered in competition.

In open class competition, entry day will be Thursday, July 13, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Flower entries must be entered by 4:30 p.m. In 4-H club competition the entries will be accepted from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with conference judging to be held and immediate ribbon awards made.

Open class judging will be done Friday morning, July 14, including livestock, with the exception of horses and goats. Horse shows, both 4-H and open class, will be held on Saturday, July 15. That is

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Two of the more experienced and talented dancers in the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble are 15-year-olds Sheila Yosyk (left) and Melissa Omeniuk who are involved in every dance performed by the group which has female dancers. Both have recently passed auditions for the more advanced Troyanda senior dance group which travels internationally. For more on Fialka, turn to page 12.

Demolition of Northrop Elementary school, which was established in 1917, began last week. By Friday, July 7, 1995, the gym had been demolished and much of the interior gutted. School District 564 sold the building to Northwest Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority in Mentor after Challenger elementary school opened. Northrop elementary school is being demolished to make way for SummerField Place apartments for seniors and families. A ground-breaking ceremony for SummerField Place has been scheduled for 2 p.m. on July 12.

More discussion on swimming pool

by David Hill
Associate Editor

Thief River Falls Swimming Pool Committee has decided to approach a joint powers board for the proposed Multi-Cultural Events Center with a proposal to align with their effort.

In the wake of a less than decisive survey of public opinion, the Swimming Pool Committee met Monday night to see if something could be gained from the survey. The committee agreed that citizens want a community swimming pool, and that a majority would prefer an indoor pool or aquatic center, which would include an indoor swimming pool.

Discussion Monday night focused in on some of the comments from the survey. Over 42 per cent of those who responded chose to write additional comments. It was clear to committee members that many people were still preoccupied by other issues, such as the depot, the elementary school, and the sales tax. It was also clear to committee members that citizens want committee members to get on with the business of building a community swimming pool. Committee Chairman Terry Nelson explained that the committee had reached a prior agreement with other groups in the community to hold off on fund-raising efforts until they had completed their

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Former Ambassador laments strife in Eastern Europe

John Scanlan, 1945 Lincoln high school graduate, believes a flexible U.S. policy could halt warfare in that area of the world

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

"....I have spent much of the past four months in Belgrade and it has been like watching in disbelief and despair as a nightmare unfolded before my eyes. All efforts to shake it off, to awake from this bad dream, failed as the nightmare increased in intensity and the tale of death and destruction mounted.

"One wanted to believe that somehow or other rational minds would prevail and the madness would stop. But as each effort to stop the fighting ended with all of the combatants blaming each other for violating the agreement, one began to conclude that there were no longer any rational minds in Yugoslavia. Or if there were, they were not permitted to have any say."

These opening words from a speech delivered Oct. 10, 1991 by John D. Scanlan, graduate of the Lincoln high school Class of 1945 which held its 50-year reunion in Thief River Falls this past weekend, give an indication of the closeness which he felt and still feels for the people of the area where he served as U.S. Ambassador for four years.

Scanlan, who has continued to use his title of Ambassador while engaged in private business since his retirement, delivered the speech to the Session of the Political Committee of the 37th Annual Conference of the Atlantic Treaty Association, Department of State in Washington, DC. He had served as the United States Ambassador to Yugoslavia in Belgrade from 1985 to 1989.

Yugoslavia Was Beautiful

"It was a beautiful country with hard-working, wonderful people," he said. "I enjoyed my years of service there immensely, although there was increasing sentiment of nationalism at the time I returned to the United States. At that time, however, no one anticipated the sudden and violent actions which were to come."

Ambassador Scanlan devoted 35 years of his life to the foreign service of the United States government; 16 of them in his specialty area of Eastern Europe, particularly Yugoslavia, Poland and what was the Soviet Union. His knowledge of the people assimilated from those long years of personal contact and negotiations frequently make it frustrating and saddening to watch failing diplomatic efforts which lead to more bloodshed and make the possibilities for peace and healing more remote and difficult.

"The United States' official policy is that it must deal with the Bosnian conflict in that area by ultimatum and mandate," he said. "The people wielding the power there will not accede to that. As weary as they are of warfare and as receptive as they might be to peace offers, it is important that they be a part of the process.

Flexibility Needed in Policy

"If reasonable parameters could be set and flexibility allowed in reaching accord within that general framework, I am convinced that an effective agreement could be negotiated in two week's time."

That might not be diplomatic talk from someone whose career has been successful because of diplomacy, but it is stated with the conviction of a compassionate person who believes unnecessary suffering is resulting from a rigid stance which will never gain foreign acceptance.

In his years with foreign service in the Department of State, Scanlan has seen the increase in numbers of political appointees replacing career professionals. Regardless of the intelligence or abilities of those appointees, for the most part they lack the experience of "having been there" that is so important in anticipating responses to actions before the actions are taken.

Recognizing Independence of Yugoslav States a Mistake

Ambassador Scanlan believed, and former Secretary of State Baker has since admitted, that it was a mistake for the United States and other European nations to recognize the independent status of Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia and Macedonia in Yugoslavia before they had worked out their political problems. Once independence had been recognized, there was no leverage to compel finding political solutions.

"Truth is always the first victim in any war," Ambassador Scanlan continued in his speech in 1991. *"Rarely in modern times has truth been more elusive. Rarely has the tale been so distorted and confused in the telling and rarely have so many shared so much ignorance with others in telling the tale.*

"Given the incredible complexities of the Yugoslav historical, ethnic and cultural mosaic, perhaps this is inevitable. But the fact of the matter is that it is exceedingly difficult to separate fact from fiction in the telling of the current Yugoslav tragedy."

In concluding his speech to the Atlantic Treaty Association in 1991, Scanlan said:

"My own view is that the only way in which the West can hope to influence a peaceful outcome is to maintain a policy of strict impartiality. Any public statements or actions by governments that seem to favor one party to the conflict more than another are likely to be counter-productive and encourage the extremists.

"I don't think any of us possesses the wisdom of a Solomon in this complex situation. All sides are guilty. None is innocent. I see no white hats on the horizon. Only thousands of dead and injured

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Ambassador John (Jack) Scanlan and his wife Margaret were houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Peterson during their visit to Thief River Falls for the 50th anniversary reunion of the Lincoln High School Class of 1945.

Tech prep credit approved

Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls and Northwest Technical College campuses in East Grand Forks, Detroit Lakes, Wadena and Bemidji have agreed to grant "advanced standing" for several medical and health occupation courses offered at high schools involved in tech prep programming across northwestern Minnesota.

"Advance standing" will allow students to take courses in high school and receive college credit without repeating them as part of their college class schedule.

The agreement includes schools in the North Borders and Pine-to-Prairie Tech Prep Consortia, a coalition of 24 Minnesota high school redesigning academics and attitudes focused on technical and associate college preparation.

Melanie Noteboom, coordinator of North Borders Tech Prep Consortium in East Grand Forks, says one of the advantages of technical preparation in high school is an opportunity to take courses which will qualify for college credit.

"Tech prep classes, in this case Health Occupations, can offer the same standards in curriculum required of college freshmen," Noteboom said. "It is really an advantage to the student to earn college credit for the course as part of his or her high school career."

Noteboom said this is the kind of cooperation that will continue to be established as Tech Prep pushes schools to turn out students who are "tuned in" to the technical needs of business.

"Our students need to continue into post secondary programs, but we can do so much here in high school to make them more successful as college freshmen," Noteboom said. She added that it is frustrating for students to repeat course work and she praised the technical and associate colleges in the region for agreeing to promote courses to college credit status.

"They have been wonderful to work with. This will open new doors for all of us as we hope to establish more advance standing opportunities. This is an advantage for students, technical and associate colleges and the businesses that are demanding a high degree of technical readiness in their employees."

Noteboom says the goals of tech prep are three-fold. (1) To established applied methods of instruction in advanced sciences, math and communication in high school, to encourage a minimum of two years of education after high school, and to have more students seriously consider technical fields, which Noteboom says are the fastest growing areas of career employment in the United States.

North Border schools involved in the tech prep program are Argyle, East Grand Forks, Fisher, Goodridge, Greenbush-Middle River, Grygla, Lancaster, Lincoln in Thief River Falls, Marshall County Central in Newfolden, Pershing in Plummer, Sacred Heart in East Grand Forks, Stephen and Tri-County in Karlstad.

Pine-to-Prairie schools in the group are Ada/Borup, Bagley, Fertile/Beltrami, Fosston, Mahnomen, Norman County East, Norman County West, Oklee, Lafayette in Red Lake Falls, Waubun and Win-E-Mac.

School acquires and transfers more property

At its most recent meeting the School District 564 board of education took several actions involving property. It authorizes purchase of the transportation hub site on Pennington Avenue from Jobs Incorporated and adopted a formal resolution transferring property occupied by the technical college to the State of Minnesota Higher Education Board.

The lease agreement with the City of Thief River Falls for property at the airport was assigned to the State of Minnesota Department of Administration effective July 1, subject to approval by the City.

On behalf of the board's property committee, Hank Hallstrom indicated that recommendations are to sell the Knox school property, sell or make arrangements with the City of Thief River Falls for the remainder of the Northrop property and consider the sale of the present service center with the possibility of a center being built on the property on Pennington Avenue.

Activity user fees and ticket prices for the 1995-96 school year were approved. Activity fees were set at $45 for Lincoln high school and $30 for Franklin middle school with individual ticket prices set at $4 for adults and $2 for students.

A tentative revenue budget of $15,909,969 and expenditure budget of $15,783,928 was approved. Date set for the Payable 1996 Tax Hearing was November 30 at 7 p.m. with December 7 at 7 p.m. at the hearing continuation date if necessary.

Resignation of Everett Marshall as teacher at Lincoln high school was accepted effective June 26. Hired for the 1995-96 school year were Constance Stock as .7 FTE Communication Arts/Drama/Expressive Connections teacher and Jeffrey Loe as social studies teacher at Lincoln high school.

Co-curricular assignments approved for the 1995-96 school year were the following: Jodi Bendickson, high school assistant volleyball coach; Scott Brekke, high school head boys basketball coach; Glenn Chiodo and Charlie Cornell, high school assistant football coaches; Michelle Erickson, seventh grade girls basketball and volleyball coach; Brenda Kaspnick, ninth grade volleyball coach; Jeff Mumm, high school head football coach; Meri Jo Paschke, basketball cheerleading advisor; Myron Peterson, high school assistant boys basketball and eighth grade football coach; John Schmitz, ninth grade football coach; Bill Stock, high school assistant hockey coach; Howard Thorson, high school assistant girls basketball coach; and Robert Wayne, eighth grade girls basketball coach.

Educational assistants placed on lay-off at the end of the school year were Debra Moran, Kathryn Davis, Nancy Hannan, Donna Knott, Sharon Piche, Joan Heinze, Betty Erickson and Karla Gerardy.

Supt. Robert Duncan was presented with a plaque by the board of education for his six years of service to the school district and community along with thanks for all of the contributions he has made. Dr. Duncan is the new superintendent at Fergus Falls public schools.

Drafts of five-year plans were presented by principals Terry Soine of Lincoln high school and Bill Hahne of Franklin middle school.

Volunteer program coordinator Carol Ihle presented the program's annual report to the board, indicating that 725 individuals had been volunteers in the district in 1994-95 and that their service had been approximately 12,445 hours.

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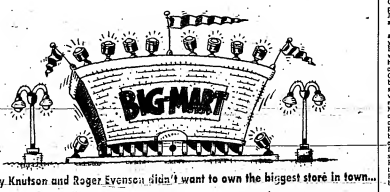

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Scanlan laments European strife

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South Slavs and a broad landscape of callous and needless destruction of some of the most beautiful villages and towns in the world."

Thoughts Seem Prophetic

Today, as he reads copies of that speech and another delivered in June of 1993 to the American Bar Association Conference on "Anarchy in the Third World," Scanlan say it gives him an eerie feeling to see how some of his thoughts have been almost prophetic.

Born Dec. 20, 1927 in Thief River Falls, John (Jack) Scanlan enlisted in the U. S. Navy shortly after graduation from Lincoln high school in June of 1945 and served from July of that year to August of 1946. He returned to Thief River Falls and worked at Bjorkman's clothing store and Poppler's Furniture. In September of 1947 he enrolled at the University of Minnesota.

After receiving his BA degree in history in 1952, he pursued a kindled interest in the Soviet Union by enrolling in the Russian Area Studies graduate program and earned his MA degree in 1955. He was involved in summer study program in Turkey in 1954 and Yugoslavia in 1955.

In April of 1956 he went to Washington, DC, and began duty in the foreign service. Progression in that field, he said, is much as it is in the military with added rank and responsibility awarded for satisfactory service.

Rude Welcome to Soviet Union

His first foreign service post was in Washington as a research officer on the Soviet Union in 1956-58. He arrived there in July of 1958 with his bride of two weeks, the former Margaret Anne Calvi of Glencoe, IL, in the middle of a staged anti-American demonstration protesting a United States military action of landing troops in Lebanon.

"We stood on the train platform for about an hour before an embassy car finally arrived," he recalls. "There were some 80,000 people, many of them brought in by trucks and busses, and as we drove through the ranks they shouted at us and pounded on and rocked the car. Later they threw rocks and broke about 150 windows in the embassy. A few days later Soviet officials came by and apologized and said they would pay for repair of the damages."

Offices, Apartments "Bugged"

In all his years of service in communist countries, Scanlan said, he and his family always had to assume that their office and residence quarters were "bugged" and their private and phone conversations were being listened to by others.

One time the people doing the listening must have had their wires crossed, he said, because when his wife picked up the phone to make a call she was able to hear conversation in the apartment of a friend some two miles away.

"What you had to be careful of was not to mention what you may have heard or discussed with any of the native people," he said, "because you didn't want to put them in a compromising situation."

Holds Posts in Poland

He served as Third Secretary in the American Embassy in Moscow from 1958 to 1960, then returned to the U. S. for 10 months of intensive training in the Polish language. From 1961 to 1965 he served as Vice Consul, then Cultural Attache, then Political Officer in the American Embassy in Warsaw, Poland.

After spending 1965 to 1967 as Political Officer at the embassy in Montevideo, Uruguay, he returned to Poland and served two years as Consul General in Poznan.

For two-year periods he then held successive positions as State Department Representative, Joint Chiefs of Staff, Pentagon, Washington; Officer-in-Charge, U. S.-Soviet Bilateral Relations, Department of State, Washington; and Political Counselor, American Embassy, Warsaw, Poland.

From 1975 to 1976 Scanlan served as a Member, State Department Senior Seminar on Foreign Affairs, Washington, then two years as Senior Special Assistant to the Director General of the Foreign Service in Washington. From 1977 to 1979 he was Deputy Director for Europe, responsible for Eastern and Southern Europe, with the United States Information Agency in Washington.

From 1979 to 1981 Scanlan became Deputy Chief of Mission to Ambassador Lawrence Eagleburger at the American Embassy in Belgrade, Yugoslavia. He then spent two years in Washington as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State with responsibility for the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe.

Call from President Reagan

In 1982 he was being interviewed in the editor's office of the *Albuquerque* (NM) *Tribune* when the phone rang. It was the White House operator looking for him. She told him that President Reagan wanted to talk to him.

"Hello, Mr. Scanlan; how are you today?" Jack recalls of the President's side of the conversation. "We were wondering if you would be interested in being our Ambassador to Poland."

Assured that Scanlan would be honored to serve in that capacity, the President asked, "And how do you think your family would feel about you becoming Ambassador?"

They would be similarly honored, Jack responded. President Reagan then said Jack could expect the announcement to be made.

The call came on a Friday, and it had been expected. Prior approval had already been given, but Reagan liked to call and make his appointments personally. The appointment, however, never came to fruition.

TV Comment Foils Appointment

On a weekend television broadcast with David Brinkley, Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger made an offhand disparaging comment about Polish leadership and Poland refused to officially receive a U. S. Ambassador. Polish leaders knew and respected Scanlan but held the appointment hostage in an attempt to coerce a U. S. apology.

Time dragged on and U. S.-Polish relations deteriorated. Scanlan filled in on other assignments, including an audience with Pope John Paul II and six months as chief of delegation with personal rank of Ambassador to a special conference in Budapest, Hungary.

In 1985 President Ronald Reagan appointed him to the post of Ambassador to Yugoslavia. After his return from that position, he served as Deputy Commandant of the U.S. Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, PA, until his mandatory retirement from the service in 1991.

Joins Pharmaceutical Firm

The day after his official retirement from the foreign service, he began his duties as Vice President for Eastern Europe with ICN Pharmaceuticals, Inc. of Costa Mesa, CA. The company was founded by Milan Panic, who emigrated from Yugoslavia as a political refugee in 1957, received his education in the United States, and with $200 formed the pharmaceutical company which now has $500 million in sales and is steadily expanding.

Panic (pronounced Pah-neech) also served for a time as Prime Minister of Yugoslavia and Scanlan was his private consultant and foreign affairs adviser.

Scanlan has now cut back to one-third time with the Pharmaceutical company but still travels widely and is involved heavily in forming manufacturing agreements in emerging Eastern Europe.

Jack and Margaret Scanlan have two daughters, Kathleen and Malia, both in Washington, DC; and two sons, Michael with the American Embassy in Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan, and John C. in Block Island, RI.

Regarding his 35-year career in the foreign service, Jack states simply that "If I had it to do over again, I would do it again." That is a proper endorsement of a rewarding career and one that more people would like to be able to make.

Joel Kreuter on deans list at NDSCS

Joel S. Kreuter of Thief River Falls, was among students named to the Dean's list North Dakota State College of Science. Students named to the list must achieve a 3.5 grade point average or above in 12 hours or more of college course work during the past semester. Kreuter is studying advanced machinist technology.

Laurel (Lee) Hed graduates from Mankato State

Mrs. Loren (Laurel Lee) Hed of Gaylord graduated June 9 from Mankato State University with a bachelor of arts degree in social work. She is employed at the Good Samaritan Home in Arlington, a few miles from Gaylord.

The daughter of Harland and Myrtle Lee of Thief River Falls, Laurel is a 1975 graduate of Lincoln high school. She has spent the past seven years commuting the 35 miles from Gaylord to Mankato to take classes at MSU while also working part-time.

The Hed family includes sons Josh, 19 and Danny, 17, and daughter Melinda, 14.

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Northrop elementary school in Thief River Falls was being demolished last week. The building was sold to Northwest Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority to make room for SummerField Place, housing for seniors and families, after the new elementary school was built. Northrop elementary school was established in 1917.

Sarah Harger accepts BSU scholarship

Sarah Harger of Thief River Falls has accepted a scholarship from the Bemidji State University Foundation to study at Bemidji State University.

Harger was named the recipient of a $500 music scholarship, which is administered by the BSU Foundation for new and returning students. Individuals who exhibit academic excellence or have special talents in such areas as art, business, science, music, and athletics are eligible for foundation scholarships.

Harger graduated from Lincoln high school where she participated in swimming, choir, Swingsations, orchestra, marching band, and softball. She is interested in obtaining a music major at the university.

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Taking a bit of a rest from a day of giving cart rides, Leo Perisian's llama "Panda" appears to take a dim view of being disturbed by the Times' photographer. The seven-year-old has never been beaten in harness competition throughout a several state area, his owner said. The llama cart rides were part of the activity during the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire.

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Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held before the Thief River Falls Joint Airport Zoning Board for the purpose of considering the adoption of an Airport Zoning Ordinance in the area of the Thief River Falls Regional Airport.

The public hearing will be held on the 18th day of July, 1995, commencing at 7:00 p.m., at the Heritage Community Center located at 301 4th Street East. The proposed Ordinance and the accompanying maps are available for public inspection at the office of the Thief River Falls Engineering Service Director, 324 Second Street East, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, during regular business hours.

The property affected by the proposed Airport Zoning Ordinance is some, but not all, of the land lying within 14,500 feet of the airport's runways. The types of restrictions proposed for each area are set forth in detail in the proposed Ordinance and maps.

The precise restrictions which would be imposed vary, depending on the location of the property. The restrictions generally regulate the height of structures, the location or size, and use of buildings and density of population. The most restrictive provisions would apply to the areas located in a trapezoidal area off the end of each runway, which area extends out from the end of the runway a distance equal to the length of the runway plus two hundred feet.

Persons who believe that they may be affected by the proposed Ordinance are encouraged to review it and ascertain the specific impact which it would have on their property.

Date June 27, 1995 By Thief River Falls Joint Airport Zoning Board

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ROBERT ROPPE, Senior Labor Investigator, Labor Standards Division, Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry

9:30 Break

9:45 "Safety Makes Business $ense" (OSHA and Erogonomic Issues)
JILL HOLLERMANN, Safety Investigator, Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry

COST: $10.00 Per Person (Includes morning refreshments)

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. TO REGISTER, PLEASE CALL THE CHAMBER OFFICE AT 681-3720, BY FRIDAY, JULY 14TH.

County fair activities to get underway today

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also the day for the ADGA sanctioned dairy goat show.

Entries for premium prizes are open to residents of northwest Minnesota. Exhibitors are limited to one entry per lot as listed in the premium list. All exhibits, including livestock, must be left on display until 7 p.m. on Sunday, July 16, but must be removed by 10 p.m. that evening. Premium checks received must be cashed before September 1.

Special information relating to livestock exhibitors is contained in the premium list. Directions on which gates are available for use to enter the grounds for exhibiting or participating in events are also given in the publication.

Demolition Derby July 16

Final event of the fair will be the traditional Joycee Demolition Derby Sunday, July 16, at 5:30 p.m. in front of the grandstand. Tickets will be $6 for adults and $3 for children 12 and younger.

Carnival Ride Tickets On Sale

Murphy Bros. Exposition will be on the midway and the carnival will be open beginning at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 12.

Options include a $10 pass good for unlimited rides on any one day from noon to 6 p.m. or 6 p.m. to closing; a $15 pass good for any full day; or a $25 mega ride pass which provides unlimited rides throughout the entire five-day fair. Passes will also be available at the fair at higher prices.

According to the premium list, the carnival offers such rides as the Zipper, Hampton Dukes, Sizzler, Skywheel, Double Ferris Wheel, Wipe-Out, Sea Dragon, Scrambler and many more.

Other Fair Activity

Other activities at the fair will include 4-H and open class dog shows, teen dance to "Klipsch" July 12, Bingo, Prairie Schooners Car Club drive and display, Senior Citizen program July 14, KKAQ rooster crowing contest, 4-H fashion revue, pedal tractor pull and 4-H market animal auction.

Pennington county has a free gate fair with no admission to enter the grounds or the exhibit buildings. There is a charge for vehicle parking on the grounds of $1 per day or $2 for the duration of the fair. Parking for the handicapped is reserved by the civic center and grandstand. Boy Scouts and adult volunteers handle the parking.

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Doris Eisbrener is an outstanding citizen

by Elizabeth Reisham
Times Reporter

Doris Eisbrener, of Thief River Falls, has been selected as Pennington County's Outstanding Senior Citizen. She moved to Thief River Falls about 13 years ago and since has been contributing to the Thief River Falls community through her working and volunteering at Northwest Regional Library, Northwest Medical Center and St. Bernard's Church.

Doris began working at the public library 13 years ago this August. She has since switched to volunteer status which leaves her more time to travel and visit her family. She used to volunteer at the hospital where she brought people to therapy, passed out mail to the patients and most of all, visited with those who were ill. Now days, most of Doris's time is spent doing some paid work and some volunteering at St. Bernard's Catholic Church. She sings in the adult and resurrection choirs, helps with office work, like answering phones and even plants and tends the garden by the rectory. Doris is also a Eucharistic minister, but she doesn't just help with Communion on Sundays. Doris brings Communion to residents at Oakland Park, Valley Home and Riverside Terrace. She also visits people in their homes and brings them Communion. When the priest holds Mass at Valley Home, Oakland Park and the CNC unit at Northwest Medical Center, Doris often assists him.

Doris was born in Chicago, but grew up south of Thief River Falls. She has one brother, Ken Szymanski, who is nine years younger than she. As a young girl, she really didn't have anyone else to play with outside of school, but she had lots of fun playing with the family's cats and the dog. She says she has always liked animals and remembers how once her father made a harness for her calf. She was glad when school was in session, though, and she had other kids her age around.

"I always looked forward to school and the other children," said Doris. "I liked school very much."

Doris attended Sunnyside school, Kratka township, where her favorite subjects were math and spelling. She recalls Sunnyside was a large school for those days, with separate cloak rooms for the boys and girls. It has a closed-in back porch, where the wood for the stove was stored, and an open porch on the front of the building. The school even had a library, that was rare for a country school.

After completing the eight grade, students from Sunnyside had to find a new school to attend if they wanted to graduate from high school. Doris went to Lincoln High School, where she did not know anyone, and her best friend from Sunnyside was attending Crookston Ag College.

Her first year of high school, Doris took the bus into Thief River Falls. After that, she and another girl rented a room in town, so Doris only saw her family on weekends. The following year, she had two roommates and her senior year, Doris's girlfriend from Sunnyside joined her in Thief River Falls. During the school year, the girls cooked their own meals, although, Doris said, sometimes the family they rented from would send some food upstairs for her and her roommates.

Doris graduated from Lincoln High School in 1942, and that fall she moved to Chicago to live with her aunt and uncle and attend business school. For four months, she took classes on using various office machines, then was hired to work in the payroll department of Superior Sleepright Company. She liked living in Chicago. She had no fears about meeting her girlfriends at a dance, then walking home by herself. However, after living in Chicago for almost a year, Doris decided to come home for a visit, and then decided to stay.

When she moved back to the area, she got a job as a teller and bookkeeper at Union State Bank (now Norwest Bank) where she worked for three years. During that time she also got reacquainted with family friend, Ray Eisbrener. Ray's father and her father had been friends since they were teens, and Doris first met Ray when she was 12 years old.

In 1946 she married Ray Eisbrener and became a farmer's wife. She was no stranger to farming, of course, she grew up on a farm. Once again she was working hard milking cows, driving horses and tractor and hauling wood and water. When Ray injured his back and was unable to farm, the family moved to Chicago where Ray got a job at the same company as his cousins. Ray went to night school and became a drafting engineer and supervisor. Unfortunately, he suffered a heart attack, so Ray and Doris moved back to the rural Oklee area where Doris worked at Mandt Chicken Farm.

When Ray passed away, Doris moved into town and rented out the farm. She now lives in an apartment in Thief River Falls and when she is not busy working or volunteering, she enjoys taking walks and doing aerobics at the Heritage Center.

She feels the best years of her life were when she and Ray where raising their three children. The family was involved in scouting, and one of their favorite things to do as a family was camp. They started out with just a tent and not much else, but over the years, kept getting more and better equipment. They even belonged to a recreation group that camped.

Doris's three children are all grown and married now. Paul and his wife Beth live with their two children in Colorado. Raymond and Laurel live with their two children in Illinois, and Marie and Sal live in Florida. She visits each child at Christmas, traveling directly from one to the next. In the summer she plans separate vacations for each child.

This weekend she won't be traveling, though. She'll be here at the county fair, being honored as Pennington County's Outstanding Senior Citizen.

Doris Eisbrener of Thief River Falls was recently chosen, along with Al Sollom, as Pennington County Outstanding Senior Citizen. She is active in St. Bernard's and the community.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing service in Thief River Falls.

Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Women of Today general meeting at 7 p.m. at the Elks. Guests are welcome.

Thursday

Magician at the TRF public library at 2 p.m.

Oakland Park Nursing Home executive board meeting at 5:30 p.m. at the Home.

Sunday

Pancake Breakfast at Heritage Center from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sponsored by the Senior Nutrition Council and matched by Lutheran Brotherhood.

Country Jam Session at Heritage Center from 1-4 p.m.

Monday

Praise through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Senior Meal at the Heritage Center at 5:30 p.m. BBQ ribs are on the menu. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Quin County Board and Advisory Committee Meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Newfolden Community Center.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Expectant Parent class at Northwest Medical Center meeting rooms B-B at 7 p.m. Call 681-4240, extension 446 to register.

Representative from Social Security at Heritage Center from 9:30 a.m.- 2 p.m.

Young magician to perform at Northwest Regional Library

Magician Lara Ellen Haymond will be the guest performer at the Thief River Falls Public Library at 2 p.m. on Thursday, July 13 as part of children's summer programming. This program is presented free of charge and everyone is invited to attend.

The 10-year old daughter of Jack and Carol Haymond of Thief River Falls, Lara Ellen Haymond became interested in magic in kindergarten when she bought a couple of simple tricks. Since then, she has added to her act with both store-bought and homemade illusions. Ellen has performed at birthday parties, school events and for community groups and has had audiences ranging from eight to over 300 people. She says she is always looking for more bookings.

Ellen's advice to people who want to learn magic is to start small and see if they like it. "You can spend a lot of money on tricks," she notes, "but doing magic isn't just doing a bunch of tricks. You also have to like to perform, to handle the audience. And practicing — that's important, too. I've learned a lot by watching other magicians, reading books and working with my family."

Ellen says she likes everything about doing magic, except putting on clown make-up.

"I charge extra for that!" she states. "I don't like the way it feels, and it's a mess to take off!"

For more information on this program or other summer library children's programs, please contact the Thief River Falls Public Library at 101 East First Street (681-4325).

10-year-old Lara Ellen Haymond will be performing at Northwest Regional Library in Thief River Falls on Thursday, July 13 at 2 p.m.

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Melgaard and Hitchcock wed June 3

Nancy Melgaard and Paul Hitchcock were married June 3 at 5 p.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls. Pastor John Wollenzien presided at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Joan Melgaard of Thief River Falls and the late Gerald Melgaard. Parents of the groom are Joann Carlson of St. Paul and James Hitchcock of Richfield.

Music was provided by vocalist Debra Carlson, friend of the couple, pianist Dee Wollenzien and organist Dorothy Larson. The congregational hymn was "Hear Us Now Our God and Father". Solos were "Wedding Song," "God, A Woman and a Man" and "What A Wonderful World." The processional was "Wedding March" and the recessional was "Canon in D."

The alter flowers were foliage with babies breath and mixed white summer flowers.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a full-length skirt decorated, with clear sequins and white pearls edged with lace, and a cathedral train decorated with lace overlaid cut-outs, clear sequins and pearls with white lace edging. The body of the dress was heavily beaded with white pearls and clear sequins with pearls framing the v-neck gown. The long alencon lace sleeved had a slight pouf at the shoulders. Her head piece was a crown with pearl detail and detachable veil with a pouf. Her bouquet was a crescent bouquet of astroemeria, stephanotis with miniature carnations and mixed white summer flowers.

The Maid of Honor was Penni Hanson of Granite Falls, cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Patti Draughn of Jackson, KY, cousin of the bride and Leslie Gilmore of Fridley, cousin of the groom. All three wore floor-length, off-the-shoulder, navy blue satin gowns with rhinestone detail at the shoulders. The bouquets were a smaller version of the bride's bouquet with bright pink summer flowers. The brides personal attendants were Leigh Ann Jordahl of Duluth and Karen Olson of Buffalo.

The groom wore a black shawl double-breasted tuxedo with a black tie and vest. His boutonniere was a stephanotis.

The bestman was John Hitchcock of Duluth, brother of the groom. The groomsmen were Kelly Hitchcock of Minneapolis, brother of the groom and Murray Melgaard of Thief River Falls, brother of the bride. All three wore Pierre Cardin shawl double breasted tuxedos with antique floral bow ties and vests. Each boutonniere was small cluster of pink summer flowers.

Ushers were Todd Gabrielson of Grand Rapids, friend of the groom, Brian Johnson of Warroad, cousin of the bride, Spencer Johnson of Roseau, cousin of the bride, Timothy Lauber of Albakerky, NM, friend of the groom. Their attire was the same as the grooms men.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a two-piece, off-white ensemble with pearl and lace detail. The mother of the groom wore a two-piece, off-white ensemble with lace and pearl detail, each wore a corsage made up of a small cluster of summer flowers. The grooms' father wore a Pierre Cardin black shawl double breasted tuxedo with an antique flora bow tie and vest and boutonniere of summer flowers.

Honored guests were Frances Tanner, sister of the groom and Janet Hagen, godmother of the bride.

Serving as hosts and hostesses at the reception were Carol and Spencer Johnston, aunt and uncle of the bride and Patti and Clark Corey, aunt and uncle of the groom. Guest book attendants were Leah Kuzel, friend of the couple and Kari Johnson, wife of a cousin of the bride.

Highlighting the serving table was a raspberry filled chocolate and white four-tiered wedding cake, iced in white and decorated with white pearls. Topping the cake was a fresh floral arrangement and fresh greenery surrounded the base of the cake. Punch and kransakaka was served by Susan Haberlock and Vicki Hunt, friends of the bride.

The flower hostesses were Mary Jo Hitchcock, sister-in-law of the groom and Becky Johnston, wife of a cousin of the bride. The videographer was Bruce Hanson, husband of a cousin of the bride.

The honeymoon was spent in Orlando, FL and the couple makes their home in Cold Spring. The bride is a 1987 graduate of Concordia College and a 1992 graduate of UND School of Law. She is employed at Willenbring, Dahl, Wocken and Zimmerman Law Firm in Cold Spring. The groom is a senior at St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud. He is currently employed at Dingmann Funeral Home in Sauk Rapids.

Delap and Vanderport plan August 19 wedding

Angela K. DeLap and Stephen J. Vanderpart, along with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon DeLap of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vanderport of Viking, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

The bride-to-be is a 1994 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed at the Best Western. Her fiance is a 1994 graduate of Newfolden High School and is stationed with the U. S. Marines in San Diego, CA.

An August 19 wedding is being planned.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

Johnson and Scherf plan wedding for July 22nd

Jane Adena Johnson and Jon Gabriel Scherf announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage. Parents of the couple are Harlow and Gloria Johnson of Thief River Falls and Karyl and Phyllis Scherf of Grand Rapids.

Jane is a graduate of Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls and holds a degree in elementary education and special education from Bemidji State University, Bemidji.

Jon is a graduate of Grand Rapids High School and holds a degree in secondary education from Bemidji State University, Bemidji. Both are teaching in Northome.

A July 22 wedding is planned for Calvary Lutheran Church in St. Hiliare.

Moccasin garden club held monthly meeting

The Moccasin Garden Club met June 20 at the Kratka Hall with Beattie Mickelson acting as hostess.

Rall call was held with response given by naming a favorite shade tree. Present were Joan Baker, Beattie Mickelson, Rita Soine, Delores Mickelson, Arlene Thune, Val Farsviet, Betty Troska and Bea Wilson.

Bea Wilson gave the trees report. The July meeting will be the 18th at Rhodella Tieman's home. Jim Brieland will be guest speaker, sharing his knowledge on Landscaping. The program was on critiquing floral arrangements.

Our Saviour's Academy has preschool

Our Saviour's Christian Academy in Thief River Falls is preparing for its fifth year of preschool to start this fall. The academy is a state licensed facility with licensed staff.

Mrs. Ila Anderson will begin her second year as the teacher of the preschool which has morning programs for both three and four-year-old children. A maximum of 10 children can be enrolled in each program and there are still openings at this time.

"The small classes are a real advantage since I can give each child a large amount of individual attention and help as well as lots of love," Mrs. Anderson said. Social interaction, learning activities, computer time, music and stories are part of each day's routine.

For further information or to register contact Delores Kading, principal, at 681-7753.

Social security representative to be in TRF

A representative of the Grand Forks Social Security Office will be in Thief River Falls at the Heritage Center, 301, 4th Street East, on Tuesday, July 18 from 9:30 a.m.- 2 p.m.

Applications for benefits are not completed during the town visits. All Social Security business can be completed by telephone toll free at 1-800-772-1213. This is a national toll-free number and does not ring in Grand Forks.

James and Tami Sparby have a new baby boy

James and Tami Sparby of Grygla are proud to announce the blessed birth of their son Briley Josh, who was born July 2 weighing 7 lbs. 13 and one half ounces and measuring 20 and one half inches.

He is welcomed home by his sister, Kallie and brother, David. Proud grandparents are Juell and Annabelle Chervestad and Alton and Alva Sparby.

Wedding Dance
Scott & JaCinda (Fimrite) Degelder
Sat., July 15, 1995
Golf Club—Thief River Falls
"Magic 96"
Dance: 8:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.

Golden Years club to meet at Trinity

Trinity Golden Years Club will meet on Tuesday, July 18 at 2 p.m. in the church parlors.

The program will be a "Tribute to Mac" as we wish Mae Peterson the best in her move to California. There will be a time of "remembering" events in the 34 years since Pastor Harold and Mae Peterson first began the Golden Years Club. Pastor John Wollenzien will give devotion and Grace Hammer will provide special music.

July troops will serve refreshments and members and guests are encouraged to attend. For rides, please call the church office 681-1310.

Kelly & Alice Dahl have baby boy

Dillon Dahl is proud to announce the birth of his brother Dustin Ray Dahl. Dustin was born July 1 at United Hospital in Grand Forks to Kelly and Alice Dahl of Newfolden. Dustin weighed 9 lbs. 4 oz. and was 23 inches long.

His grandparents are Robert and Carol Dahl of Newfolden and Dale Dunning and Pat Dunning of Thief River Falls.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On July 2, a baby boy was born to James and Tami Sparby. He has been named Briley Josh.
- On July 7, a baby boy was born to Todd and Lynette McDonald. He has been named Ian Boone.

The Samuelsons have a baby boy

Matthew and Andrea Samuelson and big sister Linsey of Grand Forks, ND are proud to announce the birth of Peter Matthew. He was born June 29 at United Hospital in Grand Forks.

Peter's grandparents are Dr. Charles and Idella Samuelsan of Thief River Falls and Larry and Tana Moe of Hurdesfield, ND.

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Karrie Moen and Roman Yoder, both of Waukon, ND, were married February 18 at Zion United Church of Christ with Rev. Richard Eick officiating. Parents of the couple are Donald Moen of Goodridge, Marilyn Moen of Waukon, ND and Daniel and Cevilla Yoder of Canton, ND

Lundeen and Bakken to marry on August 19th

Michelle Lynn Lundeen and Ryan Lynn Bakken, along with their parents, David and Mary Jo Mugaas of Oklee and Arden Lundeen of Oklee and Raymond and Blanche Bakken of Grygla, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is a 1992 graduate of Oklee High School and is employed at Digi Key. Her fiance is a 1992 graduate of Grygla High School and is employed at Arctco.

An August 19 wedding is planned for 5 p.m. at Grace Luthern Church in Grygla with a reception to follow at the church. All friends and family are welcome to attend.

Meekma and Larson to wed on September 16th

Jodi Meekma and Brian Larson, along with their parents, Glenn and Joyce Meekma of Newfolden and Roger and Judy Larson of Strandquist, are pleased to announce their engagement.

The bride-to-be is a 1991 graduate of Maplewood Academy and a 1994 graduate of Northland Community College. She is employed at Digi Key. Her fiance is a 1989 graduate of Strandquist High School and a 1992 graduate of Northland Community College. He is employed at Northland College.

A September 16 wedding is planned for Bethany Church.

Tri-Valley bus schedule

Tri-Valley express has announced the bus schedule for this week.

Wednesday, July 12

Bus departs Crookston at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Beltrami 8:30, Fertile 8:45, Winger 9:10, Erskine 9:35, Brooks 10:00, Oklee 10:15, Plummer 10:30. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Bus departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Gary 8:50, Twin Valley 9:05, Flom 9:30. Arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Warren.

Thursday, July 13

Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Transportation city-wide in Twin Valley.

Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden at 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9 a.m.

Friday, July 14

Departs Gully at 9:15 a.m. with stops at Trail 9:25, Oklee 9:50, Plummer 10:15, Red Lake Falls, 10:45. Arrives in Thief River Falls 11:35 a.m.

Tranportation city-wide in Ada 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Bus departs Strandquist 9 a.m. and stops in Viking 9:45. Arrives in Warren at 10 a.m. City-wide service in Warren begins at 10 a.m.

City-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus. Call 1-800-584-7020 for coordinator nearest you.

Viking garden club held June meeting, took trip

The Viking Town and Country Garden Club met for their June meeting at the home of Nina Halvorson. Those present were Joyce Kron, Bernyce Grandstrand, Joyce Erickson, Hazel Olson, Marcella Gonsorowski, Clarice Rooker and Nina.

President Joyce Kron called the meeting to order. The creed was read and officers reports were given. Roll call was "What do you like best about summer?" There were no committee reports.

Tho fairs were discussed at length. A trip to Honker's Flots Nursery was planned for the following Sunday afternoon. The topic "Weeds" and "Food or Wonder Drugs" was given by Joyce Erickson. Clarice Rooker gave a short topic on the "Advantages of Mulching." A plant and seedling exchange was a fun part of the afternoon. Nina served a delicious dessert at the close of the meeting.

Sunday, the club pooled rides for a trip to Honker's Flats where they had a fun afternoon. Those who went were Alvin and Bernyce Grandstrand, Bert and Joyce Kron, Earl and Joyce Erickson, Marcella Gonsorowski, Elmer and Clarice Rooker.

On the return trip, the group enjoyed lunch at the Paradiso Cafe in Strathcona.

Anderson and Mobley to marry in December

Lynn and Lois Anderson of Lake Park and Betrecia Mobley of Carlisle, OH are proud to announce the engagement of their children, Kari Anderson and Imon Mobley.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Lincoln High School and a graduate of the University of Minnesota, Duluth. She is currently working as a program instructor in Minneapolis. The groom-to-be is a graduate of Carlisle High School and a graduate of Sin Clair Community College. He is currently working as a nurse in St. Louis Park.

Kari and Imon will be moving to Wisconsin this fall to continue their education at the University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point. A December wedding is planned.

Business women's network

The Minnesota Women's Network for Entrepreneurial Training (MWNET), which is sponsored in this region by the Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund, have scheduled meetings for the month of July. Women business owners are invited to attend any of the "Roundtable" discussions and are reminded that there is no cost to join the network. Newcomers are always welcome.

This month the MWNET will meet in the following communities:

Bemidji — July 18 — 8 a.m.
Edgewater Family Restaurant
910 Paul Bunyan Drive
Topic: Employee evaluations
Regular meeting date: 3rd Tuesday of each month.

Fertile — July 18 — 6:30 p.m.
Eats and Antiques (Fertile Rec)
Topic: Employee Evaluations

Mahnomen - July 13 - 11:30 a.m.
Shooting Star Casino — Wigwam Room
Topic: Balancing your life

Please call 218-935-2827 to preregister. Co-sponsored by the Women's Business Center and Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund.

The Network gives women business owners a chance to meet with one another and discuss common goals and/or concerns. If you would like to know more about MWNET or about the topics listed above, please contact the Initiative Fund at 1-800-659-7859 or 218-759-2057.

Picnic at Old Mill State Park July 30

The Creamery Picnic at the Old Mill State Park will be on Sunday, July 30. Activities include Auto Memory Lane, open quilts and crafts display, a chuckwagon meal served by the Argyle Lions, a horseshoe tournament, Old Tyme Music, ice cream, sand creation contest and, new this year, a guest speaker, Antoine Gingras, French pioneer settler.

Country music jam session at the Heritage Center

There will be a country music jam session on Sunday, July 16 at the Heritage Center from 1-4 p.m. The session is open to all who play country music or have an interest in country music. Coffee and cookies will be served, and prizes will be given away.

Shern accepts new job in Northwood

Paulette Wegge Shern has been named a personal banking representative at American Federal Savings Bank in Northwood, ND.

Shern has a bachelor degree in business administration from UND. She has worked at American Pederal's Corporate Office in East Grand Forks as a senior loan processor since 1992.

Before joining American Federal, Shern worked as a loan specialist for Norwest Mortgage in Minneapolis and as a teller and assistant mortgage loan processor at the former Valley Bank and Trust Company in Grand Forks.

Her parents are Wendell and LaVonne Wegge of Thief River Falls.

Holt Keenagers to meet July 21

The Holt Keenagers will meet Friday, July 21 at the Holt Community Center. Please note the change of date. There will be a potluck dinner at noon and July birthdays will be celebrated.

Pancake breakfast at Heritage Center

A pancake breakfast will be held on Sunday, July 16 at the Heritage Center from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The breakfast is sponsored by the Senior Nutrition Council and matched by Lutheran Brotherhood.

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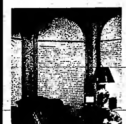

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ON MY MIND

The Power Of A Ten Dollar Bill

I groaned inwardly as my husband slipped the maitre d' a $10 bill. Personally, I thought that a five would be just fine.

But my husband's brother gave the advice: The location of the seats is directly related to the size of the tip. We'll see about that, I muttered to myself. We were on a budget and $10 seemed like too much money.

This was early in our marriage when we took a trip to Las Vegas. It was my first Las Vegas experience. (A quick stop during a family vacation 15 years ago didn't count.)

We arrived a week before Labor Day. I wanted to see a show; people always bragged about the wonderful entertainers they saw in Vegas. We scanned the flashing flourescent billboards, but didn't see many names that we recognized, except for Jerry Lewis. His pre-show act was Mel Torme, and we definitely did not know who he was. Neither of us was a Jerry Lewis fan, but he seemed our only choice.

We followed the maitre d' to the front of the auditorium. This might be all right, I thought, as he seated us at a table adjacent to the stage. My husband rested his arm on the stage, while I sat kitty-corner from him. The seat next to me was reserved.

My spirits were high until the waitress said, "Oh, you guys will be in the spotlight."

I groaned again, counting the money we had spent on this excursion. The price of the tickets and the $10 enticement seemed a high price to have a light shining in our eyes during the show. I prepared for the worst.

Our tablemate arrived. John was a cordial gentleman in his 50s. We conversed easily, and he told us he lived and worked in Las Vegas. In fact, he'd had a long day at the office and had just finished watering his lawn at home. He had rushed to the Strip to see his favorite singer, Mel Torme.

After Torme's doo-wop opening act (we now know who Mel Torme is), Jerry Lewis took the stage. He quickly turned us into fans with his winning jokes. We enjoyed seeing a star up close, instead of squinting from the back row like usual.

Halfway through the show, Lewis began an audience participation routine. He wanted to test the audience members' singing ability with "Shine On Harvest Moon." Beginning at the opposite end of the stage, he selected different women and men to belt out the rendition. He joked about the participants' singing ability or lack of it.

My heart thumped. I gulped huge gulps. My face turned crimson. I panicked. Oh no, I thought, he's going to get to me pretty soon and I'll embarrass myself. No, he'll embarrass me. I can't sing!

Just as I was planning a bathroom getaway, I noticed that our tablemate had dozed off. I kicked my husband under the table and pointed to John. What should we do? Wake him? Lewis would have a heyday if he caught someone sleeping during his show.

Too late. Lewis saw John asleep. We took pity on John because we witnessed how Lewis harassed the previous singers, and they were awake.

Lewis yelled loud enough to wake a guy in the back row. John, startled, woke up, and struggled to answer Lewis' inquisition.

How come you're sleeping during my show? Well, I had a long day at work.

Long day at work? What do you think we're doing here? John stammers.

Lewis persists. We're singing "Shine On Harvest Moon" and you're next.

My husband and I tried not to laugh. This poor man was definitely caught off guard.

John attempted to sing a verse. He sang quietly, trying to remember the words. Lewis yelled some more: We can't hear you.

We finally broke down and laughed belly laughs with the rest of the audience. It was the kind of laugh where tears stream down the face and you can't quit laughing.

Finally, 10 minutes after Lewis awakened him, John sang, in a beautiful voice, the whole of "Shine On Harvest Moon." Lewis, satisfied, went on to something else.

It wasn't until John sat down that I understood what had happened. I then knew why the waitress said we'd be in the spotlight. John worked for Jerry Lewis as an audience "plant" to create a humorous routine.

John said he usually doesn't tell his tablemates who he really is. It's more fun, he said, to watch the show unfold.

And it was. I've never had more fun from a single $10 bill.

Former resident seeks information about Ann Flekke

Ruth (Rockstad) Gibson, formerly of Thief River Falls, recently acquired some photos and and other memorabilia of Ann Flekke, Miss Red River Valley of 1923 and Queen of the Pageant of Prosperity in Crookston, November 21, 1923.

If you have information regarding Ann or her family, please contact: Ruth Gibson, 3947 Lakewood Avenue, White Bear Lake, MN 55110 or (612) 429-5572.

Women of Today general meeting

The Thief River Falls Women of Today will hold its general membership meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 12 at the Elks Club. Guest are always welcome. For more information, call Kim at 681-4465.

Meal at Heritage Center July 17th

The evening meal at the Heritage Center on July 17th will be BBQ Ribs, which will kick off western week at the center. Please dress appropriately. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Nursing home board meeting

The Oakland Park Nursing Home Executive Board will be meeting on Thursday, July 13 at 5:30 p.m. at the Home.

Baby shower for Harlee Hesse

A baby shower for Sandy Hesse and daughter, Harlee Jean, will be held on Sunday, July 16 from 2-4 p.m. at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Plummer. All friends and relatives invited.

50th anniversary on July 15 for the Harry Beltos

A 50th wedding anniversary party will be held for Harry and Wilma Beito on Saturday, July 15 from 2-5 p.m. at the American Legion in Middle River. Everyone is welcome. No gifts please.

Annual Minnesota picnic in Seattle

The annual Minnesota Potluck Picnic for all former Minnesotans now living in the Pacific Northwest will be held Sunday, August 6 at 1 p.m. at the Shelter #5, Woodland Park Picnic Grounds, Seattle, WA. Everyone is invited to have a good time and reminisce about the "good old days" in Minnesota. Call (206) 285-8077 for further information.

Inter-County Nursing offers information on treating heat disorders

On very hot days, it may be wise to restrict outdoor activities. Sometimes it is difficult to accomplish this task, so here are some sign and symptoms of heat disorders and the first aid for each.

- Sunburn, probably the most common heat disorder. Symptoms include redness and pain. In severe cases swelling and blisters, fever and headaches occur. Treat sunburn with ointment if blisters appear and do not break. If breaking occurs, apply sterile dressing. Serious extensive cases should be seen by a physician.
- Heat Cramps are painful spasms, usually in the muscles of the legs and may possibly be in the abdomen. Heavy sweating may accompany cramps. To treat cramps, apply firm pressure to cramping muscles or gently massage to relieve spasm. Give sips of water, if nausea occurs, discontinue use.
- Heat Exhaustion symptoms are heavy sweating, weakness, skin cold, pale, clammy, a thready pulse and fainting and vomiting. A normal temperature is possible. Get the victim out of the sun. Lay down and loosen clothing. Apply cool, wet cloths. Fan or move victim to air conditioned room. Administer sips of water, if nausea occur, discontinue use. If vomiting continues, seek immediate medical attention.
- Heat Stroke is characterized by high body temperature (106 or higher), hot dry skin, rapid and strong pulse, and possibly, convulsions. Move the victim to a colder environment. Reduce body temperature with a cold bath or sponging. Use extreme caution. Remove clothing, use fans and air conditioner to keep victim cool. If temperature rises again, repeat.

Heat stroke is a severe medical emergency. Summon emergency medical assistance immediately or get the victim to the hospital immediately. Delay can be fatal.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Jewelry Clay

The following activity is a fun and inexpensive way to make jewelry, using ingredients from your kitchen cupboard.

You will need:
3/4 cup flour
1/2 cup salt
1/2 cup cornstarch
warm water
toothpicks and
paint.

Mix dry ingredients together. Gradually add warm water until the mixture can be kneaded into shapes. Make beads by rolling the dough into little balls, piercing the balls with toothpicks and allowing the balls to dry. Paint and string the beads.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need bananas, chocolate chips, shortening, chopped nuts, foil and popsicle sticks.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Howe, James. There's a Dragon In My Sleeping Bag. Imaginary friends, a dragon and a camel no less(!), come to life as Simon and Alex try to outdo each other at bedtime.

McPhail, David. The Glerp. When the Glerp, who eats anything and everything, decides to go for a walk, it means big trouble for all of the animals he encounters.

VIDEO VARIETY

The Sandlot. When fifth-grader Scotty Smalls moves to a new town, it's the beginning of a magical summer of baseball, wild adventures, first kisses, and fearsome confrontations with a dreaded beast and his owner.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Dining Out With Young Children

Dining out with young children can be a stressful experience or a very pleasant one. You decide! Often we as parents expect too much of our children in certain situations. Therefore realistic expectations will help make this a pleasant experience. Realizing that dining out with children is rarely an adult-centered activity but rather a child-centered activity will also help. Following are some tips for dining out with young children from the St. Louis County Council to Prevent Child Abuse:

- Consider a restaurant that caters to families, a place where young childrens' noise activity level, and yes, sometimes mess, will be accepted.
- Hungry children are not known for their patience and don't see the time before the meal as a time for conversation and relaxation. Order as soon as you can or in some cases call ahead and order in advance. Fast foods and buffet style restaurants may be best until your children are older.
- Restaurants are new and stimulating places for young children. Take them for a walk while waiting for your meal. Don't allow them to wander alone. When carrying trays of food, restaurant staff have a hard time seeing small children.
- Tired children rarely make it through a meal without incident. If possible, plan your dining out for a time when your child is rested.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Games such as "I Spy" or "20 Questions" might serve to occupy children until food arrives.

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SPEAKING OF

... The Pennington County Fair in 1947

The recent spell of hot weather brought about thoughts of yesterday — mainly because I was wondering how in the world people survived the heat when so few homes and businesses were equipped with air conditioning. I decided to peek into the newspapers of yesterday to see how things were in the olden days, and chose the year 1947 for my perusal, mostly because I was just a little squirt at that time.

Instead of looking into how the town functioned in the hot weather of 1947, and since the Pennington County Fair will begin this week, I decided to check what the county fair was like back in those days.

According to a large advertisement in the Thursday, July 24, Times, the 46th Annual Pennington County Fair was to be held Tuesday, July 29, through Friday, August 1. Sixteen "chorines" from Chicago were to dance at the grandstand Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the Victory Follies. The girls, according to the Times, were picked for their "beauty and dancing ability."

Other grandstand acts appearing with the girls would include a bicycle act, Page, Jewett and Kiki, the Three Corwins, women acrobats; jugglers Igor and George Rudenko, eight "Gentlemen of Song and Dance"; the Tien Tsi Leu group of Chinese gymnasts; Adagio Dancers Martills-Mignon, and the comedy team of Barton and Brady. A 10-piece band accompanied the show.

4-H Club Day was held Thursday. Principal events included a parade, presentation of champions, a style revue, and crowning of a style queen and health queen and king.

Chosen 4-H Style Queen was Joan Soiney of the North Star club. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soiney. Health King and Queen were 16-year-old Maurice Russell and 14-year-old Harriet Sampson, both members of the Steiner 4-H club. Parents were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sampson.

Other 4-H champions were James Erickson of the Bray 4-H club with an Aberdeen Angus steer, Clayton Hanson of the Silverton 4-H club with a Shorthorn heifer, Bernice Knutson of Smiley club with a Holstein dairy heifer, Conrad Burrell of the Carlson club with his pig and Thorwald Kjelgren of the Star club with his sheep.

Friday was designated Thrill Day, with a special program of daredevil automobile stunt driving. "Smash 'em, Crash 'em Kings" would operate vehicles that would crash into pyramids of steel barrels, leap over exploding dynamite, smash into brick walls and through burning walls, leap over a bus, drive over ramps with one hand and criss-cross in mid-air. Motorcycle daredevil riders would also entertain.

The Sunset Amusement Company of Excelsior Springs, Missouri, was to provide the midway rides and attractions. There would be 12 rides and eight shows, as well as several concessions. Rides would include the 20-car Dodgem and the new mile-a-minute Caterpillar, as well as three kiddie rides for children under the age of eight.

Speaking of air conditioning, none was needed for the 46th Annual Pennington County Fair, because temperatures were cool and comfy with a low of 41 degrees the night of July 24.

Needless to say, I will have to continue my documentary on how people lived in 1947 Thief River Falls another time, because I have used up all of my space this week on the fair.

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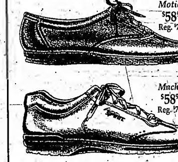

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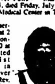


Thief River Falls — Mary E. Johnson, 74, died Friday, July 7 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. on Monday, July 10 at the United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. William Kerr officiating. Special music was provided by Dorothy Larson, organist. Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace," "Rock of Ages" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Art Buringrud, Woody Craik, Vernon Sorenson, Ron Lindberg, Donovan Narverud and Brian Johnson. Interment was in the Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Mary Mayer-Oakes was born January 27, 1921 in Fargo, ND to the late George and Sara (McMullen) Mayer-Oakes. She was baptized in the Methodist faith in Tower. Mary attended school in Thief River Falls, graduating from Lincoln High School. Following graduation, she attended Bemidji State University for one year.

On July 17, 1942, she was united in marriage to Raymond D. Johnson in Kent, OH. The couple owned and operated the Soo Cafe in Thief River Falls for seven years and also owned and operated the Western Auto Sportman's Store in Thief River Falls for 20 years. They moved to Fridley in 1967, where Mary worked for Target for 15 year, retiring in 1982. The couple moved back to Thief River Falls in 1994.

Mary was a member of the Elks/Does in Thief River Falls and read and enjoyed by all Agatha Christie novels.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond; three sons, Gary Michael of Bemidji, Stanely Dean of Coon Rapids and Raymond Dale of Brooklyn Park; four grandchildren; one brother, Milton Mayer-Oakes of Rialto, CA and one sister, Dorothy Williams of Thief River Falls.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Robert Mayer-Oakes.

Mary Lund, 93

Thief River Falls — Mrs. Mary Birgy Lund, 93, of Thief River Falls, died Tuesday, July 4 at Northern Itasca Health Care Center in Big Fork.

Funeral services were Saturday, July 8 at the Wolfe Funeral home in Kalkaska with Rev. Charles Valente, pastor of the Kalkaska United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment is in Garfield Township Cemetery, Kalkaska county.

Mrs. Birgy had resided in Minnesota since 1937. She was a member of the Methodist Church and the Lady Trainmen.

Born in Chicago, IL on January 27, 1902, she was the daughter of Joseph and Katherine Wagner Birgy.

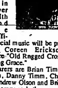
She was united in marriage to Louis Lund on May 31, 1922 in Traverse City.

She is survived by her son, Derwood of Elfie; two brothers, Derwood and Otto Birgy, both of Fife Lake; one sister, Ruth Beckering of Fife Lake; one grandson, Mark Lund of Minneapolis; one granddaughter, Nancy Crane of Ely; and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband Louis on October 28, 1982; one doughter, Marie; one stepdaughter, Cleo Hunt and six brothers.

Russell E. Olson, 81

Thief River Falls — Mr. Russell E. Olson, 81, died Monday, July 10 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.



Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, July 14 at the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Reverend Steve Anderson officiating. Special music will be provided by Coreen Erickson. Selections are "Old Rugged Cross" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers are Brian Timm, Shane Timm, Danny Timm, Chris Sorenson, Andrew Olson and Brian Moyer. Honorary casketbearers are James Logon, David Logan, Rodrick Gentle, John Timm, Tony Timm, Jerald Timm, Steve Olson, Randy Olson ond Cody Knutson. Interment will be ot Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Visitation will be from 1-9 p.m. on Thursday, July 13 at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls and from 8:30 a.m. until the time of service.

Russell E. Olson was born February 13, 1914 in Minneapolis to the late Edwin and Rondi (Iverson) Olson. He was baptized and confirmed in the Methodist faith and attended School District #94 in Black River township.

He worked many jobs including farming and, in later years, for Falls Diesel, retiring in 1975.

On March 11, 1964, he was united in marriage to Annabel Berquist Timm in Thief River Falls. She was the mother of nine children, the couple then had two children, ond together they raised the eleven children.

Russell was a member of the Eagles and the VFW of Thief River Falls ond the Moose Lodge of Fargo, ND. He loved auction sales, thrashing bees, hunting, camping and fishing with his family.

He is survived by five daughters, Janice Logan of Mt. Home, ID, Carol Sorenson of Luverne, Mary Knutson, Linda Olson of Middle River, Ann Olson of Thief River Falls; six sons, Robert Timm, Ronald Timm of Newfolden, John Timm of Thief River Falls, Kenneth Timm of Sioux Falls, SD, Edward Timm of Steen and Russell M. Olson of Thief River Falls; 22 grandchildren; five great grandchildren; one sister, Clara Harder; one ount, Emma Grinde; one sister-in-law, Clora Olson of Thief River Falls.

He was preceded in death by his wife Annabel; his parents; brother, Clarence; sister Alvina and nephew, Elvern Olson.

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Clara Strand, 93

Fosston — Clara Josephine Strand, 93, died Sunday, July 9 at the First Core Nursing Home in Fosston.

Funeral services will be Thursday, July 13 at 10 a.m. at the Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home in Fosston.

Visitation is Wednesday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. with a 7 p.m. prayer service at the funeral home. Interment will be in Mt. Olive Lutheran Cemetery, Equality township, Red Lake County, rural Trail.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

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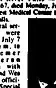
Merle Dagen, 67

Thief River Falls — Merle Dagen, 67, died Monday, July 3 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.



Funeral services were Friday, July 7 at 11 a.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church with Reverend Wes Mathre officiating. Special music was by Joyce Halbasch, organist and Duane Johnson, vocalist. Selections were "Amazing Grace" and "Borning Cry." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have In Jesus" and "This is My Father's World."

Casketbearers were Justin Dagen, Sterling Hougard, Martin Lieberg, Roger Holmstrom, Merritt Hougard, and Jed Nordin. Interment was in the Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Merle Arliegh Dagen was born on August 5, 1927 in Springbrook township, Kittson county, the son of Rueben and Esther (Wetterlund) Dagen. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. Merle attended the Karlstad schools and grew to adulthood in the area.

On June 26, 1948, he was united in marriage to Alice Lieberg in Greenbush. The couple were lifelong farmers in the North township area. The couple moved to Thief River Falls in 1990.

He took special interest in farming, growing trees and traveling. He was a member at Redeemer Lutheran Church and served on the church council in Thief River Falls.

He is survived by his wife, Alice; three daughters, Susan Alexander of Kalamazoo, MI, Myrna Boman of Ft. Pierce, FL and Stephanie of Thief River Falls; three grandchildren, Amy Alexander of Kalamazoo, MI, Robert and Michael Boman of Ft. Pierce, FL; two sisters, Carole Pederson of Karlstad and Marion Hougard of Bemidji.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Sarah Marie and one brother, Duane.

Carl Trulson, 80

Greenbush — Mr. Carl Trulson, 80, of Greenbush, formerly of Thief River Falls, died at the Greenbush Community Nursing Home.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 12 at the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Reverend Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music will be provided by Diane Johnson. Selections are "Beautiful Savior," "What a Friend We Have In Jesus" and "Just As I Am."

Interment will be at the Star Cemetery, Star township, Pennington county with military honors by the American Legion and VFW of Thief River Falls. Honorary casketbearers are all of Carl's friends in attendance.

Visitation will be from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday morning.

Carl Ernest Trulson was born March 5, 1915 in McLean county, rural Mercer, ND the son of Charlie and Christine (Belsheim) Trulson. He attended school near Garrison, ND, graduated from Washburn, ND high school May 28, 1930 and was baptized and confirmed in North Dakota.

He moved to Trail in 1933 and worked on farms in Minnesota and North Dakota. Carl entered the United States Army on March 26, 1942 and served during World War II, where he received many medals, including a purple heart with two Oak Leaf Clusters. He was discharged February 4, 1946.

On July 29, 1959, Carl was united in marriage to Anna Nerhus at Saco, MT. The couple moved to Washington for one year, moved to Radium for four years and lived in Montana for a year before moving back to St. Hilaire in 1968. They later moved to Thief River Falls.

He was employed at Steiger Manufacturing for several years and also worked at Arctic Enterprises.

Anna died January 16, 1970. Carl entered Valley Home in August of 1989 and moved to Greenbush Nursing Home in December of 1989 and has resided there since.

He is survived by one son, Brian Trulson of Newfolden; one daughter, Beverly Roisland of rural Thief River Falls; five grandchildren; two brothers, Edmund Trulson of Port Townsend, WA and Edwin Trulson of Enumclaw, WA and two sisters, Louise Zumpf of Atlanta, GA and Frieda McElhinney of Seattle, WA.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Anna; his parents; two sisters, Olga Betseff and Minnie Norberg and three brothers Martin, Henry and Lewie.

Gordon Olson, 70

Crookston — Gordon Arnold Olson, 70, of Crookston, died Soturday, July 8, 1995 at the Riverview Nursing Home in Crookston.

The funeral service will be at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 12 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Crookston with visitation one hour prior to services ot the church. Interment will be in Grafton, ND.

Gordon Arnold Olson was born July 12, 1924 at Grafton, ND, the son of Andrew and Morgret (Carlson) Olson. He was raised and attended school in Grafton.

From 1943 until 1945, during World War II, Gordon served in the U.S. Navy in the Pacific Theatre of Operotions. Upon receiving his honorable discharge, he returned to Grafton and completed his high school education, groduoting in 1946.

On Februory 1, 1947, Gordon began his employment with American Crystal Sugar Company as an Agriculturist (fieldman) at the East Grand Forks foctory. He worked as a fieldmon in several growing areos in North Dakota including: Grafton, Oakwood, Nash, Auburn, St. Thomas, Drayton, Minto and Forest River. Gordon later transferred to Minnesota and worked as a fieldman in the Halstad, Shelly and Ada growing areas. In 1954, when the Crookston factory wos built, he served the areas of Crookston, Eldred and Fisher.

On September 16, 1967, Gordon was united in marriage to Maria Strain at Two Harbors. The couple made Crookston their home.

After 45 years of dedicated service to American Crystal, he retired on March 1, 1992. Gordon was a member and past president of the Fisher American Legion.

He is survived by his wife, Maria of East Grand Forks; doughter, Kellie Olson of Crookston; two sons, Robert Etienne of Minneapolis and Jay Etienne of Crookston; a "special" other daughter, Kim Reitmeier, also of Crookston; two grondchildren; a brother, Glenn Olson of Climax; a sister, Elynne Greenwood of Grand Forks, ND; as well as other relatives.

He was preceded in desth by his porents and a brother, Maurice Olson.

Morris Owen, 63

Bellingham, WA — Morris Owen, 63, of Bellingham, WA, formerly of Thief River Falls, died on Friday, July 7 at Fargo's MeritCare Hospital.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 11 at 10:30 a.m. at St. Bernard's Cotholic Church with Father Tim Bushy officiating. Music wos provided by St. Bernord's Resurrection Choir accompanied by Elizabeth Odette, organist. The Centor was Shelly Burkel.

Casketbeorers were his sons, Mark Owen, Gary Owen and David Owen; son-in-law, Ron Dubrow and nephews, Mike Vad ond Gerald Owen. Interment is in Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Morris Leonard Owen, Jr. was born in Thief River Falls on October 8, 1931, the son of Morris and Lydia (Hoyum) Owen. He grew up in Thief River Folls and attended school here, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1949. He entered the U.S Air Force in 1951.

He married Delores Vod on August 31, 1952 in Thief River Falls.

Following his discharge from the Air Force in 1955, he attended Indiana State Technical College at Ft. Wayne, Indiana, earning a Bachelor's Degree in Electrical Engineering. He worked for Convair Company In San Diego until 1961, when he moved to Seattle, WA and began his work as an engineer for the Boeing Aircraft Company. He retired in January of 1990.

He was an Eagle Scout and served as an adult leader in the local scout troop.

He was enroute to Thief River Falls for a visit when be died due to complications following treatment for heart disease.

He is survived by his wife, Delores of Bellingham, WA; daughter, Marcie Dubrow of Bellingham, WA; sons, Mark of Seattle, WA, Gary of Entiat, WA and David of Graham, WA; his mother, Lydia of Thief River Falls, eight grandchildren; sisters, Marlene Peterson, Provo, UT, Betty Laufman, Thief River Falls; Janice Moore, Millington, TN; Angeline Gronseth, St. Louis Park, Judy Owen, Thief River Falls and Lorray Tupy, Apple Valley.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Fall Conference on Aging slated

"Aged to Perfection" is the theme for the 21st annual Fall Conference on Aging to be held Wednesday, August 23, at the University of Minnesota campus in Crookston.

Area Agency on Aging of the Northwest Regional Development commission sponsors the conference each year to provide information that will assist seniors to remain independent.

Seniors and service providers will start the day-long conference with registration from 8:15 to 9 a.m. Coffee and doughnuts made by the Rosean and Newfolden senior will be served during registration in Brown Dining Room on the UMC campus.

Following the welcome and introductions, keynote speaker will be Annabel Greseth of Dawson. Her presentation will be "How to Retire Like a Millionaire—Without the Money."

Noon lunch will be served, followed by entertainment provided by a local group called "Joyful Praise." Many educational workshop sessions will also be presented during the day.

A resource room with displays and information about regional services available to seniors will be arranged in the Trojan Inn. Cost for the conference is $8 for seniors age 60 and older and $15 for persons under 60.

"Scholarships" are available for senior citizens through sponsorship by Riverview Healthcare Association, Crossroads Displaced Homemakers, Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Northwest Community Action Agency, Inc., Villa St. Vincent, Argyle LAH/BNP, Northwestern Mental Health Center, Roseau County Home Health Care, Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, McIntosh Nursing Home and Country Health. Contact the Area Agency on Aging at the number listed below for information about receiving one of the scholarships.

Brochures are available at local senior centers throughout the area or by calling the Northwest Area Agency on Aging at 745-6733 or on the Senior LinkAGE line at 1-800-333-2433.

Scholarships available for fall conference on aging

Scholarships for seniors to attend the 21st Annual Fall Conference on Aging on August 24 at the University of Minnesota at Crookston have been provided by Riverview Healthcare Association, Crossroads Displaced Homemakers, Northwest Community Action Agency, Inc., Villa St. Vincent, Argyle LAH/BNP, Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Northwestern Minnesota Health Center, Roseau County Home Health Care, Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, McIntosh Nursing Home and Country Health.

The annual conference provides information on topics of concern to older persons and their family members as well as service providers.

Any senior oge 60 and older who would not otherwise be able to participate in the day-long educational event should contact Danica Robson or Rose Carriere at the NWRDC Area Agency on Aging, 115 South Main, Warren, 56762; or call (218) 745-6733 or 1-800-333-2433 (Senior LinkAGE line).

Pre-registration for the conference is required to receive a scholarship and to guarantee a meal. Deadline for registration is August 16.

Brochures are available ot oll regional seniors centers or by contacting the NWRDC Area Agency on Aging.

For more informotion contact the Area Agency on Aging at (218) 7645-6733 or 1-800-333-2433 (Senior LinkAGE line).

Tri-Valley Heartland bus schedule for July 17-21

All riders are welcome of the Tri-Valley Heartland Express. The buses are fully accessible. Anyone with questions should call 1-800-584-7020.

The schedule for the buses for July 17-21 is as follows:

Monday, July 17

Departs Ado 8:30 o.m. with stops in Shelly at 9:05 a.m., Halstad 9:15 a.m., Hendrum 9:30 a.m. Perley 9:45 a.m. and arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 o.m. with stops in Gatzke at 8:30 a.m., Grygla at 9 o.m., Goodridge at 9:20 a.m., ond orrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, July 18

Transportation is available city-wide in Crookston.

Departs Gary ot 8:10 a.m. with stops in Fertile at 8:30 a.m., Beltrami at 9 a.m., Ada at 9:30, Borup 9:45 a.m., and arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Departs Stephen at 8:30 o.m. with stops in Argyle at 8:45 a.m., Warren at 9 a.m., Alvarado at 9:20 a.m., Oslo 9:30 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, July 19

Departs Lengby ot 9 a.m. with stops in Fosston at 9:20 a.m., McIntosh at 9:40 o.m., Oklee at 10:05 a.m., Brooks 10:15 a.m., Plummer 10:40 a.m., ond arrives in Thief River Falls ot 11 a.m.

The bus will be at the Ada Nursing Home that day. Transportation will be available city wide in Warren from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursday, July 20

Transportation will be available city-wide in Crookston, and city-wide in Fertile from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Departs Middle River at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden ot 8:15 a.m., and Holt ot 8:40 a.m. and arrives in Thief River Falls at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, July 21

Departs Montor at 8:30 a.m., with stops in Erskine ot 8:45 a.m., Brooks 9:05 a.m., Oklee 9:25 a.m Plummer 9:45 o.m., Red Lake Falls 10:15 a.m., Crookston 10:30 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Transportation is available city-wide in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Departs Stephen at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Argyle at 8:45 a.m., Warren at 9 a.m., Viking 9:30 a.m., and arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Throughout this period of time, transportation will be ovailoble city-wide in Thief River Falls through Dial-a-Ride. For information call 681-6760.

System wide, all routes return the same doy. Please coll in advonce to reserve a place on the bus.

Blue Cross, Blue Shield restructures

Blue Cross ond Blue Shield of Minnesota (BCBSM) is restructuring its operations in northwestern Minnesota into a single strategic business unit (SBU) that will allow the company to develop tailored health care systems based on individual communities' needs.

Counties included in the new SBU are: Becker, Beltrami, Cass, Cloy, Clearwater, Crow Wing, Douglas, Grant, Hubbard, Kittson, Lake of the Woods, Mahnomen, Marshall, Morrison, Norman, Otter Tail, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, Roseau, Todd, Traverse, Wadena and Wilkin.

"We believe that strategic business units will provide Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota with the structure that best enables us to deliver on our commitment to community-driven health care systems," said Andy Czajkowski, president and chief executive officer. "This is a natural evolution that will allow us to work closely with and be a part of each community we serve."

One example of how the restructuring will help BCBSM better serve residents of northwestern Minnesota is the organization's partnership with Dakota Clinic. The latest collaborative effort of these partners is Dakota Community Health Network (DCHN), which will allow for the delivery of high quality care through a community integrated service network (CISN). CISNs enable communities to develop provider networks that deliver a range of prepaid health care services to members. Community representatives will be involved in determining the CISN's standards of quality and how they apply to the region.

At the base of its community-driven health care approach, BCBSM identifies the needs of each community and develops unique health care networks and programs that meet those needs. To determine the best arrangement of products and services, BCBSM obtains the input of patients, providers and purchasers. The result is a health care delivery system tailored for a specific community, whether that community is defined by where one lives, where one works or the demographic group one belongs to.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults

Monday evening, July 17 Barbecued Ribs, baked potato, green beans/peas, bread, peach dessert, milk

Tuesday, July 18 Lasagna, lettuce salad, peas, garlic toast, pudding, milk

Wednesday, July 19 Chicken chunks, oven brown potatoes, carrots, bread, applesauce bars, milk

Thursday, July 20. Ham, potato dumpling, green bean casserole, bread, apricots, milk

Friday, July 21 Cold tuna salad, coleslaw, peas, bread, fruit, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th East street Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, July 17: Baked chicken, steamed rice with gravy, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, Dutch apple pie, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, July 18: Salisbury steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, July 19: Cranapple juice, stewed chicken with dumpling, zucchini squash, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, July 20: Beef strogonoff, seasoned noodles with gravy, sliced parslied corrots, pineapple marshmallow coleslaw, strawberry sundae, white bread with margarine, 2% milk

Friday, July 21 Salmon loaf with creamed peas sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, lime gelatin with fruit cocktail, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

DISCOVERY LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, July 17: Milk, apple juice, bran muffins, Cheerios.

Tuesday, July 18: Milk, orange juice, toast, cream of wheat.

Wednesday, July 19: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, July 20: Milk, apple juice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Friday, July 21: Milk, apple juice, Chex, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, July 17: Homemade beef stew, sliced cheese, bread and butter, fruit cocktail, milk.

Tuesday, July 18: Hamburger on a bun, coleslaw, carrots, pears, milk.

Wednesday, July 19: Beef chow mein, chow mein noodles, lettuce salad with ranch dressing, bread and butter, pineapple, milk.

Thursday, July 20: Escalloped potatoes with ham, carrot and raisin salad, applesauce, milk.

Friday, July 21: Cream of tomato soup, saltines, grilled cheese sandwiches, pickles, sliced peaches, milk.

Calypso dancers Chioma Patterson (pictured) and Sandra Graham added color and activity to the Caribbean Connection performing Saturday and Sunday at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire Saturday and Sunday, July 8 and 9. The dancers now live in Winnipeg but are originally from Jamaica.

Melanie Noteboom, coordinator of North Borders Tech Prep Consortium, is pictured at a recent workshop at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls. Northland, along with several other colleges, has agreed to advance standing for several medical and health occupation courses offered through tech prep programs in northwestern Minnesota high schools. Advance standing means students can earn college credit for classes taken in high school.

TRF swimming pool group considers use of cultural center

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efforts.

The swimming pool committee is faced with some difficult decisions. With only obout $158,000 in an account for a project that could cost over $1.5 million, the committee still needs to determine how to pay for the project. Strong opposition to a local sales tax that would "piggy-back" the state sales tax, is pushing the committee in favor of a bond issue. Even if committee members were ogreed on a sales tax, it would first have to be opproved by the state legisloture. In a prior attempt to get a sales tax, a state legislotive committee would not approve the sales tox for a swimming pool.

With the committee leoning toward a bond issue, they began looking at where to build a swimming pool. The survey revealed that respondents liked three options: the Franklin Middle school site, the Knox elementary school site, and the Multi-Events Cultural Center site.

Several committee members expressed concern about locoting the pool at the Multi-Events Cultural Center because of traffic and distances involved. Don Stewort noted, however, thot becouse of the way the city is laid out, no motter which quadrant was picked, people will have to cross at least two mojor highways, a roilroad and a river.

Advantages to locating o swimming pool at the Multi-Events Culturol Center that impressed committee members included o shared infrastructure — lighting, parking, utilities — lockers, health and fitness center, and gym.

As the issue of whether or not to align with the Multi-Events Cultural Center began to crop up, several individuals on the committee thought the swimming pool project should stond on its own. They argued that if the committee aligns with the Multi-Events Cultural Center and the funding runs out, the pool could be cut from the project.

Before reaching consensus, the committee began discussing what to build. Respondents to the survey appeared to support an indoor pool or aquatic center by almost a two to one margin. Nevertheless there was strong support for an outdoor pool. The committee decided to try for components of an aquatic center that would include an indoor pool, on outdoor woding pool, a woter slide, and a 0-depth pool, and possibly some other options that would help define "a dream".

In the end, the committee decided on o three-plan approach. The first plan calls for representatives of the swimming pool committee to meet with representotives of the Multi-Events Cultural Center ond in an effort to align with the group, seek assurances that the swimming pool will not be cut from the project if enough money cannot be raised. The second plan, or Plan B, would be to tell them that if it doesn't work the committee plons to build a swimming pool as o separate project.

The next step calls for representatives of the swimming pool committee to meet with the Administrative Services committee, which is a committee of the Thief River Falls city council.

A third plan, or Plan C, calls for the committee to place a bond issue for an outdoor swimming pool before voters if plans A or B fail.

Humorist to be featured speaker at conference

Notionolly acclaimed humorist and motivator, Jolene Brown, will be the featured speaker at the Harvest of Knowledge Agri-Women's Conference, October 27, in Grand Forks, ND.

The day-long event will olso feature the naming of the Red River Valley Farm Women of the Year, and entertainment by Jonet Sorenson of Fisher, recent winner of the Garrison Keilor "Tolent from Towns Under 2000" contest.

The Harvest of Knowledge conference is an annual event, sponsored by North Dakota/Minnesota Agri-Women. Public relotions coordinator, Rae Desautel, says this year's program, which will be held at the Ramada Inn, in Grand Forks, is focused on education and networking. She says, "The program is really all encompassing. We've workod hard to include a wide range of agricultural topics to reflect the variety of agri-business and ogricultural production in Minnesota and North Dakota.

Jolene Brown is a populor humorist and was recently featured at the Farm Women's Forum sponsored by Farm Credit Services in Fargo. In addition to Brown, the Harvest of Knowledge will also include a presentation by Pat Jenson, with the USDA In Washington D.C., and evening entertainment by Jonet Sorenson, recently featured on the National Public Rodio progrom "A Prairie Home Companion."

Special guest for the day is Paula Swenson, Walcott, ND, 1994 Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year. The 1995 recipient of that title will also be named during a reception to honor County Farm Women of the Year, with nominees from 24 counties in Eastern North Dakota and Western Minnesota.

An early purchase discount is being offered for the day-long conference. Early purchase tickets are $25, which includes the luncheon, all workshops and seminars, ond the Farm Women of the Year Awards Banquet Fridoy evening. To register contact Karen Landman, route 1, Box 141, Northwood, ND, 58267, or call (701) 326-4523.

At the Port of Barcelona, Spain, Lincoln high school Spanish instructor Sharyl Novacek poses with three former Amity program student/teachers now living in Barcelona. Left to right are Eva Junquera, who was a houseguest of Mark and Patti Blackwall and taught with Mary Follett at Franklin in 1993-94; Mrs. Novacek; Ampero Estorlich, houseguest of Dan and Jeno Sheflend and teacher with Sheryl in 1994-95; and Ana Labrador, houseguest of Hal and Diane Freeman and teacher with Mary Follatt at Franklin in 1992-93. Mrs. Novacek is in Spain for her third and final summer of course work toward an MA degree in Spanish through the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls. The four persons pictured attempted to contact the 1995-96 Amity scholar, Koyos Alcon, who lives in Castellon south of Barcelona, but were unable to do so.

Reid Froiland in All-State Jazz Ensemble

Reid Froilond of Thief River Falls has been selected for membership in Minnesota Music Educators Association All-State Jazz Ensemble for the 1995-1996 school year. Froiland is o student at Lincoln high school.

Froilond was one of 500 students selected from over 2,400 who auditioned this spring for a position in one of the six MMEA All-State organizations. Reid will attend a summer camp at Bemidji State University this summer. The camp will be held August 7-12 and culminate with a final concert on Saturday, August 12.

Studeots selected for the All-State organizations will gather again in February in Minneapolis where they will be among the groups performing at Orchestra Hall during the Minnesota Music Educators Association Clinic.

Brian Kading graduates from Concordia

Brian Kading of St. Hilaire graduated from Concordia College, St. Paul, in May. Kading, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kading, received o bachelor of arts degree.

Kading named to spring dean's list

Angela Kading, daughter of Marvin and Delores Kading of St. Hilaire, has been named to the dean's list for the spring quarter of 1995 at Concordia College in St. Paul.

Students named to the list are recognized for superior academic performance, with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

Quin County Board meeting

The Quin County Board and Advisory Committee Meeting will be held Monday, July 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Newfolden Community Center. The main items of business will be MCH Grant allocations and budgets.

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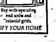

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JULY HAPPENINGS
SUN., JULY 16TH EAGLES PICNIC 11 A.M.-4 P.M.
Thief River Falls Trap Club

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
JULY 10	JULY 11	JULY 12	JULY 13 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 14 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 15 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.
JULY 17 AUXILARY MEETING	JULY 18 OLD TYME DANCE "CHUCK GUST" 7-10 P.M.	JULY 19	JULY 20 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 21 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 22 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
JULY 10 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 POST AUX. MEETING 8:00	JULY 11 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	JULY 12 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 13 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 14	JULY 15 BAR BINGO 5-6:30
JULY 17 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 COOTIE SCRATCH	JULY 18 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	JULY 19 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 20 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 21 DANCE 9-1 "COUNTRY CANDO" NELSON-KUJAVA WEDD. DANCE	JULY 22 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

— SUNDAY, JULY 16 — "KIDDIE PICNIC"
12 NOON-5:00 AT THE SPORTSMEN'S PARK

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ROSEAU — Citizen's State Bank, Burggraf's, Mike's Snyder Drug, Prior Electric, Ben Franklin Store
SPRAGUE, MAN. — Solo Store
STRATHCONA — Paradise
WANNASKA — Lee's Store
WARROAD — Security State Bank, Marvin Lumber & Hardware, Wahlberg's Pharmacy, Ben Franklin Store

SUNDAY, JULY 16
7:30 p.m. Church Night - Free will offering - Senior Citizens Awards

MONDAY, JULY 17
City of Roseau Centennial Program, Free to the Public

TUESDAY, JULY 18 - Entry Day
8:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m. Conference judging in 4-H building and barns, clothing, foods, home environment, garden, crop, mechanics, poultry, rabbits
FREE ADMISSION
11:00 a.m. 4-H Trail Ride
12:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Judging of some classes
6:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Show Game Events
7:00 p.m. Open Class Poultry & Rabbits

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19
9:00 a.m. 4-H Dairy Judging, 4-H Dairy Calf Award, Household Arts & Senior Citizens, Photography, Farm Crops & Vegetables
9:30 a.m. Open Class Horses
10:30 a.m. Flowers
1:30 p.m. Dog and Pet Show Free (North Rink)
1:30 p.m. Culinary & Fine Arts, Open Class Dairy
7:30 p.m. OAK RIDGE BOYS

THURSDAY, JULY 20
9:00 a.m. 4-H Hogs
10:30 a.m. 4-H Sheep
1:00 p.m. 4-H Beef
2:00 p.m. Open Class Sheep
3:00 p.m. Open Class Beef
7:30 p.m. TRACY BYRD

FRIDAY, JULY 21
10:00 a.m. 4-H Judging Contest
1:00 p.m. 4-H Market Livestock Sale
Pre-7:30 p.m. Grandstand Awards: Conservation, Clean Farm, King Agassiz
7:30 p.m. DEMOLITION DERBY

SATURDAY, JULY 22
12:00 p.m. TEAM PENNING

MURPHY BROTHERS SHOWS
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GATZKE — Gatzke Grocery
GREENBUSH — Ace Hardware
GRYGLA — Hartz
ROOSEVELT — Knutson's
ROSEAU — Border State Bank, Citizen's State Bank, Langle's Super Valu, Jim's Fishing, Jubilee Foods, Wally's Supermarket
STRATHCONA — Paradise
WANNASKA — Lee's Store
WARROAD — Doug's Supermarket, Wilmer's Super Valu
WILLIAMS — Lundsten's

Sales close noon Tuesday, July 18
One ticket for each ride except for the spectaculars
The above statement applies only to advance sale tickets

BUS RIDES
Free bus service will be provided in Roseau again this year. Busses will run about every 15 minutes and make stops at the following locations:
1 Courthouse
2 Four Season Center
3 North Star Apts
4 City Parking Lot (East of Post Office)
5 Fryklund Corner
6 East Side Grocery
7 Otis Norman Corner
8 Trailer Park Corner
9 REA Office
10 School
11 Roso Shopping Center
12 Corner by Olmsteads at East Entrance of Fairgrounds
Busses will run from Tuesday thru Friday - 10 a.m. to 11 p.m.

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Some of the adults behind the success of the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble and its parent group, the Selkirk and District School of Dance are pictured above. At left are Jarvis and Lesia Yasinski, artistic directors and instructors. At right is Mursel Kluka, announcer for the group, parent of one of the Fialka members, and president of Troyanda, the next level of dance performers in the Winnipeg, Manitoba area. Second from right is Cheryl (Drohomereski) Newman, president of the School of Dance and mother of performers Jaclyn and Carmyn.

Chris Kluka (center) who has been dancing with the Selkirk and District School of Dance for 10 years and with the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble for five years, enjoys the color and activity of the dance as well as traveling and making new friends. His father, Mursel, who served as announcer for the dance group at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire Saturday and Sunday, July 8 and 9, is president of the senior dance group Troyanda.

Sure it's cultural, but Fialka members love to dance

Group of enthusiastic young Ukrainian dancers from Manitoba enthralls All Nations Cultural Festival crowds for third year

by Marvin Luedin
Times Editor

About 80 per cent of the members of the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble from Selkirk, Manitoba, Canada have a Ukrainian background and their culture is important to them. But if the truth be known, 100 per cent of the dancers participate because they love to dance.

The young people's affection for their dancing is reflected in their faces as they perform, as they did to perfection in their third annual appearance at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire Saturday and Sunday, July 8 and 9.

"Aren't you afraid that our performances will be getting a little stale for your crowd?" announcer Mursel Kluke asked festival coordinator Ed Leeper before the first show Saturday. Leeper only laughed. He knew what crowd favorites the enthusiastic and athletic youngsters in the colorful costumes had become.

And the group wasn't far into its first number when the crowd was already clapping, stamping its feet to the lively music and nudging one another in appreciation of the fancy footwork, spins and jumps.

Professional in presentation as the group appears, it comes as a bit of a surprise that Fialka neither has traveled far nor performed frequently as performing groups go.

The dancers from the Selkirk and District School of Dance practice one night a week for about an hour and a half from September through May. Members of Fialka—which means violet—audition and are selected from dancers who have four to six years of training. Many are not selected on their first audition.

"Sometimes they are told that they will need to improve some areas of their dancing before they can become part of the performing group," states Jarvis Yasinski, who with his wife Lesia are in their second year as artistic directors and instructors for the school of dance.

Both are previous participants in the dance school and have been professional dancers in Winnipeg, Manitoba as well. Membership in the school of dance, which can begin at age six, has had a recent surge with more than 40 students added in the past year to bring the total to about 100. That's just fine with Jarvis, Lesia and Cheryl Newman, who is in her third year as president of the dance school. She has two daughters—13-year-old Jaclyn and 11-year-old Carmyn—who are members of Fialka.

Why does someone with a non-Ukrainian name like Cheryl Newman take such an interest in Ukrainian dancing?

"My name before I got married was Drohomereski," she smiles.

End of subject.

But Cheryl and the Yasinskis emphasize that they would like to have more youngsters of non-Ukrainian background involved in the school and the Fialka group. They feel it is a good learning experience to discover more about other cultures.

For many of the dancers, however, it is a family thing.

Both parents of Melissa Omeniuk, 15, are Ukrainian. Her mother helped start the school, her brother Nathaniel was formerly a member of the school and her cousin danced in the senior group "Troyanda." In the progression system as experience is gained, Sheila has just recently passed her audition to join Troyanda. She has been in the dance school 11 years and with Fialka five years.

Sheila Yosyk, also 15, has been in the school 11 years and Fialka four years. Her sister Dalilah was formerly in Fialka and they danced one year together. She said she likes dancing because "it keeps me in shape, it's a lot of fun, and I get to meet new people and make new friends." She also recently passed her audition for Troyanda.

Stephen Pleskach, 18, of Beausejour, Manitoba, is probably the senior member of the group. He has been at the dance school 12 years and in Fialka four years. His mother is Ukrainian, his father is Polish, and artistic director Lesia Yasinski is his cousin.

"It's lots of fun," he says. "I like the color and keeping active. It's exciting to dance." Stephen will be in 12th-grade this fall, plays football and hockey, swims and is looking to a career in law enforcement.

Chris Kluke, 15, is the son of Mursel Kluke who served as the group's announcer. He has been in the school 10 years and with Fialka for five years.

Chris says that a good attitude is important and athletic ability is helpful but that each dancer finds what he or she can do best. "We have good jumpers," he said. "I prefer to work on the ground. I like the colorful costumes, being part of the group, traveling and meeting new people. My parents are both fluent in Ukrainian and I went to follow up on my culture, and performing in front of a crowd is really great!"

The dancers pay a semi-annual fee of around $100. They also participate in group fund raisers. Girls provide their own blouses and boys their own shirts. Both boys and girls also buy one pair each of red and black boots. They have a supplier who imports boots directly from the Ukraine. All other costumes are owned by the group.

Shirts and blouses are meticulously decorated with needlework, either by the dancers, their family members or someone they know.

Cheryl Newman said Fialka has probably more than $10,000 worth of costumes, not counting the value of individual boots and the time and sometimes cost involved in decorating shirts and blouses. Authenticity is important, both in the style of costume for a dance from a specific region and in the dance itself.

In addition to his dancing, Chris is involved with badminton, volleyball, soccer, baseball, basketball and floor hockey and rides bicycle and does stretching exercises to stay in shape between dance practices. He says most of the dancers do individual work between the weekly sessions.

Jarvis Yasinski explained that many of the dancers aspire to work their way up the ladder to become a part of Troyanda or the professional group called Rulsaka.

Troyanda travels widely in Canada, the United States and overseas. Most of its members are from the Winnipeg area, their dancing is done for fun and they must arrange time off from work or other activities to accommodate their travel.

Rulsaka is a professional group which is in great demand internationally and draws its members from throughout the province. It is the elite group of Ukrainian dancers.

Appearing with Fialka this year was a group of five boys and five girls from nine to 10 years of age who have been together at the school of dance about four years. They have won three consecutive gold medals in Ukrainian dance competition for the province of Manitoba.

Primarily because of its successful appearances at the Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire, Fialka has received and accepted an invitation to perform the first weekend in October at a festival at the technical university in Russellville, Arkansas. The dancers have been practicing every week this summer, giving up a number of other activities and will be learning a couple of new dances from other regions to add to their repertoire of seven dances from five regions.

The group practices primarily in community halls which have wooden floors because the concrete floors of schools are too wearing on the dancers' feet and legs. The members gather from Beausejour, Selkirk, Winnipeg, Stead and other communities in the area. They come to keep their culture alive—and because they love to dance.

Stephen Pleskach, 18, is one of the senior members of the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble. He likes the color and activity of dancing with the group and looks forward to a career in law enforcement.

Young dancers who already have four years of training and experience will soon fill the ranks of the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble. The youngsters, now nine and 10 years old, already show the joy of performing indicated by the older dancers.

Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
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Hope you all had a very nice Fourth! Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Magnell on June 21st at the Magnell home. Tony and Sheila Gorardy and family, Tom and Rebecca Willett and family, Art and Avis Froiland and Edna Hill also attended and Wavell assisted in the cake cutting.

Enjoying a picnic at Old Mill State Park on Sunday the 22nd were Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson; Karl, John and Jeffrey Sorenson of Wannaska; Tom and Rebecca Willett, Tricia and Todd, Tony, Sheila, Mallory, Brett and Abigail Gorardy.

Uncle Bernard Siebert of Oxford, WI arrived last Wednesday at the Lloyd Sorenson home. That evening he, Lloyd and Wavell, Tom and Rebecca Willett and family were supper guests at the Tony Gorardy home.

Harold and Marian Vatthauer attended the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hanson of Newfolden on Sunday, June 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Olson of Bloomington spent several days last week with her sister, Amelia Eskeli. Other visitors that week were Saima Wappula of Middle River, Margie Bokke of Newfolden and Karan Johnson of New York Mills.

Bunny DuChamp spent from Tuesday to Thursday in the Cities with Mark and Jana Grenum and boys. Jana and Sam brought her home and visited here over the Fourth. On Sunday they had a picnic with family members in Red Lake Falls and on the Fourth they had a picnic again at the Walter Vottleson home of Trail.

Harold and Marian Vatthauer spent from Monday to Wednesday of last week with Cleo Gustafson of Grand Forks. Enroute home they visited with Laurie Wagner of Crookston at her farm home.

Wavell Sorenson and Uncle Bernard Siebert were dinner guests last Wednesday at the Eugene Prestegaard home of Thief River Falls and in the afternoon they visited Lillette Anderson at Valley Home, a former teacher of both Bernard and Wavell. Then they were supper guests of Betty and Harold Harder of rural Thief River Falls.

Housing Conference

Mayor John Holley and City Clerk Bob DuChamp attended an interesting Housing Conference on June 28th and 29th at the campuses of Minneapolis and St. Paul University of Minnesota.

AAL Chapter

A new Chapter for Aid Association for Lutherans was organized last Wednesday at Immanuel Lutheran church of Plummer. A kick-off supper was catered by Karen's Kitchen, followed by the showing of a film on AAL work. Lyle Hovorson of Grand Forks was in charge of the event and introduced a speaker from Thief River Falls and also Loretta Hosse, Lamplighter for AAL and a member of Redeemer Lutheran's chapter. Officers elected to serve the new chapter are Don Hagen, President, Eddy Eskeli, Vice President and Connie Hagen, Secretary and Treasurer. The chapter welcomes new members at any time.

Lucille Kvasager arrived home last Wednesday from Excelsior where she had spent a few days with her daughter, Janet and Charlie Hebert and girls.

Coffee guests at the Randy Magnell home following the prayer service for Orville Sorenson on Thursday evening were Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Corlen Kleinschmidt, Edna Hill, Art and Avis Froiland.

Funeral

The funeral for Orville Sorenson was held on Friday at the Salem Lutheran church of Oklee with Pastor Rolf Wangberg officiating. Special music was provided by nephews Dean and Dan Oberpriller. Coming from the Cities for the funeral were Gary, Dean and Dan Oberpriller, Evonne Johnston, Mario Foster and Bill Swick of St. Paul. Other nieces and nephews were Muriel and Vernon Thomas of East Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schindele of Larimore, ND and others closer by. Orville's sisters Edna Hill of Wisconsin and Avis Froiland and husband Art were there but another sister Sarah Oberpriller of St. Paul was unable to come. Visiting at the Froiland home afterward were the Oberprillers, Marie Foster and Bill Swick, Rick and Arlene Froiland and Ginger, Marie Sorenson, Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Corlan Kleinschmidt, Bernice Klink of Middle River, Janice Melvie of Thief River Falls, members of Tony Gorardy and Tom Willett families.

Trudy Culkins and boys, accompanied by Charlotte Leining visited Trudy's mother Ruth Ann Adkins of Twin Valley on Friday. They also spent some time at the Fenile Fair.

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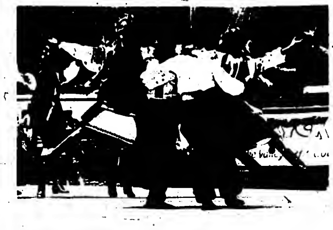
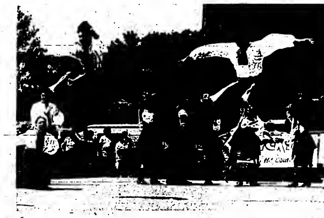


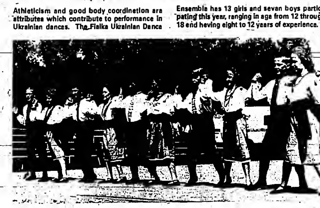
Lifts and spins are part of the dance repertoire of the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble from Selkirk, Manitoba, Canada, which performed for the third consecutive year at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire to enthusiastic audience response.

Melissa Omeniuk, 15, has been dancing with the Selkirk and Area School of Dance for 11 years and with the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble for five years. Braided hair and heavy make-up along with the costumes add to the pageantry of the dances.



Athleticism and good body coordination are attributes which contribute to performance in Ukrainian dances. The Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble has 13 girls and seven boys participating this year, ranging in age from 12 through 18 and having eight to 12 years of experience.

Sheila Yosyk, 15, applies make-up prior to the first performance of the Fialka Ukrainian Dance Ensemble Saturday at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire. She has been with the Selkirk and District School of dance for 11 years and in the Fialka performing group for four years



At ages nine and 10, these dancers already have four years of training and have won three gold medals in Ukrainian dance competition in the province of Manitoba, Canada. They will soon be filling roles in the Fialka performing group.

Exhibit entry schedule for 4-H at the fair

Exhibits in the 4-H club division at the Pennington County Fair will be judged on a conference judging basis during entry day Thursday, July 13.

From 9 a.m. to noon Happy Acres, Highlanding, Kratka and New Solum club members are to bring their entries to the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center and check in with the extension office staff at the registration table.

From 1 to 3 p.m. members of the Sanders, Smiley, Satellite, Steiner and Silverton clubs will enter their exhibits.

Cloverbud members may bring their entries during either the 9-12 or 1-3 session, as may other individual 4-H club members if their club time is not convenient for them.

Members who exhibit livestock are also to check in with extension staff at the civic center. Entry cards must be turned in for members to receive credit for their entries.

Exhibits will be released at 7 p.m. Sunday. Club members should come to the table where they checked in to receive their premium checks.

4-H day camps July 18 and 19 for all ages

Dates for the 1995 Pennington County 4-H day camps have set as Tuesday, July 18 in Thief River Falls and Wednesday, July 19, in Goodridge. Both camps will run from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Campers will participate in games, relays and various sessions concerning the environment. They are asked to bring a sack lunch and $2 fee and to register in advance by calling the extension office at 681-2116.

Volunteer junior leaders will serve as camp counselors.

MARKETS

as of Monday, July 10

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

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Visitors and callers at the Arnold Haugen home during the week were Darren Arveson, Willie and Jane Good, Sharron and Brian Johnson, Ardith Kloth, Lois Burstad and Lorraine Mostrom.

Mrs. Arnold Haugen enjoyed a visit by telephone on Thursday from her nephew Roger Wilson of Issaquah, WA. Also a call from Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA and Orrin Haugen of Hibbing.

Jane Good was to Dakota Clinic in Fargo, ND on Thursday for a checkup.

On Thursday, July 6, Corella Thorbeck of Plymouth arrived at the Orville Christianson home. That evening Milton Comino and Mark Haugen of Moorhead and Arlene Pickard attended the visitation and prayer service for Gladys Hanson of McIntosh. Gladys was Orville's sister.

Earlier during the week Orville Christianson and Arlene Pickard visited at the David and Darlene Rindahl home.

Last Monday, Ernest Mostrom and Pastor and Mrs. Dan Faugstad and children visited at the Orville Christianson home.

Linda and Bud Homme visited at the Arnold Haugen home. Lorraine Mostrom was a coffee guest there later in the afternoon.

Sympathy

Gladys Christianson Hanson passed away at her home in McIntosh on July 5th. She was born on April 15, 1906 in the town of Hickory on the Christianson homestead two weeks after her parents arrived here by horse and wagon. She was confirmed at the Ekelund Lutheran church at Erie and she married Edwin Hanson in 1929. She is survived by brother Orville Christianson of Trail. Two sisters May Reid of McIntosh and Alice Moen of Oklee. She was preceded in death by one brother Merit.

Sharron Johnson visited at the Arnold Haugen home on Sunday. She brought dinner over for her parents and helped with some yard work. Lois Burstad and Mishawn came later on and visited. Arnold has not been feeling very good this week.

Kyle, Ryan and Ethan Johnson of Jamestown, ND spent a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson on Thursday afternoon. They took the boys to Fargo, ND and they met Brad and Marlene Johnson there and they took the boys home.

Callers at the Willie Good home recently were Orben Good and Adaline Hanson.

Willie Good visited at the Merle Mostrom home near Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Orville Christianson's sister Gladys Hanson passed away at her home in McIntosh early in the morning on July 5th. Visitation was held July 7th at the Community Center in McIntosh where Gladys participated in a senior meal program. The funeral was held July 8th at the Vomes church. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

On July 4th, Arlone Pickard had coffee at the Marvin and Janyce Bakken home and then visited her student teaching partner, Pauline Morris Greiger in Grand Forks, ND.

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National Weather Service to install Doppler Radar

In what is considered to be a significant step forward in the National Weather Service (NWS) forecast and warning services, the NWS in Grand Forks, ND, will begin installation of the Grand Forks Weather Surveillance Doppler Radar-1988 (WSR-88D) on Oct. 11, 1995.

"The WSR-88D is a major component of the Modernization and Associated Restructuring (MAR) occurring in the National Weather Service," states Lee C. Anderson, meteorologist-in-charge at the Grand Forks office.

"The scope of this effort is unprecedented in the history of the NWS. Outdated radar, observational and computer systems will be replaced with the most technologically advanced systems available. Restructuring of NWS offices will enhance the use of these advances by our highly-trained personnel providing improved forecasts and severe-weather warnings."

Actual location of the WSR-88D radar tower and antenna will be Mayville, ND. Data from this radar will be transmitted to computer systems at the NWS in Grand Forks by communicative lines. The NWS staff will examine this data on color monitors at the office in Grand Forks.

Rigorous testing of the new radar and adaptation to local use will occur before commissioning by early autumn of 1996. The WSR-88D will become the official NWS radar covering eastern North Dakota and northwest Minnesota with the commissioning of this system. The old NWS radar in Fargo will be decommissioned after confirmation of an equal or improved level of service from use of the WSR-88D.

Anderson said personnel at the NWS in Grand Forks will receive intensive training and familiarization with this progressive, meteorological instrument to become proficient in analyzing and using data from the WSR-88D. They will gain experience during the next year using this information in preparing forecasts and warnings.

A realignment of severe-weather warning responsibility has started and will be completed by the summer of 1996, Anderson said.

"The staff and I look forward to this major step that will move eastern North Dakota and northwest Minnesota into the modernized National Weather Service," Anderson said.

The updating at Grand Forks is part of a national major modernization program to improve the quality and reliability of its products and services.

The WSR-88D excels in detecting the severe weather events that threaten life and property, from early detection of damaging winds to estimating rainfall amounts for use in river and flood forecasting. Most important, WSR-88D can increase advance warning—and the specificity of such warnings—for short-lived, often catastrophic events such as tornadoes, downbursts and flash floods.

Using Doppler technology, the WDR-88D calculates both the speed and direction of motion of severe storms. By providing data on the wind patterns within developing storms, the new WSR-88D identifies the conditions leading to severe weather such as tornadoes. This means earlier detection of the precursors to tornadoes, as well as data on the direction and speed of tornadoes once they form.

In a cooperative effort with the Department of Defense and the Federal Aviation Administration, the NWS anticipates a total of nearly 160 radars to be deployed by the mid-1990s. Through an integrated network spanning the entire United States and its island territories, WSR-88D is expected to dramatically enhance the ability to safeguard life, property and commerce.

The United States has the greatest variety of severe weather of any country in the world. Severe winters, droughts, heat waves, hurricanes, floods and tornadoes are not uncommon. In an average year weather related events claim the lives of several hundred Americans and damage runs in the billions of dollars.

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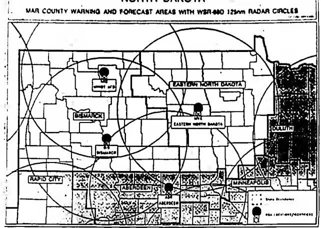
- Earlier, more reliable and site-specific warnings of flash floods, the number one cause of weather deaths.
- Earlier, more reliable and accurate warnings of thunderstorms and tornadoes. With the new technologies, as much as 30 minutes' warning of major tornadoes may be possible. This would significantly improve protection for millions of people. Currently, warnings of less than 10 minutes are typical.
- Improved warnings of general flooding for the increasing numbers of people living in cities, river valleys and coastal areas.
- Fewer false alarms of severe weather, resulting in heightened public confidence in NOAA's weather warning services.
- Improved long-range routine forecasts, out to 10 days, better serving the general population and America's agricultural, transportation and other economic interests.



When the new radar system to be installed at Grand Forks, ND, is operational, the area for weather forecasting to be covered is indicated in the map above. It will overlap systems in Bismarck and Minot, ND; Aberdeen, SD; Duluth and Minneapolis.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

A bright and sunny day has dawned in Northwest Minnesota, quite in contrast to the storms that passed over this region last evening. Four or five tornadoes were sighted and when they touched down damaged whatever was in their way. At Hallock where the County Fair was in progress, the roof of the grandstand blew off, frightening those who had taken shelter under the stand. Only 6 or 7 people were hurt and were taken to the hospital for treatment. The towns of Strandquist and Karlstad were spared while all around damage was noted. We empathize with all those who in any manner were adversely affected by the storm.

After a successful sale of crafts, rugs and whatever. The Strandquist seniors are at it again getting ready for their fall sale. Due to the excitement of Saturday, they played games most of the afternoon on Thursday and readied themselves for the funeral of Dora Lindstrom that was held on Friday at the Bethesda Lutheran church. LaVol Thun and Bernice Westman were guests. The guests the week before were Nan Hamberg, Lillian Garmundson, Elsie Lafrooth and MaryLou Auolwas from Alaska.

Lilis Atkarson from Colorado, Fern Yon of Grand Forks and Alyce Anderson visited with Lorraine Settan on Friday the 23rd. Lavern Holmlund and son John from Decatur, IL visited Lorraine on Monday the 26th. Lavern is a nephew of Lorraine's.

Edward and Janice Carlson and LaVol Thun were among the many relatives and friends who came to wish Arnold Larson a happy birthday on Saturday evening.

Arnold and Varnica Larson were Thursday evening visitors at LaVol Thun's.

Polly Stevenson and Florence Strom went to spend the week with their niece Annette Moen at Cedar.

Peter and Pearl Thompson had supper with Isaac and Betsy Thompson on Tuesday.

Fresh Tracks Drum Group and Ojibwa Dancers performed at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire Saturday and Sunday. Because of a dance competition on the Red Lake Indian Reservation, the number of dancers was reduced and recorded music was used.

Caribbean Connection singers and musicians introduced crowds at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire to some of the musical background of islands in the Caribbean. They performed calypso music of Jamaica and reggae music of Trinidad and Tobago.

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Goodridge News

Sheri Liedberg
681-4448

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Orton, Jodi and Tim, and Mr. and Mrs. Arc Christianson and Christina of Foreston came on Friday evening to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri in Thief River Falls and also attended the wedding of Nathan Liedberg to Francine Kazmierczak at the Bethany Lutheran church at rural Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 1st.

Dean Liedberg of Boston, MA came on Saturday to spend a week at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls and also to attend the wedding of Nathan Liedberg to Francine Kazmierczak.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gallas, Jill, Karen and Aaron of Moorhead, and Jim Liedberg of Warren also came to spend the weekend at the Norman Liedberg home and attended the wedding of Nathan and Francine. Jim Liedberg spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg at their home in Thief River Falls. The Gallas family left for their home in Moorhead on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Debbie Gronud, Roger Nelson, Jodi Gustafson, Lee Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri, and Eileen Purdy all of Thief River Falls, Ruth Liedharg, Gladys Haarstad of Newfolden, Howard Liedberg, Mrs. Pete Comstock and Olive of Foldas were among the many that attended the wedding of Nathan Liedberg to Francine Kazmierczak Saturday, July 1st at the Bethany Lutheran church at rural Thief River Falls. Also Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kazmierczak and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Converse and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Przybylski and family among many other friends and relatives. Congratulations Nathan and Francine.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg, Dean and Jim Liedberg enjoyed supper together at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

Times/Watch sports editor is on vacation

Thief River Falls Times/Northern Watch sports editor Mike Lundgren is on vacation.

Outdoor News

Conservation Officer

After receiving many nominations, Turn In Poachers has chosen Cathy Hamm as the 1995 TIP Conservation Officer of the year award winner.

Hamm has been a licensed peace officer for the State of Minnesota since October of 1980. She was stationed in northern Hennepin County for six years, in St. Paul as a Safety Training Coordinator for two years, in Anoka County for five years, and is currently working as a Wetlands Enforcement Officer in the metro area.

She has been an active member of TIP since its inception in 1981, serving on the board of directors as the banquet chairperson for two years. She has been involved with banquets, raising over $100,000 for TIP.

Hamm has seized every opportunity available to promote TIP including but not limited to: radio, television, newspapers, conferences and has given over 300 presentations to Firearm Safety classes, civic groups and classrooms.

The award was presented to Hamm at the General Sportshow on March 26 and will be presented again at officer training at Camp Ripley later this fall.

TIP is a private, non-profit organization that funds educational programs and provides rewards for information leading to the arrest of poachers. Since 1981, TIP has facilitated the arrest of over 4,900 poachers, and has distributed $253,000 in rewards. Anyone with information on Minnesota fish or wildlife violations should call 800-652-9093. You may remain anonymous, and be eligible for rewards up to $1,000. Approximately 70 percent of callers do not accept the rewards. Stopping the poacher is their reward.

DNR News

Fishing Violations

"Rats, my fishing license is at home." That line – the angling equivalent of "Don't worry...the check's in the mail – is tossed at conservation officers all of the time. Sometimes it's true, sometimes it isn't. Regardless, it's a problem for the angler.

"Failure to have a fishing license in possession is the number one angling violation in Minnesota," said Pat Watts of the Department of Natural Resources Division of Enforcement. "Officers write more tickets and warnings for this offense than any other."

Other top angling violations include fishing with extra lines, fishing without ever having bought a license, transporting fish illegally, and keeping an over-limit of fish.

Anglers who don't carry their license put themselves on a hook. The law says anglers must have a license in possession while fishing. However, conservation officers frequently allow anglers five days to produce the original license or a duplicate.

"Still, getting a copy of your license can be a hassle if you live in one part of the state and bought you fishing license in another," said Watts. "That's because copies are kept in the county in which the license was purchased."

Furthermore, fishing licenses are not computerized. This means conservation officers cannot contact a central location to determine if an angler has in fact purchased a license. "The simple solution is to just carry your license with you," said Watts. "Or, buy another. It's perfectly legal to purchase a second fishing license if you have lost or misplaced your first one. You can't do this with a hunting license, but you can do it with a fishing license."

Solutions to the other top fishing violations include:

■ Fish with one line. Only time you can fish with more than one line is during the ice fishing season.

■ Buy a license. A resident year-long license costs $12.50. Fishing without a license is about a $75 fine. Plus, you may lose your rod and reel and you will lose whatever fish you catch. Furthermore, the law requires monetary restitution for each fish you've illegally taken.

■ Freeze fish properly. When transporting fish, make sure they can be counted and identified by species. This means leaving a one-inch patch of skin on all fish other than bullhead, sunfish and crappie, which may be completely skinned. And it means freezing fish in 'see-through' bags or clear containers so that fish can be counted. Also, fish species with statewide length limits must be undressed (heads, tails, fins and skin intact) so they can be measured.

■ Stop at the limit. In Minnesota, the daily limit and the possession limit are the same. Fish in cold storage count toward a possession limit. Also, a person who stores fish for another must plainly mark the package in ink with a name, address, and fishing license number of the owners and the number of fish in the package.

Most over-limit violations, however, don't stem from confusion on fish limits. Instead, most violations are crimes of opportunity. When the fish are biting, some folks keep catching, catching and catching.

The DNR reminds anglers that any two convictions within three years, related to the taking of fish or a license violation, will result in the loss of fishing privileges for one year.

Dawn Peterson on Alexandria President's list

Dawn Peterson of Thief River Falls, was among students at Alexandria Technical College to be named to the school's President's list for spring quarter. To be named to the list, students much achieve at least a 3.5 grade point average. Peterson is studying fashion management.

TRF delegation

A delegation from Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls participated in the 33rd annual conference of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations (AFLC) June 14-18 at the Association Retreat Center in Osceola, WI.

Rev. Robert L. Lee was reelected president of the association for his second three-year term. Rev. Elden Nelson, who has resigned as director of AFLC home missions after 19 years to pastor a congregation in Willmar, was elected vice president. Rev. Bruce Dalager of Grand Forks, ND, was elected secretary.

During the past year the association received 12 new congregations from eight states.

Among the more than 700 delegates from the United States, Canada, Mexico and Brazil were the following from Our Saviour's in Thief River Falls: Rev. Del Palmer, Karen, Esther and Nathan; Rev. Wes Langaas, Youth Pastor Todd Petersun, Michelle, Brittany, Christopher and Ashley; Roger Peterson; Loiell, Mary and Maren Dyrud; Phil and Avis Dyrud; Larry and Carmen Gustafson; Glenn Espe; and Josh Engevik.

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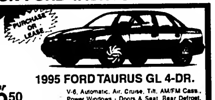

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Several theft reports filed with law enforcement

Law enforcement officials received several reports of thefts during the past week.

Thefts. On July 5 at 5:19 p.m., a local resident in the 100 block of Willow Road reported he was missing a three-wheeled trike from his home. Value of the trike is $200.

On July 6 at 2:00 p.m., a resident in the 200 block of North Cheshire reported that his 1985 Honda Aero Bennis had been stolen. It was valued at $7,000. A case metal officer contacted the law enforcement center after an accident was witnessed. The vehicle was considered a total loss in the accident. The incident is under investigation.

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Tornado sweeps through Kittson Co. and Hallock

Eight people were injured, a grandstand and a tent at the fairgrounds in Hallock destroyed, and more than 40 homes damaged, when a tornado swept through part of Kittson county Sunday evening.

Striking up in all during the Kittson County Fair, the number of injuries and amount of damage could have been much more severe. Kittson County Sheriff Hunt said eight people were injured. All injuries were minor. The most severe injury was a broken leg.

In Hallock, the tornado collapsed the roof of the grandstand at the fairgrounds. An estimated 1,000 people had gathered there to watch a demolition derby when it evacuated. Officials with Fire Department personnel ordered the grandstand to be collapsed or torn down.

Sheriff Hunt believes one tornado was responsible for most of the damage. He said it swept across part of Kittson county between Karlstad and Kennedy. The most severe damage occurred in and around Hallock.

There was fairly severe damage in parts of Hallock, he said. An estimated moderate to heavy damage in between 40 to 45 homes and some businesses in the south end of Hallock. Two farms also reported severe damage.

Sheriff Hunt said it didn't look like there was any severe damage in the Midway at the fairgrounds, but there was some severe damage to farm implement machinery and other buildings.

Sheriff Hunt said there was a power outage to a large area. Most places, except the south end of Hallock, had power Monday morning.

Sheriff Hunt didn't know how long the tornado was on the ground. He said it was on the ground for quite awhile as it went from the south end of town west into the cloudy area. Witnesses reported on it just south of the grandstand at the fairgrounds.

Heavy rain and some hail was reported in the area prior to the tornado, but no flooding occurred. As a result of the damage caused by the tornado, there were minor gas leaks from propane tanks, but no fires.

Hunt said they were in the process of cleanup and said "We've got a lot to do."

Two injured Sun. in accident near Angus

Two were injured when the car they were driving on Highway 75 north of Angus left the road, vaulted over an approaching hill and landed end over end twice.

Minnesota State patrol received a report of the accident at 9:51 a.m. July 9. According to the sheriff's report, the driver, Craig Allen Pahlen, 17, Red Lake Falls, fell asleep at the wheel while driving north on Highway 75. Pahlen, and his 15-year-old passenger, Matthew Byron Wilson, Red Lake Falls, were taken by ambulance to hospital and treated for their injuries and released.

The vehicle, a 1989 Chevrolet Beretta was considered a total loss. A state patrol dispatcher said charges are pending.

Reward offer for information on vandalism

A $1,000 reward is being offered to anyone supplying information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the damage to the anasaforme in North township on June 28. Damage to the transformer, that belonged to Minnkota Power Cooperative two miles north of Thief River Falls, has been estimated at over $10,000.

Anyone with information is asked to contact the Pennington County sheriff's department at (218) 681-6161 or in person at the Law Enforcement Center, 102 West First Street, Thief River Falls, MN.

Kaaping up on world happenings is a constant effort for Jack Scanlan, member of the Hans Lincoln high school graduating class and Ambassador to Yugoslavia from 1985 to 1989. His familiarity with that area of the world, its history and its people, makes him a keen observer—and sometimes critic—of American foreign policy there.

Four arrested while riding railroad boxcar

Four individuals were taken into custody and a fifth escaped when they were discovered by officers of the Soo Line train and searched a box car.

The four individuals, who were arrested Sunday on charges of trespassing and guilty knowledge of being on the charge and on being held for United States Marshal Service because it is believed they entered the country illegally.

A law enforcement center spokesperson said they received a call from the Red Lake county sheriff's department at 9:37 a.m. A citizen had reported seeing people in an open box car.

Thief River Falls police, along with assistance from a Minnesota Department of Natural Resources officer, stopped the train near the Nora Street intersection in Thief River Falls. At the time, one individual jumped off of the train and fled on foot. Officers, with guns drawn, found four individuals inside a box car.

The law enforcement center spokesperson said the individuals admitted to entering the country illegally and the border patrol was called to assist. The four individuals arrested and charged with trespassing were a 27-year-old man named Cynthia Rivera Gonzalez, with no address; 27-year-old Louis Yocupicio Bacasegui of Obregon, Sonora, Mexico; 39-year-old Jose Davis Flores of El Salvador; and a man who identified himself as 32-year-old David Tamir Member. It was later learned this Member, a Lao citizen, is actually Jorge Flores. Law enforcement officials believe that Flores was not wanted on any charges but had been convicted of first degree rape, robbery, sodomy, kidnapping, misdemeanor use of a motor vehicle and theft by extortion.

The four appeared in a Ninth District courtroom at the Pennington County Courthouse Monday and pled guilty to trespassing. They were sentenced to jail in Pennington county until the United States Border Patrol picked them up for transportation to Denver, which was expected to take place on Tuesday.

A police officer who worked on the case said the five individuals had met in St. Paul and thought they were getting on a train for Seattle. While they discovered that were heading north it was too late. The officer said the men had been on the train for more than 24 hours without food. Two knives were confiscated along with a small amount of marijuana.

Police Chief Ken Proschkiesar said he wanted to apologize to citizens who may have been caught waiting at the railroad crossings

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Several speeding violations listed in court reports

Speeding and other traffic violations were listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the week of June 30 through July 6.

Penalgicon county sheriff's department cases: Kathy Ann Clack, Park Rapids, 22, 71/55, $87.50; Melissa Mae Kappedal, Thief River Falls, 19, unsupervised by a minor, $77.50; Debra May Moyer, Bemidji, City, MI, 77, 65/55, $64.50; Palmer Conrad Paulson, Goodridge; 84, failure to yield, take driver's test, no fine; Daniel Frank Anderson, Thief River Falls, 19, unsupervised by a minor, no fine; Donna Rae Bowden, 31, was arrested for driving while unsacured.

Ranglaire. On July 7 at 11:30 a.m. police received a report of a burglary at the Dairy Queen. Entry was gained through a bathroom window. An estimate of loss at the Dairy Queen in Thief River Falls was placed at $1,100. Police believe the break-in happened after 11 p.m. on July 6 and was noticed early Friday morning. Damage loss is being determined. Police learned that a burglary had also happened at the Dairy Queen in Warren on July 6 in which noted about $1,000 in cash. Charges are pending.

Vandalism. On July 7 at 11:12 a.m. police received a report from the Bear Western—arrows had been trashed. Damage loss was estimated at $400.

Disorderly conduct. On July 8 at 3:43 a.m. police received a complaint of loud noise in Riverview Trailer court. Cited for disorderly conduct was Mark Allan Delaage, 31, Thief River Falls.

Accidents. On July 10 at 12:23 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Eighth and Main. Jackie Kay Langseth, Thief River Falls, was driving a car, facing west on Eighth, turned into oncoming south, when Travus James Lee Bessette, Brooks, a driver of a motorcycle east on Eighth Street, and the motorcycle collided. Bessette claimed a neck injury. Estimated damage was estimated at $700 to the Bessette motorcycle and $250 to the Langseth vehicle.

Jury returns verdict of guilty on 11 counts for Strandquist man

Eugene Kleinwachter, 51, Strandquist, was convicted by a jury in Warren Friday on 11 counts of criminal sexual conduct.

Kleinwachter was convicted of multiple offense crimes that include 11 counts of criminal sexual conduct — five counts of criminal sexual conduct in the first degree, and six counts of criminal sexual conduct in the second degree. He can acquitted of one count of criminal sexual conduct in the second degree.

Charges against Kleinwachter stem from incidents involving a juvenile female over a period of time between the Fall of 1989 and November of 1993. According to Mike Williams, Marshall County Attorney, DNA test results were used to determine that Kleinwachter was the father of the child born to the juvenile. Williams said this was the first time his office had used DNA testing in a lawsuit. The sentencing results were provided by the Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension.

Jury selection in this trial began on June 20, and with the exception of a couple of days, the trial was held every day until July 1. The jury reached its verdict at 8:30 p.m. Friday.

Ninth District Judge Dennis Hanson presided over the trial. Kleinwachter was placed into custody. Sentencing has been tentatively set for August 1.

Kleinwachter was represented in court by Al Larivee of Grand Forks, ND. Larivee could not be reached for comment.

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The Second Sect

Children among the crowd of people at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire last weekend wera invited up onto the stage for an impromptu performance with the Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers, a performing group from Winnipeg.

No changes to Minnesota's Wetland Conservation Act

Despite nearly universal agreement that Minnesota's Wetland Conservation Act (WCA) needs changes, the act will remain in its present form for at least another year after the legislature failed to approve a bill amending the act last session.

"Obviously, we're extremely disappointed," said Ron Harnack, executive director of the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR), the state agency responsible for administering the act. "We worked hard to get input from all the affected parties and thought we had a very good compromise. We feel that we had a very, very low-key approach while still protecting our resources," Harnack said.

Since it was approved in 1991, developers, local governments and others have complained that the WCA is too restrictive and burdensome. The law basically requires that anyone wishing to drain or fill wetlands must take steps to avoid wetland entirely or at least minimize the impact on the wetland. Wetland acres that is drained or filled must be replaced.

The compromise bill, which was supported by the BWSR and Governor Arne Carlson, failed because various special interest groups focused on narrow, specific issues, rather than looking at the significant improvements that the bill would have made, Harnack said. Some of these improvements included:

- giving local governments a great deal wider flexibility by allowing them to develop their own local controls and wetland management plans based on the public value of wetlands in their local jurisdiction;
- reducing the replacement ratio for wetlands lost for state road projects from 2:1 to 1:1 and providing for sole submittal requirements for road projects in counties with more than 80 per cent of their presettlement wetlands remaining;
- allowing for draining and filling of some additional agricultural wetlands without replacement;
- requiring the state to pay any additional costs resulting from a government that was successfully sued by someone claiming that the government had effectively "taken" his or her land;
- increasing the amount of wetland that could be drained or filled for a project before requiring replacement; and,
- streamlining the replacement plan process by eliminating some requirements and waiting periods added to a replacement plan could be approved.

Harnack, the compromise bill still provided a high degree of resource protection and maintained the original act's commitment to a goal of no net loss of the quantity, quality and biological diversity of the state's wetlands, Harnack said. The bill did not loosen strict provisions about draining or filling shoreland wetlands — considered key to preserving water quality, — and also added a requirement that landowners to restore previously drained wetlands not restored, mainly on lands.

The bill would have gone a long way toward addressing concerns that conflicts have been difficult to carry out in counties with a large

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Boyer's World War II reminiscing concluded

(Editor's Note: This is the last in a series of memories of World War II experiences written by Jack Boyer of Thief River Falls.)

by Jack Boyer

Eight of us were roused from bed one morning at four o'clock to fly a five. The snow was coming down so heavy that you could not see the nose of your plane. I refused to be a suicide pilot and was grounded for two weeks. The other seven pilots took off and three were lost on crashings. The refusal to obey orders was grounds for a court martial, but my past record and the loss of three men took all the pressure off.

I got myself a jeep and went to Strasbourg, France, and then to house in Lambsheim, Germany. I did not know where I was, but loaded up the jeep with skis and German Mauser rifles, started back and came upon a couple of military police. They stopped me and wanted to know where I had been. I told them and they informed me I had been two miles behind the lines.

They also confiscated everything I had except they let me keep a rifle. I sent the rifle home to my father-in-law (he was a hunter and a solid German). I learned that he had got any part of the rifle, because I sent it home in parts.

I believe the reason for my being grounded was to extend my stay overseas. If you had 200 hours of combat flying or 100 missions in a fighter you could request to be sent home for a rest. If the war was still on, you could be sent to another theater or you could request to be sent back to your old unit. I was fortunate. The war was about over when I had my 200 hours of combat flying from Europe who had not completed their tour in Asia.

I guess I learned some things in life one day a new recruit came into our unit. I took one look at him and immediately recognized him as my friend in the 5.D.M. in Minneapolis back in the States. (I abbor being called or referred to as a kid. He was assigned to fly with me on his first mission. I proceeded to make his first mission miserable. I put him on the tail and raised hell every time he got lost. We came home and he headed for combat and requested a transfer. He was sent to the next morning. I am sure he learned a lesson that he will not forget.

I recall when I was back Stateside during the final stages of my training. We were flying AT6s. My instructor would get into the back seat of my plane and never put his chute on. I thought it was right because he was going to be stuck with the others. I asked them.

One day we were up on a gunnery mission. I made one pass at the target and fired only 10 rounds when the guns jammed. When they counted the hole in target I had one out of the 10 rounds in the target. They used it was unheard of; no one had done that before.

Afterwards I was asked which theater I wanted to join. I requested Europe. I had trouble with that because the islands in Asia. Servicemen usually went with the people. The North Sea was so rough that I can not remember anyone had being sick all the way over.

You would go to bed at night and feel good in the morning. Six days out of the sea I ate eggs and two cups of coffee for breakfast. One

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A famala vocalist for the Harmony Swings of Drabro, Swedan, performs a number from traditional music-and-dance-festival known in Swedish at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire. The festival was held in Island Park.

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Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with her grandmother Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Wednesday Tony Rubischko was a visitor at the Dale Anderson home.

Leonard Johnson was a visitor at the Dale Anderson home on Monday morning also Leslie Iverson was a visitor at the Anderson home.

Friday night Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes and Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Hyland were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Joal Fiedler and Brady and Elva Fiedler went to Thief River Falls on Sunday night to watch the fire works.

Monday afternoon Gilmar Manderud was a caller at the Larry Kotrba home.

Visitors and supper guests on Monday evening at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson.

Late in the afternoon on Thursday Ronnie Kotrba and Dustin were callers at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited with her granddaughters Michelle and Monica at the Jean Johnson home on Friday night.

Elva Fiedler attended the reception for Francine and Nathan Ledberg held at the Armory in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Friday night Don Moen and Beverly Emmenson were visitors and coffee guests at the Gene Marquis home.

Elva Fiedler, Robert and Adeline Pamow and Wally and Edith Eller had supper in Roseau at the Guest House restaurant. Then after supper Elva, Robert and Adaline and Wally and Edith attended the play Ann of Green Gables in Warroad.

Wednesday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests at the Gilmer Manderud home.

Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Joanna Johnson enjoyed supper at the Pizza Hut in Thief River Falls on Sunday evening. The Johnson's also attended the fireworks in Thief River Falls that night.

Dinner guests on Monday at the Shirley Johnsrud home were Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa and Aaron Chervestad of rural Oklee.

Friday night June Johnson was a visitor at the Gene Marquis home.

Saturday visitors and coffee guests at the Gilmer Manderud home were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Manderud of Fergus Falls.

Ronnie Kotrba, Travis and Dustin were brief callers at the Larry Kotrba home on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Solberg, Holly, Katie, Nicholas and Joseph of Anoka came on Friday to spend a couple of days visiting at the Bruce Solberg home.

Jean Johnson and Jessica were overnight guests at the Merle Naeseth home on Saturday.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week were David Rosnow of Gully and Stinar Aakre of Grygla at the Henford Roisland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland went to East Grand Forks to visit at the Tom Kuesta home. They also visited with Harriet Thorpe of Vancouver, WA, a house guest at the Tom Kuesta home. Ernest Roisland was also a visitor at the Tom Kuesta home that same day. Then later Harriet Thorpe took Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kuesta and Ernest Roisland to supper at the Royal Fork in Grand Forks.

Michelle and Monica Johnson visited with their grandmother Mayme Johnson on Monday night.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Michelle and Monica Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls. Then later the Johnson's enjoyed dinner at the Petro Pumper in Thief River Falls.

Visitors and lunch guests on Sunday at the Lorraine Waine home were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Waine, Jackie, David and Brittany of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson of Trail and Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Johnson of rural Grygla.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Kabe and Christine were visitors and lunch guests at the Clarence Johnson home.

Monday night a birthday party was held at the Howard Hanson home for Dean with a supper served in his honor. His guests were his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson and his grandmother Lorraine Waine also Mr. and Mrs. Kent Olson of Wannaska along with Dean's parents, Howard and Linda and brother Luane. Dean also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Dean!

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and lunch guest at the Jean Johnson home on the 4th of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth, Jason and Missy Hamm spent the 4th of July weekend visiting with their daughter, JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Wellman and Zachary at their lake home near Motley.

Friday Obert Hovet visited with his brother, Arnold Hovet in Thief River Falls.

Rose Myre and Mrs. Tim Radniecki of Oklee were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday afternoon at the Vernon Iverson home.

Friday night visitors and supper guests at the Shirley Johnsrud home were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa.

Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica were visitors and lunch guests during the week at the Clarence Johnson home.

Sunday afternoon, Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gilmer Manderud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests on Wednesday evening at the Alfred Iverson home.

Wednesday Mrs. Tim Lundeen was a visitor at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Visitors during the week at the Clara Paterson home were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest on Wednesday at the Jean Johnson home.

Helen Messerschmidt of International Falls and her son, Dennis Messerschmidt of St. Paul were visitors and dinner guests on Thursday at the Clarence Johnson home.

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Worship Services – Bethany: Sundays at 11 a.m.

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Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

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No changes to Minnesota's Wetlands Act

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percentage of their wetlands remaining, Harnack said.

Despite the controversy surrounding the Wetland Conservation Act, it has been successfully moving Minnesota toward its goal of preserving wetlands. Data gathered from local governments throughout the state indicates that more than 5,000 acres of wetlands were preserved, created or restored throughout Minnesota last year because of the act. In addition, the Permanent Wetlands Preserve Program, a separate program created in the act, has preserved about 11,225 acres of wetland since the act was passed.

Harnack stressed that amendments to the Wetland Conservation Act are still a priority. BWSR will work to bring together interested parties, including conservation groups, the League of Minnesota Cities, developers, property interests, the Association of Minnesota Counties, agricultural groups, and others, to address the few issues that contributed to the failure to amend the act this year. Harnack said he hopes to have compromise legislation worked out for early introduction and passage in the regular 1996 legislative session or in a special session, if one is called.

Dan Drevlow of Thief River Falls celebrated 25 years as a State Farm Insurance agent in June. Drevlow Insurance is a full-service insurance agency, providing auto, health, life, annuities, fire, and commercial insurance. Working with Drevlow for 14 years as a licensed agent is Eunice Kimble. The agency is located at 202 North Main in Thief River Falls, and is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The telephone number is 681-6579.

Boyer's WWII reminiscing concludes

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morning they came and one of the pilots happened to say, "Look at the yolks—they are wiggling." Everyone except me headed for the railing outside.

The sea was so rough that a serviceman washed overboard and nothing was done to rescue him. After 15 days on the ocean the Boston harbor was a very welcome sight.

I do remember that half-way across the ocean the report came that President Roosevelt had died. By the way, another redhead from Chicago took over my airplane when I left and he was killed on his first mission.

This is not a complete story, but some of the things that stand out in my mind after 50 years.

Janese Buzzell, owner of Health Food Specialities, which is located on Main Avenue in downtown Thief River Falls, recently opened Deli Cafe, which is located inside Health Food Specialities. The cafe sells espresso, cappuccino, coffee, muffins, cookies, teas, sandwiches, soups, salads and Italian sodas. The store is open from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and until 9 p.m. on Thursdays. There are five employees at the store. Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors Dave Onkke and Michelle Benton, recently presented Janese with a First Dollar award.

Free testing identifies Oak Wilt, Dutch Elm

This summer, the Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA) will again accept samples from homeowners wondering if trees on their property might be infected with oak wilt or Dutch elm disease.

Each year, the MDA receives approximately 300 tree samples from inspectors and concerned citizens who request tests for Dutch elm disease and oak wilt. About half the samples received by MDA test positive for one of these two diseases.

"This free analysis," said MDA Commissioner Elton R. Redalen, "is part of an ongoing detection and removal program aimed at maintaining Minnesota's valuable shade trees."

MDA Oak Wilt Program Coordinator Dan Gillman said oak wilt and Dutch elm disease kill thousands of trees in Minnesota each year. Accurate identification and prompt response to the situation are the best ways to take action and save neighboring healthy trees.

Complying with the following guidelines will better insure accurate results from the tests. Collect samples from currently willing branches. Cut samples into four or five sections one-half to one inch in diameter and six to 10 inches long. MDA Plant Health Specialist Milton Marinos said it takes about 10 days to test and analyze elm samples and up to three weeks for oak. If you have questions about lab testing call: (612) 296-5152.

Mail samples in only on Monday or Tuesday. If you must wait to mail samples, refrigerate them in a plastic bag with no added moisture until the following Monday. If samples are submitted for more than one tree, a separately identified and wrapped sample should be provided for each tree.

Enclose the samples in plastic and send in a sturdy envelope to: Laboratory Services Division, Shade Tree Diagnostics Laboratory, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, 90 West Plato Boulevard, St. Paul, MN 55107.

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Pearl Lenlel
698-4470

Mrs. Sharon Lenlel and Brian of Denver, CO, were Tuesday dinner and afternoon guests of Mrs. Pearl Lenlel.

Dan and Yvonne Kush of Aurora were weekend and 4th of July guests of her mother, Mrs. Nora Delage, Don and Yvonne, Harvey and Rose Delage of Thief River Falls left for the holiday this week touring Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Champagne of North Carolina and his sister Lowella (Mrs. Champagne) of Las Vegas visited their dad Wallace Champagne last week.

Last weekend guests of Mrs. Dorothy Myhra were Darrell and Audrey Carpenter of Aurora.

On Wednesday, Renie Grove of Mentor, Elaine Hyland, Vicki Grove, Denny Benoit, Greg Hince and a friend all of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolstad and Luke of Fosston, Tom and Maya Miller of Thief River Falls visited with their mother Mrs. Mayme Barborich on Sunday afternoon.

Tim Grove and sister Kristie of Thief River Falls, Darren Grove of Oklee, Russell Hince, Evangeline Grove and Mrs. Mable Sabourin visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday.

Wednesday guest of Mrs. Pearl Lenlel were Mrs. Joann Delage, Mamie Riendeau, Myrtle Hamrum, Dorothy Myhre and Martha Gagner.

R. W. and Marla Dougherty and Cheryll Dougherty of Lakota, ND were Thursday guests of Roy and Ann Copp.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hince of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Doris Lajambe of Oklee and Shawn Hince visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Mrs. Joann Delage and Darcie visited her daughter, Wayne and Robin Korbs in Grand Forks on Tuesday and little Alyssa returned home with her grandma for a visit.

Paul and Gail Beach and family of Breckenridge and a friend, Annya of Russia, Mike and Cathy DeMars and family of Red Lake Falls and Mrs. Nancy Jones were Sunday and Monday guest of Del and Cindy Daterman.

On Saturday, guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Irene Hince and Mrs. LeRoy Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zacharay of Oklee, Mrs. Delores Burthwick of Red Lake Falls, Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Russell and Cheryl Hince and granddaughters.

Mrs. Joann Delage helped Mrs. Ann Copp celebrate her birthday on Friday.

Mrs. Diane Westlake of Moorhead, visited with her mother Mrs. Nora Delage and Ruby Westlake over the weekend.

Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove spent Sunday with Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Tuesday guests of Roy and Ann Copp were Jeff and Anita Copp and family of Grand Forks Airforce Base. Sandy and Ben who was enjoying their summer holiday returned home with them.

Rhonda and Kirby Paradis of Warroad were Friday overnight guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Joann Delage.

Monday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Ricky Grove, Rachel Carlson and Shawn Hince.

Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum was 4th of July guests of her son, Lowell and Margaret Hamrum.

The Lloyd Marcil family celebrated the 4th of July one day early. On Tuesday, with all the family being home, Lorne and Mike Wick's and Charity of Oklee, Lynae and Sid Finseth, Travis and Jerrod, including little Jordan of McIntosh, Lynette and Gary Grove, Aric and Adam of Hawley, Loring Marcil of Colorado Springs, CO. Loring was home also for his ten year class reunion in Oklee, Lori of Chicago, IL; Deni and Bill Paradis of Oklee, Kylie Vesledahl, Aaron Chaput and a very special guest from Homburg, Germany; Tria Pankoke a beautiful day was enjoyed by all at the Marcil home.

Mrs. Lillian Hince accompanied, George and Rita Burthwick and Tracy of Oklee to Red Lake Falls where they visited Mrs. Delores Burthwick a resident of Hillcrest Nursing Home on Tuesday.

Fred and Tammy Paradis of Warroad were weekend guests of his parents, Mark and Dana Paradis of Terrebonne and also attended Tammy's class reunion in Plummer.

On Wednesday, Sheldon and Shirlay Delage of Erskine visited his mother, Mrs. Nora Delage.

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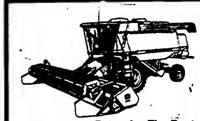

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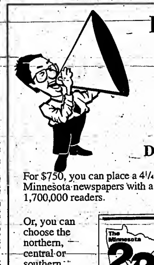

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Gully News

Florence Berg
368-4238

Polk County Nursing Service will be at the Gully Community Center July 11 from 1 to 3 p.m. Health Promotion Activities and exam on July 25 from 10 to 2 p.m. The calendar for the nursing service is posted at the Gully Hall.

Betty Berg of Grand Forks spent the weekend at her parents home Ernest Berge. Other visitors were Peter and Ingeborg Sundal who came down from the Minneapolis area for the celebration for Donnie's celebration.

Floyd and Florence Berg got a call from Mrs. Bud Vandeveerdt of Board man, OR that Bud passed away the morning of June 28 at a hospital out there. She is the former Manda Ringstad, my sister. They lived at Bagley and Fertile.

Bud's brother Jim lives in Georgia. He was spending a few days (over the 4th of July) with her parents the Floyd Bergs. Her son, Shawn Vigoren and wife Lori, daughter Brittany from Rainier, OR came to see Floyd and I also spending some time at the Ole Vigorens over by Fosston.

Saturday, July 1st Mark Pat Vigoren, Mark Rainier, OR stopped over and had coffee with Floyd and I (Florence Berg).

Shawn and family spent a couple days with his uncle Dick and Shirley Berg at Montevideo.

While at uncle Dicks Shawn had the chance to ride with Dick on duty as a deputy sheriff on Saturday night. Shawn is a sergeant. "An experience he never forgot."

Hans and Ingeborg Sundal from California visited at the Arnold Strand home on Friday. They together with Arnold and Selma visited Carol Lee and Lotta Torgerson at the cabin at Cramerlake Lake. While Hans and Ingeborg were here in Minnesota Norway they lived in an apartment above the Ace Hardware Store in Gully. He served as bookkeeper at the Gully Elevator for Edwin Christianson. They later moved to California and have had the Burton Travel Agency at Walnut Creek, CA. They also worked for Hans at the Everyn Hansen home. Friday afternoon at Carol Lee's on Saturday they visited friends and relatives in Bagley and Fertile and attended the Midsummer Celebration before return Minneapolis.

Hans and Ingeborg son of Jonas and Linda Melander graduated with honors from Western Harmon High school in North Carolina. He was awarded a scholarship to West Point Academy and was admitted June 29. West Point admits only about 1,200 cadets nationwide. Congratulations!

Dale Hallstrom of Minneapolis spent Friday to Monday visiting with the family.

Mrs. Frank Dekkenna left Saturday for her home in Bridgeport, WV after spending a week at Effie Hong.

Rae Ann Murty and Marion Handy were Wednesday evening visitors of Effie, Marion and Joann took Effie to Bagley on Thursday afternoon.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Ruth Hoyme who passed away at the Montevideo Nursing Home. Funeral services were held on Saturday at 11:00 by Pastor Bob Gilbert. Burial services Pastor's family gathered at the Home and Orlando Higgins home.

Highlanding . . .

Olive Wakefie, Margaret Swanson, and Colette Sannes drove to Virginia, and where they attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson.

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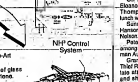

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Vocal duet by Philip Hoks and Mielah Johnson was one of the talent presentations Thursday afternoon at the Thief River Falls Public Library. A good crowd of children and their parents or day care providers was in attendance at the program.

For Trade Ers Encompment at the All Nations Cultural Festival included some hands-on learning and entertainment, including how to throw an axe at a stump as this youngster demonstrates.

While Amande Nelson and her brother David coax a kitten to make its way through a hoop, some of the volunteers attending the children's talent program at the Thief River Falls Public Library enjoyed petting. The entertainment programs are being held each Thursday afternoon throughout much of the summer.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Last Thursday the 22nd, Robbin Mathison of Alvarado came and spent the day helping her mom. We had a very nice day. She also brought along some goodies which is always nice to get.

Saturday afternoon, Dave Hoover, Jim Hoover and Jim Hoover spent the afternoon and enjoyed dinner with him mom Clara Hoover.

Theresa Rasmussen visited over coffee and lunch with Frances Gorsswell on June 16th.

Saturday, Carol Hass and Vanice Larson were among many to attend the Pearl Finger Auction Sale.

Merle and Beulah Bjornson visited with Nora, Olga and Edgar Rokke on Monday afternoon.

On Saturday afternoon, Bonnie Wagner and her mother, Olga Thorenson were in Crookston where Bonnie was Quilting Bee Camp by Lake Bemidji. There was a very good attendance and the Town stories provided the music lesson. Seminar is a great place and travel to the many in attendance.

Monday afternoon, Patty Paterson visited with Ella Hanson and Nora.

Monday, Pearl and Harriet Kubek visited at the Ray and Laurie Rappe home.

Linda Johnson and Carole visited at the Milton Erickson home on Wednesday.

Chuck and Sherry Olson visited with Lil Olson on Monday evening.

Friday afternoon, Bob Wedul and family dinner with Arnold and Vanice Larson were Sybil Cheklin, Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Don Larson and Cotol Nass. Sybil and Sue helped their mom with canning peaches.

Last Sunday, Merle and Beulah Bjornson were in Bemidji for the Lake Bemidji Northern Center. They had a program there at 2 o'clock as the pastor who was to have a program wasn't there. After that they took Idella Hanson out for a farm visit.

On Monday afternoon, Don and Vanice Larson visited at the home of Ed Thompson and enjoyed coffee and lunch with her.

Sunday dinner guests at the Chris Hanson home were Floyd and Adeline Nelson.

Peter and Frances Gorsswell were among many attending the Pearl Finger Auction Sale on Saturday.

Saturday, Gull Thompson went into Thief River Falls on Thursday the 22nd late afternoon and got Amber Wilson and she will stay and help Grandma Ellen go to a wedding in Bemidji. Amber is much when helping her Grandma.

On Saturday afternoon visitors at the Nelson Hanson home were Shelly Stalper and Kelley and Jennifer.

Sunday afternoon Lillie Olson visited via Florence Berg.

Saturday evening, Arnold and Vanice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with LeVoi Thun.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vegle
436-2133

Another Northwestern Minnesota tag day would be here to stay. A little after 5:00 o'clock this morning I thought to rain, and too hard but sort of dozedy, just like the farmers like it to come down. It certainly picked up the lawns and gardens. Some people said that it had rained the mother robin living in a set on another batch of eggs, and noisy when? Right where she had it before. Will she have a surprise when the chickadee nests were? Mine are more beetles this year. She should have moved out in the swamp, disturbing the chickadees. I'm coming on, and I'm not moving out of my place. I change housing, they are much like some humans that I know.

The Strandquist Indian got the word this weekend that the lady who wrote that urge had finished weaving them and they can hardly wait until Thursday to get them and to see the lady who is so talented in doing Native Indian Crafts. Have already found and gotten permission to set up shop in the same place in town to have their wares displayed,—the patio—outdoor—at the Wilson's telephone office. They have rugs, crocheted dollies, baby-sitting quilts, pillows, etc. for sale. Well, it is a long time between Thursday and Friday, June 23th to wait for a day's work back. Stella was to unbelieve her eyes when I had them and left or photo. She can expand good time.

The Seniors met last Thursday with 13 members and 3 guests, Marian Hoyme, Ruth Hoyme and Ruth Hoyme Rust, the hostess prepared a delicious lunch that was really enjoyed. After a short business meeting they played "Bingo" and Marian Pederson was the fabulous game. Jim Hoyme brought won the door prize. He also brought the birthday cake and we were "Happy Birthday".

Shakiera McKinney, daughter of Donna Kasprowicz of Strandquist was the lucky winner of a bicycle at the Hamilton Race Track in Hamilton, MO on Sunday.

Winchester Anderson was one of Marshall County's 4-H delegates to the Leadership Conference held at the 4-H building in St. Paul on June 12 - 16.

It's a great time to be in Northwest Minnesota these holidays. Everyone claim to be in a real holiday mood. There is a lot of entertaining, eating and drinking. Some people have to have a special drink using Mountain Dew, hopefully has subsided all into this more civil community. The weather cooperated making each day a pleasure to be remembered.

Jenny Anderson and Nicole Strom were at the Pine Cone Bluffs Beer Patio program on Saturday night.

Glenn Rasmussen of Walker and Lawrence Rasmussen of Cottage Grove with Peter and Pearl Thompson on Sunday afternoon.

Arnold Meen of Cedar was a weekend guest at the Jerry Thompson's.

The Strandquist seniors that had Thursday afternoon dinner present to Ruth Hoyme Rust a birthday cake and they had everything ready to go together with the Bethesda Lutheran church serving some of the most delicious food of all time. Big steaks, baked potatoes, There were lots of rings, dolly and crafts that were for sale and they had lots left over. There was one lady that sold hot dogs and bratwurst. Also contributed cake made in Kenya. Person who had the misfortune of breaking his neck when just a very young boy.

Vance and Adrienne Lofgreen returned on Saturday from a 2000 mile trip to North Dakota to see the Peace Gardens through South Dakota to see the Black Hills and then to the Twin Cities to see the Twins and visit friends and family. They took in a musical in Minden, the Disney Horse Monument and Mt. Rushmore. The nights were very cool, 45 degrees one night. They had a great time.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Klaskin's on Sunday were Wayne and Lillian Johnson, Kathy and Rebecca, Lowell and Ruth Johnson, Harlowe and Ted Johnson of St. Hilaire.

Wally and Phyllis Larson and Lavel Thun were Tuesday evening visitors at Roger and Carol Hoimstrom's.

Polly Stevenson of Los Angeles and Florence Stevin of Titusville, FL arrived at the Ole Stevin home on Friday, June 23th to spend a few days visiting.

Recently workers installed Gloria or Potterwell Power Thompson's new Gary Vegle of Delaware, Lafayette, Bethesda Church Chicago, Roy and Myrtle Vegle, Irene and Betty Thompson, Ruth Hoyme Rust, Walter Thompson and Johnny Johnson.

Kristopher and Kenrick Anderson went with Suzy Chelian of Montana to the car show in Greenbush on Sunday and then were supper guests at Morris and Hazel Anderson's.

Ruth Hoyme Rust and wife Carlotta hosted a 50th wedding anniversary for Otto and Dora Sanz at their home on Sunday.

Claudia Benzmer, Jessie and Kelli visited Frank and Judy Klaskin on Thursday evening and enjoyed some of Kirsten's birthday cake and ice cream. Ellen Stromberg had coffee with them.

Arnold and Vanice Larson were Saturday evening visitors at LeVoi Thun's.

Pearl Thompson and Dora Lofgreen attended the funeral in the Hi-County school Sunday evening. Later Polly Stevenson, Florence Stevin, Irene and Betty Thompson, who also had been visiting Thompson, stopped to visit Pearl Lofgreen.

Carlotta Larson, Stacy, came to attend the school reunion in Kennedy. He is a housequest of his sister, LeVoi Thun.

Saturday, Raymond and Emptrie Rustad and Lil Lauer visited with Ruth Rust and Lauer visited with Frank and Judy Klaskin's children. Other guests there this week have been Brian Nelson, Jon and Matthew and Jon and Jacob.

In a quiet meditative moment a passer-by could hear the sound of a bumble, angels or appetizers. It is the sound change if he could. George Hewerth, "I buy more honey."

Dancers with L'Ensemble Folklorique De La Riviere-Rouge from Winnipeg demonstrated some traditional dances for visitors at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire.

Harmony Swings, a musical performing group from Orebro, Sweden, performed a number of tunes in Swedish at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire last weekend.

Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers invited the crowd and several children to sing and dance with them. This youngster learns some of the actions that go with a song. The Irish Tavern Singers and Dancers were among the groups performing at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire last weekend.

Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Thursday evening, LeVoi Thun visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vanice Larson.

Sunday afternoon, Gladys Brownberg visited with Hanna Moen; other visitors were Richard and Pearl Finger.

Tuesday, July 4th, Roy and Laurie Rappe, Frank and Harriet Kubek, Lester and Carolyn Larson went to Bondolfo to attend the celebration there. They also visited with Gladys Erickson at her farm.

Merle Holmstrom visited with Aaron and Blanche Wormsen on Friday.

Saturday afternoon visitors at the Lilie Olson home were Brad and Bette Olson and Corey Olson from Minneapolis.

Lucille Sandeen visited with Jeanette Magner on Thursday afternoon at the Northwest Medical Center.

Monday, Dora Hanson visited and enjoyed dinner with his mom Clara Hanson had a very enjoyable afternoon.

Milton and Beverly Erickson, Jason Erickson and Shelley Stadler attended the parade in Greenbush on the 4th of July.

Friday, Vanice Larson accompanied Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan to Bemidji.

Visitors at the Hanna Moen home on the 4th of July were Nathan and Nikki Robison, Sandy and Gloria Moen, Barb Moen of Thief River Falls, Gerald and Dana Nelson.

Saturday, Aaron and Blanche Wormsen were in Fargo to attend the wedding of Jeff and Kim Wormsen. Other guests were Lies on Sunday they attended the birthday party for Tracy for his 5th birthday. Cindy and Jake Wolsworth and Chris were also there.

Tuesday, July 4th, overall guests at the Lyle and Becky Olson home were Harley and Lil Erickson of Seattle, WA and Verna Erickson of Georgia and Lil's sister.

Thursday, Carol Hass and Vanice Larson went to Warren where Carol had some business to attend.

Tuesday visitors and coffee guests at the Clara Hanson home were Pearl Boe, Irene Holmstrom, James and Ruth Hanson and Dora Hanson.

Mrs. Jerry Gilbert visited with Seventy Eleven on Wednesday afternoon.

Sunday evening, Bud and Betty Moen visited with Lilie Olson.

Saturday evening, Arnold and Vanice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Roy and Carol Rappe and Laurie Rappe and Kayla Nass, who are spending a week with Roy and Carol Rappe.

Thursday, Clara Hanson visited and enjoyed coffee with Lil Erickson at Thief River Falls.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited with Jason Schjerveny and Matt at Crookston on Friday forenoon.

Little Oak News

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
379-4367

A large number of friends and relatives attended the wedding of David Rindahl and Darlene Chaine at the Ebenezer Church in Crookston on July 1st. Congratulations David and Darlene.

Company at the Arnold Haugen home on Sunday were Orin and JoAnne Haugen, Shannon Johnson and grandchildren, Ryan, Kyle and Ethan and Bud and Linda Helms.

On Monday, July 3rd, a family reunion was held at the Olive Barnes home on Sally. Those that attended it was Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Nelson from Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nelson from Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sverdrup and family of Minneapolis, Esther Orlando of Minneapolis, Dorothy Nelson of Minneapolis, Ruth Nelson Fogelson, Harold Emanson of Duluth, Sharron Johnson of Goodridge, Carl Sundal, Judith Kuhl all of Thief River Falls and Ida Haugen of Trail and Olive Barnes. A potluck dinner was served and the afternoon was spent visiting and taking pictures and we all enjoyed a nice day.

Helen Cox and Julie Ruggland and children called at the Orville Christianson home on Friday afternoon.

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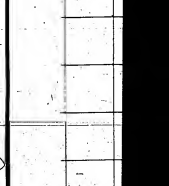

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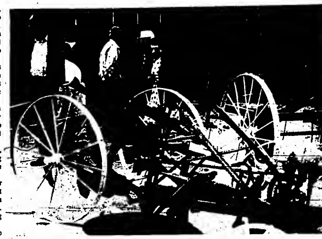

Wet weather didn't stop people from visiting Peder Engelsted Pioneer Village on the Fourth of July. Many people spent quite a bit of time reminiscing about some of the restored farm equipment and antiques found in the new building at the village. An old time dance was also held in the building. All of the other buildings in the village were open, and if so inclined to brave the wet weather, costumed tour guides provided tours of the village.

Legislature Didn't Excuse Itself From Bureaucracy Slashing

GUEST EDITORIAL
by Sen. Roger Moe, Erskine

It's politically popular to slash government budgets and bureaucracy, but it would be an empty gesture if no self-examination was involved. This year, the Minnesota Legislature deeply slashed the vast majority of state government budgets in order to invest more heavily in public schools and higher education.

Lawmakers also decided to take a close look in the mirror and found places to cut in the Legislature.

My proposal to review budgets and abolish the staffs of up to 15 legislative commissions became law. As a result, those commissions will go out of existence on July 1, 1996, unless continued by the Legislative Coordinating Commission. That is not likely to happen since their budgets have already been reduced.

At a time when every public dollar spent must be scrutinized closely, legislators have to call into question the need for a large network of commissions. Many of these commissions were created when particular needs arose that weren't easily resolved by the regular legislative process at that time.

It isn't easy. I have been a strong supporter of the work done by many of these commissions. For instance, the Legislative Commission on the Economic Status of Women has done a great deal to enlighten lawmakers and influence a wide range of legislation over the years.

The quality and success of the commission's work is not at issue, though. The bottom line is....can the work be done successfully at a lower cost to the Minnesota taxpayer?

In addition to the commissions, both the Senate and House have a network of standing committees that deal with public policies and budgets. Under the Governor's control, dozens of state departments, agencies and boards also conduct business.

Can the standing committees of the Legislature and the various state agencies involved handle the work of most of these commissions at a lower public cost?

In many cases, I believe the answer is "yes."

The Legislature is dedicated to providing state services as cost-effectively as possible. By putting our own house in order, I believe legislators are sending a strong message to the rest of the state bureaucracy and local units of government that we are serious about lowering costs to Minnesota taxpayers.

Value Of Education Continues To Grow

Back in 1979, a male college graduate on average earned 49 per cent more than a male high school graduate. There are exceptions to that generalization, of course, but the statistics are true as a rule. By 1992, just over a dozen year's later, the income gap between college and high school education workers had increased to 83 per cent. A similar pattern of disparity holds for female workers.

College attendance is expensive, both in out-of-pocket costs and working wages lost while attending school. So what is the actual value of getting a college education over just finding a job after high school?

According to the U. S. Census Bureau, people with high school educations can expect to earn $821,000 in an average working lifetime. People with bachelor's degrees can expect to earn up to $1,421,000. That's $600,000 additional average income for a four-year investment to college.

Someone with a professional degree, such as a medical doctor or attorney, can expect to earn an average of $3,013,000 in a lifetime. That is more than double the earnings of the average graduate of a four-year college.

Men with community college degrees earn 26 per cent more on average than men with only high school diplomas, and women with community college degrees earn 33 per cent more than high school grads.

Costs of higher education are rising rapidly, but if you hope to be able to compete for living wage jobs a college education is something a person has to have.

In 1981-82 the average annual costs for tuition, fees, room and board and supplies at public four-year institutions averaged $1,789. In 1993-94 that average had rocketed to $7,316. For private four-year colleges the average during that time went from $6,166 to $16,872.

It doesn't take a mathematical genius to figure that a $29,000 investment in a four-year college education that pays off in an increase of $600,000 over a lifetime of employment is a pretty good deal.

We're Not Done With Events Yet! Give The County Fair A Try

Actually, all the activity crammed into a few weeks of this summer is really a physical and psychiatric challenge. Psychologists, sociologists and medical researchers want to find out how much entertainment the average person can accept before becoming exhausted or going completely bonkers.

Those who haven't freaked out on An American Festival and the All Nations Cultural Festival will be severely tested at the 94th annual Pennington County fair. There will be so much fun and entertainment at this five-day event that even the researchers should enjoy themselves.

So if you have a little bit of sanity and strength left, you might challenge the county fair. It opens Wednesday, July 12, and runs through Sunday, July 16. See if you can beat the odds.

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

Letters To The Editor: The Times encourages written responses to editorial comment or letters with original thoughts or ideas of general interest. Letters should be intended for publication in The Times exclusively; letters sent to multiple publications will generally not be accepted. Right is reserved to edit letters for length and clarity and to reject letters deemed to be promotional in nature or in poor taste.

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Elva Fiedler called and visited by phone with her mother Clara Hudson of Sleepy Eye. Clara Hudson is home now after spending some time at the hospital in Sleepy Eye and doing just fine.

Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Vomar Arveson were visitors and coffee guests at the Gilmor Mandorud home.

Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest on Friday forenoon at the Norman Krial home.

Monday, Joan Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Merle Naeseth home.

Thursday evening, Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill of Oklee were visitors and supper guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Larry Weber and Steven were visitors on Sunday afternoon at the Tim Lundeen home.

Thursday Gilmor Mandorud was a visitor and coffee guest at the Palmer Lovly home.

Tuesday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sjulestad of Phoenix were visitors and coffee guests at the Gilmor Mandorud home.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Amie and Melinda were brief callers on Saturday at the Vance Wiseth home.

Monday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Steve Olson of Grygla were coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet visited at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls with Jesse and Theodora Anderson.

Sunday morning, Delbert Sherry of Warren was a visitor and coffee guest at the Larry Kotrba home.

Harvey Mugaas of Oatzko was a visitor and supper guest on Sunday evening at the Merle Naeseth home.

Joanna Johnson visited with Jessica at the Jean Johnson home on Tuesday night.

Monday, Alissa Lundeen was an overnight guest at the Kory Chervested home of rural Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests on Wednesday afternoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Jessica Johnson went with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hawk, Jesse and Jenny to Thief River Falls on Saturday to attend the parade.

Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Virginia Tripp was a visitor at the Bernice Knutson home on Saturday.

Howard Nelson was a Sunday evening visitor at the Ethel Nelson home.

Mike and Lisa Parent from Otsego were weekend guests at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home. They also attended Lisa's 10 year class reunion at Lincoln High School.

Moe Reunion

The semi-annual Moe reunion was attended by about 125 relatives on July 1 and 2. It began with the Golden Wedding celebration for Kenneth and Beatrice Boyum on Saturday afternoon at the Bethel Lutheran church in Greenbush. This was followed by a snack supper, business meeting, choir rehearsal and more visiting at the Community Center in Holt. "Your Faithfulness Continues through all Generations" was the theme of the Sunday morning worship service held at the Satersdal church. Ronald Moe of Dalton led the service. The sermon was given by Rev. Dale Moe of Oralton, ND. The scriptures were read by Eleanor Collins of Duluth, Gary Moe of Plymouth, Merle Klask of Cleveland, WA; Glen Larson of Round Lake, IL; Craig Larson of Crookston and Don Norum of Bemidji. Carolyn Anderson of Stillwater was the organist, leading the hymn singing and accompaniment for the Moe family choir directed by Karen Dalager of Grand Forks. Other musical numbers were a duet by Arlette and Everett Kompelien and a solo by Mary Ann Norum of Bemidji. Rev. Conrad Cornelius of Spencer, NC led the closing responsive reading, prayer and benediction. The service closed with the audience singing "On Our Way Rejoicing." Orville Larson of Holt and Iona Turra of Middle River were the ushers for the service.

Following the service the group enjoyed a pool-side brunch at the Best Western Inn and spent the afternoon renewing acquaintances and in recreation. Those in attendance included some of the fifth generations of the Soren and Anna Moen family, early settlers in Agder township.

Relatives arrived from Lodi, CA; Columbus, OH; Darlington, SC; Spencer and Apex, NC; Suffolk, VA; Chewelah, WA; Forest City, IA; Round Lake, IL; Ft. Meyers, FL; Bella Vista, AR; and North Dakota cities of Grand Forks, Fargo, Grafton and Carrington. Also present were relatives from the Minnesota cities of Moose Lake, Duluth, St. Paul, Stillwater, Alexandria, Plymouth, Bemidji, Roseau, Crookston, Ada, Holt, Fertile, Greenbush, Karlstad, Strandquist, Newfolden, Dalton, Plummer, Hatstad and Thief River Falls.

Bernice Knutson and Ida Rupprecht were Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Trochmann home.

Mrs. Carol Wahl, Leah and Stephanie from Strasberg, CO, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Tvieto of New Rockford, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rupprecht and Kim, Amanda and Aaron Sigerud were Tuesday afternoon visitors at the Edna Rupprecht home. Bev brought goodies and served with coffee to the guests.

Enjoying a fresh walleye dinner at the Jerrold and Irene Nelson home on Sunday were Pam Battleson, Melrone and Larry Kelser, JoDee and Ron Rolorson, Chris and Brianna, Jill and Jeff Johnson and Hailey, Kim and Jeff Langen, Alissa, Aaron and Adam from Wheaton.

Fourth of July supper guests at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home were Debbie and Bruce Williams, Matt Holthusen and Mike, Jordan and Kaleb Torgerson.

Ethel Nelson and Ida Rupprecht were supper guests and evening visitors at the Ray and Bernice Barth home on Thursday.

Dinner guests Monday at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home were Adaline Moe, Art Moe, John and Carolyn Anderson of Stillwater and Marla Klask of Chewela, WA.

Shirley Busse was a visitor at the Bernice Knutson home on Tuesday afternoon.

Judy, David and Casey Jones were Monday afternoon visitors at the Ida Rupprecht home.

Karen Dalager of Grand Forks was an overnight guest at the Art Moe home on Friday. In the evening they were callers at the Adeline Moe home.

Ethel Nelson, Gloria Clovan and Doris Smeby of Grygla attended the funeral services for Ethel's cousin, Reuben Kappedal, at the Union Lake Free Lutheran church near Fertile.

Sunday evening supper guests at the Bernice and Ray Barth home were Lois Dalager and David Barth.

Allie Witt was a dinner guest Monday at the Joan Nelson home.

NOTICE OF 60 DAY LOCAL REVIEW AND PRELIMINARY STATE AGENCY REVIEW

Marshall County hereby gives notice of a 60 day local review and preliminary state agency review for the update of the MARSHALL COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE LOCAL WATER PLAN.

This plan deals with both surface and ground water protection. The plan includes a general discussion of water resources in the county, an assessment of those resources, goals, objectives, and actions identified for their protection.

Copies of the WATER PLAN are available upon request from Kim Hockstedler at (218) 745-4217. Interested persons are invited to submit comments on the COMPREHENSIVE LOCAL WATER PLAN UPDATE to:

Kim Hockstedler
Marshall County Water Plan Coordinator
208 East Colvin Avenue
Warren, MN 56762

Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m. on September 5, 1995.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—The restaurant and pool room formerly owned by Richard Black has been purchased by Mr. Douville who has put in a large stock of candies, soft drinks, etc.

—The steamer "Viking" came down from Red lake last Sunday.

—Ten of Patrick and James Meehan's log drivers arrived in town on Monday to get pay for their season's work. Their time checks will amount to at least $1,000.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—It now appears certain that the Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic railroad will construct a rail line from Duluth to Thief River Falls. Surveying parties have reportedly been working along the route.

—Farmers in the Highlanding area are thinking of building or purchasing a steamboat for travel on the river.

—Julius Pleth, owner of the Plummer Townsite company, is sponsoring a cream contest with prizes totaling $150.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The city council indicated it would accept an offer by W. A. Scheiter and Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar to sell the power dam here for $35,000.

—Albert Lonson, for four years with the First State bank of this city, resigned to head a new bank being organized at Calloway.

—The village of Goodridge was preparing to vote on the question of incorporating.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—The Co-op Poultry association plans to remodel and use the old creamery building.

—Local merchants are requesting that roads east of Thief River Falls be improved.

—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew O. Rolstad, living east of Hazel, celebrated their golden wedding day.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Local school board contracted for the winter's supply of coal screenings at $8.25 per ton.

—Rural eighth grade graduating class of 85 members was addressed by Rev. E. A. Cooke of the Community church.

—Two inches of rain fell here in an hour on the Fourth of July.

—Harold F. Harrison arrived from Warren to take charge of the Lincoln high school agriculture department.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Ruth Fossum was named queen and Ardith Perkins alternate at the annual Jaycee Water Carnival here.

—Dr. E. S. Amesbury completed his term as district governor of Lions International at a conference in Crookston.

—Mrs. C. H. Toomey was reappointed to the county welfare board for another two-year term.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Citizens of Pennington county, particularly Thief River Falls, elected to retain a municipal liquor store by a vote of 3,679 to 1,894, with the dry forces getting seven votes less than the number demanding the election.

—Davy Crockett craze is getting into full swing in Thief River Falls, with stores advertising Davy Crockett apparel and toys as Walt Disney's movie begins a four-day run at the Avalon.

—John Sater succeeded W. G. Claffey as superintendent of schools.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Rufus Olson was elected chairman of the Thief River Falls school board.

—A street square dance will be held at Knight avenue and Third street Friday evening.

—Final plans are being made for an American Legion and auxiliary department convention in Thief River Falls this week.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Pennington county has asked the governor for designation as a major disaster area from flooding.

—Dr. Theodore "Alex" Easton, president of Nebraska Western college in Scottsbluff, Nebrasko, has been named the new president at Northland community college in Thief River Falls to succeed Victor Charles, who left in September 1974 to become assistant to the president at Anoka-Ramsey community college in the Twin Cities.

—Second runner-up trophy was won by Ardys Olson, daughter of Art Olson of Thief River Falls, in the Miss Minnesota Teenager pageant.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Robert Reeve was elected commander of the state American Legion.

—News coverage of a Thief River Falls event hit a new record high Saturday evening when Stuart Dahl came home to a community welcome by approximately 800 people and television crews from as far away as Minneapolis.

—The highlight attraction at the 84th annual Pennington county fair beginning tonight will be a performance by Mel Tillis.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand spent the weekend in St. Paul at the Winslow Grandstrand home and visited at the Wesley Grandstrand home on Saturday afternoon.

On Sunday afternoon they all attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stoler of Forest Lake on the weekend of June 24.

Adella Skjorven enjoyed a lovely birthday party at her home with guests bringing a delicious lunch. Those who attended were Janet Labine and Curtis Carlson of Argyle. Evelyn Skjervan and her sister Dagny Benson of Bellingham, WA; Judy and Sarah Lokstad, Lillian Sundby, Judy Swanson, Maureen Sundby, Mary Waleski, Beth, Megan and Kelsey and Courtney Krohn and Kathy Olson. She also received phone calls from son Gordy of Mondola Heights and sister Alma Goolz from Aurora, OR. It was a joyous occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjervan went to Grand Forks on Friday and visited at the Lillian Sundby home on their way back.

Last Saturday, Steve and Nancy Fisher and family from Warroad came to spend the weekend at the Wallace Hanson home.

Tyler and Sammy Abelor who had been staying with the Fishers went with them and left Monday evening for their home in Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson spent 4th of July weekend at the Rydell and Jano. Nioland home at Browns Valley.

Sunday evening supper guests at the Wallace Hanson home were the Steve Fishers of Warroad, the Jan Hanson family, the Kent Hudson family and Reverend and Mrs. Garland Hudson of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Larson went to Goodridge for the 4th and visited at the Gladys Erickson home for coffee. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kujava, Mr. and Mrs Roy Roppe and Harriet Klesow.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjorven attended a Skjervan family picnic in the Grafton City Park for the 4th of July. Those attending from this area were Dan and Kathy Olson, the Arnold Waleski family, the Corey Skjorven family and the Randy Skjorven family of Grand Forks.

Sunday afternoon, Pearl Klavon and Liz Swenson called at Rosewood.

Wallace and Arlana Hanson and Annie Gustafson and John and Leona Gustafson visited and were supper guests at the Bill Brinkman home in Crookston.

Allen Swanson enjoyed a "Cook-out" supper at the Darrel Nelson home in Thief River Falls on the 4th.

Leonard Larson enjoyed breakfast with daughter, Kay Maldmont last Sunday and on the way home visited with the Grindelands and later in the day with son, Bruce and family.

Tommy Swanson, Randy and Condon from Baxter spent from Sunday to Friday at the home of her parents, the Halward Andersons. On the 4th of July, Jon and Sholly Melby of Badger visited at the Andersen home. Leonard Larson was a coffee guest there on Tuesday.

The Mike Olstal family enjoyed a picnic at the Dan Sustad "home to be" in the country for the 4th. Other guests were Kraig Melvios, Dawn Sustad and Cory Gustafson of Thief River Falls, Emie and Teresa Melvie and Holly and Jenny.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ness had their grandson, Phillip Onkka spending a few days with them last week. The Ness's attended a family gathering at the David Paulson home in Highlanding.

A surprise birthday party was held for Jamie Olstal at "Former Cells" in Argyle. Guests were Marcel and Gerlia Douglas, Patty and Jerome, Chuck Wilcox and Don and Donna Sustad.

Irene Grandstrand attended the Golden Wedding celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stoloo of Forrest Lake on June 24.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota July 12, 1945
From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

JC Water Carnival Was Huge Success

"Despite the fact that the weatherman failed to give full support, rain falling in the late afternoon and early evening, the water carnival and sports day Sunday sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, attracted a record summer crowd to Thief River Falls. Highlighting the day was an elaborate parade of floats and other units that made its way through crowded streets from Lincoln high school to the Tindolph park swimming pool where the coronation of Miss Ruth Fossum as the carnival queen took place.

"Heading the parade was the color guard of veterans of World Wars I and II while music was provided by the Lincoln high school band and by the snappy Crookston drum and bugle corps.

"Defying a shower late in the afternoon, Lester Ihle, manager of the local airport, thrilled the crowd with an exhibition of airplane acrobatics."

3 Pastors To Exchange Pulpits to Advertize Tent Meetings

"Preliminary to the opening of the 1945 series of tent meetings, July 22, the Revs. E. F. Rabine, J. O. Jacobsen and L. W. Lindholm, respectively pastors of the First Baptist, Evangelical Free and Mission Covenant churches, represented in the Union Gospel Mission, have planned another pulpit exchange, during the devotional service at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning.

"The tent meetings, July 22 through September 3, will again be held on vacant lots south of the postoffice."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Clark Gable
Loretta Young
Jack Oakie
"Call of the Wild"
Falls Theatre
Buy Defense Stamps at Our Box-Office!

Eclipse Arrives Monday Promptly On Schedule

"With the occasion favored by cloudless skies, a large crowd of early risers in this community Monday morning viewed a nearly complete eclipse of the sun, which started to be obscured promptly on schedule a few minutes after 6. Within an hour nearly nine-tenths of its area was covered, and a weird half-light prevailed. The sun attained its normal brilliance again shortly after 8 o'clock."

Waste Paper and Tin Can Pickup Friday Evening

"In response to a proclamation by Gov. Ed J. Thye, Thief River Falls Boy Scouts, in cooperation with the Rotary club, will conduct a waste paper and tin can pickup throughout the city Friday evening, starting at 6:30, it was announced today by Kem M. Olson, county salvage chairman."

Day Camp for Brownies Is At East Edge of City

"The day camp for Brownies opened today at Birch Lane, the day camp grounds east of the city on the Bratrud property. There are 50 girls enrolled, who will enjoy two days of nature study, handicrafts, outdoor games, etc., under supervision. The day camp for Girl Scouts has been cancelled, as it was impossible to secure a camp director, but members of the scout council hope that by next summer the situation will improve and the scouts will again be given the opportunity of day camping."

2,300 Automobile Stamps Are Sold at Postoffice

"During the past week a total of approximately 800 1945 federal automobile stamps were sold at the local postoffice bringing the total sold up to Monday to nearly 2,300 which compared with last year's sales of just under 2,500."

Topics of The Times
Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Helon, former Times Editor

—If violating a state law is a crime, we wonder what penalty is to be imposed on those towns that have decided to remain on war time.

—The people of Norway can't be accused of acting on impulse. Quisling is still alive.

—Better save your nickels, kids. The Pennington county fair is just around the corner.

—The Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission proposes to reduce bus fares, but we should think they'd increase them instead in an effort to curb unnecessary travel.

—If you get a funny look from the collector of internal revenue, maybe it's because you haven't yet bought your federal automobile stamp.

—A June event that's happening in July this year is the gorgeous display of peonies.

—Otto Stenberg Y3c sends this suggestion from California: Your columnist's wife must have to darn his socks a lot - he has a Holen them every day.

—Gov. Thye and John Brandt assert that butter prices are too low. Dairy farmers probably will agree with them.

—It's a mystery, isn't it, how war loan campaigns come and go and yet bank deposits keep on increasing.

—Interesting trifle: at least two words in the English language include all the vowels in their proper order. They are: facetious and abstemious. Can you name any others?

—Folks looking for cheap meat might patronize the butcher who says that when he has no pork chops his price is 25 cents a pound.

—Speaking of names, there is a Moonshine township in Big Stone county.

—A bow to the JC fellows for the efficient manner in which they put over their water carnival even without the complete cooperation of the weatherman.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota July 10, 1895
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Miscellaneous Items of News

"The morning of the Fourth dawned bright and clear and a large number of people came to town prepared to celebrate in grand style but fate willed it otherwise and owing to the heavy rain in the afternoon only a small part of the program was carried out. S. M. Hoff's hall was secured for the dance in the evening and the large building was crowded with dancers until the small hours of the morning.

"Last Friday was the hottest day of the season, the thermometer registering 98 degrees in the shade.

"Quite a number of our citizens drove to Thief River Falls last Monday night to take in the Luteman concert.

"The hot weather last Friday was followed by a violent wind and thunder storm. Heavy grain was lodged somewhat but no serious damage was done.

"The young folks of the village enjoyed a pleasant dance in Bjerk's Hall last Saturday evening. About twenty couples were present."

L'Ensemble Folklorique De La Riviere-Rouge, a dance group from Winnipeg, performed during the All National Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire last weekend. The group performed some traditional dance numbers on the dance floor in Island Park.

Goosebumps The Clown entertained children and adults at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire last weekend.

HAVE AN OLD WELL AND DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH IT? SEAL IT!

Marshall County has received funding to cost share for the sealing of high priority abandoned wells in the county. Cost share is limited to 75% of the total cost not to exceed $2,000 per well. If you have a well that you would like to seal, contact Kim Hockstedler, Marshall County Water Plan Coordinator, Marshall County Courthouse, (218) 745-4217.

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Many area students on MSU dean's list

A number of students from the *Northern Watch* area are included on the 1995 spring quarter dean's list released recently by Moorhead State University.

To qualify for the list, students must maintain a 3.25 or higher grade point average and carry 12 credits or more.

Named to the list are the following with the student's name, parent's name listed, year in college and high school graduated from listed respectively:

Mary Hapka, Conrad Hapka, senior, Argyle; Gregory Monson, Ed Monson, senior, Grygla; Bruce Borowicz, Edmand Borowicz, senior, Middle River; Heidi Dyrud, Philip Dyrud, sophomore, Middle River; Heidi Gram, Daryl Gram, senior, Middle River; and Julie Larson, Leland Larson, senior, Middle River;

Also Karen Hall, Harold Hall, senior, Newfolden; Michelle Johnson, Theodore Peterson, senior, Dilworth (now Newfolden address); Travas Knutson, Randy Knutson, sophomore, Newfolden; Jason Krolak, Ralph Krolak, senior, Stephen; Jayson Knaus, Arnold Knaus, junior, Stephen, and Michael Smith, Vernon Smith, sophomore, Stephen;

Also James Christensen, Robert and Cathy Christensen, freshman, Warren; Shane Kiesow, Gerald Kiesow, senior, Warren; Steven Nowacki, Robert Nowacki, senior, Warren; Amanda Thompson, James Thompson, sophomore, Warren; and Jeremy Woinarowicz, Bonnie Woinarowicz, sophomore, Warren;

Also (all graduates from Thief River Falls) Troy Carlson, Charles Carlson, senior; John Gunstad, James Gunstad, junior; Kimberly Hoefer, Earl Hoefer, junior; Jeremy Hulteen, James and Darlene Hulteen, sophomore; Patricia Johnsen, Donald Johnsen, senior; Jennifer Lindberg, Ronald Lindberg, senior; Jennifer Strang, Daniel Strang (Perham), junior; Sara Tyler, Richard and Mary Tyler, sophomore; and Wendy Walton, Wally and Jovenia Walton (Middle River), sophomore.

UND dean's list has students in NW Minn. area

Three students from this area received the D. J. Robertson Award for straight A averages and a number of others were placed on the President's Roll of Honor with 3.8 or higher averages for the spring quarter at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. A number were also named to the dean's list for being in the top 15 per cent of their degree-granting college or school.

Named to the D. J. Robertson list were Rachel Vasek of Angus, Denise Dvorak of Fosston and Terry Lisell of Roseau.

Named to the President's Role of Honor were Susan Novak, Angus; Tammy and Tanya Surdez, Bagley; Dawn Bachand, Brooks; Tara Hager, Greenbush; Jessica Vandestreek, Gully; Dale Mossestad, Plummer; Amy Steenerson, Red Lake Falls; Darcy Kuznia, Stephen; Jan Gustafson, Viking; Lorna Carriere, Jennifer Diedrich, Brenda Honek and Michael Roux, Warren.

Dean's list students are Daniel Bergeron, Penny Bergeron and Chase Dufault, Argyle; Pouline Berg, Erskine; Michael Shimpa, Euclid; Ryan Younggren, Hallock; Caroline Anderson, Karlstad; Tiffany Sjostrand, Lancaster; Ronald Inman, Middle River; Cathrine Demars and Heather Piersol, Red Lake Falls; Chad Hanson, Strandquist; Monica Francesconi, Melanie Krepp and Michael Rhode, Thief River Falls; Stacey Henderson and Kristina Rosendahl, Warren.

Nagel named director of commission

Northern Great Plains Rural Development Commission has named Jerry Nagel of Crookston as its executive director. The commission was established by an Act of Congress in 1994. The Northern Great Plains region includes the five states of Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota. The commission has 10 members. Each governor appointed a member and the secretary of agriculture, with advice from the congressional delegations of the states, appointed five members.

The purpose of the commission is to prepare a 10-year rural development strategy for the Northern Great Plains region that includes specific recommendations for action to promote economic development of the region while preserving, to the maximum extent possible, the natural beauty and habitat of the Northern Great Plains.

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Jerami Hanson, who will be studying at the Minneapolis College of Art and Design this fall, has received a $250 scholarship to assist him with his studies. He is shown with Cecelia Stoltman who matched donations of $100 from Ekeren Drug and $25 from Rogar Rautar of Norwest Bank to make up the $250 award. Jerami is the son of Irena Hanson and a 1995 graduate of Lincoln high school.

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Health Department warns: cook hamburger thoroughly

State officials are again urging people to cook all hamburger thoroughly before eating it, following an increase in reports of diarrheal illness caused by the 0157:H7 strain of the Escherichia coli bacteria.

Minnesota has had 24 confirmed cases of E. coli disease since the beginning of the year, according to officials at the Minnesota Department of health (MDH). 10 of the cases were reported to MDH within the past two weeks. The number of reported E. coli cases normally goes up during the summer months.

Much of the illness reported in Minnesota has been traced to consumption of undercooked hamburger, state officials said.

"This simply underscores — once again — the importance of cooking ground beef thoroughly before you eat it," said Anne Barry, Acting Minnesota Commissioner of Health. "That means cooking until the meat is brown or grey in the center — with no pink remaining. The juice coming off the meat should be clear — not pink or cloudy."

The warning about thoroughly cooking hamburger is standard public health advice, Commissioner Barry emphasized.

There have been a number of widely publicized E. coli outbreaks associated with specific restaurant chains," she noted, "but it's important to understand that the source of the meat really isn't the issue. All hamburger is susceptible to this type of contamination. That's why we routinely recommend that all ground beef be cooked — all the way through — before you eat it.

"If you follow that advice, you won't get this illness — regardless of where you got your hamburger," she said.

The symptoms of E. coli disease include severe, bloody diarrhea and abdominal cramping. In a small number of cases - especially in younger children — it can lead to a potentially life-threatening condition known as hemolytic uremic syndrome, which affects the blood and kidneys. People with possible symptoms of E. coli disease should see a physician.

147 cases of E. coli disease were reported statewide in Minnesota during 1994.

Agder . . . .

Bernice Knutson was a Thursday afternoon visitor at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Carmen, Larry and Tony Gustafson and Sanna Torgerson were Fourth of July dinner guests at the Stacy and Steve Beierman home.

Merle Klask was a Monday overnight guest at the home of Adeline Moe.

Ray and Bernice Barth were supper guests on the Fourth of July at the home of Annetta, Ken and Brandon Kostrzewski home near Viking. Brandon spent Wednesday at the Barth home.

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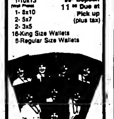

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Requirements: Certified or Minnesota certifiable with expertise in strings and ability to teach elementary through secondary levels.
Salary and Benefits: Per negotiated contract
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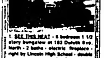

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GARAGE SALE- Wed., Thurs., July 12 and 13, 812 N. LaBree, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. 1t55p

3-PARTY GARAGE SALE- Sat., July 15th, 7:00-4:00. Lots of clothing (all sizes), household items, gas grill, new and old Tupperware, 10-speed bike and many other items too numerous to mention. Lot 8, Northwestern Trailer Court in alley in garage. 2t56p

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July 5, 12, 19, 1995
IN DISTRICT COURT, GRAND FORKS COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA

TWIN CITY MOTORS, a North Dakota corporation, Plaintiff,
vs
Karlstad State Bank, TRENT SEITO and one 1968 Chevrolet S-10 automobile bearing V.I.N. 1GCBS14E8J2288130, Defendant.

Civil No.
SUMMONS

THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon Plaintiffs' attorney an Answer to the Complaint which may be obtained from the undersigned or the Clerk of Court, within thirty (30) days after the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the first publication of this summons. If you fail to do so, Judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated this 29th day of June, 1995.

-s- Kerry S. Rosenquist
Attorney for Plaintiff
ARNASON LAW OFFICE
13 South 4th Street, Suite 250
P. O. Box 5296
Grand Forks, ND 58206-5296
(701) 775-0654

July 12, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
JUDICIAL DISTRICT NINTH
Case No. F8-95-405
AFFIDAVIT AND ORDER FOR PUBLICATION

In the Matter of:
Marilyn Bradshaw, Petitioner,
vs
Randy Bennet, Respondent

AFFIDAVIT

Petitioner, being under oath, states:

☒ An attempt at personal service made by the sheriff was unsuccessful because Respondent is avoiding service, and a copy of the Petition and Order for Hearing has been mailed to Respondent at Respondent's address,

OR

☒ I do not know the Respondent's address.

Therefore, I request that the Court allow publication of the Notice of Hearing. I further request that the court set a new hearing date, if necessary, and keep the Ex Parte Order for Protection in effect until the hearing.

-s- Marilyn Bradshaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me on Date: July 3rd, 1995
Barbara Bollo - Court Administrator
-s- Beth M. Wilson - Deputy Clerk
Deputy/Notary Public
Pennington County, MN

ORDER

Based on the above affidavit, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Notice shall be given by publication for one week as provided in M.S. 645.11.
2. The date set for hearing in the Order for Domestic Abuse hearing is continued.
3. The Respondent shall personally appear before the above Court at 1:00 PM on July 24th, 1995, at Courtroom "A", Pennington County Courthouse.
4. The Ex Parte Order for Protection is extended in full force and effect until the next hearing.
6. Other:

Dated: July 3rd, 1995

-s- L. G. Jorgenson
Judge of District Court

July 5, 12, 1995
MILK BIDS AND BAKERY BIDS

The Board of Education of Independent School District No. 564, Pennington County, Thief River Falls, Minnesota will receive separate sealed bids for (1) Bakery Products and (2) Milk and Dairy Products for use in the 1995-96 school lunch program until 2:00 p.m. July 19, 1995.

The Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any formalities in the bidding process.

The School District will not assume responsibility for the timely delivery of bids sent through the mail.

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Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar 489-3445

Greg Harris of Thief River Falls visited on Thursday at the Juel Aune home.

Tuesday Mrs. Clifford Klamar was a lunch guest at the Cordell Klamar home in Roseau.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter, Andrew, Andrea and Ashley of Wahpeton spent Father's Day weekend at the Howard Lunsetter home. Howard and Mary Ann and Alans family also visited with Bill Bernstein at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Rick Watterson and Amber and Iris Most of Prescott, WI arrived on Friday at the Chesle Ruud home and spent the weekend visiting relatives.

Congratulations to Jimmy and Tammy Sparby who are proud parents of a son born on Sunday at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. He is welcomed home by his sister, Kallie and brother, David. The grandparents are Alton and Alva Sparby and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Chervestad of Oklee.

Everyone would like to welcome to the community Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd and daughters, Kylana and Kelsey, who have moved into the parsonage.

Kenny and Maxine Grondahl of Florida are spending sometime in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Swenson, Garrett, Corey and Sabrina of Oslo spent the weekend at the Dena Paterson home. Sabrina stayed a week with her grandparents.

Breakfast guests at the Larry Hagen home on the Fourth of July were Eldon and Penny Johnson, Scott Overgaard and Eunice Hagen. Later in the day the Johnsons returned to their home at Eagan and Scott to Moundsview. They spent the holiday weekend at Eunice Hagen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polansky spent Monday until Thursday at Breezy Point at Brainerd with the Mark Polansky family from Kearney, NE. On the weekend Eugene and Marge they attended a Neppl family reunion at Pelican Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud were to Fargo on Monday where Chesle had a medical checkup and they also visited with Terry Ruud. Enroute home they visited with Bill Bernstein at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Raymond Aune and Mrs. Glenn Limesand visited on Sunday evening at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hasselaar and Tyler of Iowa spent Friday until Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

Amber and Amie Sistad of Nashville are spending sometime with their grandparents the John Soloms and Marlin Sistads.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter and family visited with Bill Bernstein at Northwest Medical Center at Thief River Falls on Sunday before returning to their home at Wahpeton.

Deloris Storment of Portland, OR spent a week at the home of her sister-in-laws the Clifford Klamars.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Anderson of Goodridge, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Franzman of Grygla, Mrs. Robert Ruud, Anna and Lorentza of Rochester, Iris Most, Mrs. Rick Watterson and Amber of Prescott, WI and Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud enjoyed supper at the Steak Knife.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Glenn Aune visited at the Clayton Carlson and Greg Harris homes in Thief River Falls.

Friday evening, Karyl Larson attended the wedding of April Holthusen and Andy Schneider at St. Michael's church in Grand Forks. Karyl was an overnight guest at the Susan Kanear home and also visited with Rodney Anderson at the United Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Paterson and granddaughter Sabrina brought birthday wishes to Jordan Brotong on his fifth birthday on June 28th.

Eunice Hagen and Larry Hagen attended funeral services for Stan Holmaas at Westaker Free Lutheran church in Newfolden on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Byklum of Milwaukee, WI; Carole Aune of Minneapolis, Mrs. Wally Byklum of Grygla, Glenn Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the Wallace Sparby cabin at Springsteel Island.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair visited at the Alan Severts home.

Mrs. Kenny Grondahl of Florida and Mrs. Ray McMillin visited recently at the Marlin Sistad home.

Saturday, Iris Most, Mrs. Rick Watterson and Amber of Prescott, WI; Lorentza and Anna Ruud of Rochester and Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud attended the parade in Karlstad and visited with the Wayne Ruud family.

Dinner guests on Sunday at the Clifford Klamar home were Deloris Storment from Portland, OR, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tesarek, Timothy and Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar, Adam Tesarek of Roseau and Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls.

Tim Bernstein and Melissa of Grygla, Mrs. Bill Bernstein and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited on Saturday with Bill Bernstein at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Byklum of Milwaukee, WI spent Tuesday until Thursday at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Grondahl of Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMillin also Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brandt of Malung, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roen of Grygla, Darrick Larson of Minneapolis and Karyl Larson helped Donald and Betty McMillin celebrate their 48th wedding anniversary at the Steak Knife on Thursday.

Recent visitors at the Dena Paterson home have been Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wagner and Alma Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson of Middle River, Alvin Grothe of Astoria, OR and Don and Larry Paterson of Los Angeles, CA.

Saturday evening, Iris Most, Mrs. Rick Watterson and Amber of Prescott, WI and Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud enjoyed supper at the Orvin Anderson home at Goodridge.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Byklum of Milwaukee, WI, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Glenn Aune visited at the Darrell Saverts home near Middle River and brought birthday wishes to Cody.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Peterson visited at the Alan Severts home.

Mark Sistad and Justin Nass of Stewartville spent the Fourth of July weekend at the Marlin Sistad home.

Mr. and Mrs. David (Barbara Carlson) Lamson of Mankato visited on Sunday afternoon at the Larry Hagen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud spent a week ago Friday at the Iris Most home at Prescott, WI. They also went to Red Wing to hear the All-State choir. On Saturday they attended a birthday and retirement party for Jean Roppe at Moundsview. They were overnight guests at the Robert Ruud home at Rochester. Sunday enroute home they visited at the Mardella Shager home at Burnsville.

Ed and Nadine Wold of Minneapolis visited on Friday and Saturday at the Juel Aune home.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Paterson visited with Bill Bernstein at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Darrick Larson returned to his home in Minneapolis on Tuesday after spending two weeks with his grandparents, Karyl Larson and the Peter Aunes.

Carole Aune of Minneapolis spent Saturday until Tuesday at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones, Evelyn Severts and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts visited on the Fourth of July at the Lew Wallace home near Thief Lake.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Glenn Aune visited at the Alton Sparby home near Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Prestabak of Goodridge visited at the Chesle Ruud home on Tuesday evening.

A week ago Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Sistad of Erskine, Alme Foss of Mentor and Hazel Bjore of Buxton, ND visited at the Marlin Sistad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sparby of Thief River Falls visited on Saturday afternoon at the Juel Aune home. Supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byklum of Milwaukee, WI; Mr. and Mrs. Wally Byklum, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Byklum and Dakotah of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sparby of Minneapolis and Mandi and Kasey Sparby of Thief River Falls.

Karyl Larson and Deloris Saul were to Thief River Falls on Monday and visited with Mrs. Jimmy Sparby and infant son and Bill Bernstein at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Wednesday, Deloris Storment of Portland, OR and Mrs. Clifford Klamar visited at the Cordell Klamar and Michael Tesarek homes at Roseau.

Lorentza and Anna Ruud of Rochester have been spending sometime with their grandparents, the Bob Prestebaks at Goodridge and Chesle Ruuds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones, Evelyn Severts and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts were dinner guests on the Fourth of July at the Pat Wallace home at Greenbush.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Byklum of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Byklum of Milwaukee, WI visited at the Juel Aune home.

Monday evening those enjoying fireworks at the Glenn Lunsetter home were Mark Sistad and Justin Noss of Stewartville, Amber and Amie Sistad of Nashville, TN; Mrs. Marlin Sistad, Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Larson, Walter Lunsetter, Mrs. Bill Bernstein and Tom, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylana and Kelsey and their houseguests from Porkers Prairie, Gerry Lunsetter, Melanie Lunsetter and Michelle, Maurice and Kenny Lunsetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byklum of Milwaukee, WI returned to their home on Wednesday after spending sometime in the area as guests of the Wally Byklum and Joel Aune homes and visiting with other relatives.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht 681-4440

Pastor Nancy Werner visited with Edna Rupprecht at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Ida Rupprecht called on Edna Saturday morning.

Jarvis and Martha Torgerson visited at the Emma and Walter Pederson home near Oklee on Saturday afternoon. In the evening they attended the family reunion at the Richard and Marlon Parent home in McIntosh. Lisa and Mike Parent were also home from Oisego for the reunion.

Ron and Barbara Moe of Delton were weekend visitors at the Adeline Moe and Marian Augustine homes. They also attended the Moe reunion on the weekend.

Harold and Edith Nabben were among the friends and relatives who enjoyed a picnic together on Sunday at the Pearl and Roy Nelson home. Pearl's brother, Vern Listol from Fairmont, VA, also attended the picnic. It is 15 years since Pearl and Vern have seen each other.

Ida Rupprecht was a visitor and coffee guest at the Adeline Moe home on Wednesday.

Unemployment rate in region shows decline

Minnesota's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate increased from 3.7 per cent in April to 3.9 per cent in May. This was still below the 4.0 per cent rate in May 1994. Unemployment in region 1, which includes the counties of Kittson, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, and Roseau, showed a decline, dropping from 5.7 per cent to 5.1 per cent.

The unadjusted unemployment rate in the state decreased to 3.3 per cent in May, down from 3.7 per cent in April and 3.4 per cent a year ago.

On a seasonally adjusted basis, the number of unemployed increased 3,300 from April to May. However, compared to May 1994, the number of unemployed declined by 2,400.

Average unemployment rates in May were lower than in April in all regions of the state except the seven-county Twin Cities metropolitan region. There the average unemployment rate was 2.7 per cent in May, unchanged from April. The highest average unemployment rate was 6.2 per cent in the region around Bemidji, down noticeably from 7.7 per cent in April.

Clearwater county had the highest unemployment rate among the counties at 12.8 per cent in May, down from 15.9 per cent in April. At 2.2 per cent, Stevens county had the lowest May unemployment rate.

In region 1, Roseau county had the lowest unemployment rate at 3.6 per cent. Red Lake county recorded the highest unemployment rate at 8.2 per cent, but that was a decline from 9.4 per cent in April of 1995.

Kittson county matched the region's overall unemployment rate at 5.1 per cent, but that was a decline from 6.5 per cent in April. Marshall county recorded an unemployment rate of 7.7 per cent, a decline from 9.8 per cent. Norman county recorded an increase from April to May, recording an unemployment rate of 5.6 per cent, up one tenth from 5.5 per cent. Pennington county recorded a decline from 6.4 per cent in April to 4.8 in May. Polk county's unemployment rate remained the same at 4.7 per cent.

Though the unemployment rate in the region declined from 5.7 per cent in April to 5.1 per cent in May, May's rate of unemployment is the same as that recorded in May of 1994.

The national economy showed further signs of softening in May. Seasonally adjusted non-agricultural wage and salary employment was down by 101,000, with declines occurring chiefly in manufacturing and construction. The seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was unchanged from April at 5.7 per cent. Interest rate hikes were having their intended effect of slowing the economy, as consumer spending slackened in May.

Statewide, non-farm jobs continued to grow, with nearly 56,000 added since last year. Manufacturing employment rebounded somewhat, but the most positions were added in retail trade and services. within the service sector, business services continued to add jobs at a steady pace. Health services employment grew much more slowly, after generating many new jobs for years.

In the Twin Cities metropolitan area, almost 42,000 wage and salary jobs were added in the past 12 months. Positions in the service sector grew by over 14,000, particularly in business services. Manufacturing jobs increased by 5,700, evenly divided between durable and non-durable industries. A growing retail trade sector added 7,000 jobs.

The Fargo-Moorhead and Grand Forks-East Grand Forks metropolitan statistical areas experienced the fastest wage and salary job growth over the past year when compared to other major Minnesota cities. Manufacturing firms in both communities added jobs, and retail trade and services also contributed to the improving economics of these metropolitan areas.

Rondorf-Klym gets research fellowship

LouAnn M. Rondorf-Klym, daughter of Eugene and Edna Rondorf of Thief River Falls, has been selected to receive a predoctoral fellowship for research training in gerontological nursing by the National Institute for Nursing.

A 1976 graduate of the University of North Dakota with a bachelor's degree in nursing and a 1990 recipient of a master's degree, she is currently employed as a clinical investigator with Laerdal Manufacturing Corporation, a subsidiary of Laerdal Medical Corporation, Armonk, NY and Laerdal Corporation, Stavanger, Norway.

LouAnn has been married to Michael Klym for 19 years and they have two children, Trevor, 13 and Matthew, 10. They reside in Sherwood, OR.

Jennifer Johnson

Johnson earns degree from U of Denver

Jennifer Johnson, daughter of Ken and Betty Johnson of Thief River Falls and a 1990 graduate of Lincoln high school, received her bachelor of science degree in business administration from the University of Denver in Denver, CO, with a major in hotel, restaurant and tourism management.

While at the university she was vice president of HRTM Society and Golden Key National Honor Society and secretary of Eta Sigma Delta sorority. She has accepted employment as a manager with Ruby Tuesday in Nanuet, NY.

River Valley

Congratulations Tera Marquis "Miss Thief River Falls"

Tera Marquis, daughter of Arlen and Joani Marquis of Trail was crowned the new Miss Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 1, 1995. Tera was one of the six contestants who competed for the title of Miss Thief River Falls. Tera will receive a $1,500 scholarship, $1,000 travel and expense allowance and will represent Thief River Falls in the Miss Minnesota program in June of 1996. The community sends Tera congratulations and wishes her all the best in her reign as Miss Thief River Falls. We are so proud of you Tera.

On June 26, 1995 the River Valley Homemakers Study Group enjoyed lunch together at the Evergreen Eating Emporium in Thief River Falls. Ten members attended and guests: Ethel Wiseth, Connie Lundeen, Lillian Groven, Tian Melson and Larise and Bret Chervested. After lunch the group enjoyed a tour of "The Shed", the new antique shop on Highway 1, east of Thief River Falls.

Kyla Lundeen, Britany Marquis and Jimmy Dulka attended a 4-H Blue Bird House Project meeting in Plummer on Thursday, June 29. The Department of Natural Resources donated the lumber and Jimmy Dulka, Joe Bregier and Brian Cyr helped the members assemble the houses.

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A member of L'Ensemble Folklorique De La Riviere-Rouge, guides his partner across the dance floor at the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire.

Hanson herd again leads county DHIA

Mark Hanson dairy herd again led the Pennington County Dairy Herd Improvement Association for the month of May with an average of 65.2 pounds of milk and 1.88 pounds of butterfat per cow.

The Hanson herd of 61 cows had 77 per cent in milk in May. The herd is milked three times a day.

L&R Dairy was in second place with an average of 61.6 pounds of milk and 2.17 pounds of butterfat. The herd has 151 cows with 95 per cent in milk during May.

Leonard and Marge Geske herd of 44 cows, 91 per cent of which was in milk, placed third with an average production of 60.5 pounds of milk and 1.95 pounds of butterfat per cow.

Other herds in the top 10 and their production averages were as follows with number of cows, percentage in milk, pounds of milk and pounds of butterfat listed respectively:

Jim and Karen Pearson, 42, 83%, 57.7 and 1.70; Walter Bros. Form, 131, 85%, 57.2 and 2.09; Lyle Swanson, 57, 81%, 56.9 and 2.08; Orlan and Joel Stolaas, 42, 93%, 54.1 and 1.84; Mylo Carlson, 61, 84%, 52.9 and 1.88; Tom Koop, 29, 97%, 52.4 and 1.85; and Bob Schindler, 58, 79%, 52.2 and 1.97.

Production is averaged over the entire herd, therefore the percentage of dry cows adversely affects the overall average. Averaging is done to give the producer a record of the herd's earning power for the month.

During May there were 25 official DHIA herds on test in the Pennington county association.

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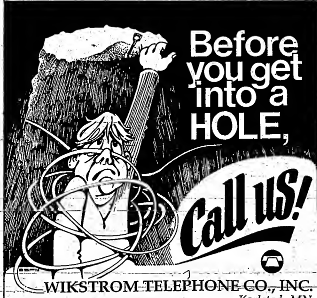

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County Fair Pictures
Well over 100 photos taken during the 1995 Pennington County Fair show grand champion award winners and many events.

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What goes up must come down! There is no easy exit from the back of a bucking bull, as this Bullride '95 sequence shows.

Attendance, premiums up at 94th Pennington Co. Fair

Bullride '95 draws 2,500 people on two nights; Pam Tillis sings to 1,700; carnival and parking show increases over 1994

Attendance was up from a year ago and premiums paid increased to $10,849 when the 94th annual Pennington County Fair was conducted Wednesday through Sunday, July 12-16, at the fairgrounds in Thief River Falls.

Bullride '95, a new event at the fair this year, attracted about 1,000 people to the grandstand Thursday evening and 1,500 on Friday and was a "break-even" proposition for the county fair association, according to Ray Safranski, fair board secretary.

Attendance at the two performances by Pam Tillis Saturday evening totaled about 1,700 people and resulted in a several thousand dollar loss, Safranski said, making it unlikely that the fair association will continue to bring in "big name" entertainers in the future.

Rain early Friday morning dampened the grounds but caused no real problem in attendance. More rain early Sunday afternoon, however, cut into crowds for the horse show and demolition derby and reduced carnival use. Water in the area of the bandshell also caused cancellation of the free performances on Sunday.

Attendance spurred by the bull ride programs Thursday and Friday increased the parking fees collected by about $300 over last year to $3,400. The Murphy Bros. carnival had its best gross sales in Thief River Falls with a four per cent increase over a year ago.

Premiums paid in the various classes of open class competition included the following: Beef, $1,335; dairy, $1,037.50; sheep, $254; swine, $117.50; goats, $468; poultry, $413; rabbits, $252.50; cavies (guinea pigs, etc.), $49; horses, $2,570; dogs, $33; agriculture, $428; adult flowers, $191; children's flowers, $42.50; adult culinary, $552.50; children's culinary, $96; adult needlework, $134; children's needlework, $5.50; adult sewing, $130; children's sewing, $20.25; arts and crafts, $224.75; children's arts and crafts, $191.50; student art, $122.50; photography, $128; woodworking, $85; senior citizens, ages 60-79, $75.50; and senior citizens, ages 80 and older, $22.

Premiums paid in the 4-H club division totaled $1,870.50.

Number of entries in open class competition in the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center included the following with last year's comparative number in parentheses: Arts and crafts, 123 (119); children's arts and crafts, 164 (201); needlework, 115 (111); children's needlework, 9 (14); student art, 92 (58); sewing, 59 (39); children's sewing, 16 (22); senior citizens, 69 (55); culinary, 412 (335); children's culinary, 64 (95); woodworking, 42 (24); and photography, 83 (70).

The county fair association also conducted a raffle as a fund raiser to support county fair events and activities. Winners were drawn Sunday evening and included the following:

$5,000 savings bond, Tilman Loyland, Oslo; 4-wheel ATV, Brett Poole, Rosemount/TRF; trip to Brandon, MO, Howard Hoven, Thief River Falls; $500, Clara Ann Hedberg, Thief River Falls; $250, Iona Scott, St. Hilaire; $100, Roger Shaffer, Rosie Ulrich, Kenneth Habedank, Deb Borreson and Larry Belmont, all Thief River Falls; $50, Deb Holtan, Newfolden, Jack Milender and Kathy Keller, Thief River Falls, Doug Peterson, Plummer and Shirley Thompson, Red Lake Falls.

In Thursday evening's bull riding, first place was won by Leslie Doyle of Pitkin, LA, with rides that scored 76 and 84 points for a total of 160 and a check for $2,427.25. Second place with 159 points and a check for $1,733.75 went to Tyson Hughes of Wellington, KS.

Other riders who shared in the money were as follows with point totals and pay-out for each:

Jason Brumley, Archdale, NC, 70-78-148, $1,040.25; Jerome Davis, Archdale, NC, 73-73-146, $693.50; Mike Vinieski, Harrah, OK, 73-72-145, $416.10; David Lance, Oklahoma City, OK, 77-67-144, $277.40; Ervin Williams, Tulsa, OK, 74-68-142, $208.05; and Don Owens, Choctaw, OK, 69-70-139, $138.70.

Friday night's winner was Don Owens of Choctaw, OK, with rides of 73-76 for a total of 149 and a check for $2,460.50. Second place went to Nuce Cook of Australia with rides of 72-74 for 146 and $1,757.50 in prize money.

Other riders in the pay-out Friday were as follows: Mike Vinieski, Harrah, OK, 71-72-143, $1,054.50; Dave Navrkal, South Sioux City, NE, 68-74-142; Scott Glover, Ft. Gibson, OK, 64-73-137, $421.80; Ervin Williams, Tulsa, OK, 76-0-76, $281.20; Leslie Doyle, Pitkin, LA, 73-0-73, $210.90; and Dennis Anderson, Windsor, CO, 68-0-68, $140.60.

Total pay-out Thursday was $6,935 and on Friday was $7,030. The local Bullride '95 committee added $5,000 in prize money each evening.

Total attendance at the fair was estimated at more than 35,000. The gospel music night opening the fair Wednesday evening was well attended. Demolition derby which was the last event of the fair Sunday night had its crowd cut to about 750 by the afternoon rain.

Photos of nearly all of the 4-H grand champions and open class champions where overall winners were named are included in today's issue of The Times.

Superintendent candidate list now narrowed to three

Following interviews conducted last Thursday and Friday, July 13 and 14, the list of candidates for superintendent of School District 564 was narrowed from six to three finalists. A total of 34 applicants had expressed an interest in the position.

The three finalists selected are Mark Hinckley, Nicollet; Virgil Likness, Plattsmouth, NE; and Dorothy Suomala, Karlstad.

Members of the local school board will be making site visits to communities where the finalists are currently employed or have been employed in the past. Depending on the outcome of these visits, finalists may be asked to return for a second interview the week of July 24.

The search is being conducted to find a successor to Dr. Robert Duncan who resigned earlier this year to take the superintendency at Fergus Falls.

Mark Hinckley holds a specialist degree in general school administration from St. Cloud State University and a master's degree in education from Wisconsin State University at Superior.

He has served as superintendent of schools in Nicollet for the past 19 years as well as supervising superintendent of the Minnesota Valley Education District in 1989-90. His teaching experience has been in elementary education.

Virgil Likness has a Doctorate of Education degree from the University of South Dakota and an education specialist degree in educational administration from the University of Wyoming.

Likness has 29 years of experience as superintendent of schools including five years in Plattsmouth; 14 years in Madison, MN; four years in the Echo/Wood Lake district in Minnesota; and six years in the Bradley Area Schools in South Dakota. He also has experience as a high school principal and business education teacher.

Dorothy Suomala holds a Ph. D. degree in educational administration from the University of Minnesota and a master's degree in English from Moorhead State University.

Suomala has served as superintendent of schools in the Karlstad school district since 1993 and has K-12 administrative experience in state level curriculum supervision at the Minnesota Department of Education. She has also served as a high school principal and an English, reading and study skills teacher.

Few changes will be needed to the Red Lake outlet dam

Few changes will be needed to the Red Lake dam, according to a new Red Lake Water control manual. The Army Corps of Engineers undertook a study of the reservoir to update the Red Lake Water Control Manual, which was last written in 1964.

Since the dam has an impact on many downstream communities, including Thief River Falls, several public hearings were held. The two-year study began in September 1994, and following a public hearing Tuesday evening in Thief River Falls, is nearly complete.

The study included the collection of data, the review of pertinent documents and ongoing coordination with interest in the Red Lake area including the Red Lake band of Chippewa Indians, the Red Lake Watershed District, the Upper Red Lake Area Association, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Originally, the dam was authorized to provide flood control, water supply for municipalities along the Red Lake River, and to benefit the fishing industry. The earth dike and control structure were constructed by the Bureau of Indian Affairs in 1931. The control structure was modified in 1950 and operations began in April 1951 by the Corps of Engineers. The lake covers approximately 288,000 acres at an elevation of 1174 and has approximately 2,175,000 acre-feet of storage above elevation 1174.

In the study, approximately 20 alternatives were identified and evaluated. The preferred alternative includes maintaining the elevation at 1174, no drawdown, and increases the spring discharge prior to May 1 from 75 cubic feet per second (cfs) to 450 cfs, increases the minimum instream flows from 75 to 150 cfs after May 1, decreases the target discharge and stage at Highlanding from 1600 cfs at 8.75 feet to 1300 cfs at 7.75 feet between May 1 and October 15.

The study concludes that the preferred alternative: reduces downstream agricultural damages; has no effect on Red Lake fish habitat suitability; improves instream flows by increasing the minimum flow; improves fishery suitability and furbearer habitat by eliminating winter drawdown; will result in a slight increase of damages in the reservoir with the elimination of winter drawdown.

Sheep riders entertained the crowd at Bullride '95 during the Pennington County Fair. This youngster was one of many to dress western and go mutton bustin'.

Hanson added to variety show

A serious prose presentation by Ingrid Hanson has been added to the variety program to be presented as a fund-raiser for the gazebo project in Floyd B. Olson park on Thursday, July 20, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

The variety show will be divided into two segments with an ice cream social to be served during the intermission. Free-will donations will be accepted.

Sears plans to hold grand opening event on Saturday

Two area residents, Rodney Knutson and Roger Evenson, have teamed up with Sears, Roebuck and Co. to open a Sears retail dealer store in Thief River Falls. The owners and local customers will celebrate the grand opening of the Sears appliance, home electronics and lawn and garden store at 303 Main Avenue North beginning Saturday, July 22.

"We're delighted to be opening. We believe customers will be pleased with how the store looks and with our wide selection of merchandise," Knutson and Evenson said. "We're inviting the community to stop in and take advantage of some good deals during the grand opening."

Customers can enter a sweepstakes to win a free, 20-inch Sony color television at the store on Saturday, July 22. A blind drawing will be held to pick the winning name on that day.

This store is one of over 310 new retail dealer stores Sears has opened in communities across the country since June 1993. Many of these stores are located in towns where Sears previously operated a catalog store.

The store in Thief River Falls offers major home appliances, including washers and dryers, refrigerators, ranges, dishwashers and microwave ovens. The store also offers vacuum cleaners from Kenmore, Eureka and Hoover and Kenmore water heaters, water softeners and gas grills.

In home electronics, customers can shop for TV's, VCR's, camcorders and stereo systems from well-known brands such as LXI, Magnavox, RCA, Sony and Zenith.

Also available are Craftsman lawn and garden equipment, along with Craftsman hand, power and portable electric tools and Sears DieHard car, motorcycle and marine batteries.

Gretchen Otto Larson was recently presented with Chile Pepper Espresso Co.'s first dollar of profit. Norman Wassink and Rick Gustafson presented the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce. Chile Pepper promotes tha arts in the area by displaying students paintings, poatry and other works. The coffea shop often features young, local musicans and singers.

Chamber of Commerce mambers Normen Wassink and Rick Gustafson present Collin end Ed Mooney of Computer Run-Radio Shack with a more progress poster. Radio Shack recently doubled the size of its spaca and expanded its computer lines, repair and service department end began carrying more furniture. They also carry the unique, all-new Hood Hopper.

Larry Heugen and Marie Heugen-Hvidstan, who purchased Tha Club in February, racantly racalved thair first dollar of profit from Chamber members, Rick Gustsfson and Carle Torgerson. The Club faaturas cafe-style eating and e spacaous racraation room featuring savaral pool tablas and arcade gsmes.

Crazy Day set for Saturday, July 29

A one-day, all-out Crazy Day will be conducted in Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 29, from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Closing time was erroneously noted at 7 p.m. in the last issue of the *Northern Watch*).

Change in date from the traditional Thursday as the main Crazy Day was to make it more convenient for the many employees of Arctco, Digi-Key and other businesses who are working during the week, according to Dick Bjorkman, general chairman of the event.

He said it should also be more attractive to Canadian shoppers who can arrange to be here for a weekend easier than during the week, and that the consolidated sale on one day rather than over several days should make it a stronger event.

Thief River Falls is believed to have the distinction of holding the first Crazy Days sales promotion in Minnesota. Cliff Bjorkman brought the idea home from a meeting he attended in another state many years ago.

Costume contests will be conducted only within the stores this year. Several stores outside the main downtown area will set up sales areas on LaBree Avenue and there will also be other attractions such as a fishing pond, Oof-da Tacos, ice cream stand and Dwight Tangquist's bratwurst and hotdogs.

The *Northern Watch* will be published and delivered a day early on July 27 to accommodate Crazy Day advertisers. Early news and advertising will be required for that issue.

IRS reminds truckers of highway tax due date

The Internal Revenue Service reminds truckers that ordinarily, a federal highway use tax return must be filed by Thursday, August 31.

The period covered by the return starts on July 1 each year and runs through June 30 of the following year. The tax applies when a truck, truck-tractor, or bus is first used on a public road or highway during that period. This tax applies only to highway vehicles with a taxable gross weight of 55,000 pounds or more. Form 2290, Heavy Vehicle Use Tax Return, is used to figure and report the tax.

The IRS urges truckers and others subject to the tax to be sure to complete the part of the return that asks when the first taxable use of the vehicle occurred. Many fail to fill out this part, and the vehicle use is then considered to have started in July. If a vehicle is used in July, a full year's tax must be paid. However, if the vehicle is first used in a month after July, that is, August through June, only a prorated amount is due.

The tax, which ranges as high as $550, can be paid in full with the return or in as many as four equal installments. However, if an installment is late, the entire unpaid tax becomes due.

NWRDC allows building grants to be requested of Arts Council

Arts council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission (NWRDC) is accepting applications for the NWRDC/McKnight capacity building grants round.

Arts organizations classified under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code with a biennial budget of at least $12,000 may be eligible to apply for a two-year $5,000 planning/implementing grant. This program is supported with funding from the McKnight Foundation and deadline for grant applications is August 1.

Organizations interested may contact Mara Lunde, arts council director, at 218-745-6733 for application materials and eligibility information.

Grants available for area artists

Arts Council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission is accepting applications for grants of up to $500 for individual artists, according to Mara Lunde, arts council director.

Supported with funding from the McKnight Foundation, this program provides artists with grants for specific projects which contribute directly to their creative and professional growth and development. Application deadline is August 1.

Artists may apply for assistance with costs associated with the production and presentation of work, professional training, supplies related to specific projects and other services. Applications are encouraged from individual working in literary, performing or visual art.

Artists must be Minnesota residents who have resided in the seven-county northwestern Minnesota area for at least one year prior to the deadline date of August 1. Counties included in the area are Kittson, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake and Roseau.

Application guidelines and forms are available from Mara Lunde at the Northwest Regional Development Commission, 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762 or by calling 218-745-6733.

Fuglie named Executive director of RRV Hospice

Susan J. Fuglie has been named executive director of Hospice of the Red River Valley. She is currently manager of marketing and public relations for Dakota Heartland Health System in Fargo, ND, and will join Hospice in mid-August.

Fuglie's responsibilities will include overseeing the operation of Hospice of the Red River Valley's main office as well as satellite offices in Mayville, ND, Detroit Lakes and Thief River Falls.

The present service area covers Cass, Traill, Steele and Griggs counties in North Dakota and Clay, Becker, Norman, Mahnomen, Red Lake, Pennington, a portion of Marshall and a portion of Ottertail counties in Minnesota.

Hospice of the Red River Valley is a non-profit community supported organization which provides care and support to individuals and families facing a life threatening illness in the home setting of their choice. It employs 66 full and part-time employees.

Warroad Summer Theatre presents "Man of La Mancha"

Warroad Summer Theatre will present the musical "Man of La Mancha" August 1-6 and 9-13 at the high school mini-theater in Warroad.

The shows will begin at 8 p.m. on all performance dates with a 2 p.m. matinee on Sunday, August 13, only. For further information or tickets call 218-386-3435 from 1 to 5 p.m.

Joe Olson has the lead role of Miguel Cervantes with Jim Provance as Sancho Panza, Bonnie Nordvall as Aldonza, Lynda Myers as the Padre, David Wilhelmi as Dr. Carrasco, Jared Powell as the barber, Jence Provance as the housekeeper, Terri Haggan as Antonia, Doug Johnson as the Governor and the Innkeeper, Eric Malterud as the Captain, Greg Forness as Jose, Graham Atrip as Tenorio, Peter Stafford as Paco, Hans Heppner as Juan, Devlyn Brooks as Pedro and Patty Schmitz as Maria.

Warren student on Dean's list

Luann Lynne of Warren was among the 2,067 students named to the 1995 spring semester Dean's list at the University of Northern Iowa.

About 20 per cent of the undergraduate student body were cited for scholastic honors. To be included on the list, a student must have earned a grade point of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale, while taking at least 12 hours of graded work during the semester. On the 4.0 system, an A is worth four points; a B, three points; a C, two points; and a D, one point.

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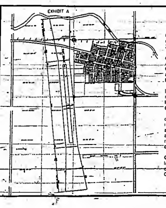

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Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held before the Grygla Area Community Joint Airport Zoning Board for the purpose of considering the adoption of the Grygla Area Community Airport Zoning Ordinance in the area of the Grygla Area Community Airport.

The public hearing will be held on the 26th day of July, 1995 commencing at 7:00 p.m. at the Grygla Community Center, Main Avenue, in the City of Grygla, Minnesota. The proposed Grygla Area Community Airport Zoning Ordinance and the accompanying map are available for public inspection at the City Clerk's office in Grygla, Minnesota during regular business hours.

The property affected by the proposed Airport Zoning Ordinance is some, but not all, of the land lying within 6,000 feet of the airport's runways. The types of restrictions proposed for each area are set forth in detail in the proposed Grygla Area Community Airport Zoning Ordinance and map.

The precise restrictions which would be imposed vary, depending on the location of the property. The restrictions generally regulate height of structures, the location or size, and use of buildings and the density of population. The most restrictive provisions would apply to the areas located in a trapezoidal area off the end of each runway, which area extends out from the end of the runway a distance equal to the length of the runway plus two hundred feet.

Persons who believe that they may be affected by the proposed Ordinance are encouraged to review it, and ascertain the specific impact which it would have on their property. That published contemporaneously as Exhibit "A" are those lands affected by this Ordinance.

DalRay Larson, Chairman
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Linda Ueland of Newfolden won tha adult needlework grand championship at the Pennington County Fair open class with her hand quilted quilt.

Student art division winnar in opan class compatition at the Pennington County Fair was Sunny Carlson of Thief River Falls.

Kayla Gallegher of Thief River Falls earned a grand championship in the childran's arts and crafts division of opan class competition at tha Pennington County Fair with har painting.

Loretta Hruby's crochatad doll outfit won a grand championship in opan class children's naedlework at the Pennington County Fair.

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Senior LinkAGE line is made possible under the federal Older American Act, Northwest Regional Development Commission's Area Agency on Aging, under a plan approved by the Minnesota Board on Aging.

For more information contact the Area Agency on Aging, 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762 or call 218-745-6733 or the Senior LinkAGE line at 1-800-333-2433.

Don Owens of Choctaw, OK, scored 73 points on this ride on "Mighty Mouse" and added a 76-point ride later in the evening to win first place Friday during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair. The win was good for a $2,460.50 check.

Funds are awarded for arts programs and area projects

Grant funds for arts programs in northwestern Minnesota were recently awarded by the Northwest Regional Development Commission with funding provided by the Minnesota State Legislature.

Awards totaling $500 were given for small arts projects and a $500 award given to an individual artist project. With McKnight Foundation funding, awards were made for small capital projects in the amount of $5,475.

Under the small arts program, Plummer community education was awarded $500 for sponsorship of Prairie Fire Theater on July 5-9.

Under the McKnight small capital program, Stephen Arts Council will receive $800 to purchase a dimmer pack, Community Performing Arts council of East Grand Forks will be awarded $1,600 for purchase of a lighting controller, the Association of the French of the North in Red Lake Falls will receive $1,850 for a marquee and tent canvas, Crookston Community Theater will receive $570 for the purchase of microphone equipment and Warroad Summer Theater was given $655 for purchase of lighting equipment.

Under the McKnight individual artist program, Rachel Nelson-Gustafson of Lancaster will receive $500 to attend a graphic arts workshop on sign creation August 3-6.

August 1 is the next deadline for organizations, schools and individuals to apply for funding to support arts projects. For more information on these programs or on how to apply for an arts grant, contact Mara Lunde, arts council director, at 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762 or call 218-745-6733.

Family crusade at Free Church July 23 to 26

The Light Company will conduct a family crusade at 7 p.m. nightly from Sunday, July 23 through Wednesday, July 26, at the Evangelical Free Church at Third Street and Kendall Avenue in Thief River Falls.

Rev. Willie and Mavis Watts will also speak at the Sunday services at 8:30 and 11 a.m. They are from University Park, IL, and travel full-time throughout the year with over 150 puppets. They chose the name The Light Company because they are "two Watts out to spread the light of Jesus into the hearts of children everywhere."

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Many local couple are wed this summer. See pages five and six for announcements

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Two women from St Johns Church attended a mission convention in Kansas City.

Parents can help children get a start on the next school year

During the summer, young children with and without disabilities can lose a great deal of the academic knowledge and skills gained during the school year, according to research studies. Math, spelling and other language skills are area particularly affected.

But by participating in some simple summertime arts education activities with children, parents can add fun to their children's summer while helping them retain knowledge and giving them a head start on the next school year.

"Parents' roles as teachers becomes even more important during the summer," says Eileen Cuskaden, acting CEO of Very Special Arts, an international organization that creates learning opportunities through the arts for people with disabilities, especially children and youth. "The arts help kids to learn and grow academically in area such as math and spelling. What better way to keep children active during the summer than with fun arts education activities?"

Very special arts recommends the following simple fun and educational arts activities for early elementary-school-aged students.

Describing Favorite Summer Family Vacations through Drawing — Drawing can help children to learn math, language and spelling skills and to express thoughts and ideas. Encourage your child to draw pictures of favorite summer vacation places and activities and then count different shapes, identify items and describe scenes in the drawing.

Making a Collage of Summer Activities — This activity assists children with classifying and organization skills. Create the collage by cutting pictures from colored paper, magazines, photos and newspapers and pasting them onto paper. Older children can cut alphabet letters from magazines and spell out names of games, toys or summer foods. Have your child cut and paste pictures of animals, people, cars or other items, then count, add and subtract the images to practice math skills. For example, paste all the blue cars in one column and all the red cars in another, and add the two together. Remember to praises your child's efforts.

Experiencing Summertime Adventures Through Reading and Improvisation — Reading aloud helps enhance vocabulary, spelling and language skills. Select books with timely themes, such as summertime adventures, the ocean or the outdoors, and read and discuss them with your child. Join your child in re-enacting the story, playing characters in the book. This activity build language, vocabulary and reading comprehension skills, and helps children learn how to order events. Using learn-to-count books when re-enacting a story also reinforces math concepts.

Creating a Story About Your Child's Favorite Outdoor Experience — Creating an original story can develop children's creative thinking and sequencing skills. Develop a story with a beginning, middle and end. Use props to assist in the creation process, such as a basket of twigs, bird seed and a either or other fun props from your backyard or house. Older children can also write their story.

Singing Favorite Summertime Songs — Singing helps develop memory and listening skills. Join your child in singing his or her favorite song, especially those with summer themes. Verse songs are ideal for memorization, and such songs as "This Old Man" further your child's understanding of numbers and math concepts. Children can create their own songs that use numbers.

Very Special Arts, which sponsors programs in all 50 states and 85 countries worldwide, has produced an educational program called "Start with the Arts" for children with and without disabilities, age four to six. This field-tested instructional program is available to school systems throughout the country. For a suggested list of children's books or for more information about "Start with the Arts" and other Very Special Arts programs in the area, call 1-800-933-8721.

Norma Hanson presented Doris Eisbrener with an award for Pannington County Outstanding Senior Citizen of the Year at Senior Citizen Day at the Panninton County Fair last week.

Al Sollom received congratulations from Norma Hanson, on behalf of the county commisionars, for being named Outstanding Senior Citizen of the Year. Al is politically active on local, state and national levels, working to protect their interests. He is the current president of the Minnesota Seniors Federation.

Youths to present musical at Trinity

"Living on the Edge," a youth musical written by Michael W. Smith and Robert Sterling, will be presented at Trinity Lutheran Church, on Sunday, July 23 at 7:30 p.m.

A youth drama group from Grace Lutheran Church in Andover is presenting this performance as part of a twelve-day, six-state tour. The play follows five youths for a week as they try to live as Christ would.

The performonce begins at Trinity Lutheran Church, located at 325 Horace Avenue North in Thief River Falls. No admission will be charged, however, there will be a free-will donation received during the performance. The event is open to the public and should prove to be o great evening of family entertainment.

Foot care and blood pressure clinic on July 24

Monday, July 24, there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 1-2 p.m. at the Skylite apartments, 415 Arnold Avenue, Thief River Falls. Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only. Call Inter-County Nursing at 681-5950 for an appointment. There is a $4 fee for foot care. The public is welcome.

Senior citizen dance at the Heritage Center

There will be a western dance for seniors at the Heritoge Center on Thursday, July 20 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music is by Hozel Chelscy.

Senior meal

The Scnior meal ot the Heritage Center on Sunday, July 23 will be a chicken dinner at noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Class of 1955 holding reunion this weekend

Lincoln high school class of 1955 will hold its 40-year class reunion Friday, July 21 and Saturday, July 22.

Friday, classmotes who wish to tour Digi-Key Corp. ond Arctco Inc. may meet ot Lincoln high school at 12:45 p.m. Hometown clossmates will lead the way to Digi-Key. The Digi-Key Corp. tour will begin ot 1 p.m. and last approximotely one hour ond the Arctco, Inc. tour will be at 2:30 p.m. An informal get-together will be held at the Eagles Club at 7 p.m.

On Saturday, classmates moy meet at Lincoln high school ot 1 p.m. to take a bus tour of the schools and other historic sites. In the evening, the festivities will be held at the Eagles Club with social hour/registration ot 6 p.m. and sit down dinner will be served at 7 p.m. Group pictures will follow dinner. The dance will begin at 9 p.m. Classmates who could not participate earlier ond friends, please feel welcome to ottend the dance and get in on the reminiscing.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Thursday
Western Dance at Heritage Center 7:30-10:30 p.m. Music by Hazel Chelsey.

Saturday
Numb will be playing at Chile Pepper Espresso Co.

Sunday
Living on the Edge youth musical presented at Trinity Lutheran church at 7:30 p.m.
Senior Meal at the Heritage Center is a noon chicken dinner. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Monday
Praise through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Blood pressure and Foot care clinic at Skylite apartments from 1-2 p.m. Call 681-5059 for foot care appointment

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Expectant Parent class at Northwest Medical Center meeting rooms B:B: at 7 p.m. Call 681-4240, extension 446 to register.
Quilters Guild meeting at 7 p.m. at Northwest Technical College Room 103.

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Pemberton and Brandon wed June 3

Lynde Pemberton and Todd Brandon were united in marriage on June 3 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls at 5 p.m. at a double ring ceremony with Pastor Dennis Raymond presiding.

Parents of the bride are Bryce and Arlette Abrahamson of Holt. Parents of the groom are Darrell and Avis Brandon of Thief River Falls.

Music for the blessed event was provided by vocalists Donovan Ruud and Randy Larson and organist Shelia Nelson, all friends of the couple.

The church was decorated with white bows on the pews and pewter candelabras decorated with arrangements of sprengeri, eucalyptus, baby's breath and white bows. The unity candle table was decorated with greenery and baby's breath that matched the candelabrum.

The bride wore a white satin wedding gown with cathedral length train. The gown featured a scalloped sweetheart neckline, renaissance sleeves and a basque waistline. The bodice and illusion and satin sleeves were adorned lo venise lace, sequins and seed pearls, the back waistline was accented by a double satin bow and adorned by venise lace, seed pearls and sequins. Re-embroidered lace appliques lavishly cascaded down the skirt and train. A wide band of re-embroidered scallops banded the hemline.

A four and one half inch crown of seed pearls and sequins and crystal beads also adorned with back pouf and a three foot lace train was also worn.

The bride's gown was designed by Ginza of Long Beach, CA.

Her bouquet was an elegant cascading designed bouquet of white calla lilies, white dendrobium orchids, white larkspur, sprengeri, eucalyptus and veriegated pittasporum.

The maid of honor was Missy Taggart of Newfolden, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Gina Peterson of Jamestown, ND, Carol Harstad of Roseau, Trisha Bothum of Karlstad, Kim Davidson, Nicole Nelson and Darcene Moen, all of Newfolden, all are friends of the bride.

The bride's attendants wore long sleeveless sheath-style dresses in black shanting fabric, accented with a wide band of white Venise lace surrounding the neckline. The dresses were designed by Bill Lev Koff. The bridesmaids, bouquets were cascading bouquets with white mini calla lilies and large calla lily, white dendrobium orchids, white roses and variegated pittasporum. Flowers were by Wanda's Flower and Gift Shoppe.

The junior bride, Tessa McKeever of Middle River, cousin of the bride, wore a dress of white satin with a one foot train, made by Calico Plus. Her headpiece was a two and one holf inch crown of pearls and sequins with lace bow and veil, made by the mother of the bride.

The bride's personal attendants were Nikki McMillian ond Lorie Kilen, both friends of the couple.

The groom wore a Henry Grethel white avante tailed tuxedo with white accessories. The groom's boutonniere was made of one mini callo lily, dendrabuim orchids, eucalyptus and sprengeri greens.

The best man was David Vigen of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple. Groomsmen were Lee Pemberton of Bemidji and Lucas Abrahamson of Newfolden, brothers of the bride, Dean Brandon of Newfolden and Brett Brandon of Oklahoma, brothers of the groom, Todd Prickett and Aaron Wedul, both of Thief River Falls, friends of the groom.

They wore Pierre Cardin black royal tailed tuxedos with white accessories. Their boutonnieres were a white mini callo lily and a white dendrobruim orchid.

The ring bearer, Austin Walton of Middle River, friend of the couple, wore o tuxedo similar to the groom and a white dendrobuim orchid boutonniere.

Ushers were Shannon Leach and Joy Nelson of Holt, Kilen Boe of Newfolden, Keith Boe of Minneapolis, and Deland Bakke of Newfolden, all friends of the couple. They wore black classic tuxedos with black accessories and boutonnieres similar to the groomsmen.

The fathers of the couple olso wore black classic tuxedos with boutonnieres with o white rose, baby's breath and verigoted pittasporum.

Hosts and hostesses for the reception were Walter and Connie Leach, friends of the couple ond Scott and Cindy Brandon, cousins of the groom. Guest book attendants were Terry and Joan Brandon, cousins of the groom and Nathan and Nicole Nelson, friends of the couple.

The wedding coke, by Gary's Rainbow Bokery, consisted of o three-tier cake atop o lighted fountain, surrounded by greenery. It had two double-layer side cakes with stairways connecting them to the main cake and connecting them to a small layer cake in front, with a miniature bridesmaids and groomsmen. The cake was decorated In white roses with black trim and topped with a black and white bride and groom. Also served were two Norwegian groom's cakes made by Margaret Rupprecht. Cake cutters were Mary Swan and Janelle Johnson, friends of the couple.

The reception, which was held at the Eagles wos cotered by Fern Bruggeman. The wedding party's tranportation to the reception was provided by Gary's Limo service. Coffee server was Jodi Halsa, cousin of the groom. Punch was served by Wendy Pemberton, cousin of the bride, ond Rosie Weber, friend of the couple. Flower hostess was Twila Brandon, sister-in-law of the groom. Gift carriers were Beou Abrahamson, cousin of the bride, and Dusty Newton, friend of the couple. Waitresses were Toyo Skiver and Tara Severts, friends of the couple and Leslie and LeAnn Brandon and MacKenzie Carriere, cousins of the groom. Program ottendants were Korbi Fisher ond Thain Abrahamson, cousins of the bride.

The happy couple lives In Goodridge and both are employed ot Arctco. The bride is o 1991 graduote of Marsholl County Central High School and the groom is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln High School.

Van de Streek and Nelson united in marriage May 12

Amy Jo Van de Streek and Jed Haward Nelson were united in marriage at 6 p.m. on May 12 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with pastor Gary Johnson officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Harold and Markee Van de Streek of Perham and Leo and Vernlee Nelson of Thief River Falls.

Music was provided by Candy Storhaug and Joel Rude, friends of the couple.

The maid of honor was Theresa Rude of Thief River Falls, best friend of the bride, ond the best man was Jay, brother of the groom.

Hostess of the reception were Lonnie Cummings, aunt of the bride and Florance Nelson, sister-in-law of the groom. Cake cutters were Janet Lundbohm, aunt of the bride and Betty Amiott, aunt of the groom. Punch servers were Jessica Nelson . d Beth nelson, both nieces of the groom. Gift table attendants were the Bumgart family, friends of the couple.

The bride is a 1984 graduate of Perham High School and the groom is a 1979 graduate of Lincoln High School. The couple resides in Thief River Falls where Amy is employed at Styles by Amy and Jed is employed at St. Hiliare Elevator.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On July 10, o baby boy was born to Thomas and Nancy Bray of Plummer. He has been named Kevin Thomas.
- On July 13, a baby boy was born to Timothy ond Trinity Abrahamson of Thief River Falis. He has been named Casey James.
- On July 13, a baby girl was born to Kenneth and Cheri Krohn of Viking. She has been named Alexandra Jean.
- On July 15, a baby boy wos born to Wayne and Tracy Hjelle of Thief River Falls. He has been named Austin Gregory.
- On July 15, a baby boy was born to Misty Nelson of Thief River Falls. He has been named Christopher Geoffcry Nelson.

Lofberg and Lane to wed on July 21st

Denise Lofberg and Gabby Lane are pleased to announce their forthcoming wedding on Friday, July 21. They are hosting a reception at their home that same evening. All friends and family are welcome.

Gunderson to celebrate 80th birthday

Leola Gaaderson, Thief River Falls is celebrating her 80th birthdsy on August 13th at the Heritage Center. An open house is being hosted by her children, Mrs. Carol Maas of Des Moines, IA and Shermen Gunderson of Eagan. Leola is a lifelong resident of the area. She and her husband farmed near Oklee. Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren will be celebrating with her.

Gustafsons celebrate 37th anniversary

An open house party was held for Tom and Bev Gustafson on Sunday, July 16, for their 37th wedding anniversary, hosted by their children and grandchildren.

A cake decorated in teal and turquoise colors highlighted the luncheon table.

Many were guests of the Gustafsons

Recent guests at the Marvin Gustafson home were their daughter and son-in-law, John and Angie Myerehin of California, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Myerchin of Ketican, AK, William Myerchin of California, Mrs. Richard Erickson, Joey, Samuel and Camille of Richville, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lee of Bothell, WA, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Nielson of Bemidji, Mildred Howard and Mrs. Bill Hoglo of Thief River Falls, Raymond Halvorson of McIntosh Manor and Rosemary Kragness.

Leckrons celebrate 35 years of marriage

Verl and Leone Leckron of Grand Island, NE celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on July 16 with a card shower.

Their children are Keith and Pat Leckron, Tony and Molly of Hordville, NE; John ond Pom Golka, Brion and Brionna of Beatrice, NE and Mike Leckron of Lockport, IL.

Verl Leckron and Leone Olson were married July 16, 1960 at First Lutheran Church, Goodridge.

Cards may be sent to: 17 Via Trivoli, Grand Island, NE 68803.

Anniversary for Haugens

Chris and Louisa Hougen celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on Saturday, July 8 with o dinner ot their home, hosted by their children. A special, decorated cake was served ond provided by the grandchildren. Cards and phone calls were enjoyed throughout the day.

Local girl ranks in state pageant

Stefany Olson of Thief River Folls recently competed In the Minnesota Co-ed Pre-teen Pageant. Stefany was named fourth runner up out of 100 for Miss Photogenic. She also received on Outstanding Participation trophy.

Sons of Norway planning a bus and boat trip

Sons of Norway members are invited to participate in a bus trip to Warroad and Baudette on Tuesday, July 25. The trip includes a boat trip, walleye shore lunch and free supper at Warroad. Part of participants' expenses will be paid by Sons of Norway. To register, call 681-3873 or 3181.

Bridal shower for Gina Eddleman

There wil be an open house bridal shower for Gina Eddleman on Saturday, July 22 at 5 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church, 315 Duluth Ave. North, Thief River Falls. All friends ond family are welcome.

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Magers and Grinde married June 17

Sarah Lucinda Magers and Wade Scott Grinde were united in marriage on June 17 at 4 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Oklee with Pastor David Brockopp officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Carl and Joyce Magers of Plummer and Duane Grinde of Elk River and Mali Grinde of Monticello.

Music was provided by singers Vicki Yaggie, friend of the couple and Lowell Aftk, uncle of the bride and organist Carol Kankel, friend of the bride. Selections were "He Has Chosen You for Me," Keeper of the Stars," "Through the Eyes of Love" and "Cross My Heart." The processional was Cannon in D-Processial #3 and the recessional was "The Wedding March."

The church pews were accented with bows of ivory ribbon with berry and purple flowers and accented with berry and purple streamers. Alter baskets were decorated with fresh-cut muted pink tiger lilies, large Fuiji ivory spider mums, baby's breath, air ferns and greenery. Seven-candle candelabrum flanked the alter, draped with English ivy and large ivory ribbon bows.

The bride wore a floor-length, long-sleeved, ivory satin sheath with overlay of imported Italian lace. The entire gown was adorned with iridescent sequins and pearls. The bride's bustle and detachable train were made of ivory satin trimmed with open window lace, iridescent sequins and pearls and attached to her gown with a large satin bow. The headpiece and veil were designed by the bride and Karen Fossell. A beaded crown tiara accented with pearls and iridescent sequins was worn separately from the ivory tulle netting fingertip veil which was accented with iridescent leaves, miniature ivory flowers, clusters of pearl sprigs and pearl streamers.

The bride's cascading bouquet consisted of large silk bright berry tiger lilies, medium dew-tipped ivory rose buds, blush ivory spider mums, sprigs of miniature purple flowers, air fern, English Ivy with trailing ivory satin and ribbon and string pearls.

Serving as maid of honor was Kimberly Magers of Plummer, sister of the bride. She wore a floor-length, sleeveless gown of cerise berry satin with drape pleated shoulders that formed a "V" in back, accented with a large bow. Her headpiece was a spray of pearl centered lilies with rhinestone and pearl accent.

The bridesmaids were Janet O'Hara of Cavalier, ND, Jill Brantl of Plummer and Darcene Moen of Mayville, ND, all friends of the bride. They wore dresses identical to the maid of honor. The bridesmaids carried silk flower arm bouquets of bright berry tiger lilies, dew-tipped ivory rose buds, ivory spider mums, puffs of ivory netting, purple heather and accented with a wide satin brocaded gold ribbon bow and greenery.

The flower girl, Chelsey Olson of Moorhead, cousin of the groom, wore a berry colored v-neck, floor-length dress with short sleeves and a full skirt with a bow in back. Berry colored lace covered the sleeves and skirt and she had a matching purse covered with ivory lace. Chelsey carried a white wicker basket with berry tiger lilies, German statice, purple heather, white daisy mums, streamers of berry and ivory with pearl accents.

The bride's personal attendant was Elizabeth Hamilton, godmother of the bride. Scripture readers were Amanda and Ericka Grinde, sisters of the groom. The readings were Colossians 13:12-17 and 1 Corinthians 13.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails, white shirt and vest. His boutonniere consisted of a dew-tipped ivory rose with pearl centered purple flowers, berry tiger lily buds, air fern and greenery.

Neil Huotari of Rochester, friend of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Lorenson of St. Cloud, Bill Otto of Moorhead and Shane Freyholtz of Wrangle, AK, all friends of the groom. The best man and groomsmen wore black tuxedos with tails, white shirts and multi-colored vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres had a medium dew-tipped ivory rosebud accented with miniature berry tiger lilies, pearl loops and greenery.

The ring bearer, Douglas Willet, Jr. of Plummer, cousin of the bride, wore a black tuxedo with tails, white shirt and multi-colored vest and bow tie. His boutonniere was a miniature replica of the grooms.

Ushers were Dale Mossestad of Plummer, friend of the bride and Chris Nelson of Thief River Falls, Chad Rolandson of Center, ND and Steven Pahlen of Plummer, all friends of the groom. The ushers wore black tuxedos with tails, white shirts and multi-colored vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres matched the groomsmen's.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a two-piece suit with an ivory princess-style jacket featuring navy blue trim, frog trim with gold button accents and a navy blue knee length skirt.

The groom's mother chose a teal colored two-piece tuxedo suit with knee-length skirt and a jacket featuring satin lapels and cuffs with pearl button accents.

The mothers of the couple wore corsages of silk berry tiger lilies, ivory netting, sprigs of iridescent teardrop facet beads, ivory lace ribbon and greenery.

The fathers of the couple each wore a double breasted black tuxedo with multi-colored vest and bow tie. Their boutonnieres were made of a medium berry tiger lily, pearl and greenery.

Honored guests at the wedding were Elizabeth Hamilton, godmother of the bride, Arnold Willett, godfather of the bride, Sonia Hedlund, godmother of the groom, Jim Pierce, godfather of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Katschke and Teckla Willet and Joe Willet, all grandparents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hesse and Estell Grinde, grandparents of the groom. Special guests were Ivan Hesse, great uncle of the groom, Josie Klasen, friend of the bride's family.

Hosts and hostesses for the reception were Dan and Shelly Willett, uncle and aunt of the bride and Ross and Vicki Olson, uncle and aunt of the groom. The guest book attendant was Nancy Jo Mattison, aunt of the groom.

The wedding cake, baked and decorated by Karen Fossell, consisted of graduated-sized layer cakes displayed on various-height plex-glass cake stands. The cake was decorated in basket-weave frosting and accented with silk flowers, greenery and berry rose buds.

The cake table was complimented by a silk flower arrangement on a slender 24 inch riser, fresh greenery, cascades of silk flowers accented by [illegible] lighted [illegible] Cake [illegible] LaCroix [illegible] aunts [illegible]

Cotte[illegible] Hesse and [illegible] of the groom [illegible] were [illegible] and uncle [illegible] hostesses [illegible] of the [illegible] at the [illegible] were Todd [illegible] and [illegible] cousins [illegible]

Waitresses [illegible] Lori La[illegible] all cousins [illegible] were Todd Foster [illegible] Luke La[illegible] cousins of the [illegible] Jeremiah and [illegible] of the bride [illegible] favors and [illegible] were Justin R[illegible] cousins of the [illegible] were by Karen [illegible] bride.

The couple [illegible] Spring Grove [illegible] 1991 graduate of Plummer High School and a 1995 [illegible] State College [illegible] employed at [illegible] Caledonia [illegible] graduate of Plummer [illegible] and a 1994 [illegible] State College [illegible] Spring Grove [illegible]

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First birthday for Sorter

Trent Sorter celebrated his first birthday at a party on July 15 given by his parents, Kathi and Scott Sorter, and sister, Amber.

Great-grandparents, grandparents, aunts, uncles and many cousins from the area attended.

A Mickey Mouse cake centered the lunch table [illegible] his own small [illegible]

Grandparents [illegible] and Bev Gustafson [illegible] Lavern Sorter. Great-grandparents are Chris and Louisa [illegible] and Mary Gustafson.

Quilters guild to meet July 25th

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[illegible] why I dislike July, and now I can remember why I [illegible] Since our July heat wave struck the end of June [illegible] no trouble remembering why July is one of my least [illegible] but I couldn't remember just why it was that August [illegible] list.

[illegible] August is Bug Month. I hate bugs, [illegible] bite and bother me. Frankly, I don't even like the [illegible] I just don't like bugs.

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For the first time in the history of the league, electronic balloting was used to elect four new officers and one counselor, who will serve as international officers for the next four years. Beverly Erdmann from Crookston was elected ILWML treasurer. Attending from St John Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls were Betty Kezar and Delphine Mongoven.

Lioness held July meeting

The Thief River Falls Noon Lioness held their monthly luncheon meeting at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Wednesday, July 12. There were 19 members and one guest present. Co-president Elaine Gunderson opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and the Lioness table prayer. Tailtwisting was done by Jan Dillon. Dimes were won by Elaine Gunderson and craft was won by Lois Amundgaard.

A thank you was read from the After Graduation Party Committee for the Lioness donation. Members were encouraged to pay dues as booklet will be printed before the next meeting. Absentee members can mail them to secretary, Betty Kezar, or treasurer, Eileen Horejsh. County fair booth was discussed and workers schedule reviewed.

Naverud Cleaners has a Lioness pin that fell out of a pocket, so check with them if yours is missing. Edie Brandli gave an informative video presentation on skin wellness and shared materials on the dangers of skin cancer from the sun. Next board meeting is August 3 at Betty Kezar's home. Next regular meeting is August 9, Evergreen.

Nelson and Engen plan August 19th wedding

Andrea Nelson and Jeremy Engen, along with their parents, Robert and Janice Nelson of Middle River and Jerome and Debra Engen of Thief River Falls, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride to be is a 1993 graduate of Greenbush/Middle River High School and is attending Interstate Business College in Fargo, ND. Her fiance is a 1993 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1994 graduate of Northwest Technical College. He is employed at J I Case in Fargo.

An August 19 wedding is planned at the First Lutheran Church in Middle River. All friends and family are welcome to attend.

Family and friends of Antoinette "Toni" Chaput gatherd at Valley Nursing Home to celebrate her 98th birthday. Pictured are Toni, Anne Chaput and Hilde Wilhelmi in row one. Row two is Raymond Chaput, Lorraine Chaput, Marie Chaput, Roma Chaput and George Chaput.

Yutrzenkas earn Masters degrees

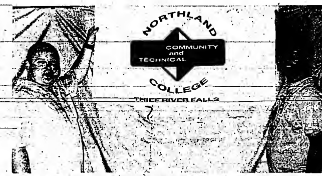
Graduation ceremonies were held on June 29 at the St. Paul Civic Center for graduates of Metropolitan State University. Both Patrick and Janell (Kain) Yutrzenka recieved their Masters of Management and Administration degrees.

The commencement address "Education for Public Citizenship" was given by Shelia Wellstone, wife of U.S Senator, Dr. Paul Wellstone.

Patrick is currently employed as a loan officer for the Minnesota Department of Agriculture in St. Paul.

Attending the ceremony were the couple's parents, Tom and Judy Yutrzenka of Viking and Ken and Arlene Kain of Thief River Falls.

The day was also made special because it was the couple's 10th wedding anniversary.



Newly elected Student Senate President Darrel Mahorl and new assistant football coach John Ott hung the banner for the now consolidated Northland Community and Technical College's booth at the Pennington County Fair.

MARKETS

as of Monday, July 17

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	5.00
New Crop 95	4.70
Spring Wheat #2	4.45
Spring Wheat #3	4.00
Spring Wheat #4	3.35
Winter Wheat	4.00
Durum	4.75
Top Malting Barley	2.75
Feed Barley	2.12
Top Milling Oats	1.60
Ordinary Oats	1.45
Oil Sunflowers	11.50
New Crop 95	11.50
Corn	2.65
Rye	2.00
Flax	5.25
Soybeans	5.80
Buckwheat	12.00
Confectionary Sunflowers	12.00
Canola	12.25

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

Artful Advice

Bring on the handiwork. Bring on the sun. Bring on the food. Bring on the music. Lead me to a summer arts and crafts show, and I'm happy.

Summer usually finds me planning my weekends around these events. The atmosphere exudes gaiety and celebration, and I don't want to miss it.

There is an art, a technique, to attending a craft festival. Most of the following practical advice applies to the outdoor shows, but feel free to adopt any tips for indoor sales as well.

Tip #1

The first area that deserves mention is attire. Wear a pair of comfortable, but worn shoes in case of inclement weather the evening before or day of. You won't feel at ease examining exquisite Ukrainian eggs if your brand-new $70 sneakers are immersed in an ankle-deep mud puddle.

Top off the outfit of your choice (preferably a tank top for warm days) with a fanny pack or string purse. You'll need both hands to push through the crowd and to inspect the merchandise.

If heavy crafting is planned, carry a small shoulder bag loaded with a few essential accessories. First on the list is a damp washcloth housed in a resealable plastic bag; this serves to wipe your hands after sampling the fare. In the shoulder bag, also include antacid tablets, extra napkins and a rain poncho (you never know when this will be handy). At the end of the day, fill the bag with your purchases.

Tip #2

Leave husbands and children at home. That is, unless they promise not to whine a million times, "When are we going home?"

The last thing you need is someone following you around the grounds saying: "What do you need that for?" or "Can't you make that at home?" This is supposed to be a fun outing.

Tip #3

Don't eat breakfast before you leave the house; go hungry. Perhaps the greatest reason to attend these events is the food. You can't be in a proper crafting mood if you don't eat your way through the festival grounds. Once you're finished with one item, always be thinking ahead to your next selection.

Share the food with your friend; that way it doesn't seem as if you're eating too much. And when your husband asks you what you ate, you can say you just tasted a little of this and a little of that.

Tip #4

Agree on a crafting strategy. You don't have to linger at every stand, but it's important that you see every booth in the show. Otherwise, you'll always wonder what you missed.

If possible, procure a map and plan an attack. The one rule we employ is that you can only look at the booths on one side, you can't wander back and forth between rows. This gives all participants an equal opportunity to "ooh" and "ahh." This policy is strictly enforced on our excursions. Sometimes we think blinders would be appropriate for those with straying eyes.

Tip #5

If you see something you like, buy it. Don't worry about seeing it cheaper at someone else's stand. Chances are, later, if you really liked the item you won't be able to remember which booth you saw it at and where it was located. Or you'll be too tired to go in search of it. Or you'll find the booth and the item you wanted will be sold. At home, you'll chastise yourself for not buying it.

Tip #6

Plan to shop for Christmas gifts and prepare a list. There's a 99 per cent chance you'll find that perfect gift for the person who has everything, and you won't have to buy your dad socks or a tie. The drawing point of craft shows is the uniqueness and quality of the product.

Tip #7

Plan to have fun.

Marshall County Nursing to hold foot care clinic

Appointments are now necessary for foot care clinics. To make your appointment, call Mrs. Juel Aune at 459-3315. The foot care clinic is scheduled for Grygla area residents on Wednesday, July 26 at 9:30 a.m. at the Grygla Community Center. Nurses from Marshall County Nursing Services will soak feet and trim nails. There is a $6 charge per person.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

Magers and Grinde married June 12

Sarah Lucinda Magers and Wade Scott Grinde were united in marriage on June 17 at 4 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Oklee with Pastor David Brockopp officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Carl and Joyce Magers of Plummer and Diane Grinde of Elk River and Mah Grinde of Monticello.

Music was provided by singers Vicki Yaggie, friend of the couple and Lowell Ark, uncle of the bride and organist Carol Kankel, friend of the bride. Selections were "He Has Chosen You for Me," Keeper of the Stars," "Through the Eyes of Love" and "Cross My Heart." The processional was Cannon In D-Processial #3 and the recessional was "The Wedding March."

The church pews were accented with bows of ivory ribbon with berry and purple flowers and accented with berry and purple streamers. Alter baskets were decorated with fresh-cut muted pink tiger lilies, large Fuiji ivory spider mums, baby's breath, air ferns and greenery. Seven-candle candelabrum flanked the alter, draped with English ivy and large ivory ribbon bows.

The bride wore a floor-length, long-sleeved, ivory satin sheath with overlay of imported Italian lace. The entire gown was adorned with iridescent sequins and pearls. The bride's bustle and detachable train were made of ivory satin trimmed with open window lace, iridescent sequins and pearls and attached to her gown with a large satin bow. The headpiece and veil were designed by the bride and Karen Fossell. A beaded crown tiara accented with pearls and iridescent sequins was worn separately from the ivory tulle netting fingertip veil which was accented with iridescent leaves, miniature ivory flowers, clusters of pearl sprigs and pearl streamers.

The bride's cascading bouquet consisted of large silk bright berry tiger lilies, medium dew-tipped ivory rose buds, blush ivory spider mums, sprigs of miniature purple flowers, air fern, English ivy with trailing ivory satin and ribbon and string pearls.

Serving as maid of honor was Kimberly Magers of Plummer, sister of the bride. She wore a floor-length, sleeveless gown of cerise berry satin with drape pleated shoulders that formed a "V" in back, accented with a large bow. Her headpiece was a spray of pearl centered lilies with rhinestone and pearl accent.

The bridesmaids were Janet O'Hara of Cavalier, ND, Jill Brantl of Plummer and Darcene Moen of Mayville, ND, all friends of the bride. They wore dresses identical to the maid of honor. The bridesmaids carried silk flower arm bouquets of bright berry tiger lilies, dew-tipped ivory rose buds, ivory spider mums, puffs of ivory netting, purple heather and accented with a wide satin brocaded gold ribbon bow and greenery.

The flower girl, Chelsey Olson of Moorhead, cousin of the groom, wore a berry colored v-neck, floor-length dress with short sleeves and a full skirt with a bow in back. Berry colored lace covered the sleeves and skirt and she had a matching purse covered with ivory lace. Chelsey carried a white wicker basket with berry tiger lilies, German statice, purple heather, white daisy mums, streamers of berry and ivory with pearl accents.

The bride's personal attendant was Elizabeth Hamilton, godmother of the bride. Scripture readers were Amanda and Ericka Grinde, sisters of the groom. The readings were Colossians 13:12-17 and 1 Corinthians 13.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails, white shirt and vest. His boutonniere consisted of a dew-tipped ivory rose with pearl centered purple flowers, berry tiger lily buds, air fern and greenery.

Neil Huotari of Rochester, friend of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Lorenson of St. Cloud, Bill Otto of Moorhead and Shane Freyholtz of Wrangle, AK, all friends of the groom. The best man and groomsmen wore black tuxedos with tails, white shirts and multi-colored vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres had a medium dew-tipped ivory rosebud accented with miniature berry tiger lilies, pearl loops and greenery.

The ring bearer, Douglas Willet, Jr. of Plummer, cousin of the bride, wore a black tuxedo with tails, white shirt and multi-colored vest and bow tie. His boutonniere was a miniature replica of the grooms.

Ushers were Dale Mossestad of Plummer, friend of the bride and Chris Nelson of Thief River Falls, Chad Rolandson of Center, ND and Steven Pahlen of Plummer, all friends of the groom. The ushers wore black tuxedos with tails, white shirts and multi-colored vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres matched the groomsmen's.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a two-piece suit with an ivory princess-style jacket featuring navy blue trim, frog trim with gold button accents and a navy blue knee length skirt.

The groom's mother chose a teal colored two-piece tuxedo suit with knee-length skirt and a jacket featuring satin lapels and cuffs with pearl button accents.

The mothers of the couple wore corsages of silk berry tiger lilies, ivory netting, sprigs of iridescent

teardrop facet beads, ivory lace ribbon and greenery.

The fathers of the couple each wore a double breasted black tuxedo with multi-colored vest and bow tie. Their boutonnieres were made of a medium berry tiger lily, pearls and greenery.

Honored guests at the wedding were Elizabeth Hamilton, godmother of the bride, Arnold Willet, godfather of the bride, Sonia Hedlund, godmother of the groom, Jim Pierce, godfather of the groom, Mr and Mrs. Walter Katschke and Teckla Willet and Joe Willet, all grandparents of the bride, and Mr and Mrs. Floyd Hesse and Estelle Grinde, grandparents of the groom. Special guests were Ivan Hesse, great uncle of the groom. Josie Klasen, friend of the bride's family.

Hosts and hostesses for the reception were Dan and Shelley Willett, uncle and aunt of the bride and Ross and Vicki Olson, uncle and aunt of the groom. The guest book attendant was Nancy Jo Mattison, aunt of the groom.

The wedding cake, baked and decorated by Karen Fossell, consisted of graduated-sized layer cakes displayed on various-height plex-glass cake stands. The cake was decorated in basket-weave frosting and accented with silk flowers, greenery and berry rose buds.

The cake table was complimented by a silk flower arrangement on a slender 24 inch riser, fresh greenery, cascades of silk flowers accented by white [illegible] Cake [illegible] LaCrosse [illegible]

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Waitresses were [illegible] Lori LaCoursiere, [illegible] all cousins of the bride. [illegible] were Todd, Dustin, [illegible] Luke LaCoursiere and [illegible] all cousins of the bride. [illegible] Jeremiah and Kate W[illegible] cousins of the bride, were in charge of favors and scrolls. Candle lighters were Justin Rewertz and Ross Alt, cousins of the bride, and the scrolls were by Karen Fossell, friend of the bride.

The couple make their home in Spring Grove. The bride is a 1991 graduate of Plummer high school and a 1995 graduate of Mayville State College, Mayville, ND. She is employed at [illegible] in Caledonia. The groom is a 1988 graduate of Plummer high school and a 1994 graduate of Mayville State College. He is employed at Spring Grove elementary school.

SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

You Can Have July and August...I Don't Like Them

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First birthday for Sorter

Trent Sorter celebrated his first birthday at a party on July 15 given by his parents, Kathi and Scott Sorter, and sister, Amber.

Great-grandparents, grandparents, aunts, uncles and many cousins from the area attended.

A Mickey Mouse cake centered the lunch table, and Trent enjoyed his own small birthday cake.

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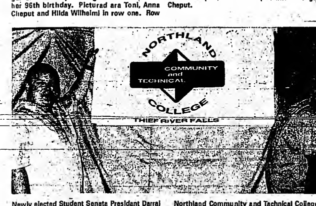

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ON MY MIND

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Summer usually finds me planning my weekends around these events. The atmosphere exudes gaiety and celebration, and I don't want to miss it.

There is an art, a technique, to attending a craft festival. Most of the following practical advice applies to the outdoor shows, but feel free to adopt any tips for indoor sales as well.

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The first area that deserves mention is attire. Wear a pair of comfortable, but worn shoes in case of inclement weather the evening before or day of. You won't feel at ease examining exquisite Ukrainian eggs if your brand-new $70 sneakers are immersed in an ankle-deep mud puddle.

Top off the outfit of your choice (preferably a tank top for warm days) with a fanny pack or string purse. You'll need both hands to push through the crowd and to inspect the merchandise.

If heavy crafting is planned, carry a small shoulder bag loaded with a few essential accessories. First on the list is a damp washcloth housed in a resealable plastic bag; this serves to wipe your hands after sampling the fare. In the shoulder bag, also include antacid tablets, extra napkins and a rain poncho (you never know when this will be handy). At the end of the day, fill the bag with your purchases.

Tip #2

Leave husbands and children at home. That is, unless they promise not to whine a million times, "When are we going home?"

The last thing you need is someone following you around the grounds saying: "What do you need that for?" or "Can't you make that at home?" This is supposed to be a fun outing.

Tip #3

Don't eat breakfast before you leave the house; go hungry. Perhaps, the greatest reason to attend these events is the food. You can't be in a proper crafting mood if you don't eat your way through the festival grounds. Once you're finished with one item, always be thinking ahead to your next selection.

Share the food with your friend; that way it doesn't seem as if you're eating too much. And when your husband asks you what you ate, you can say you just tasted a little of this and a little of that.

Tip #4

Agree on a crafting strategy. You don't have to linger at every stand, but it's important that you see every booth in the show. Otherwise, you'll always wonder what you missed.

If possible, procure a map and plan an attack. The one rule we employ is that you can only look at the booths on one side; you can't wander back and forth between rows. This gives all participants an equal opportunity to "ooh" and "ahh." This policy is strictly enforced on our excursions. Sometimes we think blinders would be appropriate for those with straying eyes.

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If you see something you like, buy it. Don't worry about seeing it cheaper at someone else's stand. Chances are, later, if you really liked the item you won't be able to remember which booth you saw it at and where it was located. Or you'll be too tired to go in search of it. Or you'll find the booth and the item you wanted will be sold. At home, you'll chastise yourself for not buying it.

Tip #6

Plan to shop for Christmas gifts and prepare a list. There's a 99 per cent chance you'll find that perfect gift for the person who has everything, and you won't have to buy your dad socks or a tie. The drawing point of craft shows is the uniqueness and quality of the product.

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Marshall County Nursing to hold foot care clinic

Appointments are now necessary for foot care clinics. To make your appointment, call Mrs. Juel Aune at 459-3315. The foot care clinic is scheduled for Grygla area residents on Wednesday, July 26 at 9:30 a.m. at the Grygla Community Center. Nurses from Marshall County Nursing Services will soak feet and trim nails. There is a $6 charge per person.

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Magers and Grinde married June 12

Sarah Lucinda Magers and Wade Scott Grinde were united in marriage on June 17 at 4 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Oklee with Pastor David Brochopp officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Carl and Joyce Magers of Plummer and Diane Grinde of Elk River and Milt Grinde of Monticello.

Music was provided by singers Vicki Yaggie, friend of the couple and Lowell Arlt, uncle of the bride and organist Carol Kankel, friend of the bride. Selections were "He Has Chosen You for Me," Keeper of the Stars," "Through the Eyes of Love" and "Cross My Heart." The processional was Cannon in D-Processial #3 and the recessional was "The Wedding March."

The church pews were accented with bows of ivory ribbon with berry and purple flowers and accented with berry and purple streamers. Alter baskets were decorated with fresh-cut muted pink tiger lilies, large Falji ivory spider mums, baby's breath, air ferns and greenery. Seven-candle candelabrum flanked the alter, draped with English ivy and large ivory ribbon bows.

The bride wore a floor-length, long-sleeved, ivory satin sheath with overlay of imported Italian lace. The entire gown was adorned with iridescent sequins and pearls. The bride's bustle and detachable train were made of ivory satin trimmed with open window lace, iridescent sequins and pearls and attached to her gown with a large satin bow. The headpiece and veil were designed by the bride and Karen Fossell. A beaded crown tiara accented with pearls and iridescent sequins was worn separately from the ivory tulle netting fingertip veil which was accented with iridescent leaves, miniature ivory flowers, clusters of pearl sprigs and pearl streamers.

The bride's cascading bouquet consisted of large silk bright berry tiger lilies, mediem dew-tipped ivory rose buds, blush ivory spider mums, sprigs of miniature purple flowers, air fern, English ivy with trailing ivory satin and ribbon and string pearls.

Serving as maid of honor was Kimberly Magers of Plummer, sister of the bride. She wore a floor-length, sleeveless gown of cerise berry satin with drape pleated shoulders that formed a "V" in back, accented with a large bow. Her headpiece was a spray of pearl centered lilies with rhinestone and pearl accent.

The bridesmaids were Janet O'Hara of Cavalier, ND, Jill Brantl of Plummer and Darcene Moen of Mayville, ND, all friends of the bride. They wore dresses identical to the maid of honor. The bridesmaids carried silk flower arm bouquets of bright berry tiger lilies, dew-tipped ivory rose buds, ivory spider mums, puffs of ivory netting, purple heather and accented with a wide satin brocaded gold ribbon bow and greenery.

The flower girl, Chelsey Olson of Moorhead, cousin of the groom, wore a berry colored v-neck, floor-length dress with short sleeves and a full skirt with a bow in back. Berry colored lace covered the sleeves and skirt and she had a matching purse covered with ivory lace. Chelsey carried a white wicker basket with berry tiger lilies, German statice, purple heather, white daisy mums, streamers of berry and ivory with pearl accents.

The bride's personal attendant was Elizabeth Hamilton, godmother of the bride. Scripture readers were Amanda and Ericka Grinde, sisters of the groom. The readings were Colossians 13:12-17 and 1 Corinthians 13.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails, white shirt and vest. His boutonniere consisted of a dew-tipped ivory rose with pearl centered purple flowers, berry tiger lily buds, air fern and greenery.

Neil Huotari of Rochester, friend of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jeff Lorenson of St. Cloud, Bill Otto of Moorhead and Shane Freyholtz of Wrangle, AK, all friends of the groom. The best man and groomsmen wore black tuxedos with tails, white shirts and multi-colored vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres had a medium dew-tipped ivory rosebud accented with miniature berry tiger lilies, pearl loops and greenery.

The ring bearer, Douglas Willet, Jr. of Plummer, cousin of the bride, wore a black tuxedo with tails, white shirt and multi-colored vest and bow tie. His boutonniere was a miniature replica of the grooms.

Ushers were Dale Mossestad of Plummer, friend of the bride and Chris Nelson of Thief River Falls, Chad Rolandson of Center, ND and Steven Pahlee of Plummer, all friends of the groom. The ushers wore black tuxedos with tails, white shirts and multi-colored vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres matched the groomsmen's.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a two-piece suit with an ivory princess-style jacket featuring navy blue trim, frog trim with gold button accents and a navy blue knee length skirt.

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The mothers of the couple wore corsages of silk berry tiger lilies, ivory netting, sprigs of iridescent teardrop facet beads, ivory lace ribbon and greenery.

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Hosts and hostesses for the reception were Dan and Shelley Willett, uncle and aunt of the bride and Ross and Vicki Olson, uncle and aunt of the groom. The guest book attendant was Nancy Jo Mattison, aunt of the groom.

The wedding cake, baked and decorated by Karen Fossell, consisted of graduated-sized layer cakes displayed on various-height plex-glass cake stands. The cake was decorated in basket-weave frosting and accented with silk flowers, greenery and berry rose buds.

The cake table was complimented by a silk flower arrangement on a slender 24 inch riser, fresh greenery, cascades of silk flowers accented by white twinkle lights and six lighted candles in crystal holders. Cake cutters were Susan LaCoursiere and Cindy Arlt, both aunts of the bride.

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The couple make their home in Spring Grove. The bride is a 1991 graduate of Plummer high school and a 1995 graduate of Mayville State College, Mayville, ND. She is employed at Winnebago Software in Caledonia. The groom is a 1988 graduate of Plummer high school and a 1994 graduate of Mayville State College. He is employed at Spring Grove elementary school.

. . . You Can Have July and August...I Don't Like Them

I know why I dislike July, and now I can remember why I dislike August too. Since our July heat wave struck the end of June this year, I had no trouble remembering why July is one of my least favorite months, but I couldn't remember just why it was that August is also at the top of my list.

Now I remember — August is Bug Month. I hate bugs, especially those that bite and bother me. Frankly, I don't even like the bugs that leave me alone. I just don't like bugs.

I don't like the looks of them. When you really look at most bugs, many of them have little faces that are downright ugly — and some of them have very pointed little snouts that look mighty dangerous to me — as if they could take a bite of me. I don't like the fact that they are so tiny that they fit into my ears, nose and mouth — and sometimes enter those orifices. I don't like it that bugs can move so fast — they can fly and run and jump so fast that one can hardly keep track of them — and where they are or where they are going next — like onto me.

I don't like spiders either, even though I know that they are beneficial bugs, eating mosquitoes and other nasty creepy crawlies. I have really tried to appreciate the spider. Once I sat down next to one and tried to be very friendly and sensible about it, thinking of it like a little pet. I watched it go about its business, toddling along on its long legs, all the while telling myself that this was just a nice bug that was merely walking along, minding its own business, and wasn't the least bit interested in me.

I looked into its little face, telling myself that there wasn't a thing to be afraid of and that it couldn't help looking the way it did because that is the way God made it. I saw its creepy-crawly legs walking along, then walking faster and faster, albeit away from me, and I couldn't help myself — I stepped on it. I just didn't want to take the chance that it would turn around and run at me on those creepy-crawly legs.

The bugs on my most hated list at the present time and the ones that reminded me of why I hate August are those little, bitty flies that cluster around me, especially my head and face. Are they called gnats? I thought they used to be called fruit flies.

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It does no earthly good to try to ignore them because they just don't care. It does no good to swat at them and kill a bunch, because they just don't care about their dead comrades either. In fact, it seems as if killing a few of them has the effect of making them increase. Perhaps they have little intercom systems on which they call for the reserve bugs when I am nasty to them.

One of the worst things about them is that they are so little they can sneak into the house through cracks and crevices, and they do. I usually realize they have come after me even inside the house when I try to read a little before going to sleep. There I am in my bed, trying to get calm after my altercation with the bugs, reading peacefully, and they just seem to magically appear, fluttering and flitting around my head, drawn, no doubt, by my reading light.

The only way to get rid of them is to turn off my reading lamp and get them away from me by turning on some other light upstairs, like the hall or the bathroom, to draw them away. Then, of course, I am not properly relaxed because I haven't read my allotted number of pages of my book and, besides, the light bothers me, and I can't get to sleep.

So if I look particularly horrible and am extremely crabby from a lack of sleep all through August, that is why, and that is why I dislike August.

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First birthday for Sorter

Trent Sorter celebrated his first birthday at a party on July 15 given by his parents, Kathi and Scott Sorter, and sister, Amber.

Great-grandparents, grandparents, aunts, uncles and many cousins from the area attended.

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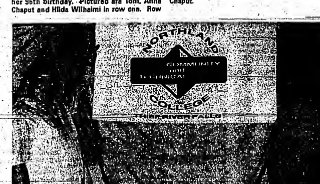

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Artful Advice

Bring on the handiwork. Bring on the sun. Bring on the food. Bring on the music. Lead me to a summer arts and crafts show, and I'm happy.

Summer usually finds me planning my weekends around these events. The atmosphere exudes gaiety and celebration, and I don't want to miss it.

There is an art, a technique, to attending a craft festival. Most of the following practical advice applies to the outdoor shows, but feel free to adopt any tips for indoor sales as well.

Tip #1

The first area that deserves mention is attire. Wear a pair of comfortable, but worn shoes in case of inclement weather the evening before or day of. You won't feel at ease examining exquisite Ukrainian eggs if your brand-new $70 sneakers are immersed in an ankle-deep mud puddle.

Top off the outfit of your choice (preferably a tank top for warm days) with a fancy pack or string purse. You'll need both hands to push through the crowd and to inspect the merchandise.

If heavy crafting is planned, carry a small shoulder bag loaded with a few essential accessories. First on the list is a damp washcloth housed in a resealable plastic bag; this serves to wipe your hands after sampling the fare. In the shoulder bag, also include antacid tablets, extra napkins and a rain poncho (you never know when this will be handy). At the end of the day, fill the bag with your purchases.

Tip #2

Leave husbands and children at home. That is, unless they promise not to whine a million times, "When are we going home?"

The last thing you need is someone following you around the grounds saying: "What do you need that for?" or "Can't you make that at home?" This is supposed to be a fun outing.

Tip #3

Don't eat breakfast before you leave the house; go hungry. Perhaps the greatest reason to attend these events is the food. You can't be in a proper crafting mood if you don't eat your way through the festival grounds. Once you're finished with one item, always be thinking ahead to your next selection.

Share the food with your friend; that way it doesn't seem as if you're eating too much. And when your husband asks you what you ate, you can say you just tasted a little of this and a little of that.

Tip #4

Agree on a crafting strategy. You don't have to linger at every stand, but it's important that you see every booth in the show. Otherwise, you'll always wonder what you missed.

If possible, procure a map and plan an attack. The one rule we employ is that you can only look at the booths on one side; you can't wander back and forth between rows. This gives all participants an equal opportunity to "ooh" and "ahh." This policy is strictly enforced on our excursions. Sometimes we think blinders would be appropriate for those with straying eyes.

Tip #5

If you see something you like, buy it. Don't worry about seeing it cheaper at someone else's stand. Chances are, later, if you really liked the item you won't be able to remember which booth you saw it at and where it was located. Or you'll be too tired to go in search of it. Or you'll find the booth and the item you wanted will be sold. At home, you'll chastise yourself for not buying it.

Tip #6

Plan to shop for Christmas gifts and prepare a list. There's a 99 per cent chance you'll find that perfect gift for the person who has everything, and you won't have to buy your dad socks or a tie. The drawing point of craft shows is the uniqueness and quality of the product.

Tip #7

Plan to have fun.

Marshall County Nursing to hold foot care clinic

Appointments are now necessary for foot care clinics. To make your appointment, call Mrs. Juel Aune at 459-3315. The foot care clinic is scheduled for Grygla area residents on Wednesday, July 26 at 9:30 a.m. at the Grygla Community Center. Nurses from Marshall County Nursing Services will soak feet and trim nails. There is a $6 charge per person.

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Jordy Kotrba

Thief River Falls — Jordy James Kotrba, infant son of Tracy Kotrba and Paula Carreon was born and died Friday, July 14 at the United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, July 19 at 7 p.m. in the babyland section of Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls with Rev. Curtis Jacobson officiating.

He is survived by his parents; brother, Andres Carreon; sister, Victoria Carreon; maternal grandparents, Jonette Staie of Thief River Falls, Wesley and Barb Staie of Dunlap, TN; paternal grandparents, Arlene Kotrba of Sauk Center and John and Sharon Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ; several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Hazel Bakken, 95

Thief River Falls — Hazel Bakken, 95, died Monday, July 17 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Funeral services are pending with the Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Darlene L. Muzzy, 62

Thief River Falls — Darlene L. Muzzy, 62, died at her home in rural Thief River Falls on Tuesday morning, July 18. Funeral services are pending with the Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Ben Seibel

Harvey, ND — Ben Seibel of Harvey, ND, formerly of Thief River Falls, died Sunday, July 16.

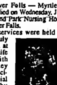
Services will be held on Wednesday, July 19 at 1 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Harvey, ND.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Myrtle E. Myrin, 92

Thief River Falls — Myrtle E. Myrin, 92, died on Wednesday, July 12 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, July 15 at 2 p.m. at Abundant Life Church with Rev. Wesley Langaas officiating. Special music was by organist Beverly Kays and vocalist Grace Hammer. Selections were "His Eye Is on the Sparrow" and "Precious Lord Take My Hand." Congregational hymns were "Does Jesus Care" and "When Peace Like a River."



Honorary casketbearers were all of Myrtle's nieces and nephews. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Myrtle Myrin was born on September 21, 1902 in Crary, ND to Nils and Anna Julia (Bjerke) Myrin. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith and attended school in the Thief River Falls area, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1922.

After graduation, Myrtle attended teachers training for one year, and upon completion, she taught in rural Pennington County Schools for one year. Later, she completed one additional year of teachers training at Bemidji State College, graduating in 1925, and finished her degree at the University of Minnesota. After graduation, she went to work in the Grand Rapids School District where she taught first grade until her retirement in 1968.

She was a member of the Abundant Life Church, Retired Teachers Association, Sons of Norway and was a life member of the Historical Society, the Minnesota Education Association, the National Education Association, Pennington County Council on Aging and Bemidji State University Alumnus Emeritus Club.

She is survived by her sisters, Ethel Sanders of Thief River Falls, and Laura Blasjo, Goleta, CA; sisters-in-law, Lorraine Myrin of Milwaukee, WI, Emma Myrin Johnson of Minneapolis and Magdalene Myrin of Redmond, OR; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers Arthur, Irwin, Millard, Clifford and Vernon; sister-in-law Marguerite Myrin and brother-in-law Emil Sanders.

Madonna Ordway, 76

Thief River Falls — Madonna Ordway, 76, died Monday, July 17 at Northwest Medical Center, CNC Unit, in Thief River Falls.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, July 21 at the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Fr. Tim Bushy and Al Gjerde officiating. Special music is by Grace Hammer. Selections are "On Eagles Wings" and "Here I Am Lord." Interment will be at Nisbet Cemetery, rural Fisher.

Madonna Louise Terrian was born August 16, 1918 in Bygland township, Polk county, to Peter and Emma (Latourneau) Terrian. She attended rural school near Key West and was baptized and confirmed at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in East Grand Forks.

On April 25, 1943, she was united in marriage to David R. Lee at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. The couple lived near Key West where they farmed.

They moved to Thief River Falls in 1947 and farmed in Rocksbury township. Madonna was employed at several places in Thief River Falls, including the Mint Cafe and Joppa's.

On September 7, 1966, she married Eugene Ross Ordway at Crookston. The couple lived in Grand Forks, ND until 1970 when they returned to the Thief River Falls area. Ross died in 1983.

She is survived by three sons, Emery Lee of Thief River Falls, David Lee of Montrose, CA and Roy Lee of San Bernardino, CA; five daughters, Jeanette Varney of Minneapolis, Donna Horacek of Goodridge, Sharon Ponek of Goodridge, Darlene San of Minneapolis and Beatrice Smith of Thief River Falls; 32 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren and one sister, Virginia Halm of Mandan, ND.

She was preceded in death by her two husbands, David Lee and Ross Ordway; one daughter, Carol Killcrese; one grandson and one brother, Freddie Terrian.

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CORRECTION

In the Russel E. Olson obit, The Times misspelled the name of one of the honorary casketbearers. It should have read Jerad Timm. The Times apologizes for the mistake.

Dear Readers,
Especially tragic is the death of a parent with young children. The remaining spouse, deep in grief, may find it difficult to be helpful to the children. Yet the children must be helped to confront reality - they should be part of the funeral service. Psychiatrists emphasize that if death is not talked about, accepted, and grief worked through in childhood, behavioral and emotional problems may arise later.
Respectfully,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Frank Wald, 83

Thief River Falls — Frank Wald, 83, of Thief River Falls, died on Thursday, July 13 at Northwest Medical Center. Funeral services were held on Monday, July 17 at 10 a.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church with Mr. Wald's brother Fr. Ed Wald celebrating the Mass of the Resurrection. Fr. Joe Decrane and Fr. Tim Bushy concelabrated. Music was provided by Elizabeth Odette, organist and Jane Mattson, Cantor.

Casketbearers were Duane Wald, Leo Wald, Jeff Schmitz, John Senger, Roger Beck and Ronald Kressel. Interment was in St. Bernard's Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Frank Wald was born in Karlsruhe, ND on February 8, 1912, the son of Michael and Anna Marie (Boehm) Wald. He moved with his family to East Grand Forks in 1925.

He was married to Katherine Seager in East Grand Forks on October 26, 1936. He farmed at Fisher for three years and then returned to East Grand Forks, where he farmed for 13 years. He then moved to St. Hilaire and established a farm there.

Katherine died on March 14, 1975. He moved to Thief River Falls in 1976.

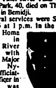
He married Katie Senger on September 25, 1976. They made their home in Thief River Falls and he continued to work on the farm until 1993.

He is survived by his wife, Katie, of Thief River Falls; sons, Donald of Stephen and Robert of Thief River Falls; daughters, Carole Wald of Brooklyn Center; Renee Chapman, Union City, CA and Kathy Connely of Minnetonka; nine grandchildren; two great grandchildren; brothers, Fr. John Wald of Papua, New Guinea; Adam Wald, East Grand Forks, Alex Wald of Plummer and Fr. Ed Wald of St. Louis, MO and sisters, Elizabeth Kraft of Minneapolis, Sr. Albertine Wald of Crookston, Ann Zeigler of Colorado and Mary Bajnovsky of East Grand Forks.

He was preceded in death by his first wife Katherine; son, Tony; his parents; brothers, Michael, Joe and Jacob and sister, Rose.

Kurt Park, 40

Thief River Falls — Kurt Park, 40, died on Thursday, July 13 in Bemidji.



Funeral services were Sunday, July 16 at 1 p.m. in the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Chaplin Major Myron Nysether officiating. Officer in Charge was Major Don Kerr. Non-commissioned Officer in Charge was CSM Clarence R. Gagner. Organist/vocalist was Diane Johnson. Selections were "Beyond the Sunset" and "Amazing Grace." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend" and "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Casketbearers were 1SG Brian McKinnon, 1SG Roger Dzlengel, 1SG Gary Metcalf, SFC Kelly Booge, SFC John Isabell, SFC Larry Frehse. The honors party was CPT Tim Kojetin, NCOIC 1SG Douglas Julin, members of the 2nd Battalion, 136th Infantry (Mechanized), and PCT Brian Feda. Color Guard was 1SG Allen Peterson, SFC Cory Orvik, SSG Brad Olson, SSG Brian Olson. Firing party was 1SG David Knopf, SFC Ron Harris, SFC Greg Marcus, SFC Dwight Kringler, SSG Justin Knoll, SSG Al Gaines, SSG Lowell Kobernick, SGT Gerald Christen-son. Interment was in Fertile City Cemetery, Fertile.

Kurt Park was born on February 9, 1955 in Lewisburg, TN, the son of Andrew and Vivienne (Boelter) Park. He grew to adulthood and attended school in that area, graduating from Concersville High School.

After graduation Kurt enlisted in the Army National Guard. He worked as a Unit Clerk for the Company B 2nd Battalion (Mechanized) 136th Infantry located at Crookston and Thief River Falls. He previously served as Unit Clerk at Company C at Bemidji.

He is survived by his mother, Vivienne, Thief River Falls; daughter Natalie, Gulf Port, MS; fiance Debbie Feda, Bemidji; brothers, Roger of Chattanooga, TN, Jerry of Alamo, TN; sister, Melody Hollingsworth of Savannah, TN and nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1989.

Arne F. Kujanson, 85

Grygla — Arne F. Kujanson, 85, died Thursday, July 13 at his residence near Grygla.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 15 at 2 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church, Grygla, with Reverend Roberta Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by Joy Nordby. Selections were "On Eagles Wings" and "The Lord's Prayer." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "Here I Am Lord."

Casketbearers were his grandsons, Scott Kujanson, Jason Kujanson, Trent Kujanson, Bryon Delorme, Corey Delorme, Rob Kappel. Honorary casketbearers were all of Arne's relatives and friends. Military honors were by the VFW and American Legion Posts of Grygla. Interment was at St. Olaf Cemetery.

Arne Frederick Kujanson was born on May 8, 1910 in Minnie township, Beltrami County, the son of Simon and Mary (Haara) Kujanson.

Mr. Kujanson entered into the military service in 1942 serving in the United States Army in the South Pacific.

He was united in marriage to Agnes Stratton on August 16, 1941. He started working for the State of Minnesota Highway Department, retiring in 1975. Mr. Kujanson was a member of the Grygla VFW and Thief River Falls American Legion.

Arne enjoyed hunting, trapping and playing horseshoes.

He is survived by his wife Agnes; six children, Joyce Lambeth, Bloomington, Carol Wikert of Grygla, Arnold Kujanson of Fargo, ND, Karen Delorme of Moorhead, Gary Kujanson of Moorhead and Sandi Kujanson of Bloomington; one sister, Aile Selle of Grygla; nine grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and four brothers, Edwin, Edward, Einard and Walfred.

Clara Strand, 93

Fosston — Clara Josephine Strand, 93, died Sunday, July 9 at the First Care Nursing Home in Fosston.

Funeral services were Thursday, July 13 at 10 a.m. at the Carlin-Haialmen Funeral Home in Fosston with Pastor Philipp A. Lehmann of Mt. Olive Lutheran Church, Trail, officiating. Special music was provided by organist Kathy Bakke and soloist Mark Erickson. Selections were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Harvey Hanson, Mervin Hanson, Alvin Hendrickson, Elmer Hanson, Orville Hanson and Orin Strande. Honorary casketbearers were Gilbert Nilson, Everette Schumacher, Tom Jackson, Wayne Bakke and Irvin Christianson. Interment was in Mt. Olive Lutheran Cemetery, Equality township, Red Lake County, rural Trail.

Clara Josephine Hanson was born April 22, 1902 to Ole and Anna Marie Pederson Hanson in Johnson township, rural Gully where she grew up and attended rural school.

She was united in marriage to Ivan Griffin on October 10, 1920. Together, they had three children.

Clara owned and operated the Trail Hotel and later operated Clara's Eat Shop in Trail until 1940, when she was married to Norman Strand. They moved to Thief River Falls and lived their for eleven years, then moved back to Trail and farmed until Norman passed away in 1976. Clara moved to the Town Square Apartments in Fosston in 1979 and lived there until she entered the First Care Nursing home in 1992.

Clara was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith and a member of Mount Olive Lutheran Church in Trail. She was also a member of the Embassy Community Center in Fosston.

She is survived by one son, Dennis Griffin; four grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one sister, Cora Hanson; all of Fosston; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two husbands; one daughter, Betty Griffin Bengstan, 1979; one son Verne Griffin, 1992; six brothers and five sisters.

Paul Mutnansky, 71

Goodridge — Paul Mutnansky, 71, died on Sunday, July 16 at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mass of Christian burial will be held on Friday, July 21 at 10 a.m. in St. Ann's Catholic Church, Goodridge with Father Tim Bushy presiding and Fathers Tim Noah and Duane Pribula as concelebrants. Special music will be provided by organist Dorene Myers and Paul's family.

Casketbearers will be Orlin Hanson, Charles Kiesow, Lawrence Kiesow, Palmer Lovly, Floyd Neuschwander and Lawrence Neuschwander. Honorary casketbearers are Roy Anderson, Stanley Erickson, Joe Horachek, Johnny Hoffmann, Albert Kassa and Gordie Peterson. Interment will be in the Poplar Grove Cemetery, rural Goodridge.

Visitation will be on Thursday, at the Green Funeral Home from 1 to 5 p.m. and at St. Ann's Church from 7 to 9 p.m. with a Biblical Wake service at 7:30 at the church.

Paul Valentine Mutnansky was born September 2, 1923 to Matthew and Agnes (Karabin) Mayernik Mutnansky on their farm in Goodridge township, Pennington County. He was educated at the Goodridge School and worked on the family farm. After evening chores, Paul repaired an old violin that his brother Tom bought in 1932 from the Sears and Roebuck Company. He then spent his spare time teaching himself to play the instrument. He played his fiddle in various bands and later formed his own "Mutnansky Family Band." They played for their own enjoyment as well as entertainment at various functions.

He was united in marriage to Teresa Kiesow on August 12, 1950 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Goodridge by Fr. Tim Noah. The couple made their home in Pennington County on the farm where Paul was born.

In October of 1955 Paul and Theresa and their three children moved to the farm in Espelie township, Marshall county. There they lived until August of 1993 when they moved to the Matthew Mutnansky farm in Goodridge township, Pennington county. In addition to farming, Paul worked at the Northwest Angle in the winters of 1957 to 1959. During the summer months, he worked for the Minnesota State Department of Forestry in Warroad and John Sund, contract of Grygla.

Paul was also employed by Carl Elg's Garage in Goodridge and he helped with the invention of the "Bog Buggie."

In August of 1966 he worked as an electrician on the Betchel Taconite Plant in Nashwauk until accepting employment with the Great Northern Railroad (now Burlington Northern) in the spring of 1967. He worked for Burlington Northern Railroad as a first class carpenter on the bridge and building gang until his retirement in 1979.

He was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church of Goodridge and had served for several years on the Espelie township board and was township fire warden for 35 years.

He is survived by his wife Therese; two sons, James and Joseph, both of Goodridge; eight daughters Paulette Kassa and Patricia Skibicki, both of Goodridge, Jane Storlie of Cass Lake, Mary Herried of Bemidji, Diane Kalsnes of Thief River Falls, Bonita Njaa of Wannaska, Jodi Mutnansky of Manhattan, NY and Paula Mutnansky of Wannaska. He is also survived by one daughter-in-law, Arletta Mutnansky of Goodridge; 19 grandchildren; three sisters, Carolyn Larson of Viking, Ruth Koci of Chicago, IL and Elsie Lubinski of St. Paul.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and brothers, Thomas Mayernik, Vincent Mutnansky and Jerome Mutnansky.

Dorothy Englund, 76

Karlstad — Dorothy Mae Englund, 76, died May 14 at the Dakota Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Funeral services were Tuesday, July 18 at 2 p.m. at First Lutheran Church, Karlstad with Pastor Carl M. Seamon officiating. Organist was Corienne Jacobson and vocalists were Everett and Kathy Englund. Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "When Peace Like a River."

Casketbearers were Vic Esplan, Joe Esplan, Jonathan Pearson, Dale Everson, Sid Mulceky, Matt Englund, Chris Koland and Philip Krantz. Interment was in the Karlstad Cemetery.

Dorothy Mae Englund was born January 16, 1919 at Minneapolis, the daughter of Oscar and Gladys (Allen) Kruger. She attended school and grew to adulthood at Loretto and was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith there.

On May 29, 1945, Dorothy was united in marriage to Wayne (Swede) Englund at Minneapolis. The couple resided at Minneapolis for many years. In 1978, they moved to Perham where they made their home for 10 years, then moved to Karlstad.

Dorothy was a member of the First Lutheran Church of Karlstad and of the church women's group.

Wayne passed away May 23, 1993 and Dorothy has since resided at Karlstad.

She is survived by two sons, Tom of Princeton and Terry of Karlstad; six grandchildren; one great-grandson; one brother, Russ of Dent; one sister Margaret Stockler of Brooklyn Park and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, one brother, Earl and step-father, "Bummps" Holl.

Allie Waldron, 70

Tucson, AZ — Allie Waldron, 70, died July 11 in Tucson, AZ.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, July 22 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Newfolden with Rev. Merton Roley officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Shelia Nelson and vocalist Kathy Rokke. Selections are "Beyond the Sunset" and "If I Have Wounded Any Soul Today." Congregational hymns are "How Great Thou Art." and "Blest Be the Tie."

Casketbearers are Gary Bondy, Steve Bondy, Rod Bondy, Larry Humble, Arne Roseland and Rolland Roseland. Honorary casketbearers are Richard S. Jensen, Justin Tanem, Andrew Tanem, Chad Voelker and Eric Voelker. Interment will be at Bethlehem Cemetery, New Solum township, Marshall County.

Allie was born May 27, 1925 in Newfolden to Arne and Selma (Sjoquist) Roseland. She was baptized August 5, 1925 at the Evangelical Free Church in Newfolden, and confirmed there as well. She attended Wildwood District #69 School and also attended school in Warren.

On June 13, 1942 she was united in marriage to Arthur Waldron at New Solum township, Marshall county, where the couple lived until 1957 when they moved to Aurora. They moved back to Newfolden in 1960 and then moved to Hibbing, where they lived until moving to Tucson, AZ in 1989. Allie entered Medows Mobile Home Park in 1990 where she has resided since.

She was a member of Beautiful Savior Church in Tucson, AZ.

She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Arthur; five daughters, Arlene Shelhon of Duluth, Diane Jensen of Hibbing, Mary Voelker of Iron, Rosalie Oakley of Thunder Bay, ON and Shirley Tanem of Hibbing; two sons, Larry Waldron of Tucson, AZ and Dennis Waldron of Minneapolis; 11 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one sister, Pauline Bondy of Grand Forks; three brothers, Lloyd of Maple Grove, Paul of Anchorage, AK and John of Newfolden.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one grandchild, Kevin Shelhon and one brother, Jerome.

Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
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Last week guests of Walter and Willie Katschke were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Katschke and sons, Brian and Buddy of Winnameo, IN, Carol Clamana of Loganport, IN, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Patrick and son Brad of Bluffton, IN and over the 4th of July.

Bharlin and Evangeline Grova, Renia Grove, Willard Hince of Thief River Falls, Harold Burthwick of Plummer, Mrs. Mebla Sabourin, Russell Hince and Shawn were Friday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Weekend of July 2nd Arthur and Martha Gagnar, Clarence and Dianna Gagnar and Danny were among those who attended the ell Gagnar Reunion gathering at Withrow with 350 members.

Ron and Evie Capp of Grafton, ND were Sunday evening dinner guests of his brother Ray and Ann Capp.

Mrs. Elizabeth Trudeau and son LeRoy of Washington visited with Mrs. Nora Delage on Saturday.

On Thursday, Mrs. Alberta Katschke, Mrs. Shirley Petrick, Mrs. Carol Clamana, Mrs. Cindy Arlt, and Sharri Engen were dinner guests of Mrs. Willa Katschke at Cindy's Cafe in Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Joyce Rock hosted a dinner party on Thursday in honor of her husband Dona's birthday, with family John and Val Walker and family of Crookston, Doug and Karen Rock and family, David Rock and family of McIntosh, Arnie and Pam Paradis and family Dona's sister, Mrs. Gloria Domarlas and Monica Hanson of California and grandson Tyler Rock of Mentor.

Milo and Marlis Rock and Shannon of Waseca, Milton and Sue Rock of Mentor celebrated the 4th of July with their parents Dick and Grace Rock.

Karl Majors of Plummer, visited his parents Walter and Willie Kotschke on Sunday evening.

On Sunday, Mrs. Martha Dessutel of Bemidji, Mrs. Elaine Toggort of Portland, OR, Mrs. Bernice Erickson of Lisbon, ND were dinner and afternoon guests of Arthur and Martha Gagnor.

Jean and Mory Christenson and daughter, Shannon of Milwaukee, WI visited Mrs. Nora Delage on Friday.

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JULY 24	JULY 25 LEWIS MEETING	JULY 26	JULY 27 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 28 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 29 BAR BINGO 5-5 P.M.

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JULY 24 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 25 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:30	JULY 26 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 27 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	JULY 28	JULY 29 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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Sunday, July 23: Chicken with gravy, baked potato, scalloped carrots, bread, pie, milk.
Monday, July 24: Pork choppette, boiled potato, broccoli, bread, frosted jello, milk.
Tuesday, July 25: Hamburger gravy, whipped potatoes, coleslaw, green beans, bread, applesauce, milk.
Wednesday, July 26: Ham and macaroni salad, ham salad sandwich, green beans, strawberry dessert, milk.
Thursday, July 27: Meatballs with gravy, whipped potatoes, carrots, bread, brownies, milk.
Friday, July 28: Tuna noodle casserole, coleslaw, peas, bread, pudding, milk.
Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Tuesday, July 25: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, cut green beans, tossed salad with Italian dressing, carrot cake, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Wednesday, July 26: Roast beef au jus, oven browned potatoes, sliced parslied carrots, chocolate pudding, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Thursday, July 27: Ham loaf, au gratin potatoes, broccoli cuts, apple crisp, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Friday, July 28: Oven crisp chicken, whipped potatoes with gravy, baby whole carrots, marinated vegetable salad, peach sauce, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
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Monday, July 24: Meatballs with gravy, boiled potato, green beans, bread and margarine, peach sauce, milk.
Tuesday, July 25: Baked ham, scalloped potatoes, diced beets, lime jello mold, bread, margarine, plum sauce, milk.
Wednesday, July 26: Liver with onions or sizzle steak, oven browned potatoes, peas and carrots, bread and margarine, strawberry shortcake, milk.
Thursday, July 27: Macaroni and tomato casserole, wax beans, lettuce salad, bread and margarine, ice cream, milk.
Friday, July 28: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, California blend, bread, margarine, ice cream sundae, milk.

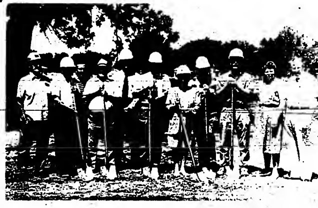
Meals On Wheels

Monday, July 24: Baked chicken with orange sauce, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, cherry cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:
Monday, July 24: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.
Tuesday, July 25: Milk, apple juice, Rice Krispies, toast.
Wednesday, July 26: Milk, applesauce, cream of wheat, cinnamon toast.
Thursday, July 27: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.
Friday, July 28: Milk, oranges, scrambled, eggs, toast.
Lunch:
Monday, July 24: Bean soup with ham, crackers, cheese sandwich, apple crisp, milk.
Tuesday, July 25: Homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans with mushroom soup, bread and butter, peaches, milk.
Wednesday, July 26: Macaroni hamburger hotdish, coleslaw salad, cherry jello with mixed fruit, milk.
Thursday, July 27: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, baked beans, pickles, pear halves, milk.
Friday, July 28: Creamed chicken over biscuits, green beans, applesauce, milk.

Construction of a multi-unit housing project at the west end of First Street in Thief River Falls is already underway. The groundbreaking ceremony was held with local dignitaries, construction company representatives, Northwest Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment, and management firm representatives, at the site last week. Pictured from left are: (front row) Audrey Bruggeman, Vice-Mayor Jean Heinrichs, Community Development Director Don Stewart, City Councilman Dave Carlson, Regan Rohl, Bob Flynn, Terri Olson of Great Lakes Management, and a representative of Weiss Construction; (back row) Clarence Back, chairman of Elderly Housing, City Councilmen Ken Schmaltz, Lee Maier of Northwest Multi-County Housing, Jay Portz of Northwest Multi-County Housing.



Groundbreaking for senior market rate apartments on the former Northrop elementary school site was held last week. The housing project, which was supported by Northwest Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority and the City of Thief River Falls, will be a three-story wood frame building consisting of 47 units and underground parking. The apartments are expected to open April 1. Pictured from left are: Clarence Back, chairman of Elderly Housing for Northwest HRA, Ken Schmeltz, Thief River Falls City Alderman, Lee Meier, Northwest HRA, Floyd Dalzall, Regan Rohl, Don Stewart, community development director, Vice-Mayor Jean Heinrichs, Bob Flynn, Dave Carlson, city councilmen, Audrey Bruggeman, and Orville Henson.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson 874-4331

I have put a news box in the Hartz store for anyone wishing to leave news for the Thief River Falls Times, Warren Shaaf and the New River Record Thanks.

Thursday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with LaVoi Thun.

Robbin Mathsen and Amber Wilson attended the funeral for Stan Holmaas with Curt and Elaine Thompson on Wednesday the 28th. Robbin and Amber also visited with Grandpa and Grandma afterwards. Thelma Johnson was also a visitor.

Rev. and Mrs. LeRoy Flickinger, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Fletan, Mrs. James Olson and Rev. Raynerd Huglen attended the annual conference of the AFLC near Osceola, WI last month.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski attended the 50th Anniversary of a cousin Harry and Rose Krowski at the Comfort Inn at East Grand Forks on July 1st.

Friday, Lloyd Larson of Holt was named the Outstanding Senior Citizen at the Marshall County Fair.

Kameron and Kathy Harstad visited with Hanna Moen on Sunday.

Roy and Laura Roppe attended the Marshall County Fair.

Duane and Louise Ellingson, Brion and Brant came Tuesday evening to visit and are houseguests of Alice Ellingson they also visited with Anna Rud and other relatives. They returned home on Friday.

Sunday afternoon, Michael and Debbie Waterworth and Reed visited with Aaron and Blenche Waterworth.

Saturday evening Lillie Olson visited with Sybil Paterson.

Sunday, Clara Hanson visited with Hilma Lee.

Friday, Arnold and Vernice Larson went to Warren to attend the Marshall County Fair were their grandchildren had a lot of Exhibits and Josh also showed his holfer. They all did real good.

Amber Wilson spent six days with Grandma Elaine Thompson she was of great help.

Ethel Torgerson and her cousin Morvin of St. Thomas, ND visited briefly at the Huglen home week before last.

Peter and Frances Garszewski attended a picnic at the Floyd and Mary Ottos in their yard along with the Otto children and grandchildren on July 4th.

Lloyd and Harryat Larson left on Saturday for Porham to visit with Roger and Ronda Larson and Heather at their [illegible] on their way down they stopped to see [illegible] cousin Hazel Rjeberg at Detroit La[illegible] they returned home on Monday.

Alice Elling[illegible] accompanied Arlene Jenson to the Ci[illegible] they were houseguests of Gordon Ellingson they also attended the wedding of Alice's great-granddaughter last weekend.

Sunday evening visitors at the Chuck Olson home were Lillie Olson, Jerome and Patty Nelson and LaDawn Henson.

Sunday evening, Emil and Lyle Vacura visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson.

Friday, Sybil Cwikla visited at the Arnold Larson home also helped her mom with some work.

Floyd and Adaline Nelson visited with Curt and Elaine Thompson and granddaughter Amber Wilson last Thursday after the 29th.

Rev. Erling Huglen of Roseau came to Newfolden on June 28th and accompanied Raynard and Valborg Huglen to the funeral for Stan Holmaas.

Peter and Frances Garszewski were among many who attended the Marshall County Fair at Warren on Sunday afternoon.

June 29th, Thursday afternoon, Harryet Larson attended the Birthday Party for Anna Muzzy at the Oakland Park Nursing Home she was 100 years old.

Carolyn Jacobson and her daughter LuAnn Olson of Wisconsin, Ron and Lois Sham of Atlanta, GA and Randyna Sham of Grand Forks visited with Clara Hanson on Tuesday.

Saturday, July 8th, those that attended a potluck dinner held at the Arnold Larson home in honor of Arnold's 75th birthday were Jim and Marsha Larson, Bryce and Rechal of Mounds View, Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh, Kenny and Sybil Cwikla, Tom and Sue Dondelinger, Shena, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Kari Jeeme and Collin, Richard Larson Stanley Larson, Shirley Lefrooth, Scott Larson of Red Lake Falls, Steve and Joyce Larson, Hannah, Sadie, Molly and Jessie of Warroad, Roy and Carol Ness, Elwin and DaDa Ness, Kyle and Kaylo of McIntosh, and Morgan Tiani, DelRay Ness, Brad and Merle Ness, Sybil Paterson, LaVoi Thun, Edward and Janice Carlson and Bud Thompson. Arnold received many nice cards and gifts, two birthday cakes baked by Sue Dondelinger and the other one from LaVoi Thun. Had a very nice time visiting, taking pictures, playing horse shoe. Jim and Marsha and family left for their home in Mounds View on Sunday forenoon after spending the weekend here.

Grandpa and Grandma Thompson took Amber Wilson home last Thursday evening the 29th we shall miss her.

Valborg and Raynard Huglen went to Roseau on the 4th to have an indoor picnic supper at the home of Rev. and Erling Huglen.

Harvey Skyberg had coffee with Curt Thompson last Saturday afternoon.

Thursday evening, June 29th, Lloyd and Harryat Larson visited with Clifford and Marjorie Steinhauer at Holt.

Tuesday visitors and coffee guests at the Clara Henson home were Senora Elseth and Della Elseth.

Monday afternoon Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Alice Ellingson.

Curt and Elaine Thompson went and got Olga Thompson and Emma Kommen on Sunday evening the 9th for a while during the bad weather we had a little Lunch before we took them home again.

July 5th, Curt and Elaine Thompson drove to Fargo where Elaine had a doctors appointment. We visited afterwards with our son Mark and also with Paul Flaten at the V.A. hospital.

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Plummer News

Effie Byer 465-4375

Montana Trip
Carole Konickson, Brenda Peterson, and daughters Cydnae and CeJae visited with Charlane and Heidi Schoenback in late June in Belcourt, ND on their way to Billings, MT where they visited with sister-in-law Doris Skredorgard, cousins Dawn and Eric and their families. Jodi Konickson of Helena, MT joined them in Billings for a couple of days and spent Sunday driving in the mountains through Beartooth Pass and into Wyoming. They also visited with Brenda's friend Olno Russell and family in Bismarck, returning here on Wednesday, June 28th.

Roger Welter and brother-in-law Jim Laniel of Prior Lake spent a week at Juneau, AK with his brother Marvin Welter and family. Marvin has a charter service for fishing and the fellows had a great time fishing the Alaskan waters and visiting with Marvin's family.

Harry Carlson, brother-in-law to Orvel and Dorothy Roese and granddaughter Melissa and friend DeeDee Olson, all of St. Paul came in late June and spent several days visiting with the Roese's and other relatives and friends.

Kathleen and Darel Brasgalle of Bismarck arrived on Friday before the Fourth at her parents Carl and Eunice Koskele. On Monday both couples went to Baudette to see Darel's father Louis Brasgalle. Darel had to return to Bismarck on the Fourth but daughter Lisa came from Fargo that day. On Thursday, Kathleen, Carl and Eunice visited at the Ola Tvedt home and on Sunday Agnes Hemly, Brent and Linda and girls came to visit them. Kathleen returned to Bismarck after a nice day visit with her parents.

Lynor Mortenson of Ellendale, sister of Leonard Peterson, spent the weekend of July 4th as a houseguest of Lorne Huotari, and also attended her class of 55 class reunion. Lynor, who is widowed, lives with her daughter, Lynn in Ellendale.

Herb and Esther Welter spent the July 4th weekend at their daughter June and Jim Smith's home in Hugo. Merilyn and Gene Budraitis and boys of Luverne, AL; Iona Merkoly of Rockford, Duane and DoEtta Welter and boys of Minot, ND; Janel Welter of Plummer with her children; Ray and Reinette Walter of Thief River Falls; Jennie Walter and Jason Yutrzenka of Cannon Falls; were also there. Roger Walter, who had been fishing at Juneau, AK joined them on Sunday. More of the family gathered on July 4th for a picnic including Pat and Barbara Pinc and family of Hastings, Jeff and Eliza Smith and Alone, Brian, Jenelle, Taylor and Ben Wilke of Forest Lake, Corne and Ryan Cottrell of Buffalo, Cathie and Mike McNeil of Minneapolis. The Walters took part in many activities and returned home on July 6th.

Visitors this past week at the home of Art and Gloria Fossum were Ken and Sylvia Spears of Big Lake and Arizona, Ray and Shirley Bigelow of the Pas, Manitoba, and Arizona, Ken and Eve Schweitzer of Carrington, ND, Harold and Vi Wickstrom of Oak Creek, WI, Gene and Gert Bergie of Laona, WI; Jo Reedel of Thief River Falls, Ann Westerlund and grandson Allen of Middle River.

Morgie Berg of Eugene, OR spent from Wednesday to Saturday last week as a houseguest of her sister-in-law Clara Hesse.

Plummer

Clara Hesse and Margie Berg visited at the home of Art and Frances Schiefert on Thursday last week.

Anne Anderson of Santa Anna, CA arrived on Friday evening at the home of her mother Effie Byer. She had flown to Minneapolis and visited with her brothers Dan, Dick, Steve and David and their families before accompanying Judy and David Nelson of Cambridge to Erskine where we met her at the Wilbur Nelson home visiting there before reaching Plummer.

Allen and Wanda Peterson, Alice and Larry Wendz of Washington State were houseguests at the George Olie home while in the area to attend the 50th Class Reunion in Red Lake Falls. They also visited other relatives while here.

Clara Hesse, Margie Berg and Lillie Halvorson visited at Margaret Greenwald's home on Friday afternoon and were on hand to welcome Edward and Dorothy Carlson of Duluth. They came to visit Clara Hesse and were overnight guests of Howard and Margaret Greenwald. They were supper guests of Florance and Henry Tvedt and the party included Clara and Margie, Margaret and Monte Greenwald.

Donald Lange of Aurora and Evelyn Thompson of Eveleth were Saturday visitors of cousins Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson. They had come to attend the Centennial celebration of Salem Lutheran church of Oklee.

Ettie and Burnet Byer and Anne Anderson visited on Saturday with Gerald and Jeanette Vigstol of St. Louis Park at their cabin near Karlstad. Enroute home they visited at the Harold Aker home of Thief River Falls.

Margaret and Monte Greenwald attended the 32nd anniversary party for Harvey and Mary Ann Gagner, held in Cindy's Cafe of Red Lake Falls on Saturday.

Ruth Thompson of Eveleth and Donald Langle of Aurora were Saturday visitors of Art and Avis Froland.

Jeremy Schiels of Jamestown was a weekend guest at the Mike Greenwald home.

Recent visitors at the home of Myrtle Patnode and Pat Larson were Dale Craft, Gus and Loretta Craft, all of Fargo and Agnes Hamley of Washington.

Family Reunion
Ruth Wilkens, Dennis and Sharyl Wilkens and all of their family were among the many who attended a family reunion at Maple Lake on Sunday. Relatives from Grand Forks, Crookston, St. Hilaire, Plummer and other areas enjoyed the day together.

Renate and Greg Schmidtke and their family of Lakeville arrived on Sunday to spend a few days with her parents Harold and Marian Vatthauer and other relatives. Joshua, Ben and Ruthie make up their family.

Art and Avis Froland, Goodwin and Lucille Kvesagar, Arlan and Garda Koskale were among the many who attended the 100th Anniversary of Salem Lutheran congregation of rural Oklee.

Mike and Sandy Greenwald and girls were Sunday supper guests at Joyce and Jim Carlson and boys of Thief River Falls.

Bridal Shower
Jennie Walter, was guest of honor at a bridal shower held at St. Vincent de Paul's church of Plummer on Sunday afternoon. The shower was hosted by her bridesmaids Renee Lindgren, Tammie Yutrozanko, Gina Wardner and Cheryl Greenwald, also men-of-honor her brother Brian Walter. Brian had a reading and several games were played before the bride-to-be opened her gifts assisted by her mother Reinette Walter, mother-in-law-to-be Renea Yutrzenka and sister Renee Lindgren. Other special guests were grandmothers Esther Walter and Monica Novak, Janel Walter and Paulina Purath as well as friends from the area. Jennie also was guest of honor at a Bachelorette party on Friday night and a shower in Argyle on Saturday afternoon. Jennie will become the bride of Jason Yutrzenka on August 5th.

Gus and Loretta Craft of Fargo and Agnes Hemley of Washington were Sunday afternoon visitors of Howard and Margaret Greenwald.

Bert Johnson of International Falls and sister-in-law, Ellen Stiles of Portsmouth, NH were weekend guests of Lorna and Bryce Huotari.

Kelly and Dave Krueger of Jackson, WI spent last week with her mother, Kathy and Ron Juneau. They helped the Juneau's celebrate their wedding anniversary on July 2nd with a noon dinner at Lakeview near Mentor. The same evening friends Herb and Betty Derosier joined them for supper at Third Base in Brooks. Herb poured.

Loretta Hesse drove to Elk River and visited her son Donnie Hasse over the July Fourth weekend.

Agnes Hemley was a Sunday evening visitor of Amelie Eskell.

Anne Anderson and the Byers left for Grand Forks following the benefit dinner at Plummer Hall and visited Christine Jaglum and Ellen Storstad, roommates at Valley Memorial Nursing Home of Grand Forks. They also visited with Gladys Lomman at her apartment in Grand Forks.

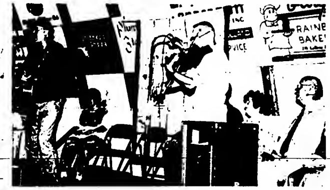
Benefit Dinner
The Lions and Lioness clubs of Plummer sponsored a benefit dinner for Libertie Traxler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Traxler and granddaughter of Anne Traxler on Sunday at the Plummer Hall. A nice crowd attended and the funds were matched by Lutheran brotherhood and Aid Association for Lutherans.

Carl and Isobel Henson of Hatton and her brothers Petito DelaCruz, Mr. and Mrs. Petre DelaCruz of San Francisco visited on Sunday at the homes of Charlotte Leining, Jim and Carole Wri[illegible]

Like a jet plane at the end of the runway, this bull seems to be taking off into the sky blue yonder. Some spectacular leaps and twists were exhibited by the bulls and some amazing strength and balance by the cowboys at Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair.

Darwin Tvedt of Dickinson, ND, tried a little side-saddle maneuver with some success Friday evening during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair. Tvedt recovered from this near fall to score 65 points on a bull called "Cherokee Jack."

Nuca Cook of Australia made this ride on "Yellow Tom" for 72 points and followed with a 74-point ride in the second go-round for second place at Bullride '95 Friday at the Pennington County Fair. Cook claimed $1,757.50 in prize money for his second place finish.



Alvin and Hilary entertained the audience with their humorous songs and old-time music at Senior Citizen Day at the Pennington County Fair. Guests of honor were Outstanding Senior Citizens Doris Elsbraner and Al Sollom.

Heritage Center director Shannon Olson acted as M.C. for the event. She encouraged people to get involved by nominating a senior friend or relative for the annual award.

Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel 698-4470

On Sunday, July 2nd, Dona and Joyce Rock entertained her aunts Mrs. Modest Garais of Inver Grove Heights, Mrs. Elle Mae Wiese of Oxford, CA, Mrs. Merritte Seuve and daughter, Renie of Vancouver, WA, Mrs. Jean Nordlaoder of Washington, Mrs. Val Walker and family of Crookston. Doug and Keren Rock and family Arnie and Pam Peradis as guest.

Mrs. Vi Gagner visited with her sisters, Mrs. Vern Saltes of California, Mrs. Pearl Sick of Bemidji at their brother's home, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Baurgeous and all attended the Pioneer Memorial Dedication held at Carp. Senator LeRoy Stumpf also spoke at the dedication last week. Returning home on Wednesday.

Arthur and Martha Gagner, Mrs. Donna Josephson and family of Thief River Falls joined the Gagner family reunion at Leech Lake resort the week of June 25th to July 1st.

On Thursday, Vicky Grove, Carey and Ryan and Michael Hagger of Thief River Falls and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillien Hince.

Joe and Carol Parenteau and boys of Vancouver, WA, Claro and Patty Jo Thompson, Steve and Vicky Parenteau and boys, all of Grand Forks, Tom and Diana Parenteau and Aaron of Maple Grove, were Sunday and 4th of July guests of Aurel and Gloria Parenteau and help Aurel celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Brenda Gagner and family of Fergus Falls were weekend guests of Mrs. Dianne Gagner and Brentney was a visitor throughout the week.

Mrs. Marie Lanoat and son Leon of Crookston were Sunday dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Nora Delage on July 2nd.

Dick and Grace Rock recently visited their daughter, Doug and Georgine Corbit and Grant of Minot, ND.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel visited Darryl and Dolores Grimm on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Doris Miller of Mesa, AZ visited with Dick and Grace Reck.

Dick and Grace Reck traveled to Fargo, ND on Saturday to visit their daughters, Michelle and Ashley Gagner and Claudia Reck.

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LeRoy Stumpf earned a grand championship in the photography division at the Pennington County Fair with his picture of a sunrise on Lake of the Woods.

Stavan Yonka of Thief River Falls won a grand championship in the open class crops division at the Pennington County Fair with his entry of Vance spring wheat.

Ida Furuseth's entry of whole green beans won a grand championship in open class adult culinary at the Pennington County Fair.

Ashley Johanning of Red Lake Falls had the grand champion lily in children's open class flower competition at the Pennington County Fair.

Helen Juhl of Middle River used Brazilian embroidery on this pillow and won an open class grand championship at the Pennington County Fair.

Sue Lopac received a grand championship in the open class adult culinary division at the Pennington County Fair with her entry of potica in the bread category.

Jan Lundin of Thief River Falls received a grand championship for hanging flowering plant with this entry in the flower division of open class competition at the Pennington County Fair.

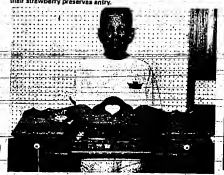
Rosemaling on the chest which he also built earned a grand championship in the open class arts and crafts division at the Pennington County Fair for Vincent Rasan of Erskine.

Audrey Broadwall of Thief River Falls made this afghan which won a grand champion award in open class needlework at the Pennington County Fair.

Combined effort by Ray and Kassie Koukari of Thief River Falls resulted in a grand championship in the children's cookery division of open class competition at the Pennington County Fair. Ray and Kassie picked the berries and did the cooking to make their strawberry preserves entry.

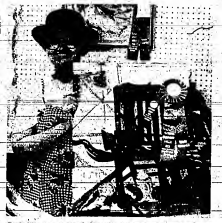
Two grand championships in the open class woodworking division at the Pennington County Fair were won by Vincent Rasan of Erskine. The entries were an intarsia picture and a scroll sawed model of the Eiffel Tower.

Vivian Ruud of Thief River Falls won a grand championship with this embroidered set of pillow cases in the open class sewing division for senior citizens age 60 and older.



Woodworking in the junior division of open class competition earned a grand championship for Casey Enga of Thief River Falls at the Pennington County Fair.

Jim Nelson of Thief River Falls earned a grand championship award on his saddle in open class arts and crafts at the Pennington County Fair.



Paula Kjos won a grand championship in the children's arts and crafts division of open class competition at the Pennington County Fair with this oil painting.

Helga Nelson of Thief River Falls made this quilt of the United States which won an open class grand championship in the senior citizen division for exhibitors 60 years of age and older.

Dayna Holland made this mask which won a grand championship in open class children's arts and crafts at the Pennington County Fair.

Counted cross-stitch picture by Snooky Bondy of Thief River Falls won a grand championship in open class needlework at the Pennington County Fair.

Losing his hat was a minor concern for this cowboy during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair. He had other things on his mind—such as a ton of bovine and an eight-second whistle.

Hybrid lilies entered by Arlene Thune of Thief River Falls received a grand championship ribbon at the Pennington County Fair open class flower show.

"Here's lookin' at you, kid." A fallen cowboy scrambles to regain his feet while the bull that threw him appears to have the cowboy in his sights. The action is from Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair.

More than 5,000 reasons to smile were shared by these bull riders who won first place money at Bullride '95 Thursday and Friday during the Pennington County Fair. Leslie Davis (top photo) of Pitkin, Louisiana, scored 160 points on rides of 76 and 84 to take first place in the average Thursday evening rnd win $2,427.25. He also had a 73-point ride Friday evening and earned another $210.90. Donald Owens (bottom photo) of Choctaw, Oklahoma, won $138.70 Thursday with a 139 total on rides of 70 and 69, then scored 149 Friday on rides of 73 and 76 to win the first place check of $2,460.50.

After a bull named "Headhunter" had rubbed him off coming out of the gate and done some serious damage to his ear in the resulting wreck, Dean Wilson of Stephenville, TX was awarded a re-ride on "Don Man" (above). Patched up by the local ambulance crew, he narrowly missed qualifying for the finals when he failed to make the eight-second whistle. Instead, he headed for Northwest Medical Center and some more permanent treatment.

Awesome power is displayed by this bucking bull Friday evening during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair. Top cowboys and top bulls were matched up for the bull ride which was held under near ideal weather conditions.

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Jennifer Novak's cookie entry was judged to be of grand champion quality in the open class children's culinary class at the Pennington County Fair.

The Deer Hunters Association would like to thank all the area supporters for stopping at the Deer Hunters booth at the Pennington County Fair.

We are happy to announce the following winners:

1st Prize	.22 Rifle	Steve Alby, TRF
2nd Prize	Compound Bow	Brian Moyer, Viking
3rd Prize	Frameprint	Allan Gehrls, Inkster, ND
4th Prize	$50 Bond	Brandon Kastrowicz, Karlstad
5th Prize	$50 Bond	Jason Alby, TRF

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Little Oak . . . . . .

Arlene Pickard was a brief caller at the Arnold Haugen home Sunday evening.

Ardith Kloth called at the Arnold Haugen home Tuesday afternoon she was on her way to Walker.

Callers at the Willie Good home on Tuesday were Orben Good and Richard Barrett.

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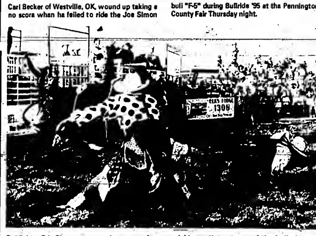
Carl Becker of Westville, OK, wound up taking a no score when he failed to ride the Joe Simon bull "F-5" during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair Thursday night.



Bullfighter Eric Rhorer came to the rescue of a number of cowboys during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair. Here he moves in quickly to distract one of the bulls from a cowboy who found himself in an awkward position after taking a fall.

Three out of four rides to the eight second whistle wasn't bad for bull riders at Bullride '95 during the Pennington County Fair. Leslie Doyle of Pitkin, LA, won Thursday night's bull ride with a combined score of 160 and claimed a check of $2,427.25. He made a 73 point ride on his first bull Friday but ran into trouble on "Cut Across Shorty" with the above results.

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Organizations may apply for arts projects grant

Organizations may apply for sponsorship and production assistance grants in literary, performing and visual arts until August 1 from the Arts Council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission.

Applications may be made for a maximum of $2,500 in matching funds per grant. Each organization may still receive up to $3,500 in grant funds annually. Production assistance grants are available for the creation, performance or exhibition of arts. Sponsorship grants provide funds to host guest artists or touring groups.

Small arts grant deadline also is August 1. Under this program, organizations may apply for up to $500 in matching funds for the production or sponsorship of arts events of approximately $1,000 in total costs.

Public schools are eligible to receive arts education grants in visual, performing or literary arts for projects such as conducting an artist-in-residence program, hosting a visiting artist, conducting workshops for students and/or teachers and other activities.

Northwest Regional Development Commission will also conduct an NWRDC/McKnight Small Capital Grants round. Arts organizations classified under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code may apply for artistic equipment or other small capital expenditures. This program is supported with funding from the McKnight Foundation. Application deadline for this program is also August 1.

Application materials for all the grant programs are available from Mara Lunde, Arts Council Director, NWRDC, 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762, phone 218-745-6733.

Local band to play Saturday

Local rock band "Numb" will perform Saturday evening at the Chile Pepper Espresso Co. in Thief River Falls. Members of the band, which performs July 21 at the Ror Schach II music festival in Park Rapids, includes Chris Tveitbakk, Brod Flynn, Chris Bjornstad and Eric Bjornstad.

Sports Section

Thieves host Crookston, Roseau

Thief River Falls Thieves, 5-3 for the year following a pair of 5-4 wins over visiting Bemidji Saturday, will continue its Irv Wilson Field homestand this week by taking on Crookston in a 5:30 p.m. doubleheader Thursday and then meeting Roseau in a single nine-inning 7 p.m. game Friday.

The Thieves will begin playoff activity next week. They invite fans to attend the games and patronize their concession stand – a source of revenue for the second-year team trying to meet its financial obligations.

Both Thief River Falls-Bemidji games went extra innings. A Jason Svir walk and a Corey Poole double tied the opener 4-4 in the bottom of the seventh, then a fielder's choice on a ball hit by Steve Burslie and an Eric Bjorgaard double produced the tie-breaker in the eighth.

The nightcap went 11 innings before Burslie drew a lead-off walk, advanced on a sacrifice bunt by Bjorgaard and, after an intentional walk issued to Chris Nelson, scored on a line-drive single by Svir.

Bemidji, 17-2 before the start of the doubleheader, had a chance for a split by scoring twice in the top of the eighth in Game 2, only to have the Thieves' Joby Looker tie it 3-3 on a two-run home run in the bottom of the inning.

After taking the lead again with a run in the top of the ninth, Bemidji committed three errors on a single play in the bottom of the frame to produce another tie that lasted until the 11th.

In other recent action, the Thieves lost a 12-7 Friday (July 14) decision to Grand Forks Gerrell's on the road and beat Warroad twice – a 9-6 decision July 10 in Thief River Falls and a 12-2 July 9 victory in Warroad.

Thieves vs. Bemidji - Game 1

		r	h	e
Bemidji	000 013 00	4	7	2
Thieves	000 210 11	5	5	0

Bemidji - Alory (LP)
Thieves - Mike Swenson (WP). Corey Poole 2 hits, 2 RBI

Thieves vs. Bemidji - Game 2

		r	h	e
Bemidji	010 000 021 00	4	10	5
Thieves	010 000 021 01	5	6	1

Bemidji - Moisland, Ulrich (9 LP)
Thieves - Jeremy Olson (WP). Jason Bell 2 hits, Joby Looker 2-run home run, Steve Burslie scored three runs

Thieves vs. Gerrell's

		r	h	e
Thieves	002 210 002	7	9	3
Gerrell's	223 210 20x	12	12	3

Thieves - Mike Steen (LP). Rick Oatby (5). Eric Bjorgaard 2 hits. Steve Burslie and Adam Henney 2 hits each
Gerrell's - Brian Stumpf (WP). Ryan Houchert (6). Dale Czapiewski (8)

Warroad at Thieves

		r	h	e
Warroad	100 010 310	6	6	4
Thieves	202 000 32x	9	12	1

Warroad - Lyle Esting (LP)
Thieves - Chris Nelson, Jeremy Olson (WP 6) - combined for 12 strike-outs. Steve Burslie 2-run home run. Thieves rookies Adam Henney, Eric Bjorgaard, Chanc Keele and Burslie had 2 hits each

Thieves at Warroad

		r	h	e
Thieves	202 005 3	12	8	2
Warroad	001 001 0	2	3	5

Thieves - Mike Steen (WP). Jeremy Olson (7). Carter Rogalla 4/5 with two home runs and 4 RBI
Warroad - Troy Mattern (LP)

- Sports Briefs -

Area coaching changes

Eric Mickelson, who had been serving as the Goodridge assistant boys high school basketball coach, will be the Huskies' new head coach next winter.

Mickelson will succeed John Rahn, who resigned to accept a coaching position in Iowa.

Other recent developments in the high school coaching ranks include three positions at Bemidji, where Bryan Grand has stepped down as head hockey coach after 19 years, Kurt Kietzer left after one year as head boys basketball coach and Dan O'Brien resigned after two years as head football coach.

The Lumberjacks are still searching for a hockey coach. They named Garry Grewe, the boys basketball coach at Park Rapids since 1988-89, to succeed Kietzer, and picked Troy Hendrickson, a Bemidji native, as football coach. Kietzer and O'Brien both left for college assistant coaching positions in the Twin Cities area.

Elsewhere, East Grand Forks High School and University of North Dakota graduate Tom Jerome has been named high school hockey coach at Alexandria for Steve Haataja. Jerome served as head coach at Williston, ND the past three years.

TRF Legion closes home schedule...

Post 117 nearing start of district tournament

Doubleheaders with Crookston, East Grand Forks and Detroit Lakes will complete the 1995 regular season schedule for the Thief River Falls American Legion baseball team.

A scheduling change gave Post 117 back-to-back Irv Wilson Field twinbills vs. Crookston Tuesday and East Grand Forks tonight (Wednesday) to wrap up the home portion of a season that will be completed with a pair of July 28 games at Detroit Lakes.

Ninth District tournament will be played Aug. 2-5 in Roseau, where Thief River Falls, Moorhead, Detroit Lakes, Fergus Falls, Roseau, and Crookston will be involved in a double-elimination state tournament-qualifying format.

The Terry Wiseth-coached Thief River Falls squad is 6-18 for the year.

Post 117 has been idle since losing a 4-2, 7-3 doubleheader at Roseau last Wednesday when Thief River Falls batters struck out 24 times against Aaron Larson (15 strike-outs in the opener) and Eric Lins (9 K's in the nightcap).

Thief River Falls' last home appearance was a 14-1, 12-5 doubleheader lost at the hands of Fergus Falls July 7. Post 117 then beat Sebeka 4-0, but lost to Staples 10-8 in an appearance at Park Rapids Invitational before heading to Roseau.

TRF vs. Roseau - Game 1

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Thief River Falls	000 001 1	2	1	1
Roseau	102 010 x	4	4	2

TRF - Courtney Skjerven (LP). Eric Bjorgaard RBI double in the seventh was the only TRF hit
Roseau - Aaron Larson (WP) – 15 strike-outs. Aaron Stromlund 2/3

TRF vs. Roseau - Game 2

		r	h	e
Thief River Falls	000 100 2	3	2	1
Roseau	015 010 x	7	7	2

TRF - Nathan LaRoque (LP). Trevor Magner (3)
Roseau - Eric Lins (WP). Chad Degemes 2/3. Brent Eaton 3-run third inning home run.

Pioneers name basketball captains

Matt Gustafson and Jake Rantanen have been named co-captains of the 1995-96 Northland Community and Technical College men's basketball team, it was announced recently by Pioneers coach Mark Dannhoff.

Dannhoff also said that Colorado recruit Kenta McGaughy has signed a letter of intent to play for the Pioneers.

"Jake and Matt have excellent leadership qualities," said Dannhoff. "We expect their leadership qualities to help with a predominately freshman squad next season."

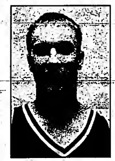
Both captains are northwestern Minnesota high school products. Gustafson is a point guard from Hallock and Rantanen is a guard/forward from Newfolden who is highly regarded for his defensive work.

Other sophomores who are expected to be on hand for the upcoming season include Preston Treat, a shooting guard from Thief River Falls; John Brown, a center from Minneapolis; and Jeremy Anderson, a swing player from Karlstad.

"We expect considerable contributions from all of them next season," noted Dannhoff. "We expect all of our returning players to provide leadership to the incoming freshmen."

The list of recruits, which has dotted The Times and Northern Watch throughout the spring and summer, now includes McGaughy, a 6-3 forward from Montbello High School in Denver, where he averaged 18 points, 6 rebounds and 6 assists per game. He was named all-city and honorable mention all-state.

"Kenta is a good athlete," pointed out Dannhoff. "He should provide good offensive power. We expect him to come in and help us immediately."



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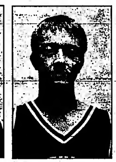

Gustafson

McGaughy

TRF VFW baseball team wrapping up '95 regular season

Thief River Falls VFW baseball team will close out its 1995 regular season schedule with doubleheaders at Irv Wilson Field Saturday vs. Fergus Falls beginning at 2 p.m. and Monday against Perham starting at 4 p.m.

The Jason Svir-coached 16-year-olds, struggling with a 4-23 record, were scheduled to be in East Grand Forks today (Wednesday) for a 4 p.m. twinbill.

VFW/Perham July 10 - Game 1

		r	h	e
Thief River Falls	200 110 2	6	13	5
Perham	302 101 z	7	7	2

TRF - Wik (LP), eight of the nine TRF batters had at least one hit, but TRF left 10 runners on base.

VFW/Perham July 10 - Game 2

		r	h	e
Thief River Falls	011 010 0	3	6	6
Perham	137 000 z	11	6	1

TRF - Courtney Skjerven (LP)
Perham - Dauna (WP) - struck out 12

Awards presented to TRF Pacesetter camp participants

Eighty-three area girls participated in the Thief River Falls Pacesetter Basketball Camp last week.

Players attending each of the age-group sessions voted for most valuable and hustle awards, while participating in a free throw contest and decathlon competition featuring 100 shots in three categories.

TRF Pacesetter Awards

■ Grades 9-12 - Nicole Kopari, Thief River Falls, most valuable; Jill Aaneneson, Fisher-Climax, hustle; Katie Herbolt, Thief River Falls, free throw contest; Mandy Olek, Climax-Fisher, decathlon.

■ Grades 7-8 - Emily Mugaas, Thief River Falls, most valuable; Keli Waterworth, Thief River Falls, hustle; Kristen Langaas, Thief River Falls, free throw contest; Heather Dybing, Climax-Fisher, decathlon.

■ Grades 5-6 - Bethany Blomquist, Kittson Central, most valuable; Mornie Scheler, Thief River Falls, hustle; Branda Kopari, Thief River Falls, free throw contest; Blomquist, decathlon.

■ Grades 3-4 - Kristi Joppru, Thief River Falls, most valuable; Marit Dalen, Thief River Falls, hustle; Brook Mattila, Thief River Falls, free throw contest; Joppru, decathlon.

Sportsmen's Club meeting Thursday

Pennington County Sportsmen's Club July meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the club house.

Men's Softball

Division I

	W	L
Busch	16	2
Pepsi	14	4
Amoco 24/Pizza Hut	13	5
Bears/Swede's/Pennington	10	8
Northwest Eye Center	9	9
Budget Electronics	8	10
DW's/Anderson Bros.	7	11

Division II

	W	L
RC Cola/Taco John's	13	5
Thygeson Construction	12	6
Keystone/Kainz Chiropractic	9	10
Best Western Inn	7	10
Forsberg's Inc.	7	12
Miller Lite	6	13

Division III

	W	L
Elks Lodge	13	4
Phillips Iron & Metal Inc.	11	7
Rick's Appliance	8	9
WCF Distributors	7	10
VFW	6	11
Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen	5	12
Hutchinson Transfer	4	13
United Methodist Church	1	16

Results

■ Monday, July 10 - (8:20 p.m.) Miller Lite 14, Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium 4; Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. 8, Hutchinson Transfer 5; Elks Lodge 18, Rick's Appliance 8; Best Western Inn 21, United Methodist Church 0; Forsberg's Inc. 24, VFW 4; (7:30 p.m.) Best Western Inn 18, Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium 13; Forsberg's Inc. 23, Hutchinson Transfer 13; Miller Lite 18, VFW 2; Rick's Appliance 21, United Methodist Church 2; Elks Lodge 8, WCF Distributors 2; (8:40 p.m.) WCF Distributors 9, Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. 7.

■ Tuesday, July 11 - (8:20 p.m.) Rick's Appliance 14, Forsberg's Inc. 11; Elks Lodge 11, Hutchinson Transfer 3; Best Western Inn 13, WCF Distributors 3; VFW 29, United Methodist Church 9; Miller Lite 28, Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. 1; (7:30 p.m.) Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. 5, Rick's Appliance 4, Elks Lodge 13, VFW 7; WCF Distributors 11, Hutchinson Transfer 4; Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium 22, United Methodist Church 9, Best Western Inn 21, Miller Lite 8; (8:40 p.m.) Forsberg's Inc. 18, Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium 4.

■ Thursday, July 13 - (8:20 p.m.) Budget Electronics 17, RC Cola/Taco John's 12, Busch 18, Thygeson Construction 8, Amoco 24/Pizza Hut 18, DW's/Anderson Bros. 8, Pepsi 18, Northwest Eye Center 0, St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square 7, Miller Lite 0, Forsberg's Inc. 8, Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic 8; (7:30 p.m.) Pepsi 12, Budget Electronics 0; Busch 10, DW's/Anderson Bros. 8; Amoco 24/Pizza Hut 20, Thygeson Construction 0, RC Cola/Taco John's 15, Northwest Eye Center 7, St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square 15, Forsberg's Inc. 4; Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic 7, Miller Lite 0.

■ Monday, July 17 - postponed because of the weather

Schedule

■ Tuesday, July 18 - (8:20 p.m.) WCF Distributors vs. Forsberg's Inc., Field 1; Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. vs. Elks Lodge, Field 2; Hutchinson Transfer vs. United Methodist Church, Field 3; Rick's Appliance vs. Miller Lite, Field 4; Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium vs. VFW, fairgrounds. (7:30 p.m.) WCF Distributors vs. United Methodist Church, Field 1; Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. vs. Forsberg's Inc., Field 2; Miller Lite vs. Elks Lodge, Field 3; Rick's Appliance vs. Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium, Field 4; VFW vs. Best Western Inn, fairgrounds; (8:40 p.m.) Hutchinson Transfer vs. Best Western Inn, fairgrounds.

■ Thursday, July 20 - (8:20 p.m.) Best Western Inn vs. Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic, Field 1; Busch vs. Pepsi, Field 2; DW's/Anderson Bros. vs. Northwest Eye Center, Field 3; Amoco 24/Pizza Hut vs. Budget Electronics, Field 4; Forsberg's Inc. vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, St. Hilaire Field 1; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. Thygeson Construction, St. Hilaire Field 2; (7:30 p.m.) Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic vs. Northwest Eye Center, Field 1; Busch vs. Amoco 24/Pizza Hut, Field 2; DW's/Anderson Bros. vs. Pepsi, Field 3; Budget Electronics vs. Best Western Inn, Field 4; Forsberg's Inc. vs. Thygeson Construction, St. Hilaire Field 1; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, St. Hilaire Field 2.

14-15-year-olds begin playoffs

District baseball tournament play for the Thief River Falls 14-15-year-olds began with a qualifying game for the Sioux Tuesday at Northland Community and Technical College – a match-up that was postponed Monday because of wet weather.

The 14-3 Bison will be the No. 1 seed for the district event, scheduled to be played Thursday through Sunday in Roseau.

Bison vs. Crookston I - July 17

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Crookston I	102 000 0	3	4	4
Bison	002 200 x	4	1	1

Crookston - Fredrickson (LP)
Bison - Casey Skjerven (WP) - 0 strike-outs, 0 walks, Brandan Rokke RBI double, Bison scored two runs in fourth on 3 Crookston errors

Bison at RLF July 13 - Game 1

		r	h	e
Bison	104 010 2	8	10	1
Red Lake Falls	201 210 0	6	5	0

Bison - Casey Skjerven, Jeff Rislov (5), David Hoglo (WP-S), Ryan Rogalla, Andy Harbott, Jeff Rislov 2 hits each, Rislov, Swanson, Beste had 2-out hits in seventh inning rally
RLF - Aaron Cardinal (LP), Cardinal 2 hits

Bison at RLF July 13 - Game 2

		r	h	e
Bison	013 00	4	4	3
Red Lake Falls	011 03	5	3	3

Bison - Eric Thayer (LP), Hamilton Keefe 2 hits, Mike Dowers 2 RBI
RLF - Jeremy Anderson (WP), Kurt Knott 2 hits.

Bison at Grafton July 7

		r	h	e
Bison	020 021 0	5	6	1
Grafton	000 201 1	4	4	1

Bison - Hamilton Keefe, Brendan Rokke (WP-4), Josh Boman, Andy Harbott 2 hits each.
Grafton - McFarland (LP).

Sioux at Grafton July 7

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Sioux	201 020 1	6	5	4
Grafton	210 100 0	4	3	4

Sioux - Houske (WP) - 11 strike-outs, Spears 2/3, Berg scored 3 runs
Grafton - Johnson (LP)

Volleyball camp at NCTC names list of award winners

List of award winners have been announced for the girls in grades 5-8 who participated in the Northland Community and Technical College Volleyball Camp June 26-29.

The camp, directed by Pioneers coach Shari Olson, drew 46 participants.

NCTC Volleyball Awards

■ Forearm passing - (grades 5-6) Lacey Hoffman, Goodridge; Sarah Zak, Thief River Falls; (grades 7-8) Kelly Bendickson, Thief River Falls; Kim Knott, Red Lake Falls; Carmen Schmitz, Red Lake Falls.

■ Push-ups - (grades 5-6) Kristie Brenna, Thief River Falls; Stephanie Hagen, Newfolden; (grades 7-8) Hayley Klagstad, Hallock; Kalie Jorde, Thief River Falls.

■ Best serving percentage - (grade 5) Keri Holmstrom, Newfolden, 80 percent; (grade 6) Sara Sundby, Thief River Falls, 91 percent; (grade 7) Becky Bray, Thief River Falls, 94 percent; (grade 8) Alicia Torgerson, Grygla, 80 percent.

■ Hardest worker - (grades 5-8) Erin Clow, Thief River Falls; (grades 7-8) Kim Knott, Red Lake Falls.

■ Most Improved - (grade 6) Erin Steva, Thief River Falls; (grade 8) Vanessa Chandler, Warren; (grade 7) Amy Schuck, Kenny; (grade 8) Erin Klemmetson, Thief River Falls.

■ Best all-around players - (grade 8) Kelly Bendickson, Thief River Falls; Kriston Rokke, Warren; (grade 7) Becky Bray, Thief River Falls, (grade 8) Emily Krogness, Newfolden; Kalie Jorde, Thief River Falls, Holly Augustine, Thief River Falls.

■ Tournament champions - (grades 5-6) Kala Levinson, Newfolden; Kali Holmstrom, Newfolden; Erin Steva, Thief River Falls; Lacey Hoffmann, Goodridge; Megan Krogness, Newfolden; Becky Lehrer, Thief River Falls; (grade 7-8) Hayley Klagstad, Hallock; Becky Bray, Thief River Falls; Holly Augustine, Thief River Falls; Erin Klemmetson, Thief River Falls; Emily Krogness, Newfolden; Alisha Torgerson, Grygla; Kelly VanKirk, Alvarado.

TRF men's softball tourney set Aug. 6

Thief River Falls Fall Blast men's slow pitch softball tournament will be held Sunday, Aug. 6.

The 16-team tournament will guarantee teams three games.

Entry fee is $80, plus one Blue Dot softball. Tournament director is Bruce Lawrence, telephone 681-6324.

Women's Softball

A month's worth of regular season play remains in the Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League, where B&E/Terrys and the Swingers are the Division I and II leaders, respectively.

Latest action in the Wednesday night doubleheader league, played July 12, featured a match-up of the two first place teams when B&E/Terrys handled the Swingers 22-3 as Mary Huot and Sandy Barbot both went 4-for-4 while Julie Buse and Heidi Rewertz were 3-for-4. Terri George hit a 3-run home run to account for Swingers' scoring.

B&E/Terrys also beat the Musherettes 15-2 behind 2-for-2 games by Buse and Barbot.

The Swingers defeated Baker's Acres 16-5 earlier in the evening when George, Kerry Walton and Laurie Hamness all went 3-for-4 and Darcy Hanson homered.

Andi Nelson was 4-for-4, Shannon Olson was 3-for-3 with a home run, while Cheryl Johnson and Patti Peterson were both 3-for-4 as the Best Western Inn Ridgerunners shut out Digi-Key 27-0.

Best Western Inn Ridgerunners also posted a second-game 20-0 win over Best Western Inn on the strength of 3-for-3 games by Olson, Johnson, Julie Stennes and Michelle Erickson. Olson and Stennes both homered.

Three hits apiece by Colleen Rook, Dee Thompson, Karen Schmitz, and Sue Went carried the Musherettes to a 21-3 win over Digi-Key.

A 4-for-4 game by Deb Johnson included the game-winning RBI as Baker's Acres edged Sather Law Office 17-16 in eight innings. Becky Knutson was also 4-for-4 with a pair of doubles for the winners, while Lisa Spiering was 4-for-5 and both Nancy Osbjorson and Lawni Young had 2-for-2 games.

Division I

	W	L
B&E/Terrys	12	2
Best Western Ridgerunners	11	3
Baker's Acres	9	5
Sather Law Office	7	9
Pizza Hut/Amoco 24	4	10

Division II

	W	L
Swingers	12	2
Musherettes	7	7
Best Western Inn	1	13
Digi-Key	1	13

Results

■ Wednesday, July 12 - (8:20 p.m.) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 27, Digi-Key 0; Swingers 16, Baker's Acres 5; B&E/Terrys 15, Musherettes 2; Sather Law Office 18, Best Western Inn 8; (7:30 p.m.) Musherettes 21, Digi-Key 3; Baker's Acres 17, Sather Law Office 16; B&E/Terrys 22, Swingers 3; Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 20, Best Western Inn 0.

Schedule

■ Wednesday, July 19 - (6:20 p.m.) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners vs. Sather Law Office, Field 1; Best Western Inn vs. Musherettes, Field 2; Swingers vs. Digi-Key, Field 3; Pizza Hut vs. Baker's Acres, fairgrounds; (7:30 p.m.) Sather Law Office vs. Baker's Acres, Field 1; Musherettes vs. Digi-Key, Field 2; Swingers vs. Best Western Inn, Field 3; Pizza Hut vs. B&E/Terrys, fairgrounds; (8:45 p.m.) B&E/Terrys vs. Best Western Inn Ridgerunners, fairgrounds.

Calendar Winners

Monday, July 10 - Kim Peterson, $25; Tuesday, July 11 - Deb Cole, $25; Wednesday, July 12 - Cliff Swanson, $100; Thursday, July 13 - Missy Taggart, $25; Friday, July 14 - Missy Taggart, $25; Saturday, July 15 - Neil Beyer, $25

TRF 13-year-olds have a quiet week of baseball action

Lone outing for the Thief River Falls Baseball Association 13-year-olds this week was a Tuesday doubleheader at East Grand Forks.

Gophers vs. Crookston July 11

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Crookston	001 001	2	1	2
TRF Gophers	032 10x	6	6	3

Crookston - Hanson (LP), Thorson (3), Hunt (4)
Gophers - Duane Wolff (WP), Casey Engs (6); Engs triple and single; Steven Wiseth and Brett Johnson 2 singles each

Gophers vs. Roseau July 7

		r	h	e
Roseau	000 520	7	9	3
TRF Gophers	604 20x	12	6	3

Roseau - Ryan Fevold (LP)
Gophers - Casey Engs (WP), Jonathon Praem single, double and 2 RBI

Pioneers vs. Roseau July 7

		r	h	e
Roseau	103 003	6	9	1
TRF Pioneers	002 000	2	2	0

Roseau - Degemes (WP)
Pioneers - Worker (LP)

A wet course awaited participants starting the Goodridge Fun Run Fourth-of-July races. (Submitted photo).

Fourth of July Fun Run results...

Winners named in Goodridge races

Winners were named for both the one- and five-mile courses that made up the Goodridge Fun Run – part of the community Fourth of July activities.

One-Mile Results - Male

■ Overall winners - Dusty Marquis, youth; David Jones, adults.
■ Ages 7-9 - 1. (tie) Adam Johnson and Drew Kjono.
■ Ages 10-12 - 1. Dusty Marquis; 2. Dane Kjono; 3. Clifton Hanson.
■ Ages 13-19 - David Jones; 2. Ben Hanson.
■ Ages 20-29 - 1. Jon Mourtinsen.

One-Mile Results - Female

■ Overall winners - Chelsey Helgeland, youth; Jocelyn Helgeland, adults.
■ Ages 10-12 - 1. Chelsey Helgeland.
■ Ages 13-19 - 1. Jocelyn Helgeland.
■ Ages 40-49 - 1. Pat Bitker; 2. Kathy Panek.

Two-Mile Results - Male

■ Overall winner - Mike Hemmestvedt.
■ Ages 30-39 - 1. Mike Hemmestvedt; 2. Duane Kjono.
■ Ages 40-49 - 1. Denny Minks.

Two-Mile Results - Female

■ Overall winner - Jill Panek.
■ Ages 0-12 - 1. Kathy Brandt; 2. Jenny Heaton
■ Ages 13-19 - Jill Panek.
■ Ages 30-39 - 1. Sheila Tharaldson.

Five-Mile Results - Male

■ Overall winner - Lonnie Olson.
■ Ages 13-19 - Benji Marquis
■ Ages 30-39 - 1. Lonnie Olson, 2. Russell Sorenson; 3. Paul Frazer.
■ Ages 40-49 - 1. Charlie Bedard.

Five Mile Results - Female

■ Ages 30-39 - Cindy Sturre.
■ Ages 40-49 - 1. Linda Rockstad.

Theft citations noted in county court news

Several thefts were among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the period of July 7-13.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Jerome James Hermann, 21, Thief River Falls, driving after revocation, fine stayed, 10 days in jail to run concurrent with Marshall count case; Darwin Duane Johnson, Thief River Falls, 28, theft under $200, no fine. David Allen Larson, Newfolden, 31, driving after revocation, $295, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Jonathan Jonas McHam, Thief River Falls, 32, small amount of marijuana, $257.50; Ronald Lynn Rustan, Oklee, 41, theft under $200, $137.50, $20 restitution; Charles Wayne Zornes, Thief River Falls, 18, theft over $200 and under $500, $142.50, $40 restitution, 91 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years;

Conrad Dale Bourman, Jr., Big Fork, 23, 50/30, $87.50; Bret Ervin Colden, Thief River Falls, 29, burglary in the fourth degree, $147.50, 91 days in jail with all but four days stayed for two years, placed under unsupervised probation for two years; Bret Ervin Colden, Thief River Falls, 29, driving after cancellation, four days in jail; Randy John Fritz, Brooks, 35, disorderly conduct, 45 days in jail with all but five days stayed for one year; Margaret Ann Hamm, Thief River Falls, 46, theft, $137.50, $20 restitution;

Korey Matthew Blazek, Middle River, 16, failure to yield, $76; Andrew Bray Hogan, Hoyt Lakes, 19, exhibition driving, $76; David Wayne Jenson, St. Hilaire, 30, disorderly conduct, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for one year; Derrick Wade Jenson, Thief River Falls, 21, disorderly conduct, $137.50; Jeremy Arlyn Skjerven, Newfolden, 20, illegal use of license plates, $122.50; Casey Lee Larson, Thief River Falls, 18, 55/40, $99; Tamara Rae Miller, Minot, ND, 21, 42/30, $76;

Elizabeth Jo Anderson, Thief River Falls, 36, 40/30, $64.50; Luis Yocupicia Bacasequa, Obregon Sonora, Mexico, 27, trespass, jail until department of immigration picks up; Edward Santos Flores, no address, 34, trespassing, hold in jail until department of immigration picks up; Jose Davis Flores, 29, El Salvador, trespass, hold in jail until department of immigration picks up; Cynthia Rivera Gonzalez, no address, 28, trespassing, hold in jail until department of immigration picks up; Leola Inga Gunderson, Thief River Falls, 79, leaving the scene of an accident, $99; Voreen Jean Johnson, Thief River Falls, 34, driving while intoxicated, $727.50, 91 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed; Thane Lee Espe, Thief River Falls, 22, illegal right turn, $76.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Karen Lynn Harris, Borup, 26, 73/55, $87.50; Murray Don Engelstad, Thief River Falls, 36, 65/55, $64.50; David Allen Gerardy, Eden Prairie, 24, driving with alcohol concentration of .10, $295, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Kim Marie Gonsorowski, Inver Grove Heights, 30, 65/55, $64.50; Keith Wendell Needeau, Red Lake, 36, driving after revocation, $282.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Maxine Jane Olson, Thief River Falls, 59, 70/55, $87.50;

George William Accobee, Ogema, 32, 65/55, $64.50; Janet Carol Johnson, Thief River Falls, 41, 65/55, $64.50; Steven Roy McPherson, Red Lake, 37, driving after revocation, $282.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Bret Allen Mitter, Grand Rapids, 30, 65/55, $64.50; Curtis Lee Nelson, Champlin, 25, seat belt usage, $47.25; Nancy Ione Sheridan, Thief River Falls, 31, 70/55, $87.50; Dennis Henry Thiel, Bertha, 47, overheight by eight inches, overwidth by nine inches, $235;

Russell Alois Keppers, Little Falls, 37, 65/55, $64.50; Kari Marie Kirkeby, Thief River Falls, 19, 65/55, $64.50; David Allen Kostrzewski, 31, 65/55, $64.50; Faye Ann Lorenson, Goodridge, 21, failure to use seat belt, $47.25; Joe Moreno, Brownsville, TX, 33, 71/55, $87.50; James Robert Rude, Thief River Falls, 36, over tandem axle weight by 280, over registered gross weight by 380, $371.50;

Willard Wayne Benson, Mentor, 54, 65/55, $64.50; Joel David Cornelius, Thief River Falls, 23, 65/55, $64.50; James Ryan Ditzler, Minneapolis, 27, 69/55, $76; Kristina Leanne Forsberg, Thief River Falls, 26, 65/55, $64.50; Justin Bruce Lunsetter, Gatzke, 21, 65/55, $64.50.

Pennington county sheriff department cases: David Louis Schaeffer, Fargo, ND, 28, 65/55, $64.50; Cole Jonathon Furuseth, Thief River Falls, 19, littering, one hour of community service work; David Wayne Jenson, St. Hilaire, 30, fifth degree assault, $317.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed; Christopher Lee Ras, Thief River Falls, 22, failure to stop for stop sign, $76; Dennis Scott Johnson, Northwood, ND, 30, open bottle/driver, $180; Michelle Rene Lemcke, Thief River Falls, 26, allowing open bottle, $180; John Peter Mattson, Thief River Falls, 43, 55/45, $64.50; James Elroy Sletten, Thief River Falls, 24, open bottle/passenger, $180; Phillips Randall Swanton, Thief River Falls, 40, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Alan Heys Weckwerth, Kansas City, KS, 66, 74/55, $87.50; Molly Jean Vroom, Bemidji, 20, 69/55, $76; Steven L. Willie, New Berlin, WI, 38, 83/55, $133.50.

Several accidents listed in local law enforcement news

Several accidents were reported to law enforcement officials in Pennington county and Thief River Falls during the past week.

Accidents. On July 14 at 3:30 p.m. police received a report of an accident on Zeh Street east. A semi from Northern Paving, Crookston, was parked unattended and when the brake let loose it rolled into a parked pickup owned by Mike Wiebolt, Breezy Point. Damages were estimated at $100 to the semi and $2,000 to the pickup.

On July 16 at 4:56 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident at the intersection of Highway 1 and 219. Lois Janet Roadfeldt Mullin, Blaine, was driving a car, which was totaled, when it collided with a car driven by Sandra Lee Johnson, Thief River Falls. The Johnson vehicle was west bound on Highway 1. Mullin was taken by ambulance to Northwest Medical Center and was held for observation. She had lacerations to the back of her head and an injury to a leg. Johnson had a sore left thumb and wrist. Damage to the Johnson vehicle was estimated at $4,000.

On July 16 at 4:16 p.m. the police received a report of an accident at Markley and First Street. Ronald Kehler of Steinbach, Manitoba, was driving a pickup, which sustained $800 damages in an accident with a car driven by Byron Edgar Sagmoen of Thief River Falls. According to the accident report, the Steinbach vehicle was west bound on First Street and the Sagmoen was southbound on Markley when the vehicles collided. The Sagmoen vehicle had an estimated $1,000 damage. Sagmoen was cited for failure to yield.

On July 13 at 11:55 a.m. police received a report of an accident at 11th and LaBree. According to the accident report, Jeremy Wayne Breiland, Thief River Falls, was driving a truck east on 11th, and Andrew James Olson of Middle River was driving a car north on LaBree when the vehicles collided. Breiland was cited for failure to yield to the right of way. Olson complained of an injury to his head. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Olson vehicle and $400 to the Breiland vehicle.

On July 13 at 5:31 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Sixth and LaBree. According to the accident report Shirley Ann Daigre, Erskine, was driving a car south on LaBree and it was hit by a van driven by Kent Arthur Wavra of East Grand Forks, at the intersection with Sixth Street. Wavra was traveling east on Sixth Street. Elaine Hager, Thief River Falls, a passenger in the vehicle driven by Daigre, complained of injury to her leg and back. Daigre complained of injury to her neck and ribs. The vehicle driven by Daigre and owned by Elaine Hager, was considered a total loss. Damage to the vehicle driven by Wavra was estimated at $1,000.

On July 16 at between 4 and 5 a.m. Mathew Pufman Ray, Thief River Falls, was driving southeast on Highway 1 and attempted to turn right on to Cardinal, missed and went into the ditch. Damage was estimated at $2,500, and Ray was cited for leaving the scene of an accident.

Disorderly conduct. On July 14 at 5:24 p.m. police received a call from Hugo's about a family problem. Two women got into an argument in the store, and merchandise was thrown about. Cited with disorderly conduct were a 15 year-old female from Thief River Falls; and 19-year-old Marie Ernestina Martinez of Thief River Falls.

On July 14 at 11:40 p.m. police received a call to the fairgrounds. A fight was in progress in the midway. Two men had minor cuts and abrasions. Charged with disorderly conduct was: 20-year-old Jared Darryl Comstock, Thief River Falls, 18-year-old Todd Jay Anderson, Goodridge.

On July 14 at 11:15 p.m. Steven Roy Engen, 24, Newfolden, was charged with disorderly conduct following an incident at the fairgrounds.

Thefts. On July 16 at 9:21 p.m. St. Bernard's reported that the rectory had been broken into. Some money had been taken. Doors were pried open to gain entry. The theft loss was estimated at $585. The damage loss was estimated at about $400 if the doors have to be replaced.

On July 13 at 6:43 p.m. Hugo's employees reported catching two females, age 14 from Thief River Falls, and 16 from Halma, taking items from the store without paying for it.

Vandalism. On July 13 at 7:44 a.m. Dave Wilson of Goodridge reported damage to a skid steer loader in the 1700 block of East First Street. Several items were taken from the loader and thrown into the nearby grassy area. Damage was unknown, but theft loss was estimated at $25.

Burglary. On July 17 at 5:32 a.m. officers were called to the 100 block of west Fourth street to investigate a burglary and robbery. The resident stated that two men entered his apartment and took 90 CDs valued at $1,800, and a black case valued at $25. The men, wearing hoods or bandanas and masks, broke into the apartment and demanded money. The resident had red marks on his face. He said he had also been kicked. He told them he had no money so he said take the CDs and they did.

Driving while intoxicated. On July 18 at 1:07 a.m. Edward John Maxwell, Thief River Falls, 33, was arrested for aggravated driving while intoxicated, refusal to test and driving after revocation.

Dr. Dixie Klein attends NCEA principal's meeting

Dr. Dixie Klein, principal of St. Bernard's school in Thief River Falls, was one of 30 principals selected to attend the National Catholic Education Association Academy held in Bethesda, Maryland. Principals attending were from Minnesota, Wisconsin, Louisiana, Michigan, Missouri, Maine, Alabama, Georgia, Ohio, Indiana, New York, Pennsylvania, Montana, Illinois, Florida, Washington, Maryland, Rhode Island, and Connecticut.

The principals did their homework during the weeks preceding the academy. In addition to the reading they were asked to do, they also completed many surveys from publishers regarding curriculum needs in the next century. They were asked to bring their ideas specifically in the areas of finances, Catholic identity, technology, early childhood education and special education and development. Klein shared her thoughts on the topics of Catholic identity, early childhood special education, technology, and development.

Throughout the week, the participants worked collaboratively and cooperatively in small groups and as a team with the responsibility of coming up with recommendations for Dr. Robert Kealy, chief executive director of the NCEA, and his staff. They viewed protocol software programs and provided input to curriculum specialist regarding needs of Catholic schools beyond the year 2,000.

Dr. Robert Kealy and the NCEA staff hosted a noon luncheon honoring participants in the academy on Friday, July 7. Kealy referred to the group of principals as the "creme de la creme" of Catholic school principals in the United States. He commended the principals for their commitment to strengthening Catholic identity in their schools, for being forward-focused in the area of technology, and for working toward development programs with the goal of establishing endowments in each of their schools.

Ervin Williams of Tulsa, OK, who has qualified three times for the National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, NV, had no trouble with "XIX" on this ride Friday during Bullride '95 at the Pennington County Fair. He scored 76 points which was good for sixth place and $281.20 after only five riders turned in scores on two bulls.

Peterson case gets six week continuance

Ninth District Judge Dennis Murphy reluctantly granted a six week continuance in the theft case against Susan Peterson.

Monday, Prosecutor Alan Rogalla told the judge that the investigation into the embezzlement case was difficult and would take more time to complete. He said the prosecutor and the defendant's attorney, were in agreement on the six week continuance.

Judge Murphy was upset that the case would not proceed within the 120 day limit, but granted a six week continuance and asked Rogalla to write a letter to the chief justice explaining the delay.

Peterson, 34, Newfolden, is facing three counts of theft stemming from an alleged embezzlement from Thief River Falls radio station KTRF/KSNR where she was employed as a bookkeeper.

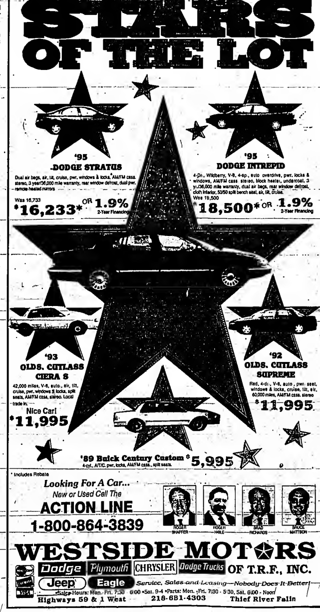
Peterson is out of jail on a $10,000 bond. She is being represented in court by Kevin B. Spaeth.

Local student studies music

Brad Dekkers of Thief River Falls was among the more than 240 high school music students to study at Luther College during the 31st annual Dorian Summer Music Camps, held June 18-24 on the Luther campus in Decorah, IA.

The Dorian Senior High Music Camp offers students finishing grades 9-12 an opportunity to study and perform under the guidance of college-level instructors.

Dekkers attended band and orchestra workshops.



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The Second Se...

More photos from the '95 Pennington Co. Fair inside

This series of photographs, taken from different photographers at different angles, shows the terrible consequences of being thrown from a bull and then attacked by the bull. Dean Wilson of Texas, received a fairly serious cut to his ear during the second performance of the bull ride event at the 1995 Pennington County Fair. The injury, however, was not serious enough to prevent him from getting on another bull later. The bull riders were required to wear safety vests, which in this case, probably saved Wilson from a more serious injury.

Melvie, Cymbaluk contribute to research program at UMC

As part of their Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP) experience at the University of Minnesota—Crookston, Alan Melvie of Viking and Wayne Cymbaluk of Crookston, spent many hours hand-picking out each seed from 120 samples.

Melvie and Cymbaluk worked with Dr. W. Daniel Svedarsky, professor of natural resources at UMC, on his project dealing with wild rice fields.

The UROP program is sponsored and coordinated by the Minneapolis campus of the university and gives undergraduate students an opportunity for exposure to the research process from start to finish. Usually the project is related to something that the professor has on-line and in progress. The students and professor sketch out a grant proposal in which they come up with objectives and research procedure and budget.

According to a UMC release, Melvie's background is that of a non-traditional style, taking many hiatuses from his education. He came from a rural community where his family was engaged in gravel contracting and attended two other colleges before settling on natural resources at UMC.

By contrast, Cymbaluk was raised on a farm northeast of Crookston, graduated from Crookston Central in 1990, started attendance at UMC in the winter of 1990 and earned his bachelor's degree in four years.

The objective of their project was to quantify food resources available to migratory waterfowl as they passed through their study area in northeastern Polk county, to see what types of food were available and to "identify what was out there," according to Dr. Svedarsky. They also calculated the nutritional value of the wild rice seeds, arrowhead seeds, tubers and all the other aquatic plants that were available.

"They were solely in charge of doing the analysis work and writing it up," Dr. Svedarsky said. "They even invented a couple pieces of equipment that they needed to do some of the separation aspects of the samples."

For Melvie, the experience gave him an appreciation of the amount of work involved in research.

"I became aware of the amount of detail required in documenting everything you do and needed to be very careful so you have a record of it. I also gained an appreciation for the amount of literature you need to look through to back up what other things you need to see," he said.

Cymbaluk said he also "gained a lot of respect for the other researchers on how much work it does take and how much time, and how accurate a person has to be in recording information."

In noting that UROP benefits faculty as well as students, Dr. Svedarsky said that "it helps accomplish a part of the overall project that faculty members might not have time to do themselves."

In addition to taking their project to the UROP fair on the Twin Cities campus, Melvie and Cymbaluk wrote up the results and will have them published.

"It's a small version of the real thing as far as the overall research process from start to finish is concerned," Dr. Svedarsky said. "But it's a wonderful opportunity for undergraduates."

Lise Sorteberg of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of child development, unit I, during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Senior Citizens' Day at Old Mill

Old Mill State Park will be the site of Senior Citizens' Day Monday, July 24, and Tuesday, July 25. The event, sponsored by the Marshall County Council on Aging, includes entertainment and a potluck dinner.

All programs at the park will be without charge, but a state park vehicle permit is required for vehicles entering the park. Events begin at 7 p.m. on Monday with a movie, following by music and a sing-a-long.

Events on Tuesday begin at noon with a potluck dinner and conclude at 3:30 p.m.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Joanna Johnson was an overnight guest of Jessica s at the Jean Johnson home on Saturday night

Mr and Mrs Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Deanna and Dustin left on Friday night for the Black Hills in South Dakota where they went sight-seeing. They returned home on Monday night

Sunday evening Mr and Mrs Leonard Johnson were visitors and supper guests at the Richard Johnson home in Fosston

Elva Fiedler took some of the 4th graders to Lake of the Woods Bible Camp on Wednesday

Visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at the Clarence Johnson home were Jason Naaseth, Jean Johnson and Jessica.

Mr and Mrs David Sjulestad, Robyn and Adam spent the weekend at Itasca Park.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests on Thursday afternoon at the Vernice and Ellen Holthusen home of Thorhult.

Saturday visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home were Mr and Mrs Clarence Manderud of Fergus Falls and Gilmer Manderud

Brady Fiedler went with Lon Race and Jodi and Donna Harder to Lake of Woods on Sunday to visit with his mom. While there they also celebrated Brady's birthday

Wednesday afternoon Mrs Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Jessica, Michelle and Monica enjoyed lunch at the Cafe in Goodridge

Mr and Mrs Eddy Stucy visited on Sunday afternoon with Leola Cullen at the Good Samaritan home in Warren

Sunday night, Megan and Andrea Marquis were overnight guests with June Johnson

Jean Johnson, Michelle and Monica, Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Mrs Clarence Johnson had dinner on Wednesday at the Lantern in Thief River Falls

Sunday night, Mrs Norman Adams was visitor and coffee guest at the Larry Kotrba home

Mr and Mrs Clayton Johnsrud, Bonita Fulton and Ron Fulton, John and Jesse of Roseau attended the Fair in Warren on Saturday night

Monday Mrs Bruce Solberg visited with Mrs Chester Solberg

Mr and Mrs Obert Hovet and Dennis were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday night at the Vernon Iverson home

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the June Johnson home were Donnie Jensen and Mr and Mrs Gene Marquis.

Saturday Mrs Eddy Stucy visited and had coffee with June Johnson

Kristi Johnsrud visited with her grandmother Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Sunday

Gilmer Manderud was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Larry Kotrba home

Monday afternoon, Arnie and Melinda Kotrba visited with Joyce at the Bruce Solberg home

Megan and Andrea Marquis were overnight guests at the June Johnson home on Sunday night

Sunday night, Shannon and Alissa Lundeen were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home

Clarence Johnson made a business trip to Fargo on Wednesday morning

Larry Kotrba and Nicky were visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Ronnie Kotrba home

Sunday after church Elva Fiedler attended the farewell dinner served for Jon Mouritson and his wife at the Ecklund Lutheran church. They are leaving for Pennsylvania where Jon Mourittson will be going back to school

Wednesday evening, Mrs Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Jean Johnson home

Visitors and coffee guests on Thursday night at the Leonard Johnson home were Mr and Mrs. Donnie Jorde, Lonnie Efteland of Thief River Falls, Mrs Dale Anderson and Katie and Tanya Verbout.

Those who came on Monday to help Mrs Leonard Johnson celebrate her birthday were Hazel Huot, Alvina Sunsdahl, Mildred Hovet, Anna Kriel all of Thief River Falls, June Johnson, Phylis Wikert of rural Grygla. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake. Bernice also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Bernice!

Jessica and Michelle Johnson left on Monday afternoon from St Bernard's Catholic church for Camp Corbet to spend three days

Merle Naeseth and Jason were visitors on Saturday at the Dave Naeseth home

Saturday evening Mrs Clarence Johnson had supper at the Jean Johnson home

Saturday Lowell Anderson of Minneapolis and Mr and Mrs Jesse Anderson were visitors and lunch guests at the Obert Hovet home

Mika and Kathy Boyer of Minneapolis spent the 4th of July weekend visiting with June Johnson

Friday forenoon, Adeline Hanson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Eddy Stucy home.

Mrs Ronnie Kotrba visited during the week with her sister Debbie Hanson in Thief River Falls

Sunday evening, Mr and Mrs Clarence Johnson were supper guests at the Jean Johnson home

Sunday afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Gilmer Manderud home were Mrs Larry Kotrba, Arnie and Melinda, Mrs Vance Wiseth, Dana and DaNsa and Mr and Mrs Clarence Johnson

Harvey Mugaas was a visitor and supper guest Tuesday evening at the Merle Naeseth home

Friday, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi and Alissa Lundeen visited with Ella Mostrom and Larry Kotrba, Arnie and Melinda, Mrs Vance Wiseth, Dana and DaNsa and Mr and Mrs Clarence Johnson

Harvey Mugaas was a visitor and supper guest Tuesday evening at the Merle Naeseth home

Friday, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi and Alissa Lundeen visited with Ella Mostrom and Leroy Mostrom in Gonvick and later Shirley and Kristi and Alissa visited with Kenny and Cheryl Nybo and family in Gully

Gary Iverson and John Husby of Eagan spent the weekend at the Alfred Iverson home

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Ryan Broden of the Happy Acres 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of pets during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Houston Kirkeide of the Silverton 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of junior shop during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Billy Lubitz of the Steiner 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of food preservation during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Kay Steiger of the Smiley 4-H club won grand champion awards in beginner clothing construction and clothing demonstration during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

New Arrival

Barbara and Ed Sollors are proud to announce the birth of their baby boy, Nathan Arthur. Nathan was born on Thursday, June 29, 1995 at First Care Hospital in Fosston. He weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz. and was 18 1/2" long. He is welcomed home by sisters Stephanie and Kristin and a brother Jaime. Grandparents are Lyle and Sharon Lund of Trail and Harold and Judy Sollors of Carson City, NV. Great-grandma is Barbara Pladson of Gully and Great Great-grandma is Mary Ruiz of Santa Anna, CA.

Luverne and Claire Sollen of Buffalo spent Friday to Monday at his mom, Mildred Sollens. Other visitors there during the week were Alma Sollen of Fosston and Sandra Graff of Minnetonka, Mark Haugans of Proctor, James and Sharon Sollen of Gonvick, Robert from Oklee and Gladys Haugen from Proctor.

Mildred Sollen and Luverne and Claire Sollen were at Alma Sollens at Fosston on Friday evening.

Larry Salvin spent 10 days at his mom, Mildred's and took in the Gonvick all class reunion.

Kolling family reunion

The Kolling family reunion was held at the Gully Community Center on Saturday, July 8. A delicious potluck lunch, door prizes and lots of visiting! Many brought photos to show and share. From the farthest distance was Marlon Rohmeyer, Torrance, CA. Also coming quite a distance were Dorothy Aakhus, Alamogordo, NM, Reuben and Clarice Kolling of Abingdon, VA, Omar and Sylvia Duelloy of Reno, NV, and Olol and Hazel Rikje of Prophetstown, IL and then the families from the home area. Everyone had a wonderful time.

Visiting with Irene Carlson for a week was Gladys Haugen of Proctor, we also had supper with Petra Eck at Gonvick, visiting Petra were Connie Williams and Donna Rae Wipson of Duluth. Gladys Haugen visited Ed Haugen and Mildred Sollen.

Mark and Karla Haugen and family of Proctor, camped at the "Gully House" over the 4th of July weekend. Doris and Rich Ware of Duluth and grandson Caleb visited with Dorothy Aakres at the Kolling reunion at the Gully Community Center.

Gladys Haugen and Irene Carlson attended the Oklee "Setesdal Lag" to renew their heritage, good food, friends and relatives galore, it was a fun day, we also stopped in Trail for the Jeanna and Rod Johnson wedding reception which was very nice. Congratulations! Mrs. Mike Lachlok of International Falls and her daughter Vicky Haroland of California visited Effie Handy on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Emerson and the Mike Emersons, Loren and Elliot were at Effies on Wednesday. Doris Evje and Diane called on Effie, Monday afternoon. Lyn Turonne stayed over on Monday night at mom Effie's.

Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachory, Tammy Grove and Darrin Grove of Oklee, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Joy Gustafson and Courtney of Plummer, Evangeline Grove all visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

On June 28th, the Morell family celebrated mother, Mrs. Louise Morell's 92nd birthday at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. Those celebrating with their mother were Willard and Donna Bergeron of Oklee, Ron and Gailas Paradis, Lloyd and Lorraine Morell all of Brooks, Everill and Helen Morell of Detroit Lakes.

Sunny Carlson of the Happy Acres 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of purchased garment, creative arts, and health, during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

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Chad Torstveit of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in veterinary science during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Beth Olson of the New Solum 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of needlework and intermediate photography during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Trevor Larson of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion in the 4-H division of shooting sports during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

On Friday, June 30, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad left for weekend activities at Akeley, where they parked their camper at brother Walter and Ardy Petersons on Crow Wing Lake. The big event on Saturday evening was the all school reunion with over 340 registering that afternoon. The class of 1941 was represented by seven students and one teacher. The Easter Hubbard county and Akeley fire departments served refreshments after which those present assembled in the school auditorium the first one built in the late 30's and early 40's by the WPA works Project Administration. The first four classes including that of 1941 made donations toward the purchase of the first stage curtains, no doubt they have been replaced, probably more than once since. Frank Lamb was MC and all classes prior to 1989 were called and former students present were recognized including the classes of 1928, 1927 and 1926 who had one each from those classes. The one who came farthest was Wallace Bomback, class of 1926 from Hawaii. Recently the Akeley, Walker and Hackensack schools have merged. Walker now has all the 10 through 12 grades. The principal made brief comments. Later on, entertainment was at the Paul Bunyan Pavilion. The Carl Peterson siblings were well represented; Harry of Barkus, Walter of Blaine, George of Brooklyn Park, Janice Adams of Weeks Mills, ME and Ruth Susted from Viking. It was an enjoyable occasion, perfect weather and no mosquitoes.

Arnold and Mary Weleski and children attended the wedding of Chad Peters and Shelly Fillmore recently held at the Nazareth Lutheran church in Holt and later visited at the Dave Weleski home.

On Sunday, Walter and Ardy Peterson of Blaine hosted a potluck noon picnic for the Peterson family gathering at their Crow Wing Lake Shore cabin near Akeley. Those present were son, Kevin of Coon Rapids, Mrs. Janice Adams of Weeks Mills, ME, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and Raymond of Backus, Debbie and Carol Peterson of Cottage Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Danial Sustad, Jennifer, Blake, and Bradley, Holly and friend, Jeremiah Ved, Deron and friend Carey Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Kraig Melvie and Alexis and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad.

On Saturday, Arnold and Mary Weleski drove to Duluth and spent the day sight-seeing along North Shore Drive Sunday to Mendota Heights to visit with Gordon and Jane Skjerven and family and spent time at Valley Fair and on Monday went to the Mall of America.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fayette called at LeRoy Sustads Tuesday morning and enjoyed a coffee break.

Alma Drotts who had spent several days in Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls has returned to her home.

Wednesday evening, LeRoy and Edna Gustafson visited at the Melvin Grandstrand home and on Saturday, Richard and Gloria Ness were callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gstrom from Carlton and granddaughter, Emily and friend from California and Vernette Stokke were supper guests at the Alvin Grandstrand home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand attended the Dora Lindstrom funeral at Strandquist on Friday.

Leonard Larson visited with niece Winnie Nyhus and her two daughters.

Leonard Larson was a caller at the Gilger Foss home on Wednesday.

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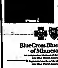

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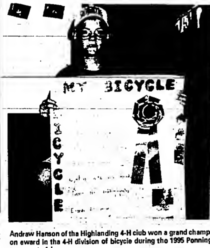
Several people won more than one grand champion award. Sunny Carlson of the Happy Acres 4-H club won five grand champions. Two of the awards were clothing construction, and beef animal science during the 1995 Pennington county fair.



Andrew Hanson of the Highlanding 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of bicycle during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Gatzke

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Sistad took Amber and Amie Sistad to meet their parents at the Dick Irwin home on Tuesday at Mora, IL.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar also Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls visited at the Don Newhouse home near Roseau on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Alan Severts has been a recent patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Evelyn McDonagh of Everglades, FL is visiting at the Jerry Lindor home and with the Keith McDonagh family at Roseau.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter spent a week at the Lowell Nelson home of Eugene, OR. They also did some sight-seeing at Crater Lake the mountains and the ocean.

Kayla Harris of Thief River Falls spent Monday visiting with her grandparents the Juel Auno.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson attended a family reunion at the Alma Wagner home near Middle River.

Christine Wagner of the Sanders 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of wildlife during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Rebecca Wegner of the Sanders 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of advanced forest resources during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

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Katy Olson of the Kratka 4-H club won a grand champion award in 4-H foods and child care at the 1995 Pennington county fair held in Thief River Falls last weekend.

Jared Asp of the Sanders 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of fruit science and potato science.

Goodridge

Jodi Gustafson of Thief River Falls visited at the Neil Liedberg home late Monday afternoon.

Visitors at the Neil Liedberg home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Orton, Tim and Jodi, Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Christianson and Christine of Forseton, Roger Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls, Dean Liedberg of Boston, MA and Jim Liedberg of Warren. They all enjoyed watching the fireworks later in the evening.

Monday those who enjoyed dinner together at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Orton, Tim and Jodi, Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Christianson and Christine of Forseton, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri and Roger Nelson. The Orton's and Christianson's left for their home later in the afternoon.

Visitors at the Clarence Dahlen home on Saturday were Mrs. Gary Orton and Jodi, Mrs. Arlo Christianson and Christina and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Luverne Longroy of Flint, MI, Mable Rime of California and Myrtle Belonge of Aurora visited at the Clarence Dahlen and Rosella Schiofer homes in Thief River Falls on Friday. They along with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parnow of Thief River Falls and Joyce Sand of Grand Forks visited at the Palmer Lovly home on Friday.

Mrs. Neil Liedberg was a visitor with Dean and Jim Liedberg at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls on Friday afternoon.

Dean Liedberg left for Minneapolis on Saturday where he will meet the plane there and return to his home at Boston, MA after spending a week visiting with friends, relatives and his parents.

Visitors and dinner guests at the Ruth Liedberg home on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Dean and Jim and Howard Liedberg. Later Thursday they were supper guests at the Nathan Liedberg home.

Sheri and Nathan Liedberg and Roger Nelson visited at the Norman Liedberg home Saturday morning and also visited with Dean Liedberg who left for Minneapolis later in the day. Jim Liedberg who spent a week with his parents and family returned to his home at Warren on Sunday.

Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Glady's Anderson were visitors and coffee guests at the Gina Rux home in Thief River Falls Thursday evening.

Ruth Liedberg went to get her sister, Glady's Haarstad at her home at Newfolden Friday so she could attend the wedding of Nathan Liedberg and Francine Kezmiarczek on Saturday. She stayed with Ruth at her home until Sunday.

Eileen Purdy and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home on Saturday. They also visited with Eileen's mother, Myrtle Lofgran at the CNC unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon. Myrtle is getting along fine and will be home soon.

Callers at the Neil Liedberg home on Saturday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kezmiorczek, Sue Converso, Jodi Orton, Eileen Purdy and Jodi Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Dean and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Galles, Jill, Karen and Aaron of Moorhead were among the many friends and relatives that visited at the Nathan Liedberg home on Sunday and viewed their wedding gifts.

Strandquist

Sunday evening Julius and Toni Kleinvachter, Father John and Sara brought cake and birthday wishes to Judy Kleinvachter. Other visitors bringing birthday wishes to Judy this week were Dale Simonson of Eveleth, Kaye Turnwell of St. Hilaire, Robert and Tracy Turnwell of St. Paul, Vance, Kelly, Amanda and Jessica Lofrooth of Cedar, Antoinette Kasprowicz of Argyle, Betty Kasprowicz of Kentucky, Audrey Nay of Illinois, Ellen Stromberg, Frank Grochowski, Alan and Joan Gehrig of Inkster, ND, Juno Kasprowicz, Lowell Lofrooth and Kari Kasprowicz. Judy received five birthday cakes and many cards and gifts.

Sara Donaldson celebrated her 4th birthday on Sunday the 9th. Those who helped her at the party were Vance and Adrienne Lofrooth, Clare Nelson, Elsie Lofrooth, Harold and Delores Donaldson, Venotte and Henry Pottis, Stephanie, Zac, Noelle and Krystine Pottis, and Jeffrey, Margaret and Alours Donaldson.

Buzz and Dorothy Chattoo left on Wednesday for their home in Wibaux, MT after spending some time at Morris and Hazel Anderson's.

Donna Anderson of Minneapolis and Myrtle Vagle spent time visiting with Elsie Lofrooth on Wednesday.

Becky Johnson and Jake visited Peter and Pearl Thompson on Monday.

Denice Nelson of Minneapolis and Sheryl Barkel of Martinez, CA visited Lorraine Setten Sunday evening.

LaVoi Thun visited Thursday in Thief River Falls with Kari and Florence Myhror, Ella Thun and Anne Hanson.

Krystine and Noelle Pottis were overnight guests of [illegible] Donaldson on Sunday evening.

Wednesday, Larina Berggren, Lowell Lofrooth and Robbie Notterlund of Dallas, TX visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter.

Lorraine Setten spent the 4th on the farm with her daughter, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

[illegible] Rasmusson had dinner with Peter and Pearl Thompson on Thursday and helped with chores.

Thursday evening Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle, Lerla and Claudia Berggren and Jessie visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter.

Daren Asp of the Sanders 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of small grain science and electric during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Darren Nelson and Andrea Vigen of the Silverton 4-H club won a grand champion award in team demonstration. Andrea also won a grand champion in the division of food revue during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Sincere Sympathy!

Sincere sympathy to the family of Clara Coen who passed away on June 29, 1995 at the CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls at the age of 92 years. Funeral services were held on Monday, July 3rd at Kingdom Hall in Thief River Falls. Our thoughts and prayers are with Clara's 2 sons, James and Raymond and their wives and families and other relatives and many friends during this sad time! Blessed be her memory!

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sjulestad of Phoenix, AZ spent several weeks visiting family and friends in Minnesota. Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sjulestad and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Coan were visitors at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home.

Shirley Wegley and Samantha of Williston, ND spent several weeks at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home. Bruce Wegley spent the July 4th weekend at the Miller home. Bruce, Shirley and Samantha and Gary Miller were dinner guests on Monday, July 3rd at the Mari Lou and Gary Anderson home near Gryglo, before returning to their home in Williston, Monday evening.

Gene Millar and Savannah of Hallock spent the weekend at the Signe Miller home.

Edgar and Dorothy Miller visited at the Signe Miller home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sjulestad of Phoenix, AZ were houseguests at the Eddie Sjulestad home in Thief River Falls for a few days. Robert and Irene were also overnight guests at the Signe Miller home. Delores Keim of Lakota, ND spent the 4th of July holiday at the home of her mother, Signe Miller.

Sincere sympathy!

Hulda Sigerud's aunt, Clara Strand of Fosston passed away on Sunday, July 9th at the age of 93 years. Clara is a sister of Hulda's father, the late Bennie Hanson. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Clara Strand!

Pastor Del Palmer visited on Monday afternoon at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home. Mrs. Steve Olson and girls visited one day last week at the Sigerud home.

Hulda Sigerud visited by telephone with her sister, Gray Mikkelson of Washington one day last week.

Shirley Wegley visited several days with her grandmother at the Valley Home in Thief River Falls, Inga Coan.

Samantha Gunlikson celebrated her 9th birthday on June 28th at the home of her grandparents, Edgar and Dorothy Miller. Samantha was an honored guest at the Yvonne Pederson home in Thief River Falls on the day of her birthday, featuring a decorated birthday cake.

Saturday, July 1st, those who brought greetings to Samantha at the Miller home were Signe Miller, Judy Miller, Kacey and Robbie Miller, Tami Mickelson, Zachary, Forrest, Ethan and Sierra, Kathy and Kelsey Johnson and Gary Miller and Kari Miller along with Shirley and Bruce Wegley and grandparents who celebrated their wedding anniversary and Dorothy's birthday.

Garrett Anderson, son of Mari Lou and Gary Anderson celebrated his 14th birthday at the home of his parents on Friday evening, July 7th. Garrett received many gifts and cards from those who attended. Happy Birthday, Garrett!

Jaclyn and Kari Miller spent a few days visiting at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home with Shirley and Bruce Wegley and Samantha. Sandy Swick of Ada also visited at the Miller home.

Virgil Sigerud and Delores Peretta of Bloomington and Dale Sigerud and Tami Wilson of Burnsville spent the weekend several weeks ago at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hinrichs of Angora spent Saturday, July 8th at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home and spent Sunday with Steve's family at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Anderson, Garrett and Laura returned home July 3rd after spending a vacation to the west coast and reported a great time. They visited Ralph and Cindy (Needham) Cervin and family and Ralph's sister Doris and husband and family in Idaho, and also Bruce and Shirley Wegley and Samantha in Williston, ND.

Edgar and Dorothy Miller also visited in Williston for a week at the home of their daughter, Shirley and family. Enroute to Williston Edgar and Dorothy visited at the Delores Keim home at Lakota, ND.

Newfolden . . . . .

Friday evening, Alvina Stevens and Lillie Olson visited with Marlin and Dorothy Watkins.

Tuesday afternoon, Milton and Beverly Erickson, Jason Erickson and Shelly Stoebler visited at the Jeanette Kasprowicz home in Greenbush. They also visited with Jenel Dem who is visiting there.

Kim Kirkelde of Silverton 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of breads during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Nathaniel Muzzy of the Steiner 4-H club had the grand champion entry in the market division of the 4-H poultry show at the Pennington County Fair. Reserve champion was Marsha Lubitz of Steiner.

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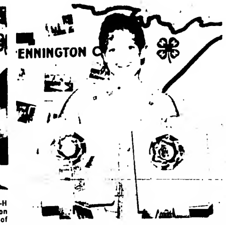

Myndy Olson of the Kratka 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of child care, fishing, and youth leadership during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Plummer

Effie Byer
465-4375

Birthday

Sheryl Wilkens and children hosted a surprise birthday for her husband Dennis on his 50th birthday at their home. The yard was decorated with black balloons! He received many cards and gifts pertaining to his half-century mark. Those attending were his mother, Ruth Wilkens, brother Deryl and daughter Tara of Langdon, ND, sister Diane Rosengren of Mentor; Della Rewertz, Barry and Deb Rewertz and family; Terry and Heidi Rewertz and boys of Red Lake Falls; Becky and Robert Cameron of Crookston; Cathie and Chuck Carlson of St. Hilaire; friends from Brooks and Minneapolis as well as many friends and close neighbors. A delicious supper was served by his family and this was one time when Dennis was almost speechless.

Class Reunion

PHS class of '55 held their 40th reunion on Saturday evening with dinner at Lakeview near Mentor. Corlon Kleinschmidt of Oklee but a graduate of PHS was the organizer of the event. Attending were Corlan (Sorenson) Kleinschmidt and husband Bob, Doris (Sorenson) Hanson and husband Elmer all of Oklee, Marian (Ulrich) and husband Joe Shimpa, Yvonne (Delage) and husband Dan Kush, Gayle (Skjerven) and husband Jim Paterson of Minneapolis; Dale Craft of Fargo; Charlotte (Pollie Skjarven) and husband Roger of Plummer; Audrey (Myhre) and husband Darryl Carpenter; John Holley, Lynor (Helvorson) Mortenson, (husband deceased) of Southern Minnesota; and Lorene Champagne. The class also visited the American Legion and the Municipal store.

Cathy and Kevin Samuelson of Sarles, ND, Wes Samuelson and children Lacey, Derrick and Dustin of Langdon, ND spent Sunday night at Bunny DuChamp's home.

Daryl Wilkens and Tara spent from Friday to Sunday at the home of his mother, Ruth Wilkens.

Amber Culkins and Amelia Eskeli were Sunday visitors of Charlotte Leining.

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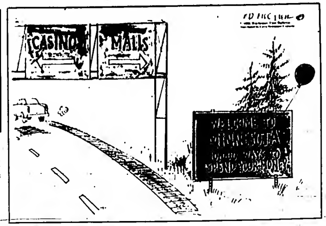


Federal Spending Is Spent On The Public

"Cutting government spending means cutting payments to people—taxpayers and voters—who have come to rely on those payments," states author Tom Stinson. He says it isn't true that federal tax dollars are wasted—swallowed by big government bureaucracy.

Stinson says only about one per cent of the federal budget goes to people and governments outside the United States. Everything else, in various ways, is returned to the American people and businesses.

In 1993 federal expenditures amounted to about $1.5 trillion, while revenues were $1.3 trillion. The resulting deficit was $241 billion—more than one and a half times the total economy of the state of Minnesota, which is listed at $150 billion. On a per capita basis, spending in 1993 in the U.S. was $5,757 while per capita revenues, including Social Security taxes, were $4,836. Try that profit and loss statement on your local banker.

To balance the federal budget in 1993, Stinson says, would have required trimming nearly 25 per cent of the money households, farmers, businesses and state and local governments in Minnesota received from the federal government that year.

Stinson says more than half of all federal expenditures in Minnesota and nationwide go directly to individuals and households. Payments include federal retirement, veterans benefits, federal unemployment compensation, food stamps, housing assistance and interest subsidies on loans for higher education. The two largest programs—Social Security and Medicare—accounted for nearly 70 per cent of total federal spending in this category, about one-fifth of all federal spending nationwide.

Minnesota receives less in federal spending than it sends to the federal government in taxes. Federal payments to Minnesotans and their governments totaled more than $18 billion ($3,989 per capita and 45th in state rankings). Minnesotans paid $20.5 billion in federal taxes (about $4,583 per capita, 15th among all states).

Minnesota has proportionally fewer federal employees than most states and Minnesota businesses are less reliant on federal contracts than the national average. Federal salaries and wages paid in Minnesota totaled $1.5 billion in 1993—about the same amount as Minnesota residents received in federal agricultural subsidies.

Although large cuts in federal expenditures would certainly be felt by most people in Minnesota, the state overall would be less affected by across-the-board federal budget cuts than other states.

"However," Stinson writes, "there is no reason to expect that any future federal budget changes will reduce the imbalance, nor is it likely that cuts in the federal budget will fall less severely on Minnesota than elsewhere."

Economist Says Cuts In Farm Subsidies Won't Damage State Economy

"While cuts in farm subsidies could be painful for individual recipients, the Minnesota economy won't notice the loss," states Steve Taff, agricultural economist at the University of Minnesota.

"The numbers paint a clear picture," he said. "A reduction in federal agricultural subsidy programs will have very little impact in Minnesota because only about half of our farmers get subsidies. And, only a small percentage of those who do get a subsidy receive more than $5,000."

Taff points out that Minnesota residents receive approximately $1.5 billion each year in federal agricultural subsidies. About 20 per cent of this total goes to food stamp recipients, while approximately 50 per cent is received by farmers. If, for example, these subsidy programs are reduced by 20 per cent, Minnesotans would lose approximately $300 million.

"A $300 million loss in a $150 billion state economy is only a 0.2 per cent loss," Taff said. "If farmers shoulder half of this $300 million loss, the total Minnesota agricultural economy of approximately $25 billion would lose only $150 million—a loss of 0.6 per cent.

"We should be concerned about the individual farmers and food stamp recipients who will suffer this loss," Taff says, "but claims that reductions in federal agricultural aid will harm Minnesota's economy are not supported by the facts."

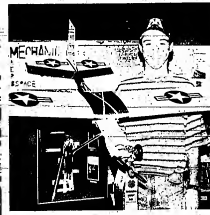
Taff's number crunching makes for an interesting analysis. There can't be too many people in state government who consider a $300 million reduction in money coming into the state to be an insignificant amount. And his analysis doesn't indicate how a 20 per cent reduction in farm subsidies would impact on taxes to pay for them—probably because there won't be any corresponding reduction in taxation. If there were, the net loss to the state's economy would be even less than Taff indicates.

For the individual farmer who is also holding a full-time job off the farm to help the family make a living, any loss in subsidy would be considered significant.

Heather Torstvelt of the Happy Acres 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of junior flower gardening, and microwave cooking during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Kelsey Carlsen of the Satellite 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of dairy foods and consumer education during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Senator LeRoy Stumpf was at the Pennington County Fair on Senior Appreciation Day and presented awards on behalf of the governor and the Minnesota state senate to Doris Elsbraner and Al Soliom.



Joshua Clark of the Happy Acres 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of aerospace during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

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Gatzke Community News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Sunday a Klamar family reunion was held at the Merlin and Carol Klamar home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Nordby, Garry Nordby and Donovan, Jesse MaMahn of Grygla, Julie Klamar of Fargo, Angie MaMahn, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Sattlemeyer and Augustus and Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Kim Emary and Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nordby, Justin and Lucas of Badger, Mrs. Tony VonEnde and Johanna, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tosarak, Ashley and Timothy, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar of Roseau, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosbeck, Jessica, Ben of Eagen, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klamar, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Klamar, Amber and Heather, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar, Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Klamar, Mr. and Mrs. Brent Klamar, Shawn, Stephanie and Kody and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar also Merlin, Carol, Chris and Kyle.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Ostby and Keesha, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Auna, Mrs. Glenn Limesand and Nicholas visited at the Juel Auna home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ruud and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited on Sunday evening at the Pastor Arlen Lloyd home.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lindar and Lorrie visited at the Alan Savarts home.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar visited at the Ray Garey home at Badger.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Auna attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary for Ernie and Alle Salle at the Community Center in Grygla. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Auna and Juel and Hazel were to the Salesdakagel activities at Oklee.

Sunday evening, Nicholas Harris of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Glenn Limesand and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Auna visited at the Juel Auna home.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson went to a family reunion at the Lorraine Vander Wegge home at Crookston.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited with Tillie and Tom Bornstein.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair visited at the Alan Savarts home.

Seniors Meet

The Senior Citizens met on Wednesday. John Johnson from Warren spoke to the seniors. Karyl Larson served. Their next meeting will be on July 19th.

The Salome circle met on Tuesday morning at United Lutheran church. Those present were Mrs. Juel Auna, Mrs. Alton Sparby, Mrs. Chester Ruud, Mrs. Laverne Auna, Mrs. Reuben Brawley, Mrs. Lorry Hagen, Mrs. Raymond Auna and Mrs. Lloyd Auna. Arlette served for Deloris and Angie gave the Bible study.

Mrs. Michael Tosarak, Timothy and Ashley of Roseau visited on Friday at the Clifford Klamar home.

Visitors on Sunday at the Alan Savarts home were Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Jones and Evelyn Savarts.

Saturday, Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited with Bill Bornstein at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar visited with Paul Slater at the Veteran's hospital in Fargo.

Clarice Soderberg was given the 4-H Hall of Fame Award for her years of involvement in the 4-H program.

Jocelyn Helgeland and Brandi Larson, members of the Smiley 4-H club, proudly display a club award won for the 4-H division of community pride, which was awarded during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—The Cleveland Hotel formerly owned by Frank Benoit has been purchased by Michel Charpentier of Crookston.

—D. N. Carter has just burned 40,000 bricks, which were moulded by A. C. Bratton as an experiment.

—If the crop prospects turn out as is now anticipated, farmers should build granaries because it will save some "cuss words" being used against the railroads for not furnishing enough cars.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—City Clerk Lars Backe received a letter from Mayor D. B. Bakke, who is spending the summer at his old home in Norway. Bakke reported that the Norwegian people are prepared to fight for independence from Sweden, if necessary. Armed conflict is not expected, however, due to the fact that strategic areas of Norway are so heavily fortified that invasion by the Swedes would be practically impossible.

—Herman Berndt, prominent Excel pioneer, sold his farm and moved to Thief River Falls.

—"Hal Hazzard, the Federal Spy" is a play which will be presented by local talent July 25 at the Evenson hall.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Congressman H. Steenersen has announced that he plans to attend the county fair in Thief River Falls.

—Over 600 votes were cast in the school board election which placed C. A. Pitkin and Dr. Gambell on the board.

—The organization of young men in this city, whose badges signify that they are members of that fraternal organization known as "Porch Climbers" enjoyed an excursion up the river Sunday.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Fred Scanlan took over the law practice of G. Howard Smith, who recently left the city.

—The county board set up a tax levy of $73,000, same as last year.

—A gas-electric engine was being tried out on the Soo Line day train from Minneapolis to Thief River Falls.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—A shipment of 25 head of Guernsey cattle left the city for California.

—Dr. A. M. Smith was elected to the local board of education.

—Ward Long was elected commander of the local American Legion post, succeeding S. P. Orwoll.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—H. N. Heneman of Warroad was elected to succeed George W. Werstlein of this city as president of the Northwest Minnesota Clearing House association.

—Dr. A. E. Jacobson was elected commander of the local American Legion post, succeeding M. R. Levorson.

—Carl E. Larson, superintendent of parks here since 1937, resigned to accept a post with the park system at Tacoma, Washington.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Rev. Marvin Carlson is the new pastor at the First Lutheran church.

—Herman A. Kjos was reelected to serve his 15th year as chairman of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross.

—The 1955 Pennington county fair will come close to breaking even despite low attendance, according to J. N. Roche, secretary.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Henry Panek of Goodridge was elected Pennington county DFL chairman.

—Employment in Thief River Falls dropped slightly to 2,777 as of mid-June.

—Charlotte Myers, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Myers and a member of the Silverton 4-H club, was crowned queen of the 1965 Pennington county 4-H dress revue.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—A Bicentennial ball has been scheduled for August 9 in Goodridge.

—The new Country Inn motel southwest of Thief River Falls on highway 59 will open August 1.

—Although early forecasts predicting a record number of mosquitoes in northwestern Minnesota this summer have yet to be proved accurate, another large insect problem has developed with a serious armyworm infestation developing in many small grain fields in Pennington, Red Lake, Roseau, Polk, Norman and Mahnomen counties.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Northern Prairie Artists association was organized July 16 in Thief River Falls.

—King Agassiz for Pennington county in 1985 is Will Dekkers who was crowned Friday at ceremonies preceding the combine demolition derby at the county fair.

—Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Melin of Polk Centre township were named Pennington county Conservation Farmers for 1985.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Elva Fiedler spent the 4th of July at the Pioneer Village in Thief River Falls.

Patty Gwynn and Mia of Gillette, WY came on Saturday to visit at the Leonard Johnson home. Then on Tuesday Patty's husband Mike Gwynn and son Michael came to spend their vacation at the Leonard Johnson home.

Monday night, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rubischko, Andy, Joey, Sarah and Otto were visitors and enjoyed a wiener roast supper at the Elva and Joel Fiedler home. They also viewed the fireworks that Brady had for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Walberg and Coby left on Thursday for their home in Colorado Springs, CO after spending two weeks visiting with relatives.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud attended the elevator appreciation picnic supper in Oklee served at the Community Center in Oklee. Then later, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud were visitors at the Tony Rubischko home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stolaas of River Valley were visitors and lunch guests on Monday evening at the Obert Hovet home.

Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes spent last week helping his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson with some work.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited at the Jean Johnson home on Monday evening.

Monday after the ballgame a birthday party was held for Brady at the Elva Fiedler home. His guests were Kjell Johnsrud, Andy Hanson, Clifton Johnsrud and Justin Ousley. They all enjoyed a barbecue lunch with a birthday cake. Brady also received gifts and cards from his guests. Happy Birthday Brady!

Gail Langwort of Thief River Falls and Arlene Hebert and Tina of Zimmerman were visitors on Tuesday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Sunday, June Johnson was a visitor at the Gene Marquis home.

Randy Johnsrud spent Thursday visiting with his parents the Clayton Johnsrud's.

Thursday evening, Adeline Hanson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Leonard Johnson home.

Leslie Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Hanford Roisland home.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson, Clara Radeloski of Oklee and Jill Radniecki enjoyed supper at the Tim Radniecki home in honor of Mrs. Tim Radniecki's birthday along with her husband Tim. Birthday cake was served with the supper. Sandra also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Sandra!

Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Roisland and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sorenson of Thief River Falls went to Grand Forks on Saturday to attend the Air Show at the Air Base in Grand Forks.

Sunday, Mrs. Gary Johnson and Kylie visited with grandmother Leola Cullen at the Good Samaritan home in Warren.

Those who helped Howard Hanson celebrate his birthday on Sunday evening were Lorraine Watne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson along with Howard's wife, Linda and sons Dean and Luana. A lunch was served with three decorated birthday cakes. Howard also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Howard.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the farewell party for Jon Mouritsen and his wife Kristin. They will be leaving for Pennsylvania where Jon will be going back to school.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the Salesdals Leget in Oklee.

Mrs. Gary Johnson and Kylie visited with Albert Johnson at his home in Goodridge on Saturday evening.

Tuesday visitors and dinner guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Rose Myro of Oklee and her son Galen Myro of Detroit Lakes.

Jean Johnson and Monica visited with Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Tuesday evening.

Thief River Falls Times

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota July 19, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Employment Office Now On 44-Hour Work Week

"Word has been received by the United States employment service office in Thief River Falls that effective at once the office hours will be from 8:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon on Saturday. This conforms with the request from President Truman that government offices maintain a 44-hour work week."

School Coal Contract Let Monday Night

"At the July session of the local board of education Monday evening, the Red Lake Fuel company, sole bidder was awarded the contract to supply 690 tons, more or less, of premium treated screenings delivered in the bin at a price of $10.90 per ton. The board voted to put off the installation of a stoker in the Northrop school recently contracted for, until after the present supply of approximately 25 tons of lump coal has been utilized. Two other stokers however will be installed in the Knox school in the near future."

School Lunch Program To Continue This Fall

"Continuation of the community school lunch program in Minnesota through the 1945-46 school year has been assured by congressional action including $50,000,000 for this purpose in the U.S. department of agriculture appropriations, E. G. Booth, Minnesota state director of the U.S. department of agriculture's office of supply, St. Paul, said today."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Helen Walker
Dennis O'Keefe
"Brewster's Millions"
Falls Theatre
Buy Defense Stamps at Our Box-Office!

Rain Wednesday Night Brings Total of .80 Inch

"Thundershowers Wednesday night brought the heaviest precipitation of the month to date, eggregating .80 inch, while more rain fell this morning. Previously during the week .32 inch of rain fell, including .23 inch Sunday night. Highest temperature during the week was 80 recorded Wednesday afternoon."

Corn May Be Late But Other Things Grow

"St. Peter and Hopkins - Mother Nature is cutting up again. Quack grass grew right through a tulip bulb at Hopkins and at St. Peter a 58-inch rhubarb stalk was two and a half inches thick at the base and bore a leaf 30 by 42 inches."

Topics of The Times
Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Nelson, former Times Editor

—Random thought: Wonder where all the mosquitoes are this summer.

—Strange things happen, but we don't take much stock in the rumor that Senator Henrik Shipstead won't be a candidate for reelection in 1946.

—At last we know why they put buttons on sleeves. They tell us it is to discourage the wiping of noses on them.

—The meatless idea is surely spreading, reports Billy Noonan. For instance, he says, a girl named Salmon and a man named named Fish were married the other day.

—The grain weighers' strike in Minneapolis suggests that the interests of the grain weighers and the grain growers aren't identical.

—Local investors and the county war bond committee deserve a pat on the back for the success of the Seventh War Loan campaign in Pennington county.

— Under that new state law, the motorists without public liability insurance must feel as exposed as a member of a nudist colony.

—Considering all the New Dealers on the Supreme Court, President Truman would do well to name a Republican to succeed Justice Roberts, who resigned recently.

—Most of those who take an overnight train trip from now on will travel in an upright position.

—Speaking of being wedded to your job, a man down in Martin county has held the office of clerk of court for 47 years.

—That proposal for a special session of the Minnesota legislature doesn't seem to interest anyone but its sponsors, the CIO.

—If you're able to read this, you probably came through Friday the 13th in pretty good shape.

—Simile: As uncooperative as the weatherman was with haying the first half of July.

N.A.H.

St. Hilaire Spectator

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota July 17, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"Fishing at the dam is becoming a very popular amusement.

"Haying will be later this year than usual owing to most of the meadow and fields being flooded by the late rain.

"The Swedish Mission Church held a series of very successful revival meetings at Holl's Hall the latter part of the week.

"A work train has been put on hauling gravel and repairing the track on the branch getting it in shape to carry the large wheat crop this fall.

"Henry Norland, foreman at the dam, met with a painful accident last Saturday which will lay him up for a week or more. He was chopping with an adz when it slipped, cutting a deep gash in his foot. He is able to be around again today but it will be several days before be will be able to resume work."

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugan
378-4367

Arlene Pickard of Camas, WA is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Christiansen and preparing for their farm equipment auction sale to be on July 21st. Arlen will also attend the Christiansen/Larsen family reunion on July 9th at the park in Bagley.

On July 4th, Gladys Hanson had attended a reunion of her own family at the home of her daughter Grace Bovee in Bemidji. Also attended that event were Kenny Hanson of McIntosh, Amy Jo McMahon of Sonoma, CA, Marie Headly of Mesa, AZ and Eunice Krogstad of Gilbert and also a number of grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson and Brian attended the Air Show in Grand Forks, ND on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mostrom attended the Anderson, Kelsjrand and Lindahl family reunion held at the Evelyn Anderson home near Grygla on Sunday.

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home recently were Darren Arveson, Lester Hanson, Willie and Jane Good and Adeline Hanson.

Lene Lopac of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of flower gardening during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Samantha Jorde of the New Selum 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of creative arts during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Bryenna Helgeland of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of plant and soil science and my flower garden during the 1995 Pennington county.

Chelsey Helgeland of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of conservation during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Grand and reserve champion market rabbits at the 4-H club rabbit show at the Pennington County Fair were shown by Wayne Johnson of the New Solum 4-H club.

Bryanna Halgaland of the Smiley 4-H club had the grand champion and reserve champion breeding rabbit entries in the 4-H club rabbit show at the Pennington County Fair.

David Peterson of Thief River Falls had the grand champion garden fruit in open class competition at the Pennington County Fair with his entry of grapes.

Jocelyn Halgaland of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of safety during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Ellen Haymond of the Happy Acres 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of geology on water pollution during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Jocelyn Halgaland of the Smiley 4-H club won the senior showmanship in the 4-H club rabbit division at the Pennington County Fair. Reserve champion was Wayne Johnson of New Solum.

Michelle Neplin of rural Red Lake Falls had the grand champion entry in the corn and sunflowers division in the open class crops show at the Pennington County Fair with this sunflower entry.

Best Junior Doe in Show at the open class goat show Saturday at the Pennington County Fair was "14 Karat Gold Black Magic," a registered Alpine yearling shown by Jolynn Friborg of Bagley.

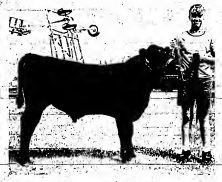
Mark Neplin of rural Red Lake Falls had the grand championship in the sheaf of grain category in the open class agriculture division of the Pennington County Fair with this soybean entry.

Katie Hruby of the Kratka 4-H club had her arms full as her grand champion wether in the 4-H sheep division at the Pennington County Fair was a little camera shy. Reserve championship went to Kelly Natvik of New Solum.

Double winner at the Pennington County Fair was "Lisa's Strawberry," a registered Semen entered by Tiffany Lee of the Smiley 4-H club. The four-year-old goat was the 4-H champion and also won the Best Senior Doe in Show in the open class goat show. Tiffany also had the reserve champion in 4-H and won the showmanship title.

Tuberous begonia won a grand championship ribbon for Casey Enge in the flower division at the Pennington County Fair.

Grand champion steer in the 4-H club beef division at the Pennington County Fair was shown by Sonny Carlson of the Happy Acres 4-H club. Reserve champion was Cami Sorenson, also of Happy Acres.



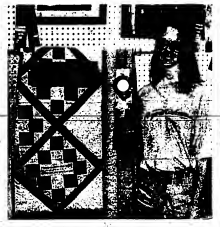
Grand champion pigs over all breeds in the open class beef show at the Pennington County Fair was the two month old registered Black Angus shown by Amber Oscerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Oscerson of rural Red Lake Falls. The calf was sired by "T. C. Dividend."

Junior beef showmanship champion in the 4-H club beef division at the Pennington County Fair was Lisa Sorteberg of the Smiley 4-H club. Reserve champion was Derek Sorenson of Happy Acres.

4-H horse project championship at the Pennington County Fair was won by Daniella Grandbois of the Happy Acres 4-H club.

Sharon Hamre won a grand championship in artistic arrangement in the open class flower show at the Pennington County Fair.

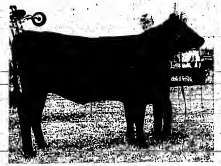
Cow/calf project champion in the 4-H club beef division at the Pennington County Fair was this entry by Ryan Swenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club. Reserve champion was Sunny Carlson, also of Happy Acres.



Kay Lynn Staiger won an open class grand championship in the children's sewing division with this quilt entry at the Pennington County Fair.

Wayne Johnson of the New Solum 4-H club swept the 4-H club swine show at the Pennington County Fair with the grand champion gilt and barrow and winning the showmanship title. Darren Asp of Sanders has the reserve champion gilt, Jared Asp of Sanders the reserve champion barrow and Amber Morkrid of Sanders was the reserve champion showman.

Champion grade calf in the 4-H club division at the Pennington County Fair was entered by Heather Torstveit of the Happy Acres 4-H club.



Grand champion beef heifer in the 4-H club division at the Pennington County Fair was entered by Sunny Carlson of the Happy Acres 4-H club. Reserve championship went to Ryan Swenson of the Happy Acres club.

Grand champion ewe in the 4-H club sheep show at the Pennington County Fair was entered by Tiffany Lee of the Smiley 4-H club. Reserve champion was entered by Kelly Natvik of the New Solum club.

Erica Paulson and her chocolate lab won Grand Champion Obedience for Open Graduate Beginner and Junior Showmanship at the Pennington County Fair on July 12th.

Jocelyn Helgeland and her sheltie DeVoy won Grand Champion Showmanship at the Pennington county fair 4-H dog show.

Joan Baker and her shelties Mendy and Honey won Grand Champion for Brace Novice A and B at the 4-H dog show.

Dannielle Grandbois and her golden lab Brendi won Grand Champion Obedience and Grand Champion Senior Open Division Showmanship. They also earned a few reserved champion awards.

County Fair Time!

Joy Smieja and her English springer spaniel Chelsie won Grand Champion Open Beginner A and Reserve Champion Showmanship for Marshall County. Joy competed at the Pennington county show because there were not enough entries in her home county to hold a dog show.

Melissa Clark, Kay Stieger and Carissa Holecek, were named first attendant, royal person and second attendant, respectively for the 4-H fashion revue in the beginners division.

Denette Olson and her doberman pincher Ranger won Grand Champion for both Adult Showmanship and Beginner B Open.

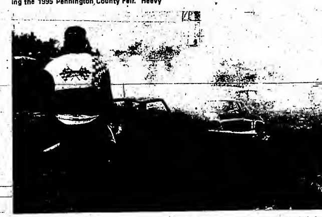
Laura Steiger of the Smiley 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of advanced clothing construction and home environment during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

During a short intermission at the bull ride events at the 1995 Pennington County Fair, Keith Isley, rodeo clown from Reidsville, NC, entertained the crowd with an aerobics training segment.

The royal court for the intermediate and Advanced division of the 4-H fashion revue are Jocelyn Helgeland, first attendant; Laura Steiger, royal person and Sunny Carlson, second attendant.

Wayne Johnson of the New Solum 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of self determined. Johnson's project involved restoring a 1936 tractor.

Mud was flying everywhere at the 1995 Jaycee Demolition derby, which was held Sunday during the 1995 Pennington County Fair. Heavy rain Sunday made it difficult for drivers and some spectators.



Steam and smoke from the Jaycee Demolition Derby covers a muddy pit in front of the grandstand Sunday. There were 29 drivers in the event. Conditions were so muddy for the first few heats that tractors had to be used to move some of the vehicles which became stuck. The winners of the demolition derby included: 1) Shawn Nelson, 2) Kevin Melby, 3) Scott Srnsky. Winners of the Grand Slam event included: 1) Travis Nelson, 2) Jamie Seuve, and 3) Darci Miller.

Part of the entertainment involved in a demolition derby appears to be the mud. There was plenty of mud at the 1995 Pennington County Fair Jaycee Demolition Derby Sunday. Drivers in the event shared plenty of the mud with spectators.

Keith Isley of Reidsville, NC, entertained the audience who attended the bull ride events at the 1995 Pennington County Fair. Isley's duties also included helping to protect the bull riders.

Agder

Keith and Sandy Klungness from Seattle, WA, Dale and Vi Klungness from Saudi Arabia, their daughters, Kristi from Omaha, NE and Emily from Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Joanna and DuWayne Theissen from Rock Hill, SC, Gary Klungness from Zurich, Switzerland and Paul Klungness from Dallas, TX, the family of Peter Klungness, hosted a birthday party in Pete's honor at the Silver Creek church on Saturday afternoon. A short program including devotions by Pastor Nancy Werner, and a vocal selection by Grace Jorde and Carmen Gustafson was given. The Klungness family had not been together for 31 years so there was much reminiscing. The Silver Creek ladies served a delicious lunch including a birthday cake baked and decorated for the occasion by Margaret Rupprecht. The fishing theme was used in decorating. The afternoon was enjoyed by friends and relatives.

Bernice Danielson from Grand Forks was a dinner guest Tuesday at the Bernice Knutson home. In the afternoon they visited with Mavis Hillyer at the Stock home. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Myarchin were visitors there and Bernice returned with them to their home in Crookston.

Ida Rupprecht attended the funeral for Dora Lindstrom at Strandquist on Friday.

Mrs. Roy Nelson from Anoka was a noon luncheon guest and afternoon visitor at the home of her cousin, Doris Kaushagen on Monday.

Bernice and Ray Barth were Sunday morning coffee guests at the home of Marge and Henry Panek. Later following church services, they met at Dee's Kitchen and enjoyed dinner together.

Dale Klungness, Keith and Sandy Klungness were Friday evening visitors at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home.

Bernice Knutson, Bill and Connie Stock attended the Merle Dagen funeral at the Redeemer church on Friday.

Jean Nelson was a supper guest Friday at the Margaret and Leslie Nelson home.

Bernice and Ray Barth were Sunday evening visitors at the Betty and Harold Harder home.

Judy Jones, David and Casey were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Ida Rupprecht home. Lunch including birthday-cake was served to celebrate Judy's birthday.

Mary Ann and Don Norum from Bemidji spent the weekend at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Houseguests Wednesday night at the Carmen and Larry Gustafson home were Gard and Asbjorn Walderhaug and Kristi and Ivar Vartra from Alesund, Norway.

Marlene Hanson is spending a weeks vacation at the home of her parents, Ruth and Lowell Hanson and with her sister, Valarie Austad and family.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the Bernice Knutson home were Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Trochmann.

Monday afternoon visitors at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home were Sandy and Keith Klungness. Sandy returned to their home in Seattle Monday evening and Keith remained for a longer visit.

Diane Nelson from International Falls was a Monday morning visitor at the Jean Nelson home.

Doris Kaushagen accompanied Jerry and Ken Nelson to a potluck dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garthus on their 61st Wedding Anniversary.

Ruth Hanson enjoyed having lunch with her friend, Donalda Arne from Virginia on Wednesday.

Saturday evening visitors at the Bernice Danielson home in East Grand Forks were Bernice Knutson and Marlene Beady. They enjoyed supper together at a Grand Forks restaurant.

OUR ADVERTISERS SAVE YOU MONEY!

Plummer News

Effie Byer
465-4375

Nora Selbel spent from Tuesday to Friday visiting Lorena Westerlund. On Wednesday Lorena, Nora, Pat Larson, Myrtle Patnode and Edna Hyde visited at the Art Schiefert home.

Lorena Westerlund, Nora Selbel, Myrtle Patnode and Pat Larson visited on Friday with Clara Mickelson at the CNC unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Class Reunion

A ten year class reunion of PHS was held on June 30-July 1 & 2, 1995. On Friday a tour of the school was held for some, with a social gathering that night. On Saturday, a supper was held at Third Base in Brooks followed by a dance at the American Legion Hall. On Sunday, a family gathering was held at the Plummer Park. Those attending were as follows: Lori (Braaten) McLean and husband of Thief River Falls; Linda (Dufault) and husband [illegible] of Thief River Falls; Tami (Delage) Paradis and husband Fred of Warroad; David Eskeli of Roseau; Duane Franklund and wife Rachel of Burnsville; Tony Gerardy and wife Sheila of Plummer; Lorie Grove of Erskine; Renee Grove and friend Ralph of Mentor; Dawn (Howard) and husband Randy of Fosston; Lana (Konickson) Puttkammer and husband Steve of Duluth; LaNette (Konickson) Osbjornson and husband Danny of Glyndon; Ted Linder of Oklee; Jody (Pahlon) Dudon and husband Rodney of Young America; John Paradis and wife Valarie of Plummer; Dean Torkelson and wife Joy of Plummer; Dennis Torkelson and wife Angie of Plummer; Bill Traxler and wife Deb of St. James; and Jackie Withers of Australia.

Duane and Rachel Franklund visited on Saturday at the Eldon Vigstol and Art Frolland homes.

Carole Wright attended an All Class Reunion of Karlstad school on Saturday. She had taught for 13 years in this school and had many friends to see.

Mindy, Larry and Baron Juhl of Lake Bronson, Chuck and Jolayne Simpson flew in Larry's plane to Tolstoy, SD on Saturday to visit Tracy and Ryan Peterson. Mindy and Baron spent the Fourth with her parents Chuck and Jolayne.

The annual rummage and consignment sale in Plummer on Saturday brought a lot of people to town. Lunches were served by Plummer Senior Citizens at the Legion Hall and it made a good place for friends and neighbors to visit as the auction was going on.

Jana and Sam Granum and Bunny DuChamp visited on Monday afternoon at Grygla with Ole and Targie Nosland.

Rick Greenwald, Nora, Chancey and Luke of Stacy arrived on Monday at the home of his parents Howard and Margaret Greenwald and visited until Thursday.

Agnes Hemley of Vancouver, WA and Dean Hemley from the Naval Base at Sasebo, Japan spent a few days at the Brent Hemley home. On Monday they visited at the Bunny DuChamp home.

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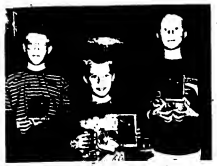
Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull four-year-old division are first place, Chaz Harger; second place, Cheryl Nelson and third place, Christopher Berg.



Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull eight-year-old division are first place, Jesse Ulen; second place, Derek Smith and third place, Tyson Lane.

Philip Hoke of the Happy Acres 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of performing arts during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull five-year-old division are first place, Daniel Nelson; second place, Daniel Wold and third place Kevin Guemma.

Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull nine-year-old division are first place, Johnathan Miller; second place, Chase Rupprecht and third place, James Dahlin.

Eric Rouland of the Happy Acres 4-H club won grand champion award in the 4-H divisions of small engines, and senior shop, during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull six-year-old division are first place, Sara Mills; second place, Andraw Perita and third place, Nicholas Burks.

Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull ten-year-old division are first place, Gabe Carlson; second place, Corrie Dahlin and third place Luke Carlson.

Aaron Swanson of the Highlanding 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of beginning computer during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Rebeka Solem for the Steiner 4-H was awarded Grand Champion Beginner foods.

Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull seven-year-old division are first place, Tyler Holden; second place, Aaron Sigerud and third place, Jordon Swanson.

Winners of Sunday's Pennington County Fair Pedal Pull eleven-year-old division are first place, Cody Knutson; second place, Chris Swenson and third place Jeremy Loland.

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Junior dairy showmanship champion at the Pennington County Fair 4-H club division was Jamie Holum of the Highlanding 4-H club with this Ayrshire heifer calf. Reserve champion was Chase Rupprecht, enrolled in independent study.

Nancy Jean Olson of Thief River Falls won a grand champion award at the 1995 Pennington County Fair with this picture of several puppies. She won the award in the open class division.

Show and hobby class championship in the 4-H club poultry division at the Pennington County Fair was won by Chad Toretvelt of the Smiley 4-H club.

Billy Lubitz of the Steiner 4-H club won the poultry showmanship title at the Pennington County Fair. Reserve champion was Marsha Lubitz, also of Steiner.

Poultry production champion in the 4-H poultry show at the Pennington County Fair was entered by Wayne Johnson of the New Solum 4-H club.

Waterfowl championship in the 4-H club poultry show at the Pennington County Fair was won by Wayne Johnson of the New Solum 4-H club. Wayne also had the reserve champion.

Kalli Muzzy of the Steiner 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of horseless during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Kristin Muzzy of the Steiner 4-H club won the junior showmanship title at the 4-H club rabbit show at the Pennington County Fair. Jonathan Pream of Silverton was the reserve champion.

Janae Harlow of the Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of video during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Minnesota State Horticulturel Society youth award was presented to Johnnie Philips, three-year-old son of Dale and Wendy Philips of Thief River Falls, for his entry of Swedish ivy in the open class flower show at the Pennington County Fair. The award to first-time youth exhibitors is to encourage youngsters in gardening and also included an "Exhibiting and Judging Handbook."

Mery DuPree of Thief River Falls earned three grand champion ribbons in the open class garden division at the Pennington County Fair with vine crop, root crop and garden collection entries.

Sonia Lopez of the 4-H Smiley 4-H club won a grand champion award in the 4-H division of cat during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Marilyn Kuzel of Thief River Falls won a grand championship with her lettuce in the Other Vegetables category of open class competition at the Pennington County Fair.

Senior beef showmanship in the 4-H club beef division at the Pennington County Fair was won by Ryan Swenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club. Reserve champion was Carol Sorenson of the Happy Acres club.

Champion registered calf in the 4-H club division at the Pennington County Fair was entered by Chris Swenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club.

Rendice Hall of the New Solum 4-H club won grand champion awards in the 4-H divisions of vegetable gardening and indoor gardening during the 1995 Pennington county fair.

Senior showmanship award in the 4-H club dairy division at the Pennington County Fair was won by Heather Toretvelt of the Happy Acres 4-H club. Reserve championship went to Kelsey Carlson of the Satellite 4-H club.

Market heifer champion in the 4-H club beef division at the Pennington County Fair was exhibited by Sunny Carlson of the Happy Acres 4-H club.

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CRAFTSMAN 6-H.P. Rototiller, $150.00, swingset, $75.00, stationary bicycle, $20.00, rowing machine, $20.00, 964-5331. P4t57p

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FOR SALE- Electric motors, 1/4 h.p. to 7-1/2 h.p. See us for all your electric motor needs. Fleet Supply. Call 681-2850. 47tfc

Rummage Sales

LARGE GARAGE SALE- Friday 21st, 7 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, 22nd, 7 a.m.-12 p.m. Antiques, tools, toys, crib, playpen, car seat, clothing, something for everyone. 401 Maple Ave. @ 1t57p

ESTATE SALE- Fri.-Sat., July 21-22, 8:00-4:30, both days, turn south by Dairy Queen, Mentor, MN. Many items $1.00 each. 1t57p

LARGE GROUP SALE- July 28 and 29, rummage, recycled treasures, crafts and baked goods. Friday, 9:00-5:00, Saturday, 8:00-2:00, nice clothing, children to adult, some furniture, much household, curtains, baby equipment, stroller, tricycle, bike, toys, at the Armory.

GROUP RUMMAGE SALE- Baby clothes, maternity clothes, men's, women's, boys' clothing all sizes, some girls' clothing, toys, 10-speed Schwinn bike, misc. Sat., July 22, 8-5 p.m., Sunday, July 23, 1-5 p.m., 324 Red Lake Blvd., cancelled if raining. 2t57p

GARAGE SALE- Wed., July 19, 801 S. Kendall, children, teen and adult clothing, sports cards, matching comforter, skirt, drapes and fabric, blinds, Avon, toys, fishing gear. 2t57p

GROUP GARAGE SALE- Sat., July 22, 8-4, 1118 Arnold Ave. N., in alley, lots of clothing (all sizes), household items, toys, jewelry, Tupperware, wood items, child bike carrier, gas grill, barber chair, power tools, many items too numerous to mention, no early sales. 1t57p

GROUP GARAGE SALE- July 21-22, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Antiques and collectibles, furniture, household items, Indian crafts, tools, clothing and misc. 4 miles west, St. Hilaire to Co. road 15, north 1-1/2 miles, west 3/4 mile, follow signs. 1t57p

MOVING GARAGE Sale- Furniture, household items, clothing, tools and lots more, go airport road to Camp Moe sign, turn left, 1/2 mile, sign will be posted, July 20, 21, 22. 1t57p

GARAGE SALE- Sat., July 22, 2 miles S. on airport road to Riverbend Trail, 4th house, boys' and women's clothing, toys, kitchen, books, misc. items. 2t57p

RUMMAGE SALE- 1133 Greenhill Drive, July 20 and 21, 8-5, couch, loveseat, and tables, dinette sets, lawn mower, sports cards, clothing, household items. 1t57p

MOVING SALE- Exercise bike, ski equipment, end tables, items too numerous to mention. July 21-22, 8:00-5:00, 1305 N. Duluth, TRF. 2t57p

LARGE GROUP Rummage Sale- July 19, 8 to 5 at 501 S. Duluth. Large size clothes and clothes of all sizes, dishes, ceramics, Home Interior, household goods, new piece quilts and crib quilts, colored TV and much more. 2t57p

HOUSEHOLD SALE- Everything must go, house for sale, furniture, washer, dryer, microwave, wall decorations, yard tools, misc., CASH, Fri., Sat., July 21, 22, 522 Kendall South. 2t56p

LARGE MOVING SALE- Saturday, July 22, 7:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Good clean clothing, microwave, furniture in good condition, lamps, stereo radio, washer/dryer, much misc. Don't miss this sale, 824 Alice Drive. 2t56p

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY- 500 or 1000 gallon propane tank, 218-681-7796 or write L. Ose, RR 2 box 79, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 8t64p

WOULD LIKE to buy- 351 Windsor engine for 1982 Ford pickup, call 218-681-5208. PF4t62p

PIANO WANTED- Small used piano, advise make and height, need at once, will pay cash, 612-564-3063. P4t59p

WANTED TO BUY- Treadmill, used, electric, with good motor. Please call, 463-1877. 1t57p

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FOR SALE- Large couch, like new, natural color with wood trim, call 218-745-4321 or 745-4035. 2t57p

QUEEN WATERBED, bookcase headboard, mattress liner, heater, padded rails, sheets, comforter, $100.00, wringer washer, make an offer, 964-5893. P4t60p

PROPANE STOVE- Five burner, white, $78.00. VCR rewinder $100.00, camcorder, Realistic, $378.00, computer with printer, 1987 Cordata $500.00, parlor stove, antique wood burner, $150.00. Call 218-796-5684. P4t57p

Help Wanted

TRI-VALLEY, CROOKSTON MN, opening for Assistant Director of Community Services. Administration of community Services Programs including single and multi-family housing development and several housing related programs. B.S. in CS or related field or equivalent experience, grant writing skills. 1-800-584-7020, 218-281-5832 or PO Box 607, Crookston, MN 56716. Deadline 4:00 p.m. on July 18, 1995. E.O.E. 2t58c

HELP WANTED- Earn up to $500.00 per week assembling products at home. No experience. Info 1-504-646-1700 Dept. MN-8345. P4t60p

HELP NEEDED for 2 p.m.-10 p.m. and 10 p.m.-6 a.m. shifts. Apply at 7-11 or call 1-701-282-2698. 4t57c

HELP WANTED- Checkout person needed 3 p.m.-11 p.m. shift, 11 p.m.-6 a.m., part time, apply at Petro Pumper. 56tfc

HELP WANTED- Production Coordinator at the Occupational Development Center, Thief River Falls Division. Must possess extensive experience or a bachelor's degree in industrial technology, excellent management/supervisory skills, marketing ability, and knowledge of financial/budget procedures. This is a full-time position which offers a competitive wage and excellent benefits. To receive an application contact Raenelle at 218-281-3326. Applications close July 28, 1995. EOE/ADA. 4t59c

DELIVERY PERSONNEL WANTED (Domino's Pizza)
Earn up to $7 - $10 per hour, flexible hours. Must be 18, have your own car and proof of insurance. Apply at DOMINO'S PIZZA or Call 681-6000.

HELP WANTED- Semi driver and farm machinery operator combined, must be at least 19 years old and have good driving record. Also must have class A license. Call 218-681-2615. 2t57p

SEEKING RESIDENT MANAGER team to manage and maintain our apartment building, call 701-237-6840 or 701-235-2943. 41tfc

FARM HELP wanted for harvest, potato truck drivers for August to October, Hapka Seed Farm, Argyle, MN. Call 218-437-6603. P4t57p

Help Wanted

NORTHERN PRIDE INC.
is accepting applications. Starting wage is $6.00 per hr., with an increase after training and a bonus in December. Apply At: NORTHERN PRIDE, Inc. Hera & Pennington Ave. Thief River Falls, MN 56701 Or Call 218-681-1201. For More Information/E.O.E.

NORTHLAND Community hospice, a not for profit, independent program is seeking LPN's for Private Duty Nursing. Must have experience with the provision of direct care, and ability to communicate in an open and caring manner and have a personal commitment for the delivery of Hospice care. For more information call Northland Community Hospice at 681-8189. 8t57c

RN- Hillcrest Nursing Home has a position open for a staff RN to include every other weekend. Benefits available. If interested apply by July 20th at 311 Broadway Ave, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2157. EOE. 3t57c

HELP WANTED- Tri-County School is seeking regular and substitute bus drivers for the 1995-96 school year. Applicant must be Minnesota certified or willing to obtain certification, help with training and obtaining certification will be provided. Applications can be picked up at the Superintendent's office or call 218-436-2261. Applications must be returned by July 31. 4t60c

The Jewel Box Jewelry Sales
Part-time position available in Thief River Falls. Flexible hours. Competitive salary. Retail sales experience, computer skills, and enthusiasm required. Mail confidential resume to: Scott Hepper, The Jewel Box, Inc., P.O. Box 597, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

SEMI DRIVERS for hopper bottoms, late model equipment, must be 24-years or older, percentage pay with benefits. Todd Stanley, 218-294-6300. P4t60p

HELP WANTED- Experienced framer needed for Ben Franklin custom frame shop, full-time. Starts immediately. Apply in person or call 681-4310 for application. 4t60c

FARM HELP wanted- Full-time benefits, prefer tractor operating skills, and truck driving experience. Hapka Seed Farm, Argyle, MN. Call 218-437-6603. P4t57p

HELP WANTED- Truck driver, home weekends, must have good driving record, 681-2867. P4t58p

HELP WANTED:
Position for counter sales combined with finishing ladies garments. Part-time or full-time. Apply in person only.
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THE MARSHALL County Highway Department is currently accepting applications for the following full-time position: Engineering Technician. Application and job description is available at the Marshall County Highway Department, 208 E. Colvin Avenue, Warren, MN 56762. The closing date is July 28, 1995, at 4:00 p.m. 1t57c

HELP WANTED- Assistant Service Manager needed for GM dealership, complete benefit package. Apply in person at Northern Motors, TRF, see Tom. 2t57c

OPEN PAPER routes for Grand Forks Herald in TRF. $100.00 per route per month. Call 1-800-477-6572. 3t59c

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Help Wanted

NURSING ASSISTANT
Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. EOE. 102tfc

MCINTOSH MANOR Nursing Home now hiring full time or part time LPN's. Flexible days and shifts available. Competitive wages and paid time off. Contact Lynae Finseth at 563-2715. E.O.E. 6t62c

HELP WANTED- Part time waitresses, bar waitresses, and bartenders. Apply in person at the American Legion club in Thief River Falls. 4t59c

HELP WANTED- Full time driver, must have CDL with tanker and Haz-mat endorsements. Contact Russ at Prowler Express, LTD, 218-681-4366 or 1-800-621-6029 Mon.-Fri. 4t57c

HELP WANTED
Full-charge bookkeeper/office manager for general construction company. Must have experience in computerized accounting & word processing. Duties include job costing and telephone. Must be a self-starter. Salary depends on experience. Mail résumé to: *MN Job Service, P.O. Box 679, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.* Deadline, 4:00 P.M., 7/25/95.

Director of Food & Nutrition

Full-time department head position available at JCAHO approved 99 bed acute care facility and 90 bed long term care facility. Responsibilities include day to day department operation, menu planning for patients and staff, contracted services, special functions and management of 40 employees. The successful candidate will be an experienced Registered Dietitian with food service experience preferred. Competitive salary and benefit package. For application or further information contact:

Mike Parker, Dir. of Human Resources, Northwest Medical Center, 120 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, (218) 681-4240, Ext. 406

Equal Opportunity Employer

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Minimum Qualifications: Post Secondary diploma or two-year degree and possession of an FCC license. Relevant work experience as a radio station manager. The position is full-time seasonal with a schedule from March through November each calendar year. Position begin date: As soon as possible. Salary: $12.72 hourly with excellent fringe benefit package. Application procedure: A letter of application, resume, and names of three references should be forwarded to Becky Holthusen, Director of Human Resources, Northland Community and Technical College, 1101 Highway One East, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 by Friday, July 28, 1995.

Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer

The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR (Long-term Sub)

Location: Lincoln High School
Effective: 1995-96 school year (one year replacement)
Duties: Instruct varying levels of metals and machine trade skills.
Requirements: Minnesota certified or certifiable - prior vocational endorsement.
Salary and Benefits: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 230 South LaBree Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Monday, July 31, 1995.

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

.6 FTE SCIENCE TEACHER

Location: Lincoln High School
Effective: 1995-96 school year
Duties: Teach Chemistry/Physical Science at the High School
Requirements: Minnesota Teaching Certificate
Salary and Benefits: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 230 South LaBree Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Monday, July 31, 1995.

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OUTREACH ADVOCATE:

32-40 hours/week in Crookston and throughout Polk county. Primary objective is to provide advocacy services to victims of sexual assault and/or domestic violence. Duties include: responding to crisis situations and providing emergency services (i.e. safe housing, transportation, medical accompaniment), assisting victims with orders of protection and attending court hearings, facilitating support groups, community education, and networking. Skills Required: Sensitivity to and knowledge of the issues facing victims of sexual assault and domestic violence. Experience Preferred. Ability to work with people from a wide range of racial, cultural, and economic backgrounds. Knowledge of community and area resource. $7.00-$10.00/hour, health insurance, vacation and sick leave. Send letter, résumé, and list of references to: Violence Intervention Project, P.O. Box 96, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Deadline July 30.

Equal Opportunity Employer

LANDS FOR LEASE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall offer for lease at Public Auction, to be held in the commissioner's room in the courthouse in Thief River Falls, MN the following tax forfeited lands for crops, hay and pasture use for the 1995 season. Land sale will commence at 10:00 A.M., Monday August 14th, 1995.

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Pennington County

Description	Sec	Twp	Range	Value
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4. W1/2NW1/4	29	153	45	10.00
5. W1/2SW1/4	20	153	45	10.00
NORDEN TOWNSHIP				
6. E1/2SE1/4	7	154	44	10.00
7. NW1/4	17	154	44	10.00
8. NW1/4SW1/4	17	154	44	10.00
POLK CENTRE TOWNSHIP				
9. NE1/4NW1/4	19	152	45	10.00
10. N1/2NE1/4	10	152	45	10.00
11. S1/2NE1/4	19	152	45	10.00
STAR TOWNSHIP				
12. SE1/4	12	153	39	10.00
13. NW1/4NW1/4 and SE1/4NW1/4	13	153	39	10.00
14. NE1/4	13	153	39	10.00
15. SE1/4SE1/4	13	153	39	10.00
16. N1/2SE1/4	13	153	39	10.00
17. E1/2W1/2NW1/4 and E1/2NW1/4	25	153	39	10.00

PRODUCTION WORKERS

NWI (Northern Woodwork Inc.) is adding production workers to fill various positions.

HOURS: 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

EFFECTIVE: Immediately

REQUIREMENTS: Basic Math Skills and Lifting Capabilities

COMPETITIVE SALARY AND BENEFIT PACKAGE.

Applications may be obtained in person at:
Northern Woodwork, Inc., 1581 Hwy. 59 SE
Or Send Resume to:
NWI
P.O. Box 654,
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
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Help Wanted

HELP WANTED
VOLUNTEERS TO PROVIDE TEMPORARY HOUSING FOR BATTERED WOMEN/CHILDREN. STIPENDS PAID. MUST BE SENSITIVE TO ABUSE ISSUES AND CONFIDENTIALITY. CALL 1-218-681-5557 FOR APPLICATION

THE PENNINGTON County Highway Department is soliciting applicants for permanent employment as Maintenance Worker I. The primary function will be the operation of hand tools and motorized equipment used in the construction and maintenance of roadways and ditch systems. The Maintenance Worker I position requires a valid Minnesota Class C drivers license. The starting pay for the position is $7.15 per hour. Excellent fringe benefits are provided. Application forms for the position may be obtained from the Pennington County Highway Department Offices located in the Pennington County Court House at 101 North Main Street, Thief River Falls, MN. Pennington County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Applications will be received until 4:30 p.m., July 28, 1995. 3t57c

RANDLE'S BEN FRANKLIN- of TRF is now accepting applications for Fabric Dept. Head position. Must be willing to work some weekends. Experience helpful. Apply in person. 4t58c

MEDICAL SOCIAL WORKER- Health Dimensions Rehabilitation, Inc., has an immediate opening for a medical social worker in our Devil's Lake, Cando, ND and East Grand Forks, Warren and Warroad, MN area Outpatient sites. This position includes client assessment, community referrals and consultative services to patients, families and rehab staff. This position requires a social worker to work as needed, approx. 0-10 hours a week, depending on caseload. Qualifications of the position include: a current MN and ND Social Work License; BA Degree from an accredited social work program and one year of social work experience in a health care setting. Working Together...Making a Difference. We are proud of our 94% retention rate! If interested, send resume, qualifications and cover letter to: Kathy Ann Bolduc, Human Resources Associate, Health Dimensions Rehabilitation, Inc., 1994 East Rum River Drive South, Cambridge, MN 55008-2683, Attn: LSW position. Equal Opportunity Employer. 2t57c

HELP WANTED:
Part-Time, Out-of Town Route Driver, Mondays & Thursdays, may combine with counter sales position for additional hours. Apply in person only.
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315 LaBree Ave. N
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Hrs. 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

SALES- Established local company looking for a motivated individual for sales position. Training and benefits included. Send Resume to: Sales Career, PO Box 489, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 2t57c

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home, Inc. is taking applications for a Resident Aide/Housekeeper position. Applicants must be 18 years of age, be able to obtain a Class B driver's license, get CPR certified and pass the facility's medication administration program. For more information call 681-1278 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. 4t80c

DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed. No experience?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers/DTDTS. Call 1-800-332-7364. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay pkg. + benefits. $30K+1st yr. $40K+2nd yr. 4t6c

TRI-VALLEY, CROOKSTON MN, opening for Emergency Services Coordinator. Work directly with clients delivering Emergency and Transitional Housing Programs, overall program administration. B.S. in CS or related field or equivalent experience. 1-800-584-7020, 218-281-5832, PO Box 607, Crookston, MN 56716. Deadline 4:00 p.m., July 28, 1995. E.O.E. 2t58c

TELEPHONE MESSAGE PADS- 100 sheets per pad, 95 cents per pad, $4.25 for five pads. Available at The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls. 1t57e

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Situation Wanted

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Situation Wanted

MASONARY WORK WANTED- brick, block and tuck pointing, remodeling or new construction. Gefroy Construction, call 218-636-8016. 18t69p

WILL STRAIGHTEN sagging floors or basement walls. Walls on sheds, barns, etc. Call 681-3921 evenings. P4t60p

ADULT MALE looking for lawnmowing jobs in and around the TRF area, 681-1181. 1t57p

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681-1884
566 S. Markley, Thief River Falls, MN

Real Estate

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218-681-3119
Professional Bldg., 4th St. & LaBree, Thief River Falls, MN

WANTED- Listing for all types of land. We have buyers looking for farmland and hunting land. List with the leader in farmland sales in NW Minnesota. We know our real estate business and appreciate yours. Northland Realty Farm Sales, 681-6036, Thief River Falls, MN. 46tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER 4-bedroom home on 3 1/2 acres, 3 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfc

FOR SALE- 400-acre farm, Lambert township, 5-miles SW of Oklee, includes 5-acre building site with older home, storage and outbuildings, 325 acres tillable, 40 acres pastureland, remainder river and woods. Cash only, no contract for deed, call 218-483-3268. PT8t59p

SPLIT-LEVEL 4-BEDROOM house, 809 Alice Drive, stone entryways, fireplace in living room and family room, completely tiled bath rooms, double garage, 22-ton Tyndall stone on outside. Shown by appointment only, call 681-4855 after 4 p.m. during week. P4t58p

OLD HOUSE- to be moved, would be good hunting cabin! Sold in, as is condition, 449-3945, owner/agent. 33tfc

FOR SALE- Older 4-bedroom house in Newfolden, very large yard along river, small one car garage, assumable loan possible. For more information, call 218-436-2384. P4t59p

FOR SALE by owner- Country home, 10 miles west of Thief River Falls on blacktop, 4-bedrooms, outdoor pool, insulated shop and storage buildings. Call 681-2104 for appointment. 8t63p

FOR SALE- 1970 home on 1-1/2 acre, surrounded by trees, 12 miles south of Thief River Falls on Highway 32, energy efficient, 2-bedroom plus, 2-bath, triple car plus, 3-season porch, finished basement with large family room, sauna, plenty storage and closets, triple heating, satellite dish, many extras. Call evenings, 218-253-4411. 8t62c

FOR SALE- Picture perfect hobby farm, 40-acres, ranch home, 40x80 metal shed, double garage. Just 4.5 miles east of Thief River Falls Tech. Price reduced. Owner financing to serious qualified buyer, contact United National Hjelden Realty at 701-746-9529 for showing appointment. 4t59c

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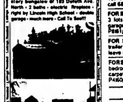
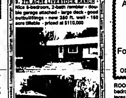
Real Estate

STAN GIBSON REALTY

1. SEE THIS NEAT - 3 bedroom 1 1/2 story bungalow at 103 Duluth Ave. North - 2 baths - electric fireplace - right by Lincoln High School - double garage - much more - Call To See!!!



2. 275 ACRE LIVESTOCK RANCH - Nice 5-bedroom, 2-bath rambler - double garage attached - large deck - good outbuildings - new 350 ft. well - 160 acre tillable - priced at $110,000



3. PERFECT RETIREMENT HOME - in Oklee - three bedrooms - large landscaped lot - in boutique condition for less than half price of new - Call To See!!!

4. SEE THIS ONE-BEDROOM, 3-ROOM HOUSE AND UTILITY ROOM!! On 50' x 150' lot - with all street improvements in and paid - Priced In Teens!!

5. COMMERCIAL BUILDING in excellent location with approximately 1,700 sq. ft. of office space, plus 2 rental apartments with a total of $700.00 monthly income. Also has double garage.

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Hwy. 32 South (Across from Belmont Funeral Home)
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
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YOUR HOME TEAM FOR THE '90's

45012 . . . JUST LISTED! GREAT LOCATION! 4-bedroom home with family/dining room, double attached garage, neatly tucked away away right in city limits under the shady oaks, 2.0 acres under $60,000. Zoned industrial too! Call Today.

45011 . . . JUST LISTED! GRYGLA AREA! LEE TOWNSHIP! 3 bedroom home with full bath! Laundry on main floor! Full basement! Garage, 26x48 steel shed! All on 158 acres!! SW of Fourtown! At this price this would make an incredible hunting paid! $49,000!

45008 . . . JUST LISTED! Real nice one bedroom home on large lot with garage in nice secluded area for only —$18,500!!

89977 . . . REDUCED! OWNER SAYS MOVE IT! GREAT EAST SIDE LOCATION! Nice 3-bedroom, 2-story home with fireplace in the living room, 1-3/4 baths, formal dining room, family room in the lower level! All fenced back yard, screen porch, garage, combine this with these lower interest rates—and it spells home for you!

49873 . . . WILCNARD PLACE!! Nice big lot! Ready for a family!! Underground utilities! On the gorgeous Thief River! CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION!

45005 . . . GREAT STARTER HOME WITH 4-BEDROOMS, formal dining, main floor laundry! Here's one that needs some TLC and redecorating to be a fabulous home for the price—$35,000!

THINKING OF BUILDING? THEN CHECK WITH KERMIT ABOUT A VERNDALE CUSTOM HOME! BUILT JUST FOR YOU! OCTOBER DELIVERIES STILL AVAILABLE!! DELIVERED ALL IN ONE PIECE! YOUR FLOOR PLAN!

45004 . . . SEE THIS 2-BEDROOM HOME ON GORGEOUS CORNER LOT! Nice screen porch plus a double car garage all for $31,900!!!

45002 . . . REDUCED! 1978 Revere mobile home with 2 nice bedrooms, stove, fridge, washer, dryer, and microwave all stay! NOW ONLY $7,900!!

89955 . . . EXECUTIVE RIVER HOME JUST MINUTES FROM TRF! 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, formal dining room, living room has bay window, main floor family room has fireplace and sliding glass doors to large deck! Kitchen has oak cabinets! Lots of expansion room in lower level! Call today! Early possession possible! Seller will offer financing to qualified buyer!! LOW $80's!!

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Real Estate

3-BEDROOM OLDER home with detached 2-car garage, 2 blocks from Mark Twain school. 681-2180 evenings. P6t62p

FOR SALE- Older remodeled 2-bedroom home on 8 Arnold. Call 681-1193 for an appointment. P4t60p

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Mobile Homes

FOR SALE- 1980 Revere, 14x70, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, 8x10 entry, 10x10 deck, washer, dryer, $12,900.00, call 681-6428, leave message. P4t59p

FOR SALE- 1972 14x70 mobile home on 3 lots, 2-bedroom, 2 bath, single car garage, excellent shape, 218-253-2946. P4t61p

FOR SALE- 14x70 Home of Harmony trailer house, 3-bedroom, 681-6373, leave message. P4t59p

FOR SALE- 1975 14x70 mobile home, 3 bedroom, Clifton, new windows and carpet, Brooks area, 218-698-4685. P4t60p

For Rent

FOR RENT
Approx. 1600 sq. ft. of prime retail space across from Ben Franklin.
Available August 1
For more information call 681-8972 Days or 681-5765 after hours

ROOMMATE WANTED to share a two-bedroom house in TRF, furnished. If interested call 681-8143, leave message and will get back to you. 5tfc

TWO-BEDROOM apartment, HUD rental assisted. Must have a dependent or be pregnant, includes utilities, 681-6707. 51tfc

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment, 2-bedroom apartment, 2-bedroom trailer, call 681-8723 or 681-5308. P4t57p

FOR RENT- 200-sq. ft. office space, heat, air and electric furnished, call 681-2604 or 681-1817. 56tfc

1-BEDROOM APARTMENT- over Ace for one quiet, non-smoking person, no pets, $220.00, plus deposit, 681-3664.

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July 19, 1995

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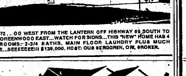
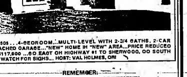


☐ 1472 . . . GO WEST FROM THE LANTERN OFF HIGHWAY 59 SOUTH TO 1304 GREENWOOD EAST...WATCH FOR SIGNS...THIS "NEW" HOME HAS 4 BEDROOMS, 2-3/4 BATHS, MAIN FLOOR LAUNDRY PLUS MUCH MORE...SEEEEEEE!!! $139,000. HOST: DUS BERGOREN, GRI, BROKER.



☐ 1505 . . . 4-BEDROOM...MULTI-LEVEL WITH 2-3/4 BATHS, 2-CAR ATTACHED GARAGE..."NEW" HOME IN "NEW" AREA...PRICE REDUCED TO $117,900 ...GO EAST ON HIGHWAY #1 TO SHERWOOD, GO SOUTH AND WATCH FOR SIGNS... HOST: VAL HOLMES, GRI

REMEMBER:
PRIVATE SHOWINGS BY APPOINTMENT!

☐ 1532 . . . MIDDLE RIVER . BUILDING ONLY...ROADHOUSE CAFE.. EXCELLENT PARKING AREA...LOT 140X50.. GREAT LOCATION FOR BUSINESS.. SEE BY APPOINTMENT.. PRICE REDUCED TO $18,000 . CALL!!!

☐ 1501 . . . LAKE BRONSON... 3-BEDROOM RAMBLER WITH 2-CAR GARAGE AND MORE.. OOOOOOPS... SOLD!!!

☐ 1500 . . . STRANDQUIST AREA...FARMSTEAD AND 35 ACRES...VERY NICE RAMBLER.. 2-CAR GARAGE, STEEL BUILDING, 2 BARNS, MACHINE SHED, SMALL OLDER GARAGE, WOOD GRANARY, 2 BINS...SEE BY APPOINTMENT...LOVELY PLACE WITH TALL TREES AND EXCELLENT WINDBREAK...80's!

☐ 1509 . . . STRANDQUIST AREA...IMMACULATE 16X76 MOBILE HOME ON 3/4 ACRES...2-CAR GARAGE, BREEZEWAY AND ENTRY...$$$ TO APPRECIATE.. ASK FOR DUS...$35,900...SEE BY DAY AHEAD APPOINTMENT.

☐ 1510 . . . NEWFOLDEN.. 2 BEDROOM HOME ON 70X250 LOT...20X30 ATTACHED GARAGE.. SEE BY APPOINTMENT...$22,500.

☐ 1494 . . . 7 MILES NW OF THIEF RIVER FALLS . 48 ACRES WITH SPLIT FOYER HOME (1120 SQ. FT. EACH LEVEL) . 3 CAR GARAGE 24X28 . WOOD BARN, PLUS OTHER BUILDINGS...80's!!!

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For Rent

SAFE-KEY STORAGE
3 Sizes Rental Units
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Call 681-1861

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom basement apartment, 8 blocks from downtown, $200.00 rent, $150.00 security deposit. Call 681-4087 or 681-6091 after 6 p.m. 1t57c

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom mobile home, Northwest Trailer Court, non-HUD, no pets, deposit, references, lease required, 681-2863. P4t57p

FOR RENT- One bedroom apartment at Goodridge Retirement Homes, $150.00 per month to low income renter, $220.00 for higher income, all utilities included. Call Ernest Swanson at 378-4262. 4t58c

FOR RENT- Main floor apartment/shared bath with another lady. Heat and hot water paid. Rent $150, deposit $150, call 681-4087. 29tfc

ONE EFFICIENCY apartment over Ace Hardware for quiet, single, non-smoking person, no pets, $170.00 plus deposit, see Ron at Ace Hardware. 47tfc

FOR RENT- Small two-bedroom upstairs apartment, garage stall, 218-681-7796. P4t58p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartment, $360.00 a month, available Sept. 1, references and deposit required, no pets, call Property Management, 681-4478. 56tfc

OFFICE SPACE for rent. Call 681-4683, 9-5. 93tfc

2-BEDROOM MOBILE HOME- 8-1-95, one-year lease, no pets, reference, deposit, non-HUD, 681-2863. P4t60p

FOR RENT
2 BEDROOM APARTMENT
Car Plug-In, Air Conditioned, Laundry Facilities.
GARAGES AVAILABLE
COUNTRY ACRES APARTMENTS
Thief River Falls, MN
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For Rent

NEWER 2-BEDROOM apartment, ground level, close downtown, off-street parking. Available August 1st. 681-3778 P4t57p

SPACIOUS 2-BEDROOM, 2nd floor, close uptown, garage, 1 year lease, adult building, no pets, available Aug. 15, 1995, $365.00 plus electric, heat paid, 681-7640. 59tfc

FOR RENT- 3-bedroom mobile home, available immediately, 681-3821. 1t57p

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT 681-2845

FOR RENT- Mobile home, 2-bedroom, deposit, no pets, 681-1864. P4t57p

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 98tfc

STORAGE SPACE
12'X24' STORAGE UNITS FOR RENT
MONTHLY $40.00/ $50 DEPOSIT
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN
681-3370

Wanted To Rent

WANTED TO RENT- 3- to 4-bedroom house in or near TRF, 681-2867. P4t58p

Public Notices

IN MEMORY OF
Jennie Irene Mack. Date of birth was July 13, 1921. Death was July 16, 1994.
It broke our hearts, but God saw that you were getting tired, and care was not meant to be, so he put his arms around you, and whispered "come with me."
A loving heart stopped beating. Hard working hands at rest. God broke our hearts to show us, he only takes the best.

Your loving family
1t57p

CARD OF THANKS
We would like to thank the doctors, nurses and other staff members of Northwest Medical Center for the dedicated care they gave our husband and father, George Bish. A special thanks to the wonderful team in Intensive Care, who cared not only for George but his family as well. Also, a special thank you to Dr. Langland and Dr. Padilla.
The George Bish Family
1t57p

CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank everyone who phoned or visited, sent cards, letters, flowers and kept me in their prayers during my stay at Dakota Hospital in Fargo. God bless you.
Sheldon Nomeland
1t57p

30 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat-N-Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood-oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-446-4043. 21tfc

Personal Services

LICENSED DAYCARE has openings for 2-1/2 and up. 681-5272 days. 52tfc

DIVORCE
Uncontested $250.00 plus costs
BANKRUPTCY
$300.00 plus costs
Omdahl and Terry, 1-800-450-6040, 18tfc

PIANO TUNING- Ken MacDonald, 218-874-2918. 52tfc

Pets

FOR SALE- Rabbit cage, holds 7-8 rabbits, call 964-5269, after 6:30 p.m. P4t60p

ROYAL PET Grooming and supplies, certified groomer, 8th and Atlantic, Thief River Falls, call 681-8311. 8t63c

SPRINGER SPANIEL, AKC registered champion bloodlines, excellent pets and hunters, $100.00, 218-463-3687. 57tfc

TO GIVE AWAY to a good country home, coonhound/german shepherd mix, nice dog, call 681-5428. 2t57p

FOR SALE- Hamster, cage, and accessories. Call 681-8278. 64tfe

FOR SALE- Purebred New Zealand rabbits, good for pets, 4-H projects and fryers, 378-4188. P4t60p

Sporting Goods

FOR SALE- Fishing boat, 21' Browning, 188-h.p. Mercury, inboard/outboard, $2,800/o.b.o., call (791) 772-4131. P6t57p

QUICKSILVER MX Ultralight airplane, great flier, good condition, Rotax 377, cheap safe fun flying, no license needed, $3,200/o.b.o., call 681-8201. P4t57p

FOR SALE- 1982 16' Glastron boat, 90-h.p. Mercury motor with power trim, extra prop, trailer with rollers, $4,400.00, call 218-681-8399. P4t57p

Motorcycles-ATVs

FOR SALE- 1991 Yamaha Blaster, 4-wheeler, good condition, $1,800.00. 218-436-1319. P4t59p

FOR SALE- 1994 Honda XR 650L, asking $3,500.00, call 463-9445. P4t57p

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Ariens, Lawn-Boy, and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair, Warren, MN 745-4298. T50tfc

Snowmobiles

FOR SALE- 1986 Polaris XLT Special with saddle bags, 790 miles, $4,800.00 call 463-9445. P4t57p

FOR SALE- 1995 ZRT 600 studded, stretched, 5" carbides, $6,300.00/o.b.o. 681-8772. P4t60p

Lost And Found

FOUND- fishing tackle box, near dam, about 6-30-95 or 7-1-95, may have by identifying, 681-6287. 1t57f

Campers

FOR SALE- Trail Blazer, 11 1/2 ft. pickup camper, $1,200.00, 681-7630. 49tfc

FOR SALE- Bay window pickup topper fits full-size pickup, $175.00, phone 463-2242. P4t57p

FOR SALE: Burgundy colored fiberglass pickup topper to fit Ford 8-foot pickup box. Nice shape with sliding windows, make offer, call 681-4450 and ask for John, The Times. 101tfe

1982 ROCKWOOD pop-up camper, sleeps 8, has sink, stove and ice box. For information, 681-2803. P4t58p

FOR SALE- 1972 Trail Blazer self-contained camper, stove, refrigerator, furnace, all work, sleeps 8, priced to sell. 218-486-2721. 2t57p

1978 8-FOOT pickup camper, stove, ice box, port-a-potty, jacks, air conditioning. $800.00/o.b.o., 681-5226. P4t58p

Livestock

FOR SALE- Purbred Limousine bulls, one-year-old, call 796-5448, 796-5452. P4t60p

Poultry

FOR SALE- Chickens, butchered or unbutchered. Also, ducks and geese for butchering or breeding. Call 874-3713. 2t57p

Machinery

FOR SALE- 16-ft. JD, p.t.o., swather, always shedded. Also, VG4D Wisconsin engine, phone 378-4178. P4t60p

14-FOOT MF straight head for Super 92, real good, $275.00; cab for Super 92, $125.00; 18-foot Oliver straight head, $150.00; 1951 Dodge truck, excellent motor, good hoist, $275.00; 1952 Dodge truck, real nice, box hoist, $550.00; 1950 Ford truck with 8-ton double compartment, Wilmer tender box, $500.00. Call 218-745-5683 2t58p

FOR SALE- One 35x8 grain auger with 9-h.p. power Briggs, needs coil; one 27x7 auger, 2-h.p. power electric motor with belts, 681-3591 or 681-8487. 4t57f

FOR SALE- 9N Ford with loader, good shape, $2,500 firm. 222-3305. P4t57p

2-ROW POTATO planter and 2-row potato digger, $125.00 for both, 884-5331. P4t57p

FOR SALE- 10x71 mechanical drive swing out auger, Westfield, 1-year old. Call 964-5407, between 8 a.m.-5 p.m. 2t58c

FOR SALE- 20-ft. 810 IHC straight head with bat reel, good condition, $2,500.00. Also for sale- 1995 600 XCR Polaris snowmobile, 770 miles, excellent condition, fast, asking $4,300.00. Call evenings or weekends at 218-528-3709. 8t60c

INTERNATIONAL "M", runs good, hydraulic 3-point, p.t.o., wide front end, $1,200.00. Call 681-8904 after 6 p.m. P4t57p

FOR SALE- Square bale flipper, fits most square balers, $150.00, phone 463-2242, P4t57p

FOR SALE- 7720 JG combine with 222 rigid header with finger reel, $25,000.00, 218-294-6537 or 218-294-6129, P4t58p

FOR SALE- Combine, John Deere 6601, p.t.o., very good shape, large hopper, call after 8 p.m., 218-745-5134. P4t58p

FOR SALE- 1971 Model 914 IH combine, phone evenings 222-3546, Middle River. P4t59p

WANTED- Finger reel for 16' Owatonna swather. 218-253-2320. P4t59p

FOR SALE- 1978 Ford tractor, 7700, with loader, call 218-268-4413. 2t58p

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1983 Chevy Conversion van, with Crow River wheelchair lift, blue color, good tires, 681-1991. P4t60p

FOR SALE- 1990 Probe GT, 5-speed, turbo, loaded, all new tires, 61,000 miles, $8,900.00. Call 681-6026. P4t60p

1992 CHEVY Lumina Euro, air, tilt, cruise, AM-FM cassette, p. windows, p. locks, anti-lock brake system, good tires, mint condition, 86,990 miles, asking $7,650.00. Call 681-6720, no answer, please leave message. 8t63c

FOR SALE- 1986 Ford Ranger, 4x4, cruise, air, tilt, call 681-3821 after 5 p.m. 29tfe

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Civil No.
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Dalton Schultz, County Engineer, Pennington County Highway Dept., P.O. Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, 218/681-1221.
-s- Frances Brun, Tribal Administrator
Date: 7-10-95

Mutton bustin' at Bullride '95

Strandquist

To me it seemed like over a thousand people were spread around on the ball diamond waiting to see the laser lights. It was interesting to hear the different comments that were made but I think that because of difficulties beyond their control that part of the holiday will live in our memories a lot longer than if they had been shown. For free we had a good time visiting with friends and relatives and it was too cold for mosquitoes to be out. Now we can all keep wondering what the lights are all about until next time.

Monday evening, Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle, June Kasprowicz and Lowell Lofrooth visited Frank and Judy Kleinvechter's. Marie brought an early birthday cake for Judy. Tuesday Kari Kasprowicz stopped by to visit.

Morrill and Amy Nelson and Florence Myhrer were Tuesday visitors at LaVoi Thun's and all enjoyed potato dumplings in Strandquist.

Gonnie and Marlys visited Elsie Lofrooth Tuesday evening. On Wednesday Gonnie had an appointment at the Vet's hospital in Fargo and returned to Winnipeg on Thursday.

Plummer

Gerald and Jeanette Vigstol of St Louis Park visited on Monday at the Eldon Vigstol and the Byer homes.

Eleanor Hodgson and Edna Hyde helped Dennis Hyde celebrate his 49th birthday on Sunday at his home on Bed Medicine Lake. Joining them were Stacy and Amy Beth Swanson, Corey Hyde and Luan of Moorhead, Steph and Jon Dietz of Minnetonka.

Karl Sorenson, Kassandra, John and Jeffrey visited from Thursday to Sunday evening at his parents Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson.

Laverna and Leona Kappedal attended the funeral of cousin Reuben Kappedal at Union Lake Lutheran church of Winger on Monday.

Sunday supper guests of Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson were Tom and Rebecca Wilett, Tricia and Todd, Karl Sorenson and children.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson visited at the Art Froiland home on Sunday evening.

Monday visitors at the Art Froiland home were Russell Sorenson of Roseau and his mother Wavell.

July Fourth visitors of John and Clara Helley were Ben Champagne of South Carolina, Bunny DuChamp and Jana Granum.

Harold and Marian Vettheuer, Margie and Larry Bjorness of Newfolden celebrated the 4th of July with an evening dinner at Best Western.

Della Rewertz, Allan Hanson and Ruth Witkens were July 4th supper guests at the Margie Prestebak home.

Dinner guests of Howard and Margaret Greenwald on July 4th were her cousins Anthony Langer of North Carolina, Loretta Madden and Helen Paradis of St. Paul and Florence Hohn of California.

July 4th visitors at the Art Schiefert home were Bobby and Dick Mellene of Gallas, TX; Ezella Schiefert, Harley and Alice Schiefert and children of Fargo, Jim and Sherry Schiefert and girls, Sandy and Glen Osbjornson.

Art and Avis Froiland and Edna Hill visited on July Fourth with Karmit Sorenson.

Art and Avis Froiland and Edna Hill were Monday visitors of Helen Sorenson at Oakland Park Nursing Home of Thief River Falls.

Bob and Sue Luxenburg of Houston, TX and Dean Luxenburg of the Cities spent the holiday weekend at the home of their mother Hazel Ollila and husband George.

Sunday guests at the home of Annie Schumacker were Anthony Langer of North Carolina; Loretta Madden and Helen Paradis of St. Paul, and Florence Hohn who are children of Annie's oldest sister. They had attended a class reunion in Staples. Others in the group were Howard and Margaret Greenwald, Medonna and Louie Lallier and family, Susie and Steve Sundberg of Grygla. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lallier of Denver were evening visitors.

Effie and Burnel Byer toured Pioneer Village in Thief River Falls on July 4th. Special events were featured that day and a large crowd attended. There are many more buildings and exhibits of interest since I had visited some years ago. The new Engelstad building houses machinery and cars of an older generation as well as many other exhibits and a dance was held there. We found Floyd and Fern Hesse serving as host and hostess in this building. The Inga Geving Museum contains many interesting items and we enjoyed the Little Oak school, Wedul's beauty salon, Johnson's Candy Store, the Burlington Northern Depot Museum, Hunt's General Store and Post Office all equipped with old time features. There are many other smaller cabins and places of interest, making it an educational and nostalgic place to spend some time. The old Lutheran church had players from TRAT summer theater showing a preview of their upcoming production with Joe Linder from PHS starring and soloing. This was very good. Pioneer Village should be a "Must See". It will be open on weekends through out the summer. Enroute home we visited at the Ray Vigstol home of rural Thief River Falls.

Alvin and Nadine Johnson returned home from Minot on Wednesday where they had been visiting their son Dennis and Steph and family over the Fourth. They also visited with Ward and Donna Amison and family and Elaine Amison who had just returned from a 3 week motor trip to Fairbanks, AK where Mike Amison is stationed.

Edna Hill who has been visiting at the Art Froiland home for 2 weeks during the illness and death of her brother Orville Sorenson left by plane on Wednesday noon for her home in Wisconsin.

Alice Peterson and Larry Wentz of Kelso, WA came to this area to attend a class reunion in Red Lake Falls. Alice is a sister of Hazel Ollila and they visited there on Wednesday, also other relatives in the area.

Albert and Evelyn Torve attended the Annual Conference of the Apostolic Lutheran church held in Menagha, in the school auditorium. Albert's sister and husband, Inez and Rudy Kallianen of Rindge, NH were also attending and came to Plummer following the Conference to visit for a few days.

Correction
In the writeup about the baptism of Jorey Egeland, son of DeeAnn and Jon Egeland last week the names of great-grandparents, Leonard and Bernice Peterson were omitted.

Edna Hyde spent the weekend at Neche, ND at the home of her brother, Percy Blair. On Sunday, they attended a family picnic at Walhalla honoring Jean Blair of Sumas, WA, and her daughter, Jeana Dykstra and Jackie, Angie Miracle of Bellingham, WA.

Star News

Monday, Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Mrs. Tim Rodniecki of Oklee were shoppers in Bemidji.

Jerry Nelson

Jerry Nelson joins ODC staff

Jerry Nelson has joined the staff of the Occupational Development Center (ODC) as its computer specialist. Nelson is responsible for management information systems (computer systems) throughout the eight ODC divisions, and corporate headquarters.

Nelson and his wife Shannon are originally from Devils Lake, ND. Jerry recently graduated from the University of North Dakota with majors in information management and business education.

Nelson began work at ODC corporate headquarters in Thief River Falls on June 22.

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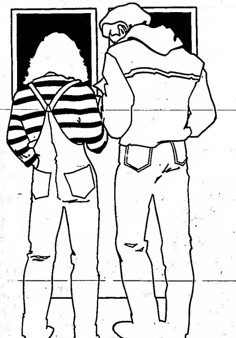
RECOGNIZING DRUG USE...*SIGNS & SYMPTOMS*

There are many signs and symptoms that go along with substance use and abuse. The following list describes some of the changes you may see take place. In and of themselves, the symptoms may not mean a thing. However, if you see several of them, consider it a warning flag and seek further help.



BEHAVIORAL CHANGES

- Unexplained periods of moodiness, depression, anxiety, or irritability
- Strongly inappropriate overrection to mild criticism or simple requests
- Decreased interaction and communication with others
- Preoccupation with self, less concern for the feelings of others
- Loss of interest in previously important things such as hobbies and sports
- Loss of motivation and enthusiasm
- Lethargy, lack of energy and vitality
- Loss of ability to assume responsibility
- Need for instant gratification
- Changes in values, ideas, beliefs
- Changes in friends, unwillingness to introduce friends to family
- Curfew violations
- Large sums of money

SCHOOL CHANGES

- Decline in academic performance; drop in grades
- Reduced short-term memory, concentration and attention span
- Loss of motivation, interest, participation in school activities, energy
- Frequent tardiness and absenteeism
- Less interest in participation in classes and meetings
- Sleeping in class or meetings
- Untidy appearance, dress, personal hygiene
- Slow to respond, forgetful, apathetic
- Increased discipline, behavorial problems
- Change in peer group
- Disappearance of money or items of value

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Beautification Awards Page 2
Beautification committee of the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations for the 1995 beautification awards.

The Sign Painters Page 12
Returning by popular demand, The Sign Painters from Bagley, will conclude the summer program at the public library in Thief River Falls.

Sports Page 14-16
• TRF Bison second in District Tournament
• Four swimmers qualify for state meet
• Hunting dates are set for 1995

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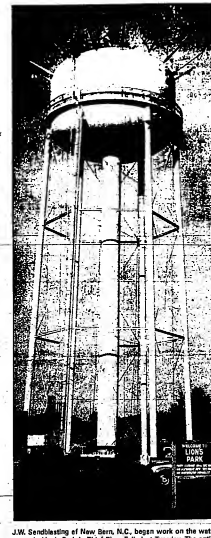

J.W. Sandblasting of New Bern, N.C., began work on the water tower in Lion's Park in Thief River Falls last Tuesday. The entire tower will be encased because there is lead-based paint on the tower. The park will be closed until the repair and painting of the tower is completed.

Committee considers options for renovation of Lincoln auditorium

Information about a proposal to renovate the Lincoln high school auditorium will be presented to local governmental units and area foundations. Community advisory members studying the Lincoln high school auditorium project met Monday afternoon to discuss fund-raising options.

Monday afternoon, most of the members of the committee were of the opinion that raising the estimated $1.17 million for the complete wish list was probably out of the question. With completion of Soo Depot project, and bonding for a new elementary school, committee members were of the opinion that residents would not support another large project, especially one in competition with a multi-cultural events center and swimming pool fund-raising project.

One of committee members wondered why if the school board knew of the need to make repairs to the high school auditorium that it wasn't included in the $18 million bonding bill, which built Challenger elementary school and made repairs and improvements to Franklin Middle school and Lincoln high school.

School District Board member Jean Larson explained that the school superintendent and school board were of the opinion at the time, that had the bonding bill been for a larger amount, it would have been defeated by voters. In addition, it was the opinion of school district financial advisors that the $18 million bonding bill was the limit of bonded indebtedness the school district could successfully support.

It was suggested by a committee member that the committee begin looking for a benefactor and support of large foundations. One committee member agreed stating that it would be impossible to raise the kind of money needed for the project by holding pancake feeds or bake sales.

Another option presented included breaking the project down into smaller manageable phases. One plan that emerged had a price tag of around $600,000. Money for the project would be raised by the sale of seats in the auditorium for $250 each, and money from benefactors and foundations.

Brainstorming during the meeting also resulted in a consensus to approach local governmental entities — the city council, school board, and county board. Further, it was decided to contact local and regional foundations about grants that might be available.

The total budget project of $1,117,000 includes: replacing 821 seats, aisle carpet and lights, painting, ceiling soffits, doors, acoustic panels, balcony railing, sound system, stage lighting, the electrical system, stage rigging, drapes, repair of the mechanical system, expansion of the lobby, and installation of a stage thrust floor and air conditioner.

The time line, which called for construction to begin in January of 1996 and be completed in June so that it would be ready for the all-class reunion, was dropped.

Saturday is Crazy Day

Thief River Falls' one-day Crazy Day retail promotion will take place Saturday, July 29, from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Change from a traditional Thursday or a multiple day event has been made in an attempt to better accommodate workers at Digi-Key, Arctco and other manufacturing and office facilities and shoppers from outside Thief River Falls, including Canadian visitors.

The *Northern Watch*, which will contain Crazy Day advertising, will be published and distributed on Thursday instead of Friday.

Courthouse to be built in Roseau

In the wake of a federal judge's decision not to grant a temporary injunction to stop courthouse construction in Roseau, the Taxpayer's Choice Volunteer Committee at Warroad has decided not to pursue the issue any further.

The committee had organized a petition drive to secure sufficient signatures to hold an election on location of the county seat, but enough of the petitions were disallowed by the county board to cause the petition effort to fall short.

The county had been offered up to $4.5 million from the William S. Marvin Fund to build a new courthouse if the county seat were moved from Roseau to Warroad.

Groundbreaking for a new $1.[illegible] million courthouse in Roseau is planned for next Monday morning.

Selected as Pennington county's Agassiz Leaders for 1995-96 are Dr. Lyle and Peggy Kenner of Thief River Falls. The selection was announced Saturday, July 15, in front of the grandstand at the Pennington County Fair. Pictured left to right are Keith and Ruth Christensen, 1994-95 Pennington county Agassiz Leaders; Peggy and Lyle Kenner; and Kim and Curt Knutson of Fisher, 1995-96 Agassiz Ambassadors. The Agassiz Leaders selected for each county in the Red River Valley Winter Shows area participate in the Emerging Leadership program. One of the county couples is selected at the Winter Shows as Agassiz Ambassadors for the following year. Dr. Kenner is a veterinarian in Thief River Falls.

Seek business update for city's centennial

Pennington County Historical Society is seeking update information from Thief River Falls businesses places for a rewriting of the historical book *Where Two Rivers Meet.*

Bill Dee, president of the county historical society, states that the revised edition of the book will include a brief history of the business and a photo at no cost to the business. The book will commemorate Thief River Falls' 100-year anniversary and expected to be completed and for sale this winter.

Dee said that he has delivered requests for updates to business places included in the original book published for the city's Diamond Jubilee. He encourages those he has contacted to return their information to the historical society at P.O. Box 127 in Thief River Falls.

In addition, he invites businesses which have started since the original *Where Two Rivers Meet* was published to submit a history for inclusion in the book. It is the hope of the historical society that all business places in Thief River Falls will be included in the publication.

Information to be submitted should include the name of the business, dates of its operation, owners (past and present), address and location(s) and a summary of its history along with a reprintable photo of the business.

"We realize that everyone in business is busy," Dee said, "but we have set a deadline of August 15 for receipt of material to be included in the book. We don't want any business to be left out, and we do want to have the updated book published this winter. Please prepare the history and submit it as soon as possible."

Higher education merger aims for more efficiency

by Sen. Roger Moe
District I

When students arrive at higher education campuses around Minnesota this fall, they probably won't notice many changes. However, a very big change in the governance of public post-secondary education occurred on July 1. Three separate school systems came together into a single, 163,000-student system.

The merger of technical colleges, community colleges and state universities into a single system was initiated in legislation I authored in 1991.

Although the merger was never easy, nor even a certainty, it's now a reality. As of July 1, the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system—MnSCU (pronounced Minn-Skew)—began operation. (The University of Minnesota system, which includes the Crookston campus, is not part of the merger.)

The benefits of merger will only become readily apparent in the years to come. Up until recently, many of the stakeholders of Minnesota higher education have expressed their opposition to anything but the status quo. Understandably, change can be threatening.

In the past few weeks, it has been heartening to hear very favorable comments from observers who don't have a vested interest. Newspaper editorialists in our part of the state and around Minnesota have praised the change for the opportunities it presents, including elimination of duplicative programs and the consolidation and strengthening.

(Continued on Page 3)

A relaxed and appreciative crowd was on hand Thursday evening, July 20, for the variety show and ice cream social held at Floyd B. Olson park in downtown Thief River Falls. The event was a fund-raiser for construction of a gazebo in the park in time for the city's centennial celebration in 1996. The event netted $415.32 in donations and raised the fund total to a little more than $8,000.

Added entertainment at the variety show held Thursday evening as a benefit for the Floyd B. Olson park gazebo fund was provided by Joel Kezer (left) and Jerol Gilbert. The two musicians have performed together for about a dozen years in various groups and bands. The variety show and ice cream social raised $415.32 toward construction of a gazebo in the park in time for the city's centennial celebration in 1996. Anyone interested in contributing to the gazebo fund may send donations to Gazebo Fund, P.O. Box 525, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

Vacation Bible school set at Methodist church

"Code. Jesus" is the theme for vacation Bible school to be held July 31 through August 4 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at United Methodist church in Thief River Falls, under sponsorship of the United Methodist Women.

Classes are offered for ages from preschool to senior high with a special adult class led by Rev. Bill Kerr. The schedule will also include music, creative crafts, recreation and snacks.

This is the fourth year an evening schedule has been used to allow entire families to participate. Everyone is welcome to take part with registration by calling the church office at 681-4388.

Vacation Bible school superintendents are Key Teeters Aup and Oma Dogg. They say that students will "visit mission sites in Damascus, Lystra, Philippi, Athens and Malta as they crack the code of the Good News Message, the Meaning and the Mission."

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Ray Fisher of Plummer, pictured with his nine-year-old son Ryan, won the Arctic Cat Kitty Cat raffled by the Arctic Lites Gymnastics Club during the Pennington County Fair. Other winners in the raffle were Anna Tofstad, Dewey, AZ, $100 in gas at Pennington Square; Kelly Schmitz, Red Lake Falls, Lori Brooks and Erin Dehlen, Thief River Falls, and Robert Jeuf, East Grand Forks, $50 savings bonds.

Officers of the Goodridge Lioness Club took office recently for the coming club year. Pictured (left to right) are Dorothy Wayne, second vice president; Eileen Hutchinson, president; Cindi Kotrba, first vice president; Colleen Hoffman, third vice president; Frances Aandel, historian; and Audrey Rogalla, secretary. Not pictured are Debbie Swenson, treasurer; Donne Horechek, tail twister; Pam Hem, first director; Jeanne Johnson, second director; and Venessa Belcourt, third director.

Many from area on dean's list at BSU

Spring quarter dean's list released by Bemidji State University includes a large number of students from the *Northern Watch* area who had scholastic averages of 3.25 or higher while carrying 12 or more quarter hours of credit.

Included on the list were the following:

Thief River Falls—Leslie Ammerman, Richard Engelstad, Amy Eriksen, Rodney Joppru, Jon Peterson and David Stengrim;

Badger—Jodi Meland;

Goodridge—Andrew Dahlen;

Greenbush—Lisa Erickson and Andrea Novacek;

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Gully—Michelle Steile;

Newfolden—Jeffrey Foss;

Oklee—Tiffany Whalen;

Red Lake Falls—Harrison Hoselton, Dean Johanneck, Kurt Reynolds, Kristi Schmitz, Robbie Schultz, Nicole Shnyder, Julie Ulrich and Susan Wetenkamp;

Roseau—Poula Baumgartner, Beth Biskup, Mamie Carter, Karrie Hetteen, Julie Senum, Jonathan Vagle and Sandra Weiland;

Salol—Lecarl Rugland;

Stephen—Janelle Fay;

Strandquist—Renae Blazejewski;

Wannaska—Terry Solom and Kevin Wensloff;

Warroad—Rhonda Bishop, Robert Kifer, Brian King and Richard Kotlarz;

Roosevelt—Kathy Kleven and Chad Turner.

174 donate blood at drive here June 28-29

A total of 206 people volunteered to donate blood and 174 were able to give during the blood drive June 28 and 29 in Thief River Falls. Six of the donors gave blood for the first time.

"Sponsoring a blood drive right before the July 4 holiday is a very important responsibility," states Rhonda Ellefson of United Blood Services in Fargo, ND. "Because many donors make plans for other activities; they sometimes forget to allow time for donating blood."

Lorraine Morben coordinated the drive sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and VFW Post 2793. Others who assisted were Louise Breznay, Helen Wysoski, Marilyn Molstad, Nancy Molstad, Betty Torfin and Ordell Bergdahl. Space to hold the drive was provided in the C&NC chapel of Northwest Medical Center.

Ellefson said that donations at the June 28-29 drive will help meet the blood needs of many patients in 46 area hospitals served by United Blood Services.

Chamber seeks nominations for beautification awards

Beautification committee of the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations for 1995 beautification awards. Categories are Commercial, Residential and Public/Institution.

The awards program is an annual event conducted by the Chamber of Commerce which emphasizes the beautification and physical improvements of residential and private business/professional properties throughout the city of Thief River Falls.

The committee invites the participation of the entire community in the selection process. Anyone wishing to make a nomination may call the chamber office at 681-3720 or mail or drop off an application form at the Chamber of Commerce office at 2017 Highway 59 Southeast.

A committee of Chamber of Commerce members will select award recipients from the applications. Deadline for submitting applications is August 15. An awards ceremony honoring the recipients is scheduled for August 25 at 3 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce office.

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Higher education merger aims for more efficiency

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of campuses.

In our region, one of the most significant and immediate changes is the merger of Northland Community College and Northwest Technical College. The campuses already shared land in Thief River Falls; now they operate as a single college. Northland's president is Orley Gunderson, who formerly headed the technical college.

Similar community college-technical college mergers were carried out at the same time in Brainerd and Duluth. Seven additional mergers are planned over the next two years. More importantly, higher education's highest priorities include responsiveness to evolving market needs and the removal of traditional barriers confronting students. MnSCU is in a much better position to accomplish those goals than the previous, fragmented systems.

The biggest winners of a merged system are students who will have access to a much-wider range of courses, spanning from vocational to liberal arts classes. Also, their credits will transfer easily within a single system. With a single, streamlined administration and less duplication among campuses, the new unified higher education system can concentrate on providing the highest-quality education as efficiently as possible.

Some up-front costs will have to be paid as a result of the initial restructuring. Technical colleges, which are breaking their ties with local school districts, will have to change their labor agreements with staff and faculty.

These initial costs have some state policymakers most concerned with immediate details, rather than the long-range positive ramifications of the merger. But even without the merged system, it was just a matter of time before the technical colleges become a statewide system.

We have to be prepared for the 21st century. In order to have an economically strong Minnesota in the next century, we will need to have a better-trained workforce than the one we have today. It will take a responsive, efficient 21st-century higher education system to provide a cutting-edge work force capable of succeeding in a global economy.

I'm convinced that the MnSCU merged higher education system is an important step in achieving that goal. I wish the MnSCU board and its new chancellor, Dr. Judith Eaton, every success in their attempt to guide public higher education in our state.

Groundbreaking for apartments at Badger August 8

Groundbreaking for Summer-Field Place Apartments of Badger will take place Tuesday, August 8, at 2 p.m. at the construction site located at 506 East Esther Street in Badger.

A reception will follow immediately at the Badger city hall where a short presentation regarding the eight-unit, cottage style apartments will be given. The units are scheduled for occupancy in January of 1996.

Sportsmen club lists winners of county fair raffle

Winners of raffle prizes at the Pennington County Sportsmen Club booth at the Pennington County Fair were the following:

Linda Skaaren, .22 rifle; Joyce Broden, $50; Al Boughton, cooler set; Ron Casavan, $25; Rosemary Olson, binoculars; and Art Heinze, rod and reel.

Veterans in area counties receive funds

Military veterans in northwestern Minnesota counties shared in the more than $610 million distributed in Minnesota during fiscal 1994 by the U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

Forty per cent ($245 million) of the state-wide distribution went directly to veterans as compensation and pension for disabling injuries or diseases incurred while in the armed forces. VA spent more than $26 million for readjustment and vocational rehabilitation benefits, $40 million for insurance and indemnity payments, $9 million for construction and $290 million for medical services and administrative costs.

Number of veteran recipients and total amount of distribution in counties of this area included the following:

Beltrami, 3,680 veterans and $4,058,834 distributed; Clearwater, 1,005 and $1,391,877; Kittson, 620 and $581,718; Lake of the Woods, 545 and $453,439; Marshall, 1,144 and $643,022; Pennington, 1,427 and $1,009,428; Red Lake, 453 and $278,910; and Roseau, 1,372 and $890,378.

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Jan Peterson is enjoying her term as president

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

It's not often someone from Thief River Falls gets elected to a national office, and it's even more rare when they are elected without campaigning. However, that's just what happened to Jan Peterson of Thief River Falls.

Jan Peterson, a homemaker and mother of two grown daughters, is the national president of the Waman of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, a nation-wide organization of women united in Christ.

Jan has always had involvement in her church. While she was growing up in Moorhead, her mother was a role model and was very active in the church. Jan herself worked for 10 years as a parish worker and as an administrative secretary, but says she didn't really get deeply involved in the Women of ELCA until after she and her husband Gordy moved to Thief River Falls in 1973. She first got involved in the women's group at Trinity Lutheran Church when Gretchen Beito offered her a ride to the Mother's Circle meeting. She accepted the offer and found the group fulfilled a need in her life. She enjoys the Bible study, the interaction with other women and the chance to make a difference in the world.

Jan states that the needs of women haven't changed, but the amount of time they have to devote to women's groups has changed. Even though women don't have a lot of time to spend at meetings and prayer groups, they still have the need to belong and to make a difference in their faith community. So, she says, the Women of the ELCA try to do a lot in very little time.

How do the Women of ELCA make a difference? They reach out to others in their congregation, in their homes and around the world. They are an example of Christian living for their family and friends. They make faith real to those around them, says Jan. They reach outside the church community by donating items to the food shelf and the Violence Intervention Program by giving food, quilts and whatever is needed to people who have faced catastrophe such as a house fire. By contributing funds, they join with others on bigger national projects, that one small parish could not face alone.

The current campaign is to help women and children living in poverty. They also focus on literacy, peace and justice issues, government change, equal rights legislation and more.

Jan was elected to her office at the tri-anneal convention in Washington, D.C. in 1993. She will serve one three-year term, but the rules of the organization state that no one may serve more than one term. Jan says the rule means she is able to give all she can to the organization for three years and know that at the end of her term, she can have her normal life back. The job is a full-time, voluntary position and Jan spends about one-half of her time traveling.

"I have a very, very patient, supportive husband," says Jan. She credits her whole family with revolving their schedules around hers. Sometimes birthdays had to be celebrated a day or two early or late, so that she could be there. She missed many of her grandchildren's concerts due to her schedule, but the family videotaped the events.

Jan says she was not planning to become president and she honestly doesn't know how it happened. The Women of ELCA, don't have hallots prior to the convention, all the nominating is done at the convention along with a lot of prayer. She was not surprised to be on the ballot, because people she knew said they planned to nominate her. She was surprised to be second on the ballot, and she was even more surprised to be elected. She had been on the church-wide board for three years, but the presidency was the farthest thing from her mind.

"I really feel I've been called to this position, that the Lord has placed me here," says Jan.

"I kept saying, 'I can't do that. I don't want to do that.'" she remembers. "But when it happened, it just felt right."

"The experience has made my faith grow... and (my) trust."

One of the most exciting things that has happened to her since her election to office, is the cards she gets from people she doesn't even know. People write to tell her that they are praying for her.

When Jan was elected president she stated, "I've got some big shoes to fill."

"No you don't," someone told her. "You walk in your own shoes."

And that is what Jan has done, walked and driven and flown all over the countryside speaking to, sharing with, praying with and meeting other women who share a common faith. She does not only speak at ELCA conventions, but Missouri Synod and Methodist and others as well.

Another organization that Jan belongs to is the Church Women United, an organization of women who come together to share ideas and concerns.

One of the events that Jan is eagerly looking forward to is the United Nation's Beijing Conference on Women which she will be attending as a delegate from Women of the ELCA. An estimated 47 thousand women from all over the world will be attending the Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) forum. Jan feels strongly the need for Christian Organizations to be present because (1) Christianity is a world minority that needs to be heard, and (2) white delegates from the U.S. and Canada will have a new perspective on the world when they see that they are the minarity in many ways; the language they speak, the color of their skin and the religion they practice.

These women need to be there not just for what they can give, but for what they can learn says Jan. She has learned much from the women she met from African countries. She says their faith is strong because these women have had to fight for so much. In the U.S. many people take equality and freedom for granted so often that they forget that there are countries where women are second-class citizens and where going to church is a crime. At the NGO forum there will be 500 workshops each day, as well as various booths set up where people from hundreds of organzations can discuss ideas.

The Chinese government maved the site of the NGO forum from the building near the UN conference to a site one hour out of the city. Although the government stated the reason for the change of venue was that the original building had structural flaws, Jan believes that the Chinese government does not want the women close to the U.N., so they can lobby at the U.N. forum and because the government does not want the Chinese women to have contact with women from other countries.

Despite the government's attempts to prevent contact between the Chinese people and the Americans, Jan and her graup will stay for six days after the canference and meet with Christian women in China. One of the ordnined women they will meet is the minister at a church near Tiananmen Square.

The three weeks that she and the other delegates spend in China will be an eye-opening experience. Jan is glad that the trip is coming at this point in her term as president. She has gained the confidence to go and learn and she still has time to share with others in Women of ELCA what she has learned.

"Your life is never going to be the same," said the past president of the Women of the ELCA when Jan was elected president.

"I know that," replied Jan.

"No you don't," soid the past president.

Jan now agrees, she won't really know how much her life will change until her term is finished.

Jan Peterson is not usually at her desk these days. During the summer she has spent 15 to 20 days each month traveling and speaking at conventions as part of her duties as the president of the Woman of ELCA. For all the conventions Jan is unable to attend, she has video taped a message to the women in attendance. The room which Jan uses for an office was suposed to be her sewing room. Sewing is on hold until she finishes her term.

100-year-old Emma Hatland entered two of her afghans in the Pennington County Fair and won two blue ribbons in the 80 and over category. She's currently working on a baby doll afghan.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Sommer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

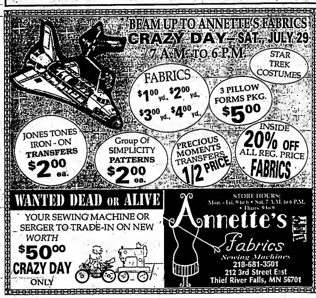
Friday
Square Dance sponsored by the Falls Squares. Starts at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium.

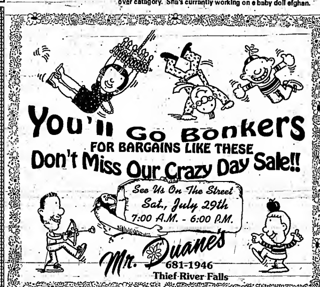
Saturday
Crazy Days in Thief River Falls. See ad for details.

Sunday
Ice cream Social fundraiser at the Heritage Center at 7 p.m.

Monday
Praise through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Heritage Center evening In Oakland Park. Picnic starts at 5:30 p.m. Donations will be accepted, and all seniors are welcome.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Expectant Parent class at Northwest Medical Center meeting rooms B-B at 7 p.m. Call 681-4240, extension 446 to register.





Sorter and Van Elsberg wed

Kimberly Sorter and Brian Van Elsberg were united in marriage on June 17 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls, with Pastor John Wollenzien presiding at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are James and Sandra Sorter of Thief River Falls and Clarence and Shirley Van Elsberg of Butte, MT.

Music for the ceremony was provided by singer Karl Jo DeLap, pianist Lisa DeLap, both friends of the bride, and organist Jill Fosholm, friend of the couple. Vocal selections were "I Swear," "Wedding Song" and "The Lord's Prayer." The processional was "Jesu, Joy of Mans Desiring" and the recessional was "Recessional."

The church was decorated with a wedding banner, candles and bows.

The bride wore a white satin gown with lace bodice and long sleeves trimmed with pearls and sequins and a full length train with lace, pearl and sequin insets. The bride wore the headpiece which had been her mother's. It has a waist-length veil trimmed with lace, pearls and sequins. The bride's bouquet contained white roses and lilies, small cranberry roses and greens.

The matron of honor was Patty Forsberg of Spring Park, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Keri Holthusen of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple, and Kim Van Elsberg of Butte, MT, sister of the groom. The bride's attendants were each dressed in a cranberry satin, tea-length dress with a lace bodice, v-shaped back and satin bow in the back. They each wore a silver necklace and bracelet, which were gifts from the bride. Their bouquets contained cranberry and white lilies and cranberry roses accented with baby's breath, greens and ribbons.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails, a white vest and bow tie. He wore a boutonniere of white roses and baby's breath.

The best man was Joe O'Mara of Butte, MT, friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Kevin Sorter of Thief River Falls, brother of the bride and Chris Cotton of Butte, MT, friend of the couple. The groom's attendants wore black tuxedos with tails and black and silver vests. They each wore a boutonniere of cranberry roses and baby's breath.

Ushers were Jason Wagner of Moorhead, friend of the bride, Shannon Leach of Holt and Lance Peterson of Middle River, both cousins of the bride. They were attired in black tuxedos and wore boutonnieres of cranberry roses and baby's breath.

The mother of the bride and the mother of the groom both chose street-length mauve dresses and each wore a corsage of white and mauve azaleas with cranberry ribbon. The fathers of the couple wore black tuxedos and boutonnieres with cranberry roses and baby's breath.

Honored guests were Eunice Novak of Newfolden, Godmother of the bride, and John and Mabel Sorter of Middle River, grandparents of the bride.

Hosts and hostesses of the reception were Ronnie and Sheila Peterson, cousins of the bride and Jack and Gloria Andersan, uncle and aunt of the groom. Guest book attendants were Marty and Deanna Peterson, cousins of the bride. The cake was complete with fountain, pillars and stairways and decorated with cranberry flowers. A miniature bride and groom topped the cake. The cake cutters were Sharee Oesterlin and Lynette Trygstad, both cousins of the bride.

Coffee servers were Phyllis Little, aunt of the bride and Eunice Novak, Godmother and great aunt of the bride. Punch and Kranseкage servers were Keith, Pat and Amanda Little, cousins of the bride. Flower hostesses were Merle and Donna Sorter, aunt and uncle of the bride. Gift table attendants were Erin Anderson, cousin of the groom and Kacey Trygstad; Patrick Little and Robby Oesterlin, all cousins of the bride. Waiter and waitresses were Roger and Carol DeLap, friends of the bride, Jana Wagner, friend of the couple, and Nancy Gulsvig, friend of the bride. Program attendants were Tyler Anderson and Taylor Trygstod, cousins of the bride.

The couple enjoyed a wedding trip to Black Hills, SD and are now at home in Butte, MT where the bride is employed at Occupational Therapy Associates in Butte and the groom is employed at McDonalds. The bride is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1991 graduate of NDSCS, Wahpeton, ND. The groom is a 1991 graduate of Butte High School and a 1995 graduate of Montana Technical College in Butte.

Tri-Valley Heartland bus schedule

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of July 31 through August 4. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, July 31
Departs Gully at 9 a.m. with stops in Trail 9:10, Oklee 9:30, Brooks 9:35, Plummer 9:45, Red Lake Falls 10.05, Gentilly 10:20 and Fisher 10:50. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.
Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hedrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45 Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.
Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops at Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9, Goodridge 9:20. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, August 1
Transportation city-wide in Crookston.
Departs Bear Park at 9 a.m. and stops at Rindahl 9:15, Fertile 9:30, Gary 10:10 and Twin Valley 10:30. Arrives in Ada at 11 a.m.
Departs Middle River at 7:45 a.m. with stops in Holt 8 a.m., Thief River Falls 8:30 and St. Hilaire at 9 a.m. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, August 2
Transportation city-wide in Red Lake Falls from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
Transportation city-wide in Twin Valley from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.
City-wide transportation in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thursday, August 3
City-wide transportation in Crookston.
City-wide transportation in Fertile from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9 a.m.

Friday, August 4
Departs Lengby at 8:50 a.m. with stops in Fosston 9:20, McIntosh 9:35, Erskine 9:45, Mentor 10:05, Crookston 10:35. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11:15 a.m.
Transportation city-wide in Ada 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Transportation city-wide in Warren from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

Catholic Society of Foresters held annual picnic

The National Catholic Society of Foresters, St. Anne's Court #855 held their annual July picnic at the home of Theresa Vanyo. About 23 people were present for the potluck supper. Door prizes for the evening were won by Ray Vaudrin, Henry Panek, Hazel Olson, Ursula Dohl, Virginia Carriere.

She Never Made It To Woodstock, But, She Did Make It To 40!

Happy 25th On The 25th
Wayne & Diane

Love The Klemetson Kids... Traci, Darwin & Karleen

Loren's "40"

Happy Birthday, Big Brother!

Sunny Carlson of Happy Acres 4-H earned Grand Champion Purchased Garment at the Pennington County Fair.

Jeff & Shari Nelson have new baby boy

Jeff and Shari Nelson of Moorhead are proud to announce the birth of their son Wyatt Jerome, who was born July 10 weighing 9 lbs. 14 and three-quarter oz. and measuring 23 inches.

Proud grandparents are Wallace and Doris Nelson of Oklee and Jerome and Charlette Larsan of Thief River Falls. Great-grandparents are Signe Holmes of Thief River Falls and Ed and Vie Halmes of St. Paul.

Open house for Walt Kaisler

The family of Wolter Kaisler is hosting an open house in honor of his 90th birthday. Friends and family are invited to attend the celebration of Trinity Lutheran Church on Saturday, August 5 from 2-4 p.m. with a short program at 3 p.m. No gifts please.

Falls Squares to host square dance

The Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, July 28 at the City Auditorium, Main Avenue and Second Street, Thief River Falls. The dance will start at 8 p.m. with Jerome Potucek calling the tips.

Lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.

Gerardy and Swanson to marry this Saturday

Karla Williams Gerardy and James Swanson, along with their parents, Bill and Karyl Williams of Williams and Clarence and Narma Swansan of Thief River Falls, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Karla is a special education teacher at Central High School in Crookstan and Jim is attending Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls for Architectural Drafting and Design.

A July 29 wedding is planned at 1 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church in Thief River Falls. All friends and family are welcome to attend the celebration.

Jim proposed to Karla an stage during a set break at the Ashton Becker Dente concert in Crookston in May. He arranged for the announcer to call her name as the winner of a music cassette. Karla came up on stage to claim her prize, and Jim stepped onto the stage and spoke about his return to faith, then turned and proposed to Karla.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.
- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

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WIC scheduled at Redeemer church in TRF

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of August.

Infants and children up to the age of five and women who are pregnant or breast feeding may be eligible for the program. Prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby and it is important to apply for WIC early in the pregnancy. No proof of pregnancy is needed.

All potential clients must write or call WIC and complete an application.

The following is the schedule for WIC clinics to be held at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls for this month.

- August 7
- August 14
- August 17
- August 18.

Note: Immunizations will now be given by the county nurses. Contact Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls at 681-5930 for dates and times.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/EPS, Quin County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 1-218-253-2125.

The WIC program must treat everyone the same. A person cannot be treated unfairly because of race, color, national origin, age, sex or handicap. If you feel you have been treated unfairly, write Administrator, Food and Nutrition Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

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Anderson and McFaden wed

Meggan Kay Anderson and Brian Hoyt McFaden were united in marriage at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 27 at Evangelical Free Church in Thief River Falls. Mark Watkins of Clinton, NJ, friend of the couple and Curtis Anderson presided at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Gary and Sandra Anderson of St. Hilaire and the groom's parents are Kenneth and Dolores McFaden of Whitehouse Station, NJ.

Music for the ceremony was provided by the bride herself, who sang "No Remedy for Love," singer Lisa Ewert, friend of the bride, pianist Karen Sich, friend of the bride, and organist Carolyn Tronfvet, friend of the bride. Selections were "This Is the Day," "Household of Faith" and "I Will Be Here." The processionals were "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" and "Bridal Chorus." The recessional was the "Wedding March."

The Matron of Honor was the bride's mother, Sandra Anderson of St. Hilaire. The bridesmaids were Natali Anderson of Roseau, sister of the bride, Anissa Tranby of New Hope, sister of the bride and AshLeigh Anderson of St. Hilaire, sister of the bride.

Flower girls were Cydnee and CeJae Peterson of St. Hilaire, friends of the bride. The bride's personal attendant was Lisa Feenstra of Clinton, NJ, friend of the couple.

The best man was the groom's father, Kenneth McFaden of Whitehouse Station, NJ. Groomsmen were Chris Start of Chicago, IL, friend of the groom, Seth Anderson of St. Hilaire, brother of the bride and Terry Southard of Washington, NJ, friend of the couple.

Ring bearers were Stephen and Michael Anderson of Roseau, nephews of the bride. Ushers were Darron Anderson of Roseau, brother-in-law of the bride and John Tranby of New Hope, brother-in-law of the bride.

The reader was Laura Sheets of Clinton, NJ, friend of both. Honored guests were Maudell Phelger of Lynchburg, VA, grandmother of the groom.

The happy couple enjoyed a honeymoon in Bermuda and will reside in Davenport, IA in August. The bride is a 1993 graduate of Lincoln High School and was a nanny at Annandale, NJ, prior to marriage. The groom is a 1984 graduate of Timothy Christian High School and a 1994 graduate of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, IL. He is employed at Grandview Baptist Church, Davenport, IA, as a youth pastor.

Ryan & Paulle Shern have a girl

Ryan and Paulle Shern of Buxton, ND are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Jenna Rae, on July 12 at United Hospital in Grand Forks. Jenna weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. and measured 20 and three-quarter inches long.

Grandparents are Wendell and LaVonne Wegge of Thief River Falls, Sandra Shern of Fargo and the late Ronald Shern. Maternal great-grandmothers are Mable Wegge and Cora Nabben, both of Thief River Falls. Paternal great-grandparents are Evelyn Shern of Fargo and Roy and Harriet Lorentz of Detroit Lakes.

Heritage Center to host two events Sunday & Monday

The Heritage Center is hosting two events next week. On Sunday, July 30, the Heritage Center will hold an ice cream social at 7 p.m at the center. Entertainment will be provided by the Middle River Hee Haw Troupe. A $5 ticket includes pie, ice cream, coffee and entertainment.

On Monday, July 31, the center will hold a picnic at Oakland Park starting at 5:30 p.m. All seniors are welcome. There will be fun and games, and donations will be accepted.

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Happy 50th Birthday, Keith

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Pennington County Cancer Society memorial report

Gifts have been received by the Pennington County Cancer Society recently in memory of Lindsay Jean Knutson, Clifford Johnson, Omer Nesland, Ester Anderson, Arnt Aune, Wilheim Bugge, Pearl Dalzell, Emma Peterson, Merle Dagen, George Mostue, Rose Love and Adeline Strobie.

Memorial gifts help sponsor programs of cancer education. These teach the value of prevention, early detection and prompt treatment of cancer. Programs are held at club meetings and at work for adults. They have been developed for students at three grade levels; elementary, junior high or middle school and high school.

Jaquelyn Keogh of Silverton 4-H earned Grand Champion Home Environment Unit I at the Pennington County Fair last week.

Gamradt and Hanson to marry August 19th

Mark and Audrey Hanson of Thief River Falls would like to announce the engagement of their son, Seth Michael, to Angela Marie Gamradt, daughter of Allen and Judy Gamradt of Sauk Center.

Gamradt is a 1993 graduate of Sauk Centre High School and is attending the University of Minnesota, Crookston working towards her degree in Animal Industry Management/Dairy Science.

Hanson is a 1993 graduate of Lincoln High School and is also attending the University of Minnesota, Crookston working towards a degree in Dairy Science. He is employed at Grove Motor Sports in Crookston.

An August 19 wedding is planned at Zion Lutheran Church, Sauk Centre.

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SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

...The Good "Olden Days"

"Back to School" ads indicate that summer will soon come to an end. Why is it that summer seems so dreadfully short now — when I am an adult — but was so wonderfully long when I was a child?

When I was young, those three months of summer vacation used to seem at least as long as the entire nine months of the school year. Looked forward to with excited anticipation, the last day of school would finally come. Desks were cleaned out and scrubbed off, lockers were emptied, classrooms were tidied, and the Last Day Picnic had been enjoyed. With "Have a nice summer! See you next year!" ringing in our ears, we would hurry home to begin those exciting days of our summer vacation.

What in the world did we do all summer? If I think really hard, I can remember some of the things I did —

—Stay up late at night and sleep late in the mornings. Get up and dress in shorts and a shirt (with no shoes) and eat toast on the front porch.

—Go to the beach, if it was warm enough and if it wasn't too hot and if I hadn't just eaten and if it wasn't "Dog Days," whatever that was. The beach, by the way, was just that — the beach. Since there were no swimming pools in town, we all did our swimming at Tindolph Beach, which is now LaFave Park, which was, I will admit, much cleaner back in the "olden days."

—Watch bugs. Much as I dislike them now, bugs held a facination for me when I was a youngster. I could watch ants for hours, tracking them to and from their nests, and I loved to lay in the grass and peek down through the green stuff to watch the bugs doing their work in the dirt. One year I spent many days running after grasshoppers and catching them to put into an old coffee can, which I kept in my room, at least until my mother found out.

—Play make believe games with my cousins, especially those that involved horses (we used the old gas-holding "pigs" for horses), and, once I had read the books, "Little House on the Prairie" games. Needless to say, I was always Mary, probably because all my cousins were younger than I was. Oddly enough, considering it was supposed to be our vacation away from school, I spent many hours "teaching" my cousins, who, also oddly enough, never seemed to mind (or at least never told me they did).

—Read books. My mother worked next door to the library and she would bring me armloads of books, so I read every chance I had in the summer. I remember reading large books of fairy tales, which may have something to do with my rather unusual sense of humor, and, of course, I read all of the "Little House on the Prairie" books as soon as they were available, and learned to love history. I also read as many mystery books as I could get my hands on and I still love them to this day.

—Read comic books and exchange them. Yes, we read comic books in the olden days, too. A subscription for a whole year of comic books cost one dollar (yes, one buck) and I subscribed to several. I remember especially liking "Little Lulu" and "Tom and Jerry" and I can't tell you why. I just got a kick out of them. After I finished reading them, I would trade comic books with my friends. Of course everyone wanted to trade comic books with me because mine were nearly new. Come to think of it, I wish I had a few of those new comic books now.

—Drink "nectar," eat popsicles and chew bubble gum and have funny-colored tongues through the entire summer. Back in the "olden days," Kool Ade was called "nectar." Don't ask me why — that is just what it was called. Popsicles were something new and were devoured with wild abandon, and bubble gum came in big, round, brightly-colored balls in a penny (yes, one cent) machine at the store.

—Get tan without trying. None of us ever tried to get tan in the summer — it wasn't necessary. My tan was always speckled with large, red mosquito bites, though, because I would itch so bad that I would scratch the bites with a hair brush at night and wake up looking like I had chicken pox in the morning.

—Ride bikes. Riding bikes was one of my favorite things to do. I learned how to ride by taking my brother's large bike (when he wasn't looking), jumping on, and pedalling down the sidewalk at a wicked pace. Too bad, I forgot that I didn't know how to stop and had to crash into the neighbor's bushes to end my ride before I careened off the end of the block and ended up in the middle of the highway. Such simple pleasures, such fun. As I've said before, I wish I could go back.

Open house for Riendeaus

There will be an open house for Mike and Sharon Riendeau honoring them on their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, July 30 from 1-4 p.m. at St. Joseph's church, Brooks. All friends and family are invited.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Monkey Tails

The following activity allows you and your child to make a delicious and cold summer treat.

You will need:
3 large bananas
1 cup chocolate chips
1 tablespoon shortening and
1/2 cup chopped nuts.

Peel the three bananas and cut each in half. Push a popsicle stick in half way. Wrap in foil and freeze overnight. The next day, melt 1 cup chocolate chips and 1 tbsp. shortening in a double boiler. Stir constantly. Dip bananas in melted chocolate. Roll in chopped nuts.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need wax paper, Jello and water.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

de Paola, Tomie. The Unicorn and the Moon. A big surprise is in store when it is left up to the unicorn to free the moon from the clutches of the hills.

Keller, Holly. Harry and Tuck. Everything seemed different once the twins, Harrison and Tucker, started kindergarten, but to their amazement, they liked it that way.

VIDEO VARIETY

Flight to the Finish. It's a supercharged rocket ride to the edge of adventure when Dylan faces the dilemma of saving Holly or winning the big race.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Children, Fruits and Vegetables

This is the time of year when we have many fresh fruits and vegetables available to use. Unfortunately this season passes all too quickly in northern Minnesota. Not only are these fruits and vegetables good to eat and good for us physically, but this is also a perfect opportunity for learning, too!

The young child is naturally curious. He wants to learn firsthand. By that we mean he wants to touch, taste, smell, look and listen. Whenever possible give your child the opportunity to examine foods before and after you cut them up and cook them. Let him be involved, within reason, in the whole process.

Your child can learn many science, math and language skills through food. Here are some possibilities.

Science:
•observation
•at each step, check color, feel, taste, smell
•note changes, similarities and differences.

Math:
•more or less
•bigger or smaller
•counting.

Language:
•encourage your child's comments
•let him describe what he sees, tastes, etc.
•help him develop language to describe.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Name the different foods, zucchini squash, nectarine, cucumber, plum, etc. Talk about their colors, shapes and sizes.

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Bridal Registry
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Sat., Sept. 9 Kathy Eggerud Daniel Noreikis
Sat., Oct. 7 Lona Jesme Paul Miller
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NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On July 20, a baby girl was born to Chad Rud and Diane Timm of Thief River Falls. She has been named Alicia Rose Rud.

• On July 20, a baby girl was born to Ryan Wichterman and Erika Wilberg. She has been named Jazzmine Jodeci Wichterman.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Orville Kjelgren was a visitor and coffee guest on Thursday morning at the Leonard Johnson home.

Alissa Lundeen was a visitor at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee on Wednesday.

Tuesday night, visitors and supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home were Mr. and Mrs. Holick, Carnassa and Julia.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth spent the weekend with their daughter, JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Waltmen, and Zachary at their lake home near Motley.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited with Dick and Marion Marquis in Oklee.

Gilmer Manderud was a visitor and lunch guest on Wednesday forenoon at the Clarence Johnson home.

Bob Johnson went back to Baxter on Friday afternoon after spending a week helping his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, with some work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Deanna, and Dustin were visitors during the week at the Debbie Hanson home in Thief River Falls.

Mary Jansan and Michelle and Monica Johnson spent Saturday together at the fair in Thief River Falls. Later, they met Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Jessica at the fair.

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♥ Angela DeLap & Steven Vanderpart
♥ Gina Eddleman & Mike Nelson
♥ Andrea Nelson & Jeremy Engen
♥ Lee Ann Ruud & Eric Hakenson
♥ Kathy Eggerud & Daniel Noreikis
♥ Nancy Osbjornson & Darrell Sweep

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Laura Homavand, 35
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Darlene Muzzy, 62

Thief River Falls — Darlene Muzzy, 62, died on Tuesday, July 18 at her residence in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 22 at 10 a.m. at United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Shawn MacDonald officiating. Special music was provided by organist Vr Barr and vocalist Joel Kezar. Selections were "Amazing Grace," "On Eagles Wings" and "My God and I." The congregational hymn was "Lift High the Cross."

Casketbearers were Marvin Koop, Arnold Engelstad, Doug Dehnert, Eldon Moe, James Rogalla, Rich Jorde, Bob Flynn and Dale Rupprecht. Honorary casketbearers were Elame Borsheim, Evonne Moe, Dollie Newland, Roberta Koefter, Arlene Peterson, Minnie Bjerken, Jeanie Williams and Polly Dehnert.

Darlene LaVonn Evenson was born in Hibbing on October 15, 1932, the daughter of Alvin and Sophia (Swanson) Evenson. When she was a young child, the family moved to a farm near Thief River Falls. Darlene attended school in Thief River Falls, graduating from Lincoln High school in 1950.

She was united in marriage to James R. Muzzy on September 23, 1951. The couple made their home in Excel township, Marshall county where they raised registered Holstein cattle. They were both active in dairy organization statewide.

Darlene was a member of the United Methodist Church where, through the years, she was president of circles and the United Methodist Women. She judged cattle shows and county fairs in Minnesota and several district Holstein shows in North Dakota.

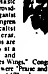
Darlene enjoyed bowling, serving as bowling leagues secretary and city association secretary. She was a past 4-H leader and was named as honor Future Farmers of America member.

She is survived by three sons, Jerry, Kurt and Scott, all of Thief River Falls; two grandsons, Jake and Royce and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband James in 1993, brother Melvin and sister Ardith Hanson.

Jonas "Joe" Nelson, 44

St. Hilaire — Jonas "Joe" Nelson, 44, died Sunday, July 23 at his home in rural St. Hilaire.



Funeral services will be Thursday, July 27 at Calvary Lutheran Church in St. Hilaire with Rev. Terri Skildum officiating. Music will be provided by organist Deb Holmgren and vocalist Joel Kezar. Selections are "One Day at a Time," and "On Eagles Wings." Congregational hymns were "Praise and Thanksgiving" and "This Is my Father's World."

Casketbearers are Willis Puppe, Roger HiNe, Bob Hilligoss, Barry Rewertz, Roger Shaffer and Steve Hook. Honorary casketbearers are Tami Peick, Jeanie Nelson, Audrya Salmon, Theresa Ivenn, Rebecca Ivenn, Angie Wright, Casey Salroon, Michael Jorde, Michael Nelson, Greg Nelson, Mark Norby and Steven Ramstad.

Jonas Wallace Nelson was born on October 10, 1950 in Thief River Falls, the son of Wallace and Nellie (Willet) Nelson. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith, attended elementary school in St. Hilaire and graduated from Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls in 1968. Following his graduation, Joe moved to Minneapolis where he worked fro Central Motor's Chrysler dealer.

On June 15, 1969 he was united in marriage to Laura Yonke at St. Hilaire. The couple lived in Minneapolis for three years and then moved to Mankato wher they lived for five years. In April of 1977, they returned to the Thief River Falls area. Joe and his brother Ron purchased the Chrysler dealership and formed Westside Motors. Joe has since been the service manager.

He is a member of Cavary Lutheran Church, the Chamber of the Commerce, Eagle's Aerie, Minnesota Auto Dealers' Association and the Mopar to the Max Nelson Racing Team.

He is survived by his wife Laura; one son Gerald of Thief River Falls; his mother, Nellie Nelson of Thief River Falls; sisters, Virgene Norby and Marela Ramstad, both of Minneapolis; brothers, Eugene of Mankato and Ron of Thief River Falls.

He was preceded in death by his father and an infant brother.

Nina Johnson, 76

Lake Bronson — Nina Delores Johnson, 76, died Friday, July 21 at the United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were Tuesday, July 25 at the Community Covenant Church in Lake Bronson with Pastor Bill Edwards officiating. Special music for the service was provided by pianist Celeste Wojciechowski and vocalist Marjorie Hawk. Selections were "Now I Belong to Jesus" and "Just a Closer Walk with Thee." The congregational hymn was "Love Lifted Me."

Casketbearers were grandsons, Faron Johnson, Troy Oistad, Dallas Johnson, Shane Johnson, Dion Prosser and Jesse Johnson. Honorary casketbearers were Rudolph Flint, Steve Jacobson, Danny Flint, David Flint, Elwood Jacobson, Lowell Jacobson, Winfred Jacobson, Neil Larson, Rodney Lofberg, Larry Flint, Gene Pederson and Joe Boroski.

Nina, the daughter of the late Bert and Edith (Hams) Flint, was born on May 24, 1919 in Norway township, Kittson county, near Lake Bronson. She attended school and grew up in the Lake Bronson community.

On May 6, 1936, she was united in marriage to Bert S. Johnson at Halma. Together they operated a dairy farm in Norway township, east of Lake Bronson, for many years. Bert passed away August 15, 1980 and Nina stayed on the farm a couple of years prior to moving into Lake Bronson where she has resided since.

She enjoyed gardening and especially baking and cooking for her family. She was a long-time member of the Community Covenant Church of Lake Bronson.

She is survived by three sons, Ronald of Forrest Lake, Stanley and Wallace, both of Lake Bronson; three daughters, Arlene Johnson of Lancaster, Patsy Prosser of Hallock and Marlys Oistad of Karlstad; 15 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; one sister, Lucille Twistol of Halma and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Nina was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one grandson, Derrek; two brother, Roy and Leonard and one sister, Maude Jacobson.

Ben Seibel, Jr., 65

Harvey, ND — Ben Seibel Jr., 65, of Harvey, died July 16 in the Harvey Hospital.

Services were held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 19 at First Lutheran Church of Harvey, with the Reverend Larry Giese officiating. Interment was in Sunnyside Cemetery, Harvey.

Ben Seibel was born July 13, 1930 at Harvey, ND to Ben E. and Ella (Faul) Seibel. Ben was raised and educated at Martin and Harvey. He graduated from Harvey High School in 1951. On October 4, 1951, he was drafted into the US Army and served in Panama and Greenland before being honorably discharged, September 21, 1953.

He married Lois Wiedmeier on February 27, 1955 at Harvey. The couple was blessed with three children, DeNae, Neil and Jay.

Ben began working for the Soo Line Railroad in March 1956. The family lived in Harvey until 1961 when they moved to Thief River Falls. Lois died February 3, 1965.

Ben returned to Harvey with his three children. He managed the Montgomery Ward Catalog Store from June 1965 to April 1966.

He married Agnes Schuh on September 3, 1967 at Anamoose. They were blessed with two more children, Amy and Todd.

From April 1966 to March 1973, Ben managed the Mobile Bulk Station in Harvey. In November 1973, Ben was reinstated on the Soo Line Railroad and retired as a locomotive engineer in December 1994 after 30 years of service.

Ben was a member of First Lutheran Church, where he served on the Church Council and sang in the choir. He was also a member of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Lions Club and Harvey Golf Club, all of Harvey. he was also a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Ben enjoyed golfing, traveling and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his wife Agnes; his children, DeNae Reiswig of Cottage Grove, Neil of Harvey, Jay of Beulah, Amy Haugen and Todd, both of Bismark; eight grandchildren; his mother Ella Seibel of Harvey; one sister Ruby Steinhorst of Harvey; three brothers, Donald of Lodi, CA, Jerry of Fergus Falls and Marlo of Wahpeton and his mother-in-law Alma Wiedmeier.

He was preceded in death by his father Ben and his wife Lois.

Arthur E. Nelson, 90

Newfolden — Arthur E. Nelson, 90, died Thursday, July 20 at his residence in Newfolden township.

Services were held Monday, July 24 at 2 p.m. at Westaker Free Lutheran Church in Newfolden with Rev. LeRoy Flickinger officiating. Music was provided by organist Kathy Rokke and vocalist Dolores Bakke. Selections were "He Touched Me" and "One Day at a Time." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Morris Hanson, Calvin Haarstad, Glenn Meekma, Leslie Folden, Jerry Gillund and Brian Gillund.

Arthur E. Nelson was born on November 27, 1904 in Newfolden township, Marshall county to Edward and Annie (Anderson) Nelson. He attended school and grew to adulthood in the Newfolden area. Art was a lifelong farmer in the Newfolden township area.

He is survived by his cousins, Ulnea Anderson of Turlock, CA, Marlys Aune of Circle Pines, Newell Aas of Oslo and Loretta Machal of East Grand Forks.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Edvin, Herman and Ben and one sister Minnie.

Levurne Berget, 77

Oklee — Levurne Berget, 77, of rural Oklee died at his home. Arrangements are pending with the Petterson Funeral Home in Oklee.

Margaret L. Erickson, 73

Karlstad — Margaret L. Erickson, 73, died at United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND on Wednesday, July 19.

Funeral services were held Friday, July 21 at 11 a.m. in the Salem Lutheran Church, rural Stephen with Reverend Douglas Norquist officiating. Music was provided by Grace Frie, organist and Rev. Norquist, soloist.

Casketbearers were Brian Anderson, Ben Anderson, Bruce Heggen, Mike Andre, Greg Paulson and Doug Quibell. Interment was in the Red River Cemetery, rural Stephen.

Margaret was born near Strandquist on June 7, 1922, the daughter of Erick and Hilda (Sjo) Paulson. Margaret was baptized and confirmed in the Salem Lutheran Church near Stephen and attended country schools.

On October 2, 1948 she was united in marriage to Gordon Erickson in Grace Lutheran Church at Hallock. The couple farmed near Donaldson and later Plummer. Gordon died on April 11, 1979 and Margaret moved to Karlstad that same year.

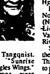
She was a member of the Salem Lutheran Church.

She is survived by four sisters, Evelyn Heggen, Bernice Lindell and Jane Anderson, all of Stephen, and Ardell Fering of Lake Havasu City, Az; two brothers, Paul and Arden, both of Karlstad; a sister-in-law, an aunt and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents and a nephew, Mike Paulson.

Hazel Bakken, 95

Thief River Falls — Hazel Bakken, 95, passed away on Monday, July 17 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.



Funeral services were held on Friday, July 21 at 11 a.m. at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Neil Bonkoski officiating. Special music was provided by organist Helen Dahlstrom and vocalist Evadell Tangqnist. Selections were "Sunrise Tomorrow" and "On Eagles Wings." Congregational hymns were "Children of the Heavenly Father" and "Blessed Assurance."

Casketbearers were Scott Bakken, Ryan Bakken, Brent Lusignan, Kyle Lusignan, Jason Warne and Denton Warne. Honorary casketbearers were all her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Hazel B. Hansen was born on April 29, 1900 in Upsala, the daughter of Rasmus and Josephine (Swanson) Hansen. She attended school at Upsala and later moved with her parents to Mizpah.

She was united in marriage to Hjalmer Bakken on January 15, 1921 in International Falls. The couple moved to Grygla in 1921 and farmed until 1948. The couple moved to Thief River Falls. Hjalmer died on April 12, 1958.

Hazel was a cook at Northwestern Hospital (Northwestern Medical Center), Lincoln High School and later Valley Home. Hazel moved to Riverside Terrace in 1980.

She was a very active member of the Evangelical Covenant Church in Thief River Falls and a close friend to prayer partner Becky.

She is survived by two sons, Bernard of Redding, CA and Raymond of Grygla; nine grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Hjalmer; one son Wesley; three grandsons, Dale, Rocky and Timothy; two great-grandchildren and brothers, LeRoy, Gordon and Erving.

Laura "Lolly" Tiede, 71

Thief River Falls — Laura "Lolly" Elaine Tiede, 71, of Thief River Falls, formerly of Ada, died after a lengthy illness at her daughter's residence rural Ulen on Tuesday, July 18.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. on Friday, July 21 at the Grace Lutheran Church, Ada. Interment was at the Ada Municipal Cemetery, Ada.

Laura was born July 12, 1924 in rural Moorhead, the daughter of Arnold and Cora (Eine) Rasmussen. She was baptized at Trinity Lutheran Church, Moorhead and confirmed her faith at Concordia Lutheran Church, Glyndon. As a child she attended country school near Kragnes and the Ada Public School, after her family moved to Ada.

Following her schooling, she began working for Land O' Lakes Creamery, Ada. During World War II, Laura moved to Seattle, WA, where she worked in the shipyards as a welder. In 1943, she moved back to Thief River Falls where she began working for Montgomery Wards. From 1961 to 1966, she lived at North Hollywood, CA. After returning to Thief River Falls, Laura worked at the Hartz Grocery Store for 14 years and the Inter County Tri Valley, were she helped with craft sales and other activities. She retired in 1990. Laura moved to her daughter's home in June of 1995.

Laura will be remembered as a generous person with her time and talents. Her grandchildren will remember the delicious food she prepared, especially her pumpkin dessert. Baseball was also an interest of Laura's and she was a fan of the Minnesota twins. Laura enjoyed country western music and dancing, polka music and travelling. Church on television was also meaningful to her.

Laura is survived by one daughter, Janet Green, rural Ulen; three grandchildren, Rori Green of Ulen, Loralie Hoff of Fargo and Lainya Thompson of Fargo, ND; two great-grandchildren and one sister, Orabel Jacobs of Sault Saint Marie, MI.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one sister, Marie Krogstad.

Bernie L. Johnson, 72

Karlstad — Bernie L. Johnson, 72, died Monday, July 17 at Dakota Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Funeral services were held Thursday, July 20 at First Lutheran Church, Karlstad, with Pastor Doug Norquist and Reverend John A. Riveness officiating. Special music was provided by organist Kathy Englund and vocalists Pastor and Mrs. Doug Norquist and Lola Germundson. Selections were "How Great Thou Art" and "Savior, More Than Life to Me." Congregational hymns were "One There Is Above All Others" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Stanley Swanson, Byron Eilertson, Robin Swanson, Craig Spilde, Greg Johnson and Jim Wollin. Military honors were performed by the Karlstad American Legion Post. Interment was at the Karlstad Cemetery.

Bernie LeRoy Johnson, 72, was born November 28, 1922 in Kennedy, the son of William and Lillie (Eilertson) Johnson. He attended school and grew up in the communities of Karlstad and Kennedy and was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. He served in the former CC Camp at Thief Lake, near Middle River. He entered the US Army in November of 1944 and served in Germany. Following his discharge in April of 1947, he returned to Kittson county.

On August 4, 1951, he was united in marriage to Mabel Pladson at First Lutheran Church in Karlstad. The couple moved to Minneapolis where Bernie was employed by the City of Minneapolis Street Department for many years. He retired in 1977 and they moved to Karlstad where they have since made their home.

Bernie was a member of the American Legion Post, the Karlstad Eagles and the First Lutheran church.

He is survived by His wife Mabel; four brothers, Harvey of Austin, TX, David of Minneapolis, Gary of St. Cloud and Guy of Fargo, ND; one sister Diane Olson of Strandquist; one aunt Elda Eilertson of Karlstad and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents and four brothers, Francis Dayles, Wendy and Bud.

Laura J. Homavand, 35

South Bend, IN — Laura J. Homavand, 35, died Thursday, July 20 at Memorial Hospital, South Bend, IN.

Services were held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, July 21 at the Islamic Society of Michiana, South Bend Mosque. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Mishawaka, IN.

Laura was born on November 27, 1959 in Olympia, WA, the daughter of Kenneth and Nancy McKenzie.

She married Abdul Marzouk in Starkville, MS.

She is survived by her husband, Abdul; three sons, Arrash Homavand, Affheen Homavand and Joseph Homavand, all of South Bend, IN; a daughter, Sarah Marzouk of South Bend, IN; her parents, Kenneth and Nancy McKenzie of Newfolden; sister Katherine McKenzie of Newfolden; two brothers, Randolph McKenzie of Elkhart and Bruce McKenzie of Diamond Head, MS; and grandmothers, Helen Appleton of Newfolden and Ethel McKenzie of Renton, WA.

Judy Gilbertson, 94

Tacoma, WA — Judy Gilbertson, 94, of Tacoma, WA, formerly of St. Hilaire died July 22 in Regency Nursing Home Tacoma, WA.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, July 28 at Bethany Lutheran Church, Red Lake Falls. Visitation is at Buchley-King Funeral Home, Tacoma. Interment was in New Tacoma Cemetery.

Judith Gilbertson was born July 16, 1901 near St. Hilaire, the daughter of Gust and Carrie Erickson. She was raised and educated there.

She was united in marriage to William G. Gilbertson on September 24, 1932 at St. Hilaire. They lived and farmed in River Falls township. William Gilbertson died May 22, 1970. She moved to Red Lake Falls in 1971 and Tacoma, WA in 1982.

She is survived by her son James, Red Lake Falls; daughter, Carol Baydo, Tacoma, WA; five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Merlin A. Heath, 62

Duluth — Merlin A. Heath, 62, of Duluth, died Monday, July 17 in his place of business.

Services were at 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 20 at Grace Lutheran Church in Duluth with a private burial.

He was born in Princeton. He was a Korean War Army veteran and served a year and one half in Japan.

He married Sybil Torgerson on February 9, 1962.

He was a masonry subcontractor in the Twin Cities area. He joined the Sussell Company in St. Paul in 1972. In 1985, he moved to Duluth where he and his wife founded Town and Country Builders.

He was a member of Grace Lutheran Church, Princeton American Legion and was a board member of the Arrowhead Builders Association.

He is survived by his wife Sybil; two brothers, Vernon of Edina and Elton of Princeton; four sisters, Clarice Nitti of Eagan, Faye Deuel of Roseville, Verna "Pinky" Pendergrass of Anoka and Carol Carling of Princeton; his mother Inez of Princeton and a foster brother James L. Spillet of Las Vegas.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1970.

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New Arrival

Rey and Shirley Vigstol proudly announced the birth of a new granddaughter, Jordyn Nicole, nine pounds and one ounce, was born on Tuesday, July 18th to their daughter, Kristyn and James Riley of Hutchinson. Jordyn has a brother, James, Jr. at home with grandma Shirley helping out. Great-grandparents are Effie and Samuel Byer.

Maribeth and Scott Miller, Isaac, Peter and Kari of Delta Junction, AK were Wednesday luncheon guests of the Byers. They had flown into Minneapolis last Thursday and spent one night at Scott's sister Debbie Birkeland of the Cities, before driving a rental car to Bismarck for the Vigstol-Byer reunion. On Sunday, they returned to this area to visit at the Bob Miller and David Miller homes and with Patty Herren and family. They left from here and were going to spend the night with Bobbi and Mike Tydlacka in Hutchinson before flying back to Fairbanks on Thursday.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson and Paula Weber of Trail spent Wednesday in Roseau visiting with Karl Sorenson family attending the Roseau Fair and were supper guests of Russell Sorenson.

Carole Wright and Charlotte Leining journeyed into North Dakota on Monday stopping first at Reynolds, ND where they had dinner with Lizzie Briedenbach. In the afternoon they visited Herbert Leining at rural Buxton and went on to Hatton to Charlotte's brother Carl and Isabel Henson. They were supper guests of her sister Gladys Loing and later visited Tony Brenna of Hatton and Janice Amundson of rural Portland. A full day!

Ron and Kathy Juneau visited Aunt Dorothy and Aunt Rose Juneau of Red Lake Falls on Monday.

Cindy and Eric Nielsen of Westby, MT visited from Thursday to Monday at the home of her mother Lorna and brother Bryce Huotari and visited with other relatives while here.

Brooks........

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mike Hagger, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zacheray of Oklee, Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince.

Pearl Laniel, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Walter and boys of Minot, ND and Mrs. Ezella Schielert of Red Lake Falls were Saturday afternoon guests of Roger and Janel Walter of Plummer.

Saturday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Vicky Grove and Ryan, Evangeline Grove, George Burthwick and Darrin Grove of Oklee.

Joe Parenteau and boys of Vancouver, WA visited his parents Aurel and Gloria Parenteau on Saturday.

Saturday evening a large group of friends and relatives enjoyed the pig and turkey roast at Roger and Debbie Opdahl home. The evening was spent with games played and fireworks at the end of the evening displayed, by the host and hostess.

Deer Park Garden Club held July meeting and toured herb garden

The Deer Park Garden Club held their annual July Tour on July 18. Club members gathered at the home of Audrey Bergeson in Thief River Falls late in the afternoon. Members toured Audrey's flower garden and admired her collections of Asiatic lilies and day lilies.

Helen Chervestad and Audrey Bergeson were they drivers for the seven members which included Lois Swanson, Ethel Wiseth, Bea Israelson, Willis Prestegarrd and Evelyn Myrum as they traveled to the home of Mrs. Roger Swenson of rural Halma.

Mrs. Swenson has a large herb garden beautifully designed in the shape of a very large wheel. The center or "hub" contained one variety of herbs and each area between the "spokes" contained cumin, catnip, rue, mints, lavetra and borage, pansies and poppies for color, and dill and many other herb, both medicinal and culinary. The spokes of the wheel were the walking paths. Mrs. Swenson told of the growth habits, medicinal or culinary value and a brief history of each plant. She pointed out that many herbs are mentioned in the Bible.

Following the informative tour of the garden, lunch was served by Ethel Wiseth and Lois Swanson. Mrs. Swenson boiled a pot of water so that the members could make herbal teas if they wished.

The community had been hard hit by excessive rain resulting in hundreds of acres of potatoes in water.

Enroute home the Tour members stopped in Strandquist to view the eight four feet by eight feet scenes painted by Ethel Wiseth three years ago. The scenes depict rural scenes from the time of only Native Americans, to white settlers, early farming and modern farming and snowmobiling.

The August meeting will be at the home of Lynn and Norma Hanson on August 8.

R.C. Shefland Flying Service Inc. recently became the fixed base operator at the regional airport in Thief River Falls. Shefland Flying Service also provides flight instruction, aircraft repair, rentals, and car rentals. It employs two individuals on full-time status, and four on part-time status. It is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., but is also on call. For information about its car rental call 681-5585. Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors recently paid the new business a call and presented Patrick Hoffmann with a First Dollar award. Pictured from left are Mike Malby, chamber ambassador, Patrick Hoffmann, and Bruce Mattson, chamber ambassador.

Gary Hodnes are grandparents of two born in June

Kris and Lusane Hodne of Crystal welcomed a new little girl into their family on June 17. She was 7 lbs. 9 oz. and is named Kayla Marie. Kayla has one brother Jacob, who is three years old. Grandparents are Ken and Ellen Brennan of West de Pere, WI and Gary and Harriet Hodne of Newfolden. Great-grandparents are Hardin and Alice Hodne of Strandquist.

A boy was born to John and Shelly (Hodne) Walker of St. Louis Park on June 2, weighing 7 lbs. 11 oz. and is named Joseph John. He has two sisters, Jessica, 7, and Stephanie, 3. Grandparents are Jim and Doris Walker of Faribault and Gary and Harriet Hodne of Newfolden. Great-grandparents are Hardin and Alice Hodne of Strandquist.

MARKETS

as at Monday, July 24

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	5.[illegible]
New Crop 95	4.[illegible]
Spring Wheat #2	4.[illegible]
Spring Wheat #3	4.[illegible]
Spring Wheat #4	3.[illegible]
Winter Wheat	4.[illegible]
Durum	4.[illegible]
Top Malting Barley	2.[illegible]
Feed Barley	2.[illegible]
Top Milling Oats	1.[illegible]
Ordinary Oats	1.4[illegible]
Oil Sunflowers	11.[illegible]
New Crop 95	11.[illegible]
Corn	2.[illegible]
Rye	2.[illegible]
Flax	5.[illegible]
Soybeans	5.[illegible]
Buckwheat	12.0[illegible]
Confectionery Sunflowers	12.0[illegible]
Canola	12.2[illegible]

Area men elected to KC state office

Darryl Tveitbakk of Thief River Falls was elected state warden and Rev. Dennis Wieland of St. Stephen's Catholic church in Stephen was elected state chaplain when the new state officers of the Knights of Columbus were installed July 14 at St. Mary's chapel on the campus of the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul.

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August Birthdays and Anniversary's

Birthdays 1-Keith Graham. 3-Jason Skadsem. 4-Collin Jasma, Aaron Waterworth. 5-Myrtle Dyrud, Kristie Hanson, Scott Lindquist, Joy Knutson. 6-Tricia Pederson, Ole Magner. 7-Kristen Lysne. 8-Rick Sethre, Peggy Gundarson, Kevin Skjervan. 9-Lola Bengtson, Shirley Olson. 10-Lisa Wilson. 11-Ludwig Blazejewski, Shannon Gundareon. 12-Sue Dondalinger, Stacey Larson. 14-Marcy Larson, Amanda Larson, Ulla Sethre, Vernon Bangtson, Nancy Tunheim, Bart Roppa, Troy Helleday. 15- Clyde Swenson, Amy Lokstad. 16-Kelly Liedberg. 17- Dean Rokke, Lenora Harstad. 18-Chuck Olson. 19-Marlin Lee, Dorothy Pederson. 20-Bryce Larson, Vama Myhrer. 21-Kristie Olson. 22-Carla Boen. 23-Ryan Anderson. 24-Brad Olson, Angie Mugaas, Gary Borg, Brenda Rivare, Harvey Skyberg. 25-Jayme Wilson, Kasey Moose. 27-Allen Brotan. 28-Jon Lee, Joan Sethre, Arlynn Tunheim. 29-Jalt Boe, Alden Skadsem.

Anniversaries 2-Reuben and Thelma Haugen. 8-Gordon and Margerette Collins. 10-Randy and Joy Knutson. 12-Dean and Mary Anderson. 20-Robert and Marcy Larson. 21-Ron Marshe Anderson. 22-Todd and Keri Jasma. 25-Gene and Marge Busch.

Friday evening, Varnice Larson accompanied Don and Gail Larson to Middle River to attend the Children Theater Play Pinocchio in which Varnices two grandsons Josh and Andy Larson were in it. It was a real good performance.

Raynerd Huglen treated Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Nelson of Belmond, IA and Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Jacobson of Beatrice, NE to noon lunch at the NuMoon Cafe on July 8th. The ladies are his cousins and were here for their 55th Anniversary of graduation from Newfolden high school.

June 20th, Lloyd and Harryet Larson, Linda Larson, Helen Sorenson, Ethel Hyatt, Robert and Gertrude Nyvel, Selmer Sortor from the Holt Keenegers enjoyed a two day trip to Duluth and stayed at the Comfort Inn. They returned home Wednesday evening.

Marvin and Rose Nelson visited and had supper with Curt and Elaine Thompson last Sunday evening, July 16th had a nice evening.

Frank and Harriet Kujava stopped to visit and enjoyed lunch at the Roy Roppe home on Sunday after attending the sale at the Cervel Gillunds.

Thursday, July 13th, Darceno Moen of Mayville visited with her Grandma Hanna Moen.

Varnice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Alice Ellingson on Monday.

Aaron and Blanche Waterworth visited at the Gerald Mortenson home on Sunday.

Visitors at the Bud and Ruby Moen home in Thief River Falls were Lillie Olson, Mike and Orvilla Ness.

Thursday afternoon Lucille Skadsem visited with Jonette Megnor at Thief River Falls.

Marc and Teri Knutson and family, Merle and Ardys Knutson and Shawn Carlson came on Friday afternoon to Bill and Shirley Wagner home to visit and also to enjoy fishing at the Northwest Angle.

Wednesday afternoon, Vivian Segeluon visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Henson.

Sunday evening visitors at the Arnold Larson home were Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh, Kenny and Sybil Cwikla.

Valborg Huglen took Lucille Tunheim, Thelma Haugan and Audrey Maki to St. Thomas, ND recently where they had noon lunch with Ethel Torgerson at her home. A special guest was Vera Craig of Coleraine. All the woman were former faculty and staff of the Newfolden MCC schools.

Lloyd and Harryet Larson visited with Clifford Steinhauer home on June 29th.

Jeremy Wilson came on Monday, July 17th to spend a few days helping Grandpa and Grandma Curt and Elaine Thompson.

Saturday, Gladys Stromberg visited with Hanna Moen.

Saturday, Bertha Tunheim and Mabel Hanson visited and brought Alice Ellingson birthday wishes.

Monday evening, Lucille Skadsem was a supper guest at the Archie and Anita Skadsem home.

Shirley Wagner and her mother Olga Thompson enjoyed visiting and coffee on late Tuesday afternoon with Emma Kammen.

Thursday, Liz Swenson and Allen Swenson were supper guests at the Clara Hanson home.

Monday, Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Sue Dondalinger and family.

Valborg and Raynard Huglen attended the Concert by the Norwegian Male Choir at Our Saviours Lutheran church at Thief River Falls week before last. Afterwards they enjoyed ice cream at the Dairy Queen with their cousin Dr. Sherman Lee and his wife Arlene of Menomie, WI who had also taken in the concert.

Thursday, July 13th, Lloyd and Harryat Larson visited with Clifford and Jeannette Relerson at their home.

Curt and Elaine Thompson and grandson Jeramy Wilson enjoyed a visit from Floyd and Adoline Nelson last Monday evening, July 17th.

Sunday, Marvin and Betty Moen visited at the Hanna Moen home.

Sunday visitors at the Alice Ellingson home were Chuck and Carol Ellingson.

Sunday, Lucille Skadsem attended the Skadsem reunion at the Jim and Alfreda Bach home.

Liz Kjersten came Monday afternoon and visited with Olga Thompson. She came from Galilee Bible Camp where she had attended family camp. Curt Thompson also brought her over to see the new Westaker church.

Friday, Hilma Lee visited with Clara Henson in the afternoon.

Monday evening, Don and Gail Larson visited with Clara Henson in the afternoon.

Valborg and Raynerd Huglen took in the Centennial events in Roseau July 15-16.

Friday evening, Verne Myhrer visited with Clara Hanson.

Lloyd and Harryet Larson attended the Senior Citizen meeting at Middle River last Wednesday. Afterwards they enjoyed the dinner at the senior meal center, they were guests of Evolyn Niemela.

Tuesday forenoon, Tilmer Blackborg visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Monday, Morris Blackborg, Bertha Blackberg and Blanche Lofstrom visited and were coffee guests of Clara Hanson.

Monday, Vernice Larson went to Thief River Falls and took her Grandson Shane Dondalinger out to lunch for his birthday. They had a real nice visit.

Recent visitors at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson home were Trudy Carlson of Caldwell, ID, Lance and Madeline Solberg of Emerado, ND, Donald and Dorothy Johnson of Rapid City, S.D., Will and Donna Steinke of Minneapolis, Julie Kleinvechter and Stacey of Strandquist, Art and Wallace Kleinvachter, Lynette Sweser, Pastor Nancy Werner, Merlo Solberg, Harry Kling, Violet Muzzy, Janet Garthus, Clifford and Jeanette Relerson, LaMar Ranfonan.

Tuesday evening, LaVol Thun visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Aliva Stevens visited over coffee on Tuesday forenoon with Clara Henson.

Wednesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Carol Ness and Morris Blackberg.

Tuesday, Lloyd and Harryet Larson received the sad news that Darlene Muzzy had passed away. The funeral was held Saturday at the United Methodist church in Thief River Falls.

Tuesday afternoon, Clara Henson and Della Elseth visited and enjoyed coffee with Sonora Elseth.

Wednesday evening, Tom and Sue Dondalinger hosted a Pool Party in honor of their son Shane's birthday. Those attending were his grandparents, Bob and Bunny Dondalinger, Arnold and Vernice Larson, Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh, Kenny and Sybil Cwikla, Todd and Keri Jasma and Collin, Jerami Hanson. The group had a very enjoyable time swimming and visiting and enjoyed a good lunch with birthday cake and ice cream afterwards Shane opened his many gifts and cards. Birthday blessings Shane!

The Sign Painters, an exuberant musical group from the Bagley area, will present the "grand finale" of the Thief River Falls public library children's programs Thursday, July 27, at 2 p.m. in the library. The public of all ages is invited to attend.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Mrs. Irene Hince and Lucille Christonson of Oklee, Mrs. Marie Brandt of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Pauline Boucher of Yakima, WA and Evangeline Grove were dinner guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince. In the afternoon they all visited Mrs. Delores Burthwick a resident of Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls on Thursday.

Dale and Nancy Perusse of Kansas City, KS visited with his mother, Mrs. Mae Perusse, a resident of Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls and Aurel and Gloria Parenteau this past week.

Monday, guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Jeff Burthwick and Renie Grove of Mentor, Danny Benoit and Vicky Grove of Thief River Falls.

Tracy Rosten of Plummer visited with her grandparents Emie and Anne Cardinal a few days last week.

Joe and Carol Parenteau and sons of Vancouver, WA were weekend guests of his parents Aurel and Gloria Parenteau.

On Wednesday, Joyce Riese and Valma Kathman of Thief River Falls, Evangeline Grove and Judy Champagne were guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Cindy Doterman and Nancy Jones traveled to Grand Rapids on Wednesday where they attended the Golf Tournament Tour sponsored by the Stands Farm Supply.

Mrs. Cheryll Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests of her parents Walter and Willie Katschko and in the afternoon they attended the "Into the woods play in Red Lake Falls", which Darcie Delage portrayed Cinderella.

Mrs. Joyce Torkelson and daughters of Plummer, Shawn Hince and Renie Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday.

Fr. Joe Cain of Phoenix, AZ is visiting with his sister, Milo and Pat Larson for a couple of weeks.

Friday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Vicky Grove of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Mable Sabourin.

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak and grandsons, Adam and Paul Mattson traveled to Minot, ND on Thursday and spent the weekend with Jack and Nita Mattison, returning home on Monday. The boys remained home after a summer holiday with their grandparents.

Kart Mogera of Plummer was a Tuesday evening dinner guest of his parents Walter and Willie Katschko.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove, Mrs. Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Saturday.

Mrs. Dallas Paradis visited with her mother Mrs. Louise Mercil a resident of Valley Home in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak and Raymond, Adam and Paul Mattson were Wednesday evening dinner guests of Jerome and Barb Novak.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hince, Vicky Grove of Thief River Falls, Darrin Grove, Tammy Grove and Courtnay of Oklee, and Rachel Carlson of McIntosh.

Pearl Laniel spent the past week with Mrs. Florence Parenteau in Grand Forks, while she was hospitalized and recuperating.

Edna Hyde of Plummer visited Mrs. Dorothy Myhre on Monday.

Craft sale to benefit RLF nursing home

Craft and food sale October 21 is being scheduled as a benefit for Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls by the Hillcrest Nursing Home Auxiliary. The event will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Red Lake Falls community hall.

Crafts will be sold on the main floor and foods in the lower level, according to Pauline Purath, who is arranging the sale for the auxiliary. Fee will be $25 for an 8x10-foot booth space.

Anyone interested in participating may contact Mrs. Purath at Route 1, Box 224, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 for more information.

Open house at the Olson Farm

There will be an open house celebration in honor of the 60th wedding anniversary of Gilbert and Adeline Olson on Sunday, July 30 from 2-5 p.m. with a program at 3 p.m. The event will be held at the Olson Farm, but in the event of rain, it will be held in the Newfolden Community Center. No gifts please.

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Wagner and Sisler to wed on September 9

Lora Wagner and Jeremy Sisler are pleased to announce their engagement. Lora is the daughter of Ken and Sharon Wagner of thief River Falls and Jeremy is the son of Dave and Beth Sisler and Tom and Nancy Issendorf, all of Thief River Falls.

The bride-to-be is a 1991 graduate of Lincoln High School, a 1992 graduate of Northland Community College and a fall of 1994 graduate of Bemidji State University. She is employed as a high school science teacher in Fisher. Her france is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed at Sjoberg's Cable TV.

A September 9 wedding is planned for Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Davidson & McCarthy to wed on August 18

Jennifer Davidson and Steven McCarthy, along with their parents, Janet Strandlie of Thief River Falls and Jack Davidson of Thief River Falls and David and Ellen McCarthy of Glenview, IL, announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Jennifer is a graduate of Lincoln High School and Northland College, both in Thief River Falls and the College of St. Benedict in St. Joseph. She is a teacher at Rahn Elementary in Eagan and a part of the Burnsville School District.

Steve is a graduate of Glenbrook South in Glenview, IL and Illinois State University in Normal, IL. He is employed as a producer at Hubbord Broadcasting in Minneapolis.

An August 18 wedding is planned for Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Gana Fjeld, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Eilena Purdy visited at the Clarence and Clara Dahlen home in Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Jodi Dustafson, Eilena Purdy and Mrs. Neil Liedberg took in the play 'Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs' Sunday afternoon at the Plummer school put on by the Prairie Fire Children's Theater, Plummer/Oklee Community Education and the NRAC.

Sunday afternoon, Dale and Dawn Hanson and family attended the Hegga Family Reunion in Crookston Central Park.

The 4th of July, Highlanding 4-H had a float in the Goodridge parade using Club Banners from previous years.

Monday, Andrew Hanson attended a Birthday party for Brady Fiedler at the Elve Fiedler home

Mary Nething and Dawn Hanson and Brittany visited at the Neil Liedberg home on Thursday afternoon.

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Blaser to wed Dalen

Todd Dalen and Marcy Blaser of Roseau wish to announce their engagement. Todd is a graduate of Lincoln High School, Northland Community College and the University of North Dakota. Marcy is a graduate of Blaine Senior High School and Northwest Technical College. Both are currently employed at Marvin Windows in Warroad.

Their parents are Blanche Blaser and Leonard Blaser, both of Coon Rapids and Kip and Al Dalen of Thief River Falls. The wedding will be September 2 in Roseau.

St. Anne's Court #855 of the National Catholic Society of Foresters recently celebrated their 85th anniversary with a dinner party at Evergreen. At that time, National Director Jean Pessino of Hibbing presented Caroline Bedard with a plaque for her 25 years of dedicated service as a field representative for this area.

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Baby shower for Nancy Bray and Kevin Thomas

There will be a baby shower for Nancy Bray and Kevin Thomas on Friday, July 28 at 7 p.m. at the Plummer Legion meeting backroom.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

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Monday evening (Picnic in Oakland Park), July 31 Hotdogs, salads, vegetables, dessert, milk

Tuesday, Aug 1 Ham loaf, Augratin potatoes, green bean casserole, bread, peaches, milk

Wednesday, Aug 2 Beef and pepper steak, boiled potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread, apple spice cake, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 3. Hamburger on bun, oven fried potatoes, coleslaw, beans, fruit, milk.

Friday, Aug. 4: Fish sticks, parsley boiled potato, corn, bread, apricots, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11.45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8.30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, July 31: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, bread and margarine, brownie Ala Mode, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 1: Beef cubes in gravy, noodles, squash, coleslaw, bread and margarine, blueberry dessert, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 2: Lemon pepper pollock, parslied potatoes, beets, cornmeal muffin with margarine, peach sauce, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 3: Homemade vegetable beef soup, egg salad sandwich, mandarin orange gelatin, pickle wedge, crackers with margarine, lemon pudding, milk.

Friday, Aug. 4: Baked turkey, mashed potatoes with gravy, green been casserole, bread and margarine, pear sauce, milk.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, July 31: Beef burgundy, egg noodles, tiny whole carrots, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, fresh fruit in season, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 1: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, frosted strawberry gelatin with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 2 Swedish meatballs with gravy, whipped potatoes, beets, calico coleslaw, orange sherbet, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Aug. 3. Orange/grapefruit juice, sliced ham with pineapple glaze, whipped potatoes, seasoned spinach, chocolate chip cookie, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Aug. 4: Baked fish, tator tots, peas & carrots, banana cream dessert, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, July 31: Milk, apple juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.

Tuesday, Aug. 1: Milk, apple juice, French toast, syrup.

Wednesday, Aug. 2: Milk, scrambled eggs, toast, orange juice.

Thursday, Aug. 3: Milk, grape juice, Rice Krispies, muffin.

Friday, Aug. 4: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, July 31: Tuna hotdish with cheese and peas, raw vegetables, bread and butter, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 1: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 2: Homemade vegetable beef soup, cheese sandwiches, jello with fruit, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 3: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, bread and butter, pears, milk.

Friday, Aug. 4: Hamburger pizza hotdish, lettuce with dressing, sliced peaches, milk.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Dennis and Mary Griffin of Fosston were Wednesday forenoon callers on Rosa Aaknes.

Adaline Provost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes were dinner guests with Kathy Bakke of Gonvick on Monday.

Kathy Bakke and granddaughter Sam Bakka of Gonvick were supper guests with her mother Rose Aaknes. Adaline Provost of Oklee was a brief caller on Rose Aaknes.

Rites held for John G. Tweeton

John G. Tweeton, 86, died Wednesday, July 5, 1995 at his daughters home in Las Vegas, NV.

John was born on a farm in Trail on February 22, 1909 to Osmund and Sigrid Tweeton. He attended school in Trail and high school in Bemidji where he graduated in 1928. He also attended Minot State Teacher's College and the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. He was a Master Sergeant in the Army and served a tour of duty in the South Pacific during World War II.

He received the American Defense Service ribbon, good conduct medal and Asiatic Pacific Theater service ribbon. In 1947, he married Lou Ella Asehl in San Diego, CA and they returned to live in Minnesota.

John spent most of his life as a supervisor in heavy construction in Thule, Greenland in the early 1950's. Then he and his family moved to New York where he worked on the St. Lawrence Seaway project and then to Page, AZ, where he was an excavation foreman on the Glen Canyon Dam project for three years. In 1960, the family returned to Minnesota and lived in Gonvick until 1968 when they moved to Las Vegas, NV and John worked at the Nevada Test Site until his retirement in 1973.

He continued to live in Las Vegas, NV with occasional visits back to his home state of Minnesota, until his death. He was a member of the Mt. Olive Lutheran church in Las Vegas as well as Mt. Olive Lutheran church in Trail. He was also a lifetime member of the V.F.W. Trail.

Funeral services were held on July 10, 1995 at Bunker Brother's Mortuary in Las Vegas, NV. Burial will be at the Mt. Olive Cemetery in Trail.

He is survived by his daughters, Sigrid Campton of Las Vegas, NV and Caralyn Richardson of San Rafael, CA; nephews Richard Breuing of Burnsville and Paul Haggait of Ashland, GR as well as several other nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lou in 1985, his parents and brothers, Gle, Torger, Edwin, Julius, sisters Aslaug, Ingebred and Gunner.

Trail Auxiliary met July 7.

Trail auxiliary to Post #6426 met July 7 at 8.00 with seven members present. Junior Vice President Doris Evjo presided. Secretary's report was read and approved. Treasurer's report was given and placed on file. General order #1 were read and committee reports was given. Bills were presented and paid. Memorials were received for Cancer Aid and Research for Lester Evje, Anna Foster and Albert Brievold. All cancer grant applications must be sent to Anna Mae Vetter of Perham. MMS to order 15 heart pins for Cancer Aid and Research.

Hospital report, Helga made 2 Kathy caps, 4-stocking caps and knit 10 pairs of slippers and 5 neck pillows and took them to Pioneer Home at Erskine. MMS to order 24 rose necklaces from Tracy Hamilton.

Auxiliary inspection will begin September 1 and 2nd quarter audit must be done by July 15.

Memberships are now due, please start renewing memberships now. New memberships are due August 1. Let each one of us bring in new members.

Members attending meetings drawings held with Carolyn Porson winning.

Meeting adjourned to reopen August 4, 1995 with Irene Carlson and Dolorls Ringstad hostesses.

A card was signed by all members present and sent to our President Mable Schmit, who is in the United Rehab after being hit by a car.

Congratulations...

Congratulations goes to Scott Verbout and Amy Ruth Swanson, who will be married August 19, 1995 at five o'clock in the afternoon at Elim Lutheran church at Fargo, ND. Amy Ruth's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Terry Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sandstrom of Minneapolis. Scott Verbout is the son of Melvin and Irene Verbout of Fargo, ND and also a grandson of Frances Sundehl of Tower.

Agder ....

Eddie and Mabel Anderson attended the Norwegian Singers concert at Our Savior's Lutheran church on Wednesday evening.

Wednesday evening visitors at the Vol and Alan Mathison home in St. Hilaire were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swenson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Horley Knutson and Bernica Knutson. The birthdays of Alan and Sara Mattison and Jonelle Swanson were celebrated.

Joan Nelson was a Wednesday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Oscar Odegaard.

Roy and Bernice Barth went to Battle Lake on Saturday to help cousin, William Longenwalter, celebrate his 70th birthday. They were overnight guests at the home of Donald and Joyce Barth. On their way home on Sunday, they stopped in Hawley to view all the wind damage and visited with June and Darryl Barth. They were supper guests at the Charles Peterman home. Continuing on, Ray and Bernice stopped in Fertile for coffee and cake at the Gladys and Walter Nolta home and an evening of visiting.

Bernice Knutson attended the Campanula Garden Club meeting on Friday at the Maxine Wicklander home.

Lydia Owen was a Tuesday evening visitor at the home of Ida Rupprecht.

Marilyn and Rogar Nygaard are spending a week's vacation at the home of Adaline Moe. They also came to attend Roger's 40th-year class reunion on Friday and Saturday.

Pearl Nelson and Angie Larson were Monday afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Edith and Harold Nabben home.

Jean Maidment was a Thursday afternoon visitor with Ruth Hanson at her home.

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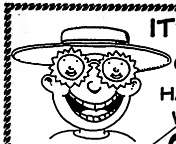

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The Sign Painters conclude library children's series

Returning by popular demand, The Sign Painters from the Bagley area will conclude the summer series of children's programs at the Thief River Falls public library on Thursday, July 27, at 2 p.m. Theme of the program series has been "The Sky's the Limit."

This is also the afternoon at which children who have signed up for the reading program, completed their goals and registered their books on their reading charts at the library by July 24 will receive their certificates.

Drawing for reading raffles will also be held and the "Library Store" will be opened for those children earning library coupons. Children earn a coupon for each of the following activities: Signing up for the summer reading program, completing the reading goal, for the first five books read and for attending the final program. The Library Store will be open after The Sign Painters' program ends.

The Sign Painters is an entertainment group which provides storytelling through song, signing and audience participation. The group includes Jinny Foldoe, songwriter, singer and instrumentalist from Bagley. Known professionally as Jinny Sue, she has been writing songs and entertaining children for 25 years.

Singers in the group include Rachel Foldoe, 14, a member of the dance line at Bagley high school, Jessica Bettely, 13, an exuberant addition to the group, and K C Foldoe, an expressive young performer.

The Sign Painters perform in painter pants and thematic T shirts. This year they are wearing "The Sky's the Limit" shirts.

"Our goal as performers," Jinny Foldoe says, "is to bring creativity through simple song and story so the audience recognizes its own creative ability. Props, instruments and parts are given to willing volunteers.

"The name of the group is a gimmick - to paint stories by signing them, because this was an early love of ours."

The program is free of charge to people of all ages. For more information contact the Thief River Falls public library at 681-4325.

Poole graduates at Willmar Tech

Tina Poole, daughter of Muriel Poole of Thief River Falls and a 1994 graduate of Lincoln high school has just completed the legal secretary program at Willmar Technical College.

Entertainment Guide

JULY HAPPENINGS

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
JULY 24	JULY 25 AERIE MEETING	JULY 26	JULY 27 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 28 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	JULY 29 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.
JULY 31	AUG. 1 OLD TYME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "BACK LASH"	AUG. 2	AUG. 3 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	AUG. 4 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	AUG. 5 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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JULY 31 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 1 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 2 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 3 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 4 DANCE 9-1 "MARSHALL JONES BAND"	AUG. 5 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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16 Super Bingo $1,500 Coverall	17 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	18 Seafood Buffet	19 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	20 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m. Ladies Night Out At Bingo	21 Yah-Hoo Bingo!!!	22 2 For 1 All Levels
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ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

The Storm That Won't Go Away

The phone rang at 6 a.m. My mother called to say that she had just prayed through a 40-minute storm that barrelled across the lake region of northwest Minnesota.

She said she awoke at 3:30 a.m. as the storm came across the lake. She didn't have time to dash to a neighbor's house to take refuge in their basement. Instead, she hugged her Brittany spaniel and prayed for the 70 mph winds to subside.

When the tempest passed, lake residents emerged from their homes, flashlights in hand, to survey the damage. The menacing winds forewarned them that there would be plenty to see.

The people were in awe. Big basswood trees, that had graced the lake country since before our time, had fallen like bowling pins. The once towering timbers tumbled, exposing roots and all.

My parents were relatively fortunate; the damage was mostly superficial. A tree, which grazed the cabin, landed on a cement patio and crushed a gas grill and lawn furniture. The canoe flew more than 100 feet from the beach and damaged the front deck. The wind ripped shingles from another corner of the roof.

Throughout the weekend, chain saws roared as residents sifted through tree limbs. Neighbors banded together to clear debris. They shared generators, as it would be more than 60 hours before power was restored. Residents recovered lost items in a field behind their homes. Entrepreneurs materialized, offering to cut the wood and remove the stump for a fee. There will be plenty of firewood this winter.

Kids played; this was the one time they could actually climb a tree this large.

The talk in grocery stores, churches and on the street revolved around the storm: Do you have power yet? Many trees down? Much damage? Wasn't it awful? Did you make it to the basement?

This was the fiercest storm many people had weathered. In the past, many a thundersstorm has rolled through the area, but not quite like this one.

I remember spending summers at the lake with my mom. At the first hint of severe weather, mom loaded my two sisters and me into the car. She drove like a maniac to my aunt's house so we could shelter in the basement. I wonder if we might have been safer huddled under the kitchen table than riding with a fear-consumed mother spinning her tires on gravel.

Even now, I awake in the middle of the night during a storm. I wonder what I've left *outside* to blow away. The lake winds can be very strong and frightening.

What my mom experienced was frightening. The morning she called, I was concerned, too. And thankful that the damage wasn't more severe.

The cabin means a lot to my parents and to my family. Fourteen summers of memories live there.

It's where we celebrate the end of North Dakota and Minnesota winters. It's where our children discover their first minnows, crayfish and turtles. It's where the kids delight in jumping off the dock and catching sunfish.

The cabin is where adults find solace after a week's work. It's where we find the true meaning of relaxation. It's our home away from home.

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Welcome Class of '45 !!!

Newfolden high school graduating class of 1945 gathered at the Newfolden community center Saturday, July 1, for its 50-year reunion banquet catered by Beverly Swanson. Of the original class of 31 students, three have died, six did not attend and 22 were present for the banquet. Earlier in the day a tour was conducted by Mark Jorganson of the new and old schools. Guests at the banquet other than spouses of classmates were Lyla and Kathy Savarson, Willis Sorum and Leo Lalcham. Classmates and guests came from Seattle, WA; Gresham, OR; Kansas City, MO; Minneapolis, Edina, Fergus Falls, Pelican Rapids, Grand Rapids, Thief River Falls, Middle River, Holt and Newfolden. Class members pictured (left to right) include, front row, Eleanor (Ualand) Johnson, Elayna (Johnson) Lorantson, Gladys Johnson, Edith (Farsted) Hevita, Phyllis (Windahl) Gandar, Derlyn Forsberg, Daloris Forsberg and Eunice (Ness) Korpi; second row, Thorvald Lee, Harley Engan, Dorothy (Haugan) Watkins and Marvilla (Floodstrom) Hjalle; third row, Milton Conklin, Duane Larson, Howard Langlie and Rodger Sackett; back row, Loren Moen, Orvilla Larson, Lester Soranson, Stuart Sathre and Gordon Thompson. Also attending but not pictured was Phillip Barr.

Browning on Dean's List

Ryan Browning, son of Drs. Duane and Suzanne Browning of Thief River Falls, was named to the University of Minnesota College of Liberal Arts Dean's List for the spring quarter.

Students named to the CLA Dean's List have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by earning a quarterly grade point average of 3.66 or higher while completing 12 or more credits.

A 1994 graduate of Lincoln high school, Ryan is a freshman majoring in biology.

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Home Sweet Home plans expansion

Expansion of Home Sweet Home in Thief River Falls to include an outdoor gazebo, third floor design studio and additional retail space on the main floor has been announced by owner Nanci Kezar.

Kezar said she will be closing Home Again, which she purchased a year ago, to consolidate both businesses at a single location. Creation of an outdoor retail setting will be the first of its kind in Thief River Falls.

Changes are being made in response to suggestions and opinions expressed by customers, she said. They have indicated they like the plentiful parking in the area of Home Sweet Home and prefer all of the merchandise at a single location.

The design studio is to help customers research special orders and unique home decor options. The expanded first floor retail area will accommodate the Department 56 line of collectible Christmas villages.

"We have always been very service oriented," states Kezar, who purchased Home Sweet Home in 1991 and was selected Entrepreneur of the Year in 1994. "To continue to be our very best we are going to have to offer even more specialized service in our design center. One expanded location makes the most sense."

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Two Local students selected for MMTA All-State band

Jill Dekkers and Kendra Dimich have been selected for membership in Minnesota Music Educators Association All-State Band for the 1995/1996 school year. Their director at Lincoln high school is Bruce Felt.

Jill and Kendra were two of 500 students selected from over 2,400 who auditioned this spring for a position in one of the six MMEA All-State organizations. The students will attend a summer camp which this summer are being held at Bemidji State University (band and jazz ensemble), St. Cloud State University (choir), and Winona State University (orchestra).

The students participating will have the opportunity to work with some of the finest conductors and music educators in the country as well as meeting outstanding music students from all across the state of Minnesota. The camps will be held on their respective campuses August 7 through 12 and will culminate with a final concert on Saturday, August 12. In addition, the students will gather again in February in Minneapolis where they will be a major performing group at Orchestra Hall during the Minnesota Music Educators Association Clinic. The All-State program is an on-going activity of the MMEA which works to promote music education throughout the state at all educational levels.

Cheri Scott is Liberal Arts Scholar at 'U'

Cheri Scott, daughter of Jim and Cheryl Scott of Thief River Falls and a 1994 graduate of Lincoln high school, has been named o University of Minnesota College of Liberal Arts Scholar for the spring quarter. She is a sophomore majoring in psychology.

Students who are CLA Scholars have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by earning a quarterly grade point average of 3.75 or higher while completing 15 or more credits.

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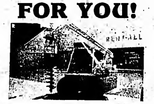

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Sports Section

TRF Legion squad at Detroit Lakes for final doubleheader

Final regular season outing for the Thief River Falls American Legion baseball team will be a Friday doubleheader at Detroit Lakes beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Terry Wiseth-coached Post 117 ball club is 8-20 for the year.

Ninth District playoffs will be played Aug. 2-5 in Roseau, where Moorhead, East Grand Forks, Detroit Lakes, Fergus Falls, Crookston, Thief River Falls, and Roseau will compete in a state tournament-qualifying double-elimination format.

Fergus Falls, TRF 16-year-olds split Saturday twinbill

First game success didn't carry over into the second game Saturday, forcing the Thief River Falls VFW 16-year-olds to settle for a baseball doubleheader split with Fergus Falls at Irv Wilson Field.

Thief River Falls won the opener 5-4 behind the combined four-hit pitching of Nathan LaRoque and Courtney Skjerven, but Fergus Falls scored four times in the top of the first inning in Game 2 and finished with a 12-4 win.

A Monday doubleheader against Perham at Irv Wilson Field closed out the 1995 regular season schedule for the Thief River Falls VFW squad. Perham won 9-2, 11-0 to drop the Jason Svir-coached Thief River Falls squad to 7-25 for the year.

Ninth District VFW tournament will be played Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Fergus Falls, with the winner advancing to the state tournament.

Game 1

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Fergus Falls	102 000 1	4	4	1
TRF VFW	201 011 x	5	10	4

TRF - LaRoque (WP), Skjerven (7-save). Etta, Skjerven, Jordet all 2/3

Game

		r	h	e
Fergus Falls	410 100 6	12	7	2
TRF VFW	100 000 3	4	8	5

TRF - Skjerven (LP), Donarski (7)

Thief River Falls' 13-year-olds meet Grand Forks team

Thief River Falls Baseball Association 13-year-olds will share a doubleheader against Grand Forks Thursday at Irv Wilson Field.

The Pioneers will play the 5 p.m. game, with the Gophers taking the field at 7.

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TRF A.D. list narrowed

A list of six finalists for the position of School District 564 Activities Director has been narrowed to three – Jeff Mumm, Jim Sims and Dennis Dinius. The position, vacated when Lee Alger resigned this spring to become athletic director and community education director in Hudson, Wisconsin, may be filled this week.

All three finalists have local ties. Mumm is the Thief River Falls head high school football coach, Sims coached football and track in Thief River Falls before becoming head football coach at the University of Minnesota-Crookston, and Dinius, currently at Langdon, North Dakota, is a former Marshall County Central football coach.

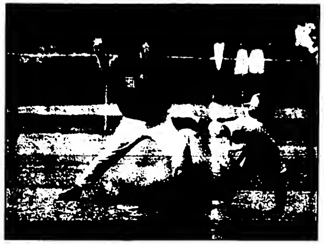
Others who were among the six finalists selected for the interview process last week were David Cherry, Ellis, Kansas; Craig Christensen, Sturgis, South Dakota; and James Nunn, Edina.

Whoever lands the job will be faced with the immediate task of filling vacancies in several varsity head coaching positions, including boys and girls cross country, girls swimming and girls tennis this fall; boys swimming and wrestling for the 1995-96 winter season; girls golf, softball and boys tennis in the spring.

Latest opening occurred when John Anderson resigned recently as the Prowlers' wrestling and softball coach to accept a teaching and coaching position in Pelican Rapids.

Anderson directed the Thief River Falls wrestling program since the 1990-91 season and added the softball job two years ago. He also worked with the Franklin Middle School football program.

At Pelican Rapids Anderson will be an assistant football and wrestling coach.



Second baseman Nathan Knutson of the Thief River Falls Thieves forced out Crookston Reds base runner Nate Ellingson and then looked to first in an effort to complete the double play in Thursday's amateur baseball game played at Irv Wilson Field. The Reds won the opener 2-0 in nine innings, but the Thieves won the nightcap 20-3. The second-year Thieves will complete their regular season schedule at home tonight (Wednesday) with a 7:30 p.m. nine-inning game against Grand Forks Gerrell's. Post-season play, scheduled to start this weekend, begins with a three-team playoff involving Thief River Falls, Warroad and Roseau.

Lake Agassiz District Babe Ruth baseball tournament...

RLF beats TRF Bison in finals

Red Lake Falls turned in an unbeaten title-winning performance at the eight-team, double-elimination Lake Agassiz District Babe Ruth baseball tournament for 14-15-year-olds Thursday through Sunday in Roseau.

Top-seeded Thief River Falls Bison bounced back from a second round loss to Roseau with three loser-bracket wins to reach the finals, where they fell to Red Lake Falls 15-8.

Results advanced Red Lake Falls to the 1995 Babe Ruth state baseball tournament, scheduled to begin today (Wednesday) in Moorhead. The Bison, meanwhile, are ticketed for the In-Tact state tournament for district runner-up finishers in Barnesville starting Friday.

The Bison opened district play with a 10-6 win over Warroad, but it required an RBI-producing sacrifice fly by Eric Thayer and a two-out game-tying single by Jared Reierson to erase a 6-4 seventh inning deficit. Thief River Falls then won it with four walks and three base hits in the eighth inning.

Fourth-seeded Roseau dropped Thief River Falls into the loser-out bracket Friday with a 10-4 decision – scoring all 10 runs in the second inning. But the Bison stayed alive by eliminating Baudette 5-2, Crookston 3-2 on a game-winning RBI single by Andy Harbott in the tenth inning, and Roseau 11-5 in a Saturday rematch to reach the finals.

The Bison are 26-4 for the year.

Second Thief River Falls Lake Agassiz District entry, the Sioux, lost a pair of tournament starts, falling to East Grand Forks 6-3 in first round play and to Baudette 11-7 in the loser-out bracket.

Both the Bison and the Sioux will close out the 1995 season at the Aug. 4-5 Bemidji Invitational.

TRF Bison - Warroad

		r	h	e
TRF Bison	010 300 24	10	6	2
Warroad	000 240 00	6	3	6

Bison - Mike Dowers, Brendan Rokka (5-WP); Jeremy Swanson 2 hits.

TRF Bison - Roseau

		r	h	e
TRF Bison	210 100 0	4	9	5
Roseau	0100 540 x	10	8	3

Bison - Josh Boman (LP); David Hoglo (2); Jeremy Swanson 3 hits, Mike Dowers 2 hits.

Lake Agassiz Results

■ Round 1 - East Grand Forks 6, TRF Sioux 3, Red Lake Falls 8, Baudette 4, TRF Bison 10, Warroad 6, Roseau 4, Crookston 1.

■ Round 2 (winner's bracket) Red Lake Falls 17, East Grand Forks 4, Roseau 10, TRF Bison 4 ; (loser's bracket) Baudette 11, TRF Sioux 7, Crookston def. Warroad.

■ Round 3 - (winner's bracket) Red Lake Falls 10, Roseau 6, (loser's bracket) TRF Bison 5, Baudette 2, Crookston def. East Grand Forks.

■ Round 4 - (loser's bracket) TRF Bison 3, Crookston 2 (10 innings).

■ Round 5 - (loser's bracket) TRF Bison 11, Roseau 5.

■ Finals - Red Lake Falls 15, TRF Bison 8.

TRF Bison - Baudette

		r	h	e
TRF Bison	210 020 0	5	5	0
Baudette	000 101 0	2	1	0

Bison - Hamilton Keefe (WP) - 1-hitter; Andrew Solem two-run double.

TRF Bison - Crookston

		r	h	e
TRF Bison	011 000 000 1	3	7	0
Crookston	000 101 000 0	2	6	1

Bison - Casey Skjerven, Mike Dowers (8-WP) - combined for 12 strike-outs; Andy Harbott 2 hits and game-winning RBI, David Hoglo 2 stolen bases and scored winning run.

TRF Bison - Roseau

		r	h	e
Roseau	211 100 00	5	3	4
TRF Bison	005 006 2x	11	7	3

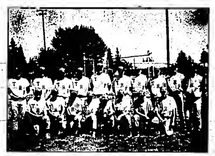
Bison - Hamilton Keefe, David Hoglo (1), Jeff Beste (4-WP), Ryan Rogelle 2 hits, Beste gave up just one hit in four innings of pitching

TRF Bison - RLF

		r	h	e
TRF Bison	007 010 00	8	8	0
Red Lake Falls	150 034 10	15	8	0

Bison - Eric Thayer, Jeff Rislov (2), Jeff Beste (4-LP), Brendan Rokka (5), Mike Dowers (5), Casey Skjerven (7), Jeff Rislov hit an inside-the-park grand slam home run

RLF - Lorenson (WP); Lorenson, Knott, Roff two hits each.



Thief River Falls Bison 14-15-year-olds finished second to Red Lake Falls in the 1995 Lake Agassiz District Babe Ruth baseball tournament completed Sunday in Roseau, sending the Bison to In-Tact state tournament for district runner-up teams this week in Barnesville. Members of the Bison include, front row left to right, Mike Dowers, Jeff Rislov, David Hoglo, Josh Boman, Andy Harbott, Casey Skjerven, Jeff Beste, Nick Swanson; back row left to right, assistant coach Barry Dowers, Brendan Rokka, Ryan Rogelle, Jeremy Swanson, Andrew Solem, Jerod Reierson, Hamilton Keefe, Eric Thayer, assistant coach Carter Rogelle, and head coach Corey Poole. (Submitted photo).

Four TRF swimmers state meet qualifiers

Four Thief River Falls individuals who participated in the state meet-qualifying USS long course meet Saturday at the University of North Dakota all extended their 1995 summer swimming season by earning state meet spots.

The foursome included Chris Pribula, Nate Keller, Zach Olson, and Andrea Olin.

Pribula qualified in the 200 freestyle, 100 backstroke, 200 individual medley, 400 freestyle, and 100 freestyle. Keller advanced in the 200 freestyle and 100 freestyle. Olson earned state status in the 200 freestyle and 400 freestyle. Olin qualified in the 100 breaststroke.

Final outing of the year for most Thief River Falls summer swim program participants was the Fast Waters Championships Thursday at UND.

Ryan Browning is the Thief River Falls squad.

TRF Places - F.W. Championships

Boys 200 freestyle - 1. Chris Pribula, 2:06.77, 2. Zach Olson, 2:17.71, 4. Rory Haven, 2:37.51

Girls 200 freestyle - 4. Jenny Sorvig, 2:36.28.

Mixed 10-under 200 medley relay - 5. TRF A, 4:22.76.

Boys 200 medley relay - 2. TRF A, 2:17.40, 4. TRF B, 3:12.12.

Girls 200 medley relay - 2. TRF A, 2:40.06.

Boys 10-under 50 freestyle - 5. Bryan Sorvig, 38.01, 5. Aaron Bendickson, 46.74; 11. Gabe Carlson, 56.58.

Girls 10-under 50 freestyle - 4. Kassie Koukari, 39.77

Boys 12-under 50 freestyle - 7. Cody Sorvig, 35.84, 8. Joseph Haj, 39.65

Girls 10-under 50 freestyle - 11. Kelly Bendickson, 41.15

Boys 50 freestyle - 1. Chris Pribula, 27.07

Girls 50 freestyle - 5. Jenny Sorvig, 33.87

Boys 200 I.M. - C. Zach Olson, 2:42.38, 5. George Haj, 3:45.86

Girls 10-under 50 backstroke - 11. Kelia McCarty, 1:15.20

Boys 12-under 50 backstroke - 7. Aaron Bendickson, 56.42

Boys 50 backstroke - 1. Nate Keller, 30.75

Boys 100 backstroke - 2. Chris Pribula, 1:08.96

Girls 10-under 50 butterfly - 5. Kassie Koukari, 52.72

Boys 50 butterfly - 2. Nate Keller, 30.87, 3. George Haj, 46.71

Girls 12-under 100 freestyle - 8. Kelly Bendickson, 1:41.04

Boys 100 freestyle - 1. Zach Olson, 1:02.29, 4. Rory Haven, 1:15.22, 5. George Haj, 1:20.33, 8. Chad Borneman, 1:21.80.

Girls 100 freestyle - 3. Andi Sorvig, 1:08.92.

Boys 10-under 50 breaststroke - 3. Bryan Sorvig, 56.86, 5. Gabe Carlson, 1:07.37.

Girls 10-under 50 breaststroke - 8. Kassie Koukari, 56.00, 18. Kelia McCarty, 1:20.00, 14. Chrissy Tuthill, 1:31.35, 15. Tabitha Anderson, 1:412.82.

Boys 12-under 50 breaststroke - 5. Cody Sorvig, 1:01.54, 5. Joseph Haj, 1:08.24.

Girls 12-under 50 breaststroke - 11. Kelly Bendickson, 1:00.63

Boys 100 breaststroke - 2. Chad Borneman, 1:04.43.

Girls 100 breaststroke - 2. Andi Sorvig, 1:29.27

Mixed 10-under 200 freestyle relay - 3. TRF A, 4:37.06

Mixed 200 freestyle relay - 2. TRF A, 1:54.74

Girls 200 freestyle relay - 3. TRF A, 2:26.24

Men's Softball

Division I

	w	l
Busch	16	4
Pepsi	16	4
Amoco 24/Pizza Hut	15	5
Bears/Swede's/Pennington	12	8
Northwest Eye Center	9	11
Budget Electronics	9	11
DW's/Anderson Bros.	8	12

Division II

	w	l
RC Cola/Taco John's	14	6
Thygeson Construction	13	7
Keystone/Kainz Chiropractic	10	11
Best Western Inn	9	12
Miller Lite	8	13
Forsberg's Inc.	8	15

Division III

	w	l
Elks Lodge	13	8
Phillips Iron $ Metal Inc.	13	7
Rick's Appliance	9	10
WCF Distributors	8	11
VFW	8	11
Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen	5	14
Hutchinson Transfer	5	14
United Methodist Church	1	18

Schedule

■ Tuesday, July 25 - (6:20 p.m.) Phillips Iron $ Metal Inc. vs. Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium, Field 1; Rick's Appliance vs. VFW, Field 2; Elks Lodge vs. United Methodist Church, Field 3; Hutchinson Transfer vs. Forsberg's Inc., Field 4; WCF Distributors vs. Miller Lite, fairgrounds; (7:30 p.m.) Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium vs. Miller Lite, Field 1; VFW vs. Forsberg's Inc., Field 2; United Methodist Church vs. Phillips Iron $ Metal, Inc., Field 3; Hutchinson Transfer vs. Rick's Appliance, Field 4; Best Western Inn vs. Elks Lodge, fairgrounds; (8:40 p.m.) Best Western Inn vs. WCF Distributors, fairgrounds.

■ Thursday, July 27 - (6:20 p.m.) Busch vs. Best Western Inn, Field 1; Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic vs. DW's/Anderson Bros., Field 2; Pepsi vs. Budget Electronics, Field 3; Amoco 24/Pizza Hut vs. Northwest Eye Center, Field 4; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. Thygeson Construction, St. Hilaire Field 1; Miller Lite vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, St. Hilaire Field 2; (7:30 p.m.) Pepsi vs. Busch, Field 1; Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic vs. Amoco 24/Pizza Hut, Field 2; DW's/Anderson Bros. vs. Best Western Inn, Field 3; Northwest Eye Clinic vs. Budget Electronics, Field 4; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, St. Hilaire Field 1; Miller Lite vs. Thygeson Construction, St. Hilaire Field 2.

Cal Marvin receives award

Cal Marvin of Warroad, a long-time leader in amateur hockey, has been named recipient of the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Heritage Award, given annually to individuals who have given outstanding service and made significant contributions to the American hockey heritage.

A 1982 inductee into the Hall, Marvin is considered one of the true friends of American hockey. Involved at all levels of the game, Marvin's senior men's team, the Warroad Lakers, have won the Allen Cup, symbolic of the Canadian senior hockey championship, for the last two years.

He has led USA National and Olympic teams to medal-winning performances and has been instrumental in the success of the Warroad youth and high school hockey programs.

Marvin will receive the Heritage Award Aug. 11 at the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame celebrity golf classic at the Pokegama Golf Club in Grand Rapids. The event is a major fundraiser for the Hall.

One of the top pitchers on the 1995 Thief River Falls Thieves amateur baseball team is Mike Steen, a Lancaster native who completed his second year of college baseball at Northland this spring. He was tagged with the loss Thursday in a 2-0 nine-inning setback at the hands of the Crookston Reds at Irv Wilson Field.

Women's Softball

Mary Huot went 4-for-4 and Marlys Schmitz was 3-for-4 to lead B&E/Terrys past the Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 19-8 Monday in Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League play, creating a first place Division I tie between the two teams.

B&E/Terrys added a 17-3 win over Baker's Acres as Barb Weiss went 3-for-4 while Sandy Barbot, Heidi Rewertz and Beth Barbot all had 2-for-3 games.

Best Western Inn Ridgerunners bounced back to double the Musherettes 12-6 behind Shannon Olson (4-for-4), Sheree Nelson (3-for-3) and Cheryl Johnson (3-for-4).

Division II-leading Swingers beat the Musherettes 17-10 and stopped Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 by a 13-10 score. Nikki McMillen and Jodi Wahl were both 2-for-3 in the opener, while Terri George homered and Wahl was 3-for-4 in Game 2.

Steph Pederson, Amanda Hruby and Chickie Walseth were all 3-for-4 and Kim Carlson was 2-for-3 as Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 defeated Best Western Inn 18-5. Pederson and Hruby homered.

The games were make-up contests from July 5 postponements.

Regularly scheduled Wednesday league play resumes tonight. Although the regular season schedule will continue through Wednesday, Aug. 2, the annual Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League playoff tournament will be played Saturday, July 29.

Division I

	w	l
Best Western Ridgerunners	14	4
B&E/Terrys	14	4
Baker's Acres	12	6
Sather Law Office	7	11
Pizza Hut/Amoco 24	5	12

Division II

	w	l
Swingers	16	2
Musherettes	9	9
Best Western Inn	2	16
Digi-Key	1	17

Results

■ Monday, July 24 - (6:20 p.m.) Baker's Acres 17, Digi-Key 2, Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 18, Best Western Inn 5; B&E/Terrys 19, Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 8; Swingers 17, Musherettes 10; (7:30 p.m.) Best Western Inn 19, Digi-Key 11; Swingers 13, Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 10; B&E/Terrys 17, Baker's Acres 3; Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 12, Musherettes 6.

Schedule

■ Wednesday, July 26 - (6:20 p.m.) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners vs. Pizza Hut/Amoco 24, Field 1; Best Western Inn vs. Digi-Key, Field 2; Musherettes vs. Swingers, Field 3; Sather Law Office vs. B&E/Terrys, fairgrounds; (7:30 p.m.) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners vs. B&E/Terrys, Field 1; Musherettes vs. Best Western Inn, Field 2; Digi-Key vs. Swingers, Field 3; Baker's Acres vs. Sather Law Office, fairgrounds; (8:45 p.m.) Baker's Acres vs. Pizza Hut/Amoco 24, fairgrounds.

■ Saturday, July 29 - league tournament.

Calendar Winners

July 17 - Dale Dillon, $25; July 18 - Margie Rendulich, $25; July 19 - Karen Bakken, $100; July 20 - Temi Pietruszewski, $25; July 21 - Mitch Mathieu, $25; July 22 - Dennis Placek, $25.

Andy Bjorgaard (left) of Viking and Kacie Jablinske of Thief River Falls attended a recent session of the Forkhorn Camp at Deep Portage Conservation Reserve near Hackensack. (Submitted photo).

Area youth attend camp

Kacie Jablinske of Thief River Falls and Andy Bjorgaard of Viking attended the third of five Forkhorn Camps conducted at Deep Portage Conservation Reserve near Hackensack. They were sponsored by the Thief River Falls Chapter of the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association.

While participating in the week-long camp, they studied various concepts in relationship to whitetail deer. Special emphases were placed on wildlife management, deer habitat, population dynamics, and ethics. Skills were also introduced in the areas of map and compass, canoeing, safety, first aid, woodcraft, and survival.

Students tested their newly-acquired skills during a canoeing overnight, a survival camp, and the Forkhorn Woodcraft Olympics.

In addition, each student practiced marksmanship and range safety. All were given the opportunity to practice extensively with a .22 caliber rifle, .30-.30 rifle, and .50 caliber black powder rifle. At the end of the week, a firing range competition was held.

Each student who completes the Forkhorn camp this summer can

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DNR payments made to counties for WMA

Eighty-two of Minnesota's 87 counties received payments totaling more than $845,000 on July 1 from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Real Estate Management to compensate for property tax revenues on lands purchased for Minnesota Wildlife Management Areas.

According to a report issued by Gwen Hallack, tax specialist with the DNR Bureau of Real Estate Management, WMA payments for Fiscal Year 1994 were nine percent higher than the previous year – ranging from a high of $46,500 on 7,800 acres in Chisago County, to a low of $347 on 291 acres in Rock County.

DNR Division of Fish & Wildlife maintains 1,200 WMAs across the state with a total of 734,000 acres managed for wildlife production, and habitat protection and improvement. State WMAs are open to the public for hunting, trapping and other compatible uses.

WMA payments on purchased lands are calculated using one of three different formulas – either 35 percent of the gross receipts from all special-use permits and leases; or 50 cents per acre on purchased land actually used for WMAs; or three-quarters of one percent of the appraised value. The amount paid to an individual county is based on the formula which produces the highest yield.

By law, county treasurers are required to distribute payments to the county, townships and school districts where the lands are located, on the same basis as if the payments were received as property taxes. The purchase price of acquired wildlife lands is considered the appraised value for a five-year period following acquisition. Every five years the appraised value is set by the county assessor.

In addition to public hunting ground payments, the DNR also makes in-lieu of tax payments to counties for other state-owned lands, with annual payments totaling more than $4.7 million.

DNR County Payments

DNR payments made to counties for public hunting grounds, with the number of participating acres in parentheses, followed by the payment figure.

Aitkin (4,121) $8,383.13. Anoka (18,012) $25,166.58, Becker (4,463) $6,911.72, Beltrami (865) $699.75, Benton (1,877) $2,098.75, Big Stone (3,430) $13,044.96, Blue Earth (2,295) $13,555.58, Brown (2,345) $8,378.71, Carlton (1,596) $3,073.50, Carver (487) $3,223.50, Cass (5,629) $8,864.68, Chippewa (5,757) $15,014.06, Chisago (7,877) $46,506.88, Clay (5,306) $2,778.00, Clearwater (2,083) $1,937.08, Cook (0) $0, Cottonwood (4,685) $15,381.87, Crow Wing (1,770) $1,556.21, Dakota (2,289) $5,130.56, Dodge (636) $2,176.62.

Douglas (3,552) $7,405.10, Faribault (2,307) $4,219.20; Fillmore (70) $2,306.25, Freeborn (796) $8,213.03, Goodhue (567) $1,380.78, Grant (3,433) $6,421.77, Hennepin (67) $1,901.25, Houston (0) $0, Hubbard (3,509) $10,371.00, Isanti (2,683) $8,124.06, Itasca (986) $2,217.75, Jackson (3,993) $23,296.80, Kanabec (3,381) $7,182.16, Kandiyohi (3,285), Kittson (27,742) $23,311.89, $5,887.38, Koochiching (791) $395.84, Lac Qui Parle (10,676) $34,284.26, Lake (0) $0; Lake of the Woods (524) $867.50; LeSueur (2,745) $8,010.72.

Lincoln (7,446) $23,948.06, Lyon (5,963) $34,551.09, McLeod (2,341) $5,882.50, Mahnomen (4,648) $6,374.35, Marshall (17,056) $15,270.75; Martin (2,884) $10,420.96, Meeker (2,443) $8,273.41, Mille Lacs (5,424) $15,79.64; Morrison (4,223) $5,641.88; Mower (979) $2,513.70; Murray (5,317) $31,841.03, Nicollet (2,409) $13,905.47; Nobles (2,806) $13,505, Norman (5,424) $9,650.50; Olmsted (2,271) $5,236.43, Otter Tail (8,147) $13,344.48.

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Roger Anderson of Thief River Falls was the winner of the Minnesota Society of CPA's golf tournament at the Hazeltine Country Club in Chaska July 17. He had the low gross score with a 78, the low net and the longest drive. Anderson's father, Richard, had a 54-foot putt for the tournament's longest putt. The Andersons were joined in a foursome by Robert Poissant and Jerry Wigness.

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Minnesota hunting, trapping dates, regulations set for '95

Minnesota hunters have reason to be optimistic about the prospects for the fall hunting seasons, based on the status of wildlife populations and the regulation changes announced by the Department of Natural Resources. Wildlife populations are generally faring well, and most of the season-related changes for 1995 involve the liberalization, simplification, or elimination of regulations, according to DNR Commissioner Rod Sando.

"The hunting outlook for most big and small game species is very good," said Sando. "Ruffed grouse are in the increasing phase of their population cycle, deer and moose populations are healthy and similar to last year, bear and wild turkey populations are at all-time highs, locally breeding geese are abundant, and duck populations have improved dramatically over the past two years."

Not all is good news, however, Sando said. Sharp-tailed grouse populations continue their tailspin due to declining habitat quality. In addition, the Eastern Prairie Population Canada geese - birds that breed in northern Manitoba and migrate through western Minnesota, with a major stopover at Lac qui Parle - experienced a late hatch that will require the restrictive regulations of the past couple of years to remain in effect.

There are three significant hunting regulation changes in 1995: shooting hours for deer, bear and moose have been extended to one-half hour after sunset; the archery deer season has been extended to the end of December in most of the state; and the permit to hunt geese in the West-Central Goose Zone has been eliminated.

More details about waterfowl and upland game populations will be available in late summer when surveys to assess production have been completed.

Big Game

General regulation changes for big game hunters include shooting hours and allowable arrowheads.

Shooting hours have been extended to one half hour after sunset for all big game hunting by firearms or archery, beginning this fall. The 1994 Legislature had originally passed a provision to extend shooting hours for archery hunting only, beginning in 1995. However, the 1995 Legislature changed the statute to include all big game hunting. The change was made because of strong public support for extending shooting hours expressed at DNR input meetings, and because of the absence of data documenting safety problems associated with extended hours.

Retractable broadheads are now authorized for big game and wild turkey hunting. Retractable broadheads must meet all other requirements and must be of a barbless design.

Deer

Deer populations have been stabilized near goal levels throughout most of the state, and another very good deer season is expected in 1995, according to Sando. The archery deer season will open Sept. 16, firearms Nov. 4 and muzzleloader Nov. 25.

Antlerless deer permits are nearly unchanged from last year, with slight decreases in forested areas and slight increases in farmland areas.

Application deadline for antlerless and special hunt permits will be Sept. 7. A total of 201,525 antlerless permits will be available in 1995. This represents about a 1 percent increase from the total of 199,650 offered in 1994 and is the third highest number ever offered. Compared to 1994, permits are down 2 percent in Zone 1 (northeastern Minnesota), down 1 percent in Zone 2 (northwestern to east-central transition areas), up 6 percent in Zone 3 (southeastern Minnesota), and up 3 percent in Zone 4 (southern and western Minnesota). More details on the 1995 deer season along with licenses, applications and regulations, will be available in early August.

Deer registration procedures have been simplified and standardized. The same requirements now apply to deer taken by either firearms or archery. All deer must be registered within 24 hours after the end of the season and before the deer is processed. Deer taken by firearms no longer must be registered in the zone where they were taken, but deer taken in the experimental two-deer area in northwestern Minnesota must be registered in that area.

Provision for youth under 16 to take a deer of either sex was made permanent by the 1995 Legislature. This provision allows youth 12 to 15 years old to take a deer of either sex on a regular $22 firearms license without an antlerless permit, except in permit areas or zones where no antlerless permits are offered.

A new $5 youth deer firearms license, without a tag, was also authorized by the Legislature. A person 12 to 15 years old hunting under this license must be accompanied by a licensed hunter at least 18 years of age who possesses a valid tag; any deer taken by the youth under 16 must be tagged by another member of the youth's party.

Both of these youth licensing options are available only to residents under age 16 as of November 4, 1995, who possess a firearms safety certificate.

The archery deer season has been extended to the end of December throughout most of the state.

Archery bows no longer must be cased or unstrung while in the field during closed hours, but casing or unstringing requirements during transportation will apply.

Small Game

Small game hunting regulations are unchanged from 1994.

Surveys to assess population trends of pheasants, gray partridge and other upland wildlife throughout the agricultural areas of the state are not conducted until August. However, information from 15 Conservation Reserve Program study areas in southern Minnesota indicated a 25 percent increase in pheasant breeding populations and essentially no change in gray partridge. Pheasant breeding populations remain low in some northern portions of their range.

There was good residential nesting cover this spring and, although the warm weather in June was very good for nesting, there are strong indications that nesting this year was later than normal. With recent heavy rains in some areas and cooler weather, it is still too early to assess this year's production. Pheasant season will be Oct. 14-Dec. 17. Gray partridge season will be Sept. 16-Dec. 31.

Drumming counts of male ruffed grouse were up 33 percent statewide compared to 1994. The number of ruffed grouse drums was up 80 percent in the central hardwoods range, and was up 50 percent, 27 percent, 25 percent, and 20 percent, respectively, in the north, northwest, southeast, and northeast zones.

"Ruffed grouse are definitely in the upswing of their 10-year cycle and nesting conditions have been favorable," Sando said. The ruffed grouse season will be Sept. 16-Dec. 31.

Sharp-tailed grouse declined for the fifth consecutive year, continuing the general downward trend in this species over the past two decades. Dancing ground counts of male sharptails declined 4 percent in the east-central range and 11 percent in the northwest from 1994. In total, sharptails have declined 75 percent in the northwest and 87 percent in the east-central range since 1980.

"Sharp-tailed grouse need open brushlands," Sando said. "The conversion of open lands to trees and the lack of fire or other disturbance to set back succession are contributing to the continuing erosion of the quality and quantity of suitable sharptail habitat."

Closed areas will be continued in 1995 to protect remnant populations of sharptails until habitat improves. The sharp-tailed grouse season will be from Sept. 16-Nov. 30.

Furbearers

With low fur prices and reduced trapping pressure on many species, populations of most furbearers are abundant. Red fox populations, which had been declining for the past three years, increased last fall despite a year-around season established by legislation in May of 1994.

Beaver populations continue to be high, but declines have been noted in many areas over the past two years. With the generally wet conditions over the last several years, beaver problems related to flooding continue to be common.

Ducks/Geese

Waterfowl season dates and bag limits will not be set until the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service announces the federal framework within which states must select their regulations. Framework includes the earliest opening date, bag limits, and the maximum number of days allowed for hunting.

The proposed framework is announced in August, after waterfowl population status has been evaluated. At this time, Minnesota is proposing a Sept. 30 waterfowl opener.

While breeding duck populations declined in Minnesota, overall duck populations increased 10 percent to 36 million in the major North American breeding areas, the largest population estimate since 1980. Mallard breeding populations increased to the highest level in 23 years and gadwall, redheads and canvasbacks reached record levels. Much of the increase was due to the excellent conditions in the Dakotas. In Minnesota, total breeding mallards and blue-winged teal declined 25 and 47 percent, respectively. However, mallard populations remained the third highest recorded since 1968.

Resident Canada goose breeding populations increased 19 percent since 1994 and were 51 percent above the 10-year average. Early goose hunts in the Twin Cities, southwestern Minnesota and Fergus Falls-Benson will be continued in 1995. These hunts are held to harvest resident giant Canada geese prior to the arrival of migrant geese. The early goose season will be held Sept. 2-11. Applications for the early goose hunts are now available at license vendors, DNR wildlife offices, and the DNR License Bureau in St. Paul.

1995 Small Game Hunting Seasons

■ Ruffed and spruce grouse - Sept. 16-Dec. 31, daily limit 5 combined, possession limit 10 combined, shooting from 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.

■ Sharp-tailed grouse - Sept. 16-Nov. 30, daily limit 3, possession limit 6, shooting from 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.

■ Hungarian partridge - Sept. 16-Dec. 31, daily limit 5, possession limit 10, shooting from 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.

■ Pheasant - Oct. 14-Dec. 17, daily limit 2 cocks, possession limit 6 cocks, shooting from 9 a.m. to sunset.

■ Cottontail rabbit - Sept. 16-Feb. 29, daily limit 10, possession limit 20, shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.

■ Jack rabbit and snowshoe hare - Sept. 16-Feb. 29 - daily limit 20 of each, possession limit 20 of each, shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.

■ Gray and fox squirrel - Sept. 16-Feb. 29, daily limit 7 combined, possession limit 14 combined, shooting 1/2 before sunrise to sunset.

■ Crow - July 1-Nov. 1, no limit, shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset. Crows may also be taken at any time whenever committing or about to commit damage.

■ Woodcock - Sept. 1-Nov. 4, daily limit 5, possession limit 10; shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset.

■ Sora and Virginia rail - Sept. 1-Nov. 4, daily limit 25 in aggregate; possession limit 25 in aggregate; shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset, except same as waterfowl during waterfowl season.

■ Common snipe (Wilson's or Jacksnipe) - Sept. 1-Nov. 4, daily limit 8; possession limit 16, shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset, except same as waterfowl during waterfowl season.

■ Raccoon and red fox - season is continuous with no limit, shooting allowed day or night, but artificial lights may not be used for red fox. Between sunset and sunrise, raccoon hunters must be on foot and may use an artificial light to locate, attempt to locate, or shoot a raccoon only if the raccoon has been treed or put at bay by dogs.

■ Badger and opossum - Sept. 16-March 15; no limit; shooting 1/2 hour before sunrise to sunset, except 9 a.m. to sunset on opening day.

■ Gray fox - Sept. 16-March 15, no limit; shooting allowed day or night, except not before 9 a.m. on opening day. Artificial lights may not be used. Gray foxes may be run by use of dogs during the closed season without being taken, except from March 16 to July 14.

■ Bobcat (open north of U.S. Highway 10 only) - Dec. 2-Jan. 7; daily, season and possession limit 5 (which includes trapping limit).

1995 Trapping Seasons

Trap setting and tending hours on all wild animals are 5 a.m. to 10 p.m. except trap may not be set or tended for gray fox, badger, opossum, mink, muskrat, beaver, or otter before 9 a.m. on opening day.

■ Raccoon and red fox - continuous season; no limit.

■ Badger and opossum - Sept. 16-March 15; no limit.

■ Gray fox - Sept. 16-March 16; no limit.

■ Bobcat (open north of U.S. High 10 only) - Dec. 2-Jan 7 - daily, season and possession limit of 5, which includes hunting limit.

1995 Firearms Deer Season

Zone 1 - Nov. 4-19; Zone 2 - Nov. 4-12; Zone 3A - Nov. 4-12; Zone 3B - Nov. 18-24; Zone 4A - Nov. 4-5; Zone 4B - Nov. 11-14; muzzleloader - Nov. 25-Dec. 10.

1995 Archery Deer Season

Antlerless deer and legal bucks may be taken Sept. 16-Dec. 31 statewide except in the Northeast Border Zone where the season is Sept. 16-Nov. 19.

Forkhorn campers

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return to Deep Portage next summer for the Advanced Forkhorn Camp. In addition to more in-depth study in the same areas, emphasis during the Advanced Camp is on archery.

Deep Portage is a 6,109-acre environmental learning center located in North-Central Minnesota. During the school year thousands of students from throughout the world are enrolled at the Reserve in conservation and natural resource management programs.

In addition, Deep Portage serves area residents and visitors with weekly classes, interpretive programs, wildflower garden displays, land use demonstration, summer youth camps, and recreational opportunities of birding, hiking, hunting, and skiing.

DNR funds issued

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Pennington (3,002) $4,312.50; Pine (1,320) $850.90; Pipestone (1,625) $1,839.25; Polk (18,129) $25,779.11.

Pope (2,782) $5,144.47; Ramsey (0) $0; Red Lake (2,263) $8,381.63; Redwood (6,018) $10,272.41; Renville (387) $3,920.25; Rice (1,577) $6,598.83; Rock (291) $347.63; Roseau (11,093) $10,670.79; St. Louis (1,235) $738.76; Scott (1,445) $11,604.40; Sherburne (425) $1,838.00; Sibley (1,213) $4,002.34; Stearns (3,171) $8,434.17; Steele (1,520) $6,078.41; Stevens (2,670) $8,784.99; Swift (8,540) $22,028.63; Todd (8,160) $8,366.11; Traverse (240) $726.37; Wabasha (5,894) $12,671.78; Wadena (3,681) $2,075.25.

Waseca (1,894) $76,470.40; Washington (818) $25,807.14; Watonwan (1,151) $3,096.87; Wilkin (6,863) $18,644.17; Winona (22,278) $42,773.35; Wright (3,8480) $14,776.60; Yellow Medicine (3,787) $13,987.09.

DNR News

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Ten new floating fishing piers and three shore fishing sites were added during the past year in the DNR effort to provide recreational water access for all Minnesotans, according to Mike Markell of the Trails and Waterways Unit. "With our fishing piers throughout the state, there are many opportunities for anglers without boats to enjoy fishing," said Markell.

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Several assaults listed in law enforcement news

Several individuals were cited for assault during the past week, according to information at the law enforcement center in Pennington county.

Assault. On July 18 at 11:24 a.m. police received a call that two women were fighting. One woman received a bloody nose. Charges of assault in the fifth degree are pending against Helen Lucille Benson, 26, Thief River Falls.

On July 18 at 1:30 a.m. the sheriff's department received a complaint from a female in Numedal township requesting assistance, because she had been assaulted. Charges of fifth degree assault are pending against Owen Joseph Stenvik, 34, Thief River Falls.

On July 20 at 1:39 a.m. police received a report of two females fighting at Northland Village. Charged with fifth degree assault is Janette Meriam Duray, 33, Grand Forks, ND, who allegedly choked another individual.

On July 19 at 7:26 p.m. police were called to a residence in the 900 block of South Crocker. Two women were having a verbal argument, and a man got upset and allegedly slapped one of the women. Cited for fifth degree assault was Daniel Brian Sletten, 37, Thief River Falls.

On July 17 at 3:40 p.m. following an incident at a trailer home in which two women were fighting, Helen Lucille Benson, 26, Thief River Falls, is being cited for fifth degree assault.

On July 23 at 4:32 a.m. police responded to a report of a fight at Third and Atlantic. Officers witnessed one man walk over and strike another man. Terry Lee Aanenson, 22, Thief River falls, was arrested for fifth degree assault.

On July 22 at 10:51 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a fight at a location in Kratka township. Arrested for fifth degree assault and obstructing legal process was Craig Michael Limesand, 19, Goodridge. The victim was unconscious.

Burglary. On July 18 at 11:38 p.m. a burglary at Greendale Manor was reported. The owner reported the theft of a CD player valued at $300, along with a check blank for $81.

On July 18 the law enforcement center received a teletype from the Redwood Falls police that two individuals were in custody for burglary of a Dairy Queen on July 17. The law enforcement center has requested charges filed against the same individuals for the burglary at the Dairy Queen in Pennington county on July 6. Charges are pending against Robert Logan Berry, 27, Minneapolis; Mark Jerome Terry, 38, St. Paul. Nearly $1,300 was taken in that burglary.

Thefts. On July 18 at 8:23 p.m. Hubert's Outdoor Power reported an engine taken off a customer's lawn mower, along with a seat and fan belt. The theft loss was estimated at $535. Damage loss was estimated at $150.

Pennington county sheriff's department has issued charges against the following for issuing worthless checks: Penny Jo Whitcomb, 34, Leonard, for $31.07; Keith Paul Lindholm, 28, Cloquet, $33.60; Jeremy Arlyn Skjerven, 20, Newfolden, $43.05.

On July 19 at 4:40 p.m. a resident reported that while his car was parked on Knight Avenue someone took his wallet. Theft loss was estimated at $375.

On July 19 at 4:07 p.m. a resident at the Chapparal apartment reported while her vehicle was parked in the parking lot, 30 cassette tapes, a pair of rollerblades, a walkman and a Georgetown sweatshirt were taken. The total theft loss was estimated at $435.

On July 19 a warrant was requested for Thomas William Huffmon, Thief River Falls, for felony theft by check. He allegedly wrote over $1,136.63 in bad checks.

On July 21 at 12:40 a.m. a resident in Riverview trailer court reported that his 1984 Chevrolet, valued at $2,000, had been stolen. It was recovered on July 22 at 7 p.m. on County road 73, where it was found in a ditch one and one-eighth miles north of Highway 1 in North township. There was extensive damage to the car. The incident is under investigation.

Criminal damage to property. On July 18 at 11:40 a.m. police received a report of damage to a truck window while the truck was parked at Greendale Manor trailer court. Charges of criminal damage to property are pending against Rory Glenn Wallestad, 30, Thief River Falls.

On July 20 6:16 p.m. police received a report of kids spraying paint on the Third Street bridge. Charged with criminal damage to property were a 13-, and 12-year-old male, and a 15-year-old female. About $200 is being requested for restitution.

On July 23 at 2:44 p.m. William James Hanson, Thief River Falls, reported that someone had damaged his 1993 Pontiac Grand Prix. There were dents and scratches in the vehicle. Damage loss was estimated at $525.

Accidents. On July 21 at 6:12 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Eighth and Atlantic. Arlene Lois Thune, 1214 N. Dewey, Thief River Falls, 63, was driving west on Eighth Street, and turning left, when a vehicle driven by Jon Shelby Sele, Lake Bronson, struck the rear of the Thune vehicle. Damages were $800 to the Thune vehicle and $300 to the Sele vehicle. Sele was cited for too fast for conditions.

Violation of protection order. On July 19 at 7 p.m. the sheriff's department was called to a residence in Numedal township. Owen Joseph Stenvik, 34, Thief River Falls, is being charged with violation of a protection order.

Driving while intoxicated. On July 19 at 5:18 p.m. police received a complaint of a person driving drunk. Madonna Elaine Ganderson, 63, Thief River Falls, faces charges of gross driving while intoxicated and refusal to test.

On July 23 at 1:37 a.m. police received a report of an accident in the 400 block of East Fourth Street. Arrested for driving while intoxicated and refusal to test was Curtis Robert Jordain, 24, Redlake.

On July 23 at 3:07 a.m. the sheriff's department stopped to assist the driver of a vehicle which was stopped in the middle of a traffic lane on Highway 32. The driver was asleep. Arrested for gross misdemeanor driving while intoxicated was Steven Lee Henke, 24, Red Lake Falls.

On July 23 at 5:35 p.m. police received a complaint from a local resident that his vehicle was almost run off the road by another vehicle. The complainant flagged the vehicle to a stop. It was alleged that the driver was intoxicated so the passenger took over driving. Police later spotted the vehicle and it was weaving on the road. Roger Alan Stoltman, 31, Thief River Falls, was arrested for driving while intoxicated; and Donna Ruby Danielson, 37, Thief River Falls, was charged with aggravated driving while intoxicated and refusal to test.

Consumption under age. On July 21 at 7:25 p.m. police stopped a vehicle on Third at Kendall. Charged with consumption under age and open bottle, was Jolie Marie Higginbotham, 20, Thief River Falls. Cited for consumption under age and open bottle was Nicole Ann Marie Emmons, 20, Thief River Falls.

Disorderly conduct. On July 22 at 12:20 a.m. Brett Walter Gulseth, 25, Thief River Falls, was arrested by the police department for disorderly conduct. Officers responded to a local bar and Gulseth was observed swinging his arms and creating a disturbance. At one point Gulseth allegedly swung at an officers.

Fireworks. On July 23 at 8:20 p.m. police cited Curtis John Ditterick, 26, Thief River Falls, for discharge of fireworks in the city.

Ribbon cutting for the official opening of the new Sears retail store in Thief River Falls took place Friday morning, July 21. Participating in the event were (left to right), Richard Hemsey, Minneapolis, district business manager for Sears; Regan Rohl, president of the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce; Roger Evenson and Rodney Knutson, store owners; Mayor Bob Reeve, who cut the ribbon; and Steve Titus, Chicago, IL, divisional vice president for Sears.

George Ziebol (left) of St. Cloud, Grand President-Elect of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, visited Aerie 2368 in Thief River Falls recently to discuss and promote membership in the 1,250,000 member organization which he will head following the national convention August 17 in Louisville, KY. At center is Kent Ehrenstrom, president of Aerie 2368, and at right is Harley Rosenberg of Fairmont Aerie 3394, Worthy State President of the Eagles.

Alcohol, tinted window cases in court news

Several citations involving alcohol consumption, tinted windows, and speeding were among citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the period of July 14 through 19.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Ronald Merle Blue, Sr., Thief River Falls, 38, gross misdemeanor stalking, $147.50, $90 restitution, one year and one day in jail with all but 45 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Patrick Thomas Cain, Thief River Falls, 35, assault in the fifth degree, $327.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Martha Lynn Eddleman, St. Hilaire, calendar parking, $22.50; Marion Marie Hamlin, Thief River Falls, 62, 42/30, $76; Brenda Kay Hutchinson, Thief River Falls, 25, discharge fireworks, $48.50;

Christopher Dean Anderson, Thief River Falls, 19, tinted windows, $76; Seth Andrew Anderson, Thief River Falls, 17, glazing material/window tint, $76; Therese Rose Neff, Thief River Falls, 40, consumption in public, $48.50; Jason Henry Aarestad, Thief River Falls, 21, driving after suspension, $122.50; Jason Henry Aarestad, Thief River Falls, 21, no proof of insurance, $582.50; David Brian Heden, Thief River Falls, 34, aiding and abetting, $147.50, $85 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Dudley Lee Johnson, Thief River Falls, 56, careless driving, $237.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Eric Joseph Dahl, Thief River Falls, 19, tinted windows, $76.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Gregory Carl Sandahl, Thief River Falls, 46, terroristic threats, $327.50, six months in jail, placed on supervised probation for five years; Darrel Robert Janisch, Thief River Falls, 44, 71/55, $87.50; Larry Allen Torkelson, Plummer, 39, failure to use child restraint, $76; Tracy Alan Zornes, Noytahwaush, 23, escape from custody, $27.50, $250 restitution, 132 days in jail, placed on supervised probation for five years;

Paul Perez, Natolia, TX, 23, 65/55, $64.50; Alexandro Jone Sprafka, Detroit Lakes, 49, 70/55, $87.50; James Edward Brydon, Warroad, 20, no Minnesota drivers license, $122.50; Darwin Leslie Holverson, Grand Forks, ND, 37, open bottle/passenger, $180, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Susan Marie Holverson, Grand Forks, ND, 26, open bottle/passenger, $180, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Darcy Ann Hestekind, Viking, 24, inattentive driving, $122.50; Robert John Klade, Thief River Falls, 42, 70/55, $87.50; Justin Keith Rewertz, Red Lake Falls, 16, 68/55, $76.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Andrea Lynne Kaston, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 24, 65/55, $64.50; Lyle Keith Kenner, Thief River Falls, 40, 69/55, $76; Larry James Shaver, Erskine, 56, 65/55, $64.50; Dante Viviani Steele, Thief River Falls, 22, 69/55, and no MN drivers license, $198.50; Lloyd Orbin Lund, Thief River Falls, 75, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Sherry Lynn Peterson, Pine River, 33, 65/55, $64.50; Samuel John Reck, Crookston, 20, 75/55, $87.50; Leroy Reuben Stromgren, Thief River Falls, 31, littering, $35.75; Paul Donald Stuart, Tucson, AZ, 20, 65/55, $65.40;

Kaye Lynn Kezar, Viking, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Max Arnett Lussier, Thief River Falls, 36, driving after suspension, $122.50; Jodie Marie Mandor, Cavalier, ND, 31, 74/55, $87.50; Carter Douglas Nalte, Fertile, 20, 70/55, $87.50; Brent Christapher Rehm, Clearwater, 29, 65/55, $64.50; Kay Lynn Richter, Thief River Falls, 32, stop sign violation, seat belt violation, $123.25; James Bruce Fanfulik, Euclid, 41, 65/55, $64.50; Winifred Claire Gunderson, Willmar, 70, 79/55, $99; Kenneth Douglas Winzoski, St. Andrews, Manitoba, 47, 65/55, $64.50; Douglas Paul Young, Buna, TX, 18, 65/55, $644.50.

Lincoln grad wins big on TV program

Mike Johnson, son of Richard E. and Marlene Johnson of Thief River Falls and a 1987 graduate of Lincoln high school, won $7,000 in prizes June 6 when he appeared on the television program "The Price Is Right" in Los Angeles, CA.

An elementary school teacher in Wichita, KS, for the past three years, Johnson went to California with a friend to attempt to get on the television show. He won his way on stage with the closest bid on the value of a FAX machine ($701) and continued on to win a stove, refrigerator, dishwasher and water treatment center in addition to the FAX machine.

According to information received by Marlene Johnson, the program is scheduled to be aired on September 12 at 10 a.m. on CBS.

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Pastor LeRoy Flickinger visited with Curt and Elaina Thompson on the 20th. We enjoyed a nice visit and snack.

Roger and Renda Nelson and Heather of Fargo came Wednesday evening July 5th and stayed the rest of the week at the Lloyd and Herryel Larson home. They also attended the 100th anniversary at the St. Paul church of rural Thief River Falls.

Farmers may be eligible for USDA loans

Marshall County farmers and ranchers may be eligible for emergency loans to help cover losses they sustained as a result of the drought/late-freeze/flood during 1994, according to Charles J. Phillips, Consolidated Farm Service Agency County Supervisor.

Phillips said that any farmer who was denied an emergency loan or discouraged from applying for a loan because he or she did not have crop insurance for the 1994 crop might be eligible for a loan since the crop insurance requirement for 1994 has been waived by the agency.

"Any farmer or rancher in the category who is interested in a loan should visit the Consolidated Farm Service Agency county office as soon as possible," Phillips said. "In any case, they must apply no later than August 30, 1995. However, no applications may be accepted after the eight-month termination date for the particular disaster.

Jennifer Lindberg receives degree

Jennifer Lindberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lindberg of Thief River Falls and a 1990 graduate of Lincoln high school, has received a bachelor of social work degree from Moorhead State University at summer commencement exercises July 15.

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Rd. Lk. Falls Thurs., Aug. 10 Clinic, 9:00 A.M. - Noon
KARLSTAD .Tues., Aug. 15 Hospital, 10 A.M. - 3 P.M.
WARROAD .Mon., Aug. 28 Comm. Center, 10 A.M. - 3 P.M.
CROOKSTON .Tues., Aug. 29 Eye Clinic, 9:00 A.M.- Noon
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The Parks and Recreation Department would also like to extend a thank you to the many people who volunteered their time and talent to make this event possible.

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The Parks and Recreation Dept. is still accepting contributions towards the gazebo project. Checks can be mailed to:

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The Second Section

Street department employees for the City of Thief River Falls received a Hats Off award from the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors for their assistance during many events in Thief River Falls during the year. Pictured from left are: Bob Bergan, executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce, Lee Cole, Darrell Johnson, Blair Gustafson, Jerry Jansen, Roger Maunier, Lyle Olson, Doug Martell, Norm Bleckstad, department superintendent, and Bruce Mattson, chamber ambassador. Not pictured is Dobbie Erlandson.

More people killed on county roads in 1994 than in 1993

According to a study from the Minnesota Department of Public Safety the 644 people who died in traffic accidents during 1994 represented a 20 per cent increase over the 538 deaths the year before. There has not been an increase of that magnitude from one year to the next in almost half a century.

According to the study, there were nearly 100,000 traffic crashes in Minnesota. Of those accidents, 644 people died, and over 46,000 were injured. The economic loss alone exceeds $1.6 billion.

(The National Safety Council reports that accidents *from all causes* are the leading cause of death among persons aged 1 to 37 and the fifth leading cause of death among all persons.) Of the 644 people killed in 1994, 281 (44 per cent) were aged 15 to 34, and 389 (60 per cent) were male. There were 377 (59 per cent) motor vehicle drivers, 179 (28 per cent) passengers, and 19 persons whose position in the vehicle was *unknown*. *Also, 16 bicyclists and* 53 pedestrians died in collisions with vehicles. In Pennington county, there were five fatal crashes and six fatalities during 1994. The average number of people killed per year between 1989 and 1993 is two. There were 131 personal injury crashes, 154 property damage crashes, 290 total crashes, and an average 273 crashes per year between 1989 and 1993. The number of people injured during 1994 (192) also exceeded the average of 132.

Crashes in Minnesota were distributed throughout the months of the year, but July had the highest number of crashes (638), fatalities (26), and injuries (571).

Non-Interstate roads were also the most deadly. One hundred forty (62 per cent) of the fatalities occurred on a rural trunk highway or county state aid highway. This is also true of 2,602 (49 per cent) of the injuries and six (3 per cent) of the fatalities occurred on local streets.

"There is no simple explanation that can account for all of this tragic rise in deaths. Alcohol use and speeding were both cited proportionately less often as contributing factors last year than the year before. Seat belt use, however, was lower among those who were killed. If more people had used seat belts, there would have been fewer deaths," said Michael S. Jordan, commissioner.

"Though they did not increase in 1994, impaired driving and speeding remain among the leading, and most controllable, factors in serious crashes. Last year, 226 people died in alcohol-related crashes, and 152 died in crashes where speed was a contributing factor. Also, nearly 400 of those who were killed were not wearing seat belts at the time of the crash. There is overlap among these categories. For example, a single drunk driver who died may also have been speeding and not wearing a seat belt. Nevertheless, it is certain that if we could completely eliminate speeding and alcohol use, and if we could achieve 100 per cent compliance with the state's seat belt law, Minnesota would have the lowest number of fatalities in over 50 years, instead of the highest number in 14 years.

"The Department of Public Safety is committed to doing everything in its power to achieve precisely these objectives. Last year, we launched the "Safe and Sober" campaign. This is a program that especially targets motorists' speeding behavior and impaired driving.

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Tri-Valley Head Start program accepts applications for fall

Tri-Valley Head Start, which provides services to families in 35 communities throughout northwestern Minnesota, is now accepting applications for enrollment during the 1995-96 school year. Tri-Valley, celebrating its 13th year, administers Head Start programs in Norman, West Marshall, and West Polk counties.

Program Coordinator Mary Barrett, says Head Start is a comprehensive program for children age three and four in families which meet income guidelines. The program includes dental hygiene, nutrition, health and child development education for parents and children; volunteer opportunities, parenting skills and parent involvement; medical and dental examinations, immunizations, vision and hearing screenings, speech and developmental screenings; and services to children with special needs and disabilities.

Barrett says Tri-Valley provides center-based programs at three sites in East Grand Forks and one in Crookston. These centers are nationally accredited with staff and children working together to develop physical, intellectual, self-help, social, and emotional skills. Home-based programs are also an option for families throughout Norman, West Polk, and West Marshall counties. The home-based program is a time for parents to share one-on-one learning experiences with their child. Barrett says the priority is to keep parents fully involved, as program partners and volunteers. "Parents are their child's primary educator. Our goal is to support that role any way we can. That's what Head Start is all about, and that goal has not changed in 30 years of service." Barrett says one of the unique opportunities available to parents is to serve on the Policy Council, the decision-making body for Head Start.

Family Services Coordinator, Tracey Kelly, says supporting a parent's role as primary educator means providing help in other ways, too. She says this can include housing, medical care, child care, and other issues. "These needs are determined by the family. Our role is to help families look at their needs, provide referrals, and follow up services."

Parents who would like to apply for enrollment during the 1995-96 school year should contact Kelly toll free at 1-800-584-7020, or 281-5832. Tri-Valley Head Start is available to families with children age three and four in the following communities: Ada, Borup, Twin Valley, Gary, Shelly, Halstad, Hendrum, Flom, Nielsville, Perley, Lockhart, Syre, Fertile, Tabor, Sherack, Gentilly, Eldred, Beltrami, Fisher, Climax, Euclid, Warren, Alvarado, Argyle, Stephen, Oslo, Viking, Newfolden, Angus, Strandquist, Florian, Radium, Rosewood, East Grand Forks, and Crookston.

Families sought for exchange students

Foreign exchange students Ni Lok and Alexander are eager to become Hong Kong and Moscow's newest ambassadors.

The two students were selected for an academic year abroad by EF Foundation for Foreign Study, a non-profit student exchange program based in Cambridge, MA. Local EF Foundation International Exchange Coordinator Sharon Pratt has been working to find homes for Ni Lok and Alexander and she is urging interested host families to contact her now.

Any families interested in welcoming Ni Lok or Alexander into their homes are asked to call Sharon Pratt at 694-2940 or toll free at 1-800-290-5152.

Northwest Medical Center and Thief River Falls Park and Recreation department received a Hats Off award from the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors for their contributions to Safety Camp, a two-day safety education day camp for local and area children. Pictured from left are Mike Melby, chamber ambassador, Dick Spyhalski, chief executive officer for Northwest Medical Center, Madlyn Vigen, park and recreation department director, and Bob Bergan, executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce.

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Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
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Baptism

Hailee Jean Hasse, daughter of Dean and Sandy Hesse and sister of Devin was baptized at Redeemer Lutheran church of Plummer on Sunday July 9th. Pastor David Brockopp administered the baptismal rites. Her sponsors are Perry and Laura Duden. After the services Dean and Sandy hosted a lunch at their home for the baptismal party. Attending were Tony, Laura, Joey, Andrew, Sarah and Otto Rubachko of Goodridge, Bridget and Katie Hanson, Esther Dahl of Middle River, Raymond Dahl of Concord, CA, Ivan Hesse, Mel and Peggy Hesse, Floyd and Fern Hesse, Loretta Hesse, Kelly and Brenda Knutson, Krista and Kayla and Shawn Larson of Middle River.

Evening visitors were Helen Simpson, Rose, Randy and Bobbi Hanson.

Wisconsin Trip

Ernie and Dorothy Pederson drove to Bemidji on July 8th and were overnight guests of Mr and Mrs. Hamer Pederson. The next day they left with nephew Gary Pederson and wife Cindy in their motor home for Dutch Hollow WI. There they met their children Beverly and Harold Waldal, Linda and Mike King, Donna and Ken Wisniewski, Richard and Debbie Pederson, all of Milwaukee and spent a week there. Richard brought his ski boat and the week was spent in water skiing and other fun. They returned home on July 17th.

Redeemer Ladies Aid held their monthly meeting at the church on Monday, the 10th, with Pastor Brockopp leading the Bible study and Fern Hesse having the business meeting. Wilma Arlt was the hostess.

Mr and Mrs. Les Arlt and family left for St. Paul on Monday where Les had an appointment with a Pulmonary specialist at the University of Minnesota.

Arlene Wagner of Fisher visited at the Kern Tillmen home, and also at the Arnie Arlt home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kern Tillmen and granddaughter Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. Don Harrington and Mr and Mrs. Arnie Arlt attended and enjoyed the theater production "Into the Woods" held at the Community Hall in Red Lake Falls. Local youth in the production were Joe Linder, Ross Arlt, Tracy Rosten and Darci Delage.

Kern, Alice and Courtney Tillman, Don and Olenyce Harrington, Wilma and Arnie Arlt visited with Evelyn Ulrich at Hillcrest on Friday enjoying a good meal with her. Hillcrest has special meals every second Friday of the month called "The gathering" where families of residents may visit and enjoy a meal together.

Norway Visitors

Olga Konickson and Tilmer Johnson were honored by a visit with relatives from Norway who came by car to tour the USA. They had flown to the west coast and drove to Plummer where they were met by their hosts. Torill Lovtangen, who teaches at Stord Island, and her sister Signe Granlien and her 15-year-old daughter Mari Norsteegaard of Lillehammer, with Olga and Tilmer enjoyed coffee at Art Froland's with Rick and Arlene Froland, and Terry Konickson. On Friday they went with their hosts to the Fair in Thief River Falls and were guests at the Ted Hellie home for coffee. Before leaving on Saturday, they visited with LaNette Osbjornson by phone.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Eugene and Willa Prestegaard, John, Delaine and Maren Hammer attended the Thoraldson-Gunderson reunion at Cross Lake on Saturday.

Richard and Nancy Fossum and family of Chippewa Falls, WI visited their parents Art and Gloria Fossum from Thursday to Monday. During their stay they celebrated a birthday with Richard as guest of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Schiefert and Ezella Schiefert were Sunday visitors at the Art Schiefert home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eskeli of Wadena visited over the weekend with Tom and Wilma Huotari and with their Eskeli relatives.

Edna Hyde, Ron and Kathy Juneau and Bunny DuChamp attended the annual Blair picnic at Walhalla on Sunday. Cathy Samuelson of Sartes joined them there, to visit her mother Bunny DuChamp.

Pettie Skjerven visited at the Byer home last Wednesday evening to visit with Anna Anderson of California.

Family Reunion

Effie and Bunnie Byer and Anne Anderson left on Thursday for Bismarck and the gathering of the Vigstol-Byer clan. It was held in the General Sibley Park on the south side of the city, in a lovely wooded setting near the Missouri River. The 13 children and most of the grandchildren and great-grandchildren were there. A few guests brought the total to 78. They came from Alaska, California, Washington, Texas, Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and North Dakota. They came with grills and chests of food and the men did most of the cooking for the three day event. Some had campers, some had tents and some stayed in motels. We had fireworks every night in the form of lightening and thunder and rain and one lightening bolt struck and shattered a tree not far from the shelter on Saturday evening during our program. The men fished on Thursday evening and Friday but found almost no fish. However, we had a fish fry on Friday evening with fish from Lake of the Woods, Maple Lake and even salmon from Alaska. On Sunday, we had our own church service in the shelter and after the last barbecued meal the group slowly left for their homes. Anne Anderson, who had spent a few days in Plummer and rode out with us left with her daughter Tammie and Dan Peoncet and family for Washington and will go home from there. We were one of the last units to leave and then visited briefly at the Kyle Adolphson home in Bismarck. We were overnight guests of cousin Agnes Will and visited there with other cousins Wilbur and Alice Miller, Judy and Roy Lund. We returned home on Monday taking the long road north thru Cando and Lawton, ND to see the flood waters everywhere. Devils Lake is one big lake!

Esther Welter and Kathy Juneau were Wednesday evening visitors of Edna Hyde.

Church Directory

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
101 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rothchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:15 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
Wes Mathre, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Worship Services – Redeemer: Sundays at 10 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.
Sunday-Monday, July 30-31—Day Camp at Trinity.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Pastor; Henry Moyer, Pastor
Gary Johnson, Associate
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Neil R. Bonkoski, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

CHURCH ON THE MOVE
1583 Highway 59 Southeast, Thief River Falls
Cameron Stratton, Pastors
Peter and Greer Mevis, Children's Ministers
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move Children's church and preschool and nursery every service.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Worship Services: This Sunday Dean & Carole Benton present the worship service at 9 a.m.; Fellowship time with the Benton's at 10:10 a.m.; Seminar "Lists Are My Life" (by the Benton's) at 10:30 a.m.
Monday & Tuesday, July 31 & Aug. 1—Vacation Bible School.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
318 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
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Many in the area attended the Pennington County Fair held in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth spent the weekend visiting with daughter, Joann Naeseth, at Motley. Other visitors there were Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wellman, John Wellman, Kasley and Nicholas of Anoka.

On Monday, Sheri Hofstad, Justin, Kylie, Tyler and Laura of Casper, WY were visitors with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson.

Hilda Hoffman and Susan Hoffman of Nashville and Dorothy Kingsberry of Red Wing were recent supper guests at the Bill Rehm home.

Hilda Hoffman and Gertie Haugen enjoyed supper with Ray and Angus Pamow on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Monica and Michelle were visitors Sunday forenoon at the Merle and Donna Naeseth home.

Sheri Hofstad, Justin, Kylie, Tyler and Laura of Casper, WY were Monday evening supper guests at the Lowell and Nancy Swanson home.

Dorothy Kingsberry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm visited with Merle Holstad in Thief River Falls. Later, they visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson and Karri of Texas who were houseguests at the Merle Holstad home.

Deloris Johnsrud and Doris Hasby were among the many who attended the 65th wedding anniversary of Manual and Anna Hanson on Sunday.

Missy Hams and Natalie McFarland visited on Sunday afternoon at the Merle Naeseth home.

Gertie Haugen attended the 65th wedding anniversary of Manuel and Anna Hanson at their Skylite apartment on Sunday.

Randy and Deb Hasby of Hartford, WI are spending a few days visiting with Deloris Johnsrud and other relatives and also to visit their grandma, Minnie.

Deloris Johnsrud and Doris Hasby visited recently with their mom, Minnie Tolleison, at the McIntosh Manor in McIntosh.

On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swenson attended the Goodridge Lions Family Picnic held at the Lion's Park in Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Letexier, Nathan, Christopher and Nicholas were recent visitors and dinner guests at the Deloris Johnsrud home. Nicholas and Christopher also remained to spend time with their grandma, Deloris.

Paul Smsky visited on Tuesday and was a supper guest at the Joe Jegol home.

Sherry King of Bremington, WA called on Sunday evening to visit with her mom, Delores Johnsrud.

Deloris Johnsrud and grandsons Nicholas and Christopher visited at the Gwen Nelson and Roger Johnsrud home in Thief River Falls.

Deloris Johnsrud and Doris Hasby attended the wedding and reception for Shirley Weber and Les Schmit on Saturday. A beautiful outdoor wedding was held in their backyard with many people attending. Congratulations to you Shirley and Les.

Delores Johnsrud and Doris Hasby visited recently with Ester Wick and Cora and Emle Stigen at their homes in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillmen Jorgenson and granddaughter Angie of Zim were Sunday visitors at the Joe Jegol home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tollefson of Thief River Falls were Monday evening visitors at the Delores Johnsrud home.

Deloris Johnsrud and Doris Hasby of Hartford, WI visited at the Gordon Tollefson home in Thief River Falls recently.

Gertie Haugen visited with Lile Stephenson at the CNC unit of Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pernow, Hilda Hoffman, Janice Paterson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm were evening visitors and enjoyed a potluck supper at the Ray and Agnes Jensen home.

Doris Hasby and Deloris Johnsrud were supper guests recently at Joyce Hasby's home of St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and Lucas visited on Sunday afternoon with Inga Coan at Valley Home.

Jason Naeseth visited with Jerry Sturre on Sunday evening.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson attended the 100th birthday party in Roseau. Ernie rode in the parade with the Roseau Masonic snowmobilers with their Polaris snowmobiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm visited by telephone with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Spellman of Waukesha, WI.

Gertie Haugen visited with Rosella Scholfer at the Skylite apartments on Sunday. Later, Gertie and Rosella visited with Lilletta Anderson, Gerde Knutson, and Inga Coan at the Valley Home.

Jean Johnson was a coffee guest on Saturday morning at the Merle Naeseth home.

On Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson visited at the Scott and Darlene Jelle home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Hasby, Jeffery, Jeremy and Breann of Hartford, WI brought Doris Hasby up to visit at the Doloris Johnsrud home and with her mother, Minnie Tollefson at the McIntosh Manor, along with other family members.

Newfolden

Sunday, June 25th, Jeanette Reierson and Linda Larson and Harryet Larson attended the 40th Anniversary for Earl and Jan Hanson.

Grandpa Curt Thompson picked up Jeremy and Jayme Wilson Friday morning and they will stay until Saturday afternoon to help mow the yard and cleanup in the greenhouse. On Saturday forenoon the boys called briefly on great-grandma Olga Thompson and great-aunt Emma Kemmen. Grandpa and Grandma took them home Saturday afternoon, they are good workers earning money for the fair.

July 9th, Lloyd and Harryot Larson went up to Bergland, Ontario attending the church services there and also attending the 90th Birthday party for Myrtle McKinnon. Later in the afternoon, Lloyd and Harryot were among many relatives and friends who went out to her home Rouben and Delores Benitt were also there for the party afterwards. Lloyd and harryet went to their trailer at Rocky Point and came home on Monday.

Marvin and Rose Nelson had supper with Curt and Elaine Thompson on Monday evening July 3rd.

Lance and Medoline Solberg were at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson the forenoon of the 4th.

The Banton Family Ministries will use music and the spoken word in their presentation at the United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls Sunday, July 30, at 9 a.m. Activities will include morning worship, coffee fellowship and a seminar entitled "Lists Are My Life." The Bentons are native Iowans and have presented more than 3,000 concerts in 41 states. D. Dean Benton graduated from Garratt-Evangelical Theological Seminary Open Bible College and Upper Iowa University and was ordained in 1960, serving as a pastor for 14 years. Carole Benton plays keyboards, sings and writes some of the songs used in their concerts of traditional hymns, sacred songs and original material. Everyone is invited to attend the Sunday morning event.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Bernice Knutson and Jonella Swanson visited at the home of Connie and Bill Stock on Monday evening. They also helped Margaret celebrate her birthday.

Adolino Moe, Art Moe, Karen and Dennis Muetzel were afternoon visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home and helped Eddie celebrate his birthday on Sunday. Eddie also received birthday wishes from each of his children via telephone.

Larry and Tony Gustafson and Joe Blackbird attended the "Promise Keepers" at the Metrodome in Minneapolis on the weekend. This was an inspirational gathering of 62,000 men. Carmen Gustafson spent the weekend with Susan Blockbird in Dassel.

Jarvis Torgerson received word that his brother-in-law, Merlin Heath, had passed away in Duluth. Sympathy is extended to his wife, Sybil, and the Torgerson relatives.

Jean Nelson and Bernice Knutson were lunch guests Thursday at the Martha Torgerson home.

Gloria Cleven and Howard Nelson visited at the Ethel Nelson home on Sunday.

Betty Swenson, Ruth Hanson and Mary Ann Fuller visited with Esther Fuller at her apartment on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leiran from Minneapolis were Saturday afternoon visitors at the Doris Keushagen home. They also attended Mrs. Leiran's 30th-year class reunion at the C'Mon Inn in the evening.

More residents killed in traffic accidents in '94

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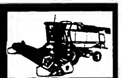

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Kim Meidment (in foreground at right) of Thief River Falls was one of three Bemidji State University students to celebrate American Independence Day July 4 in Tasmania. The student teachers also included Carla Roseland (left) and Shannon Weaver. The photo appeared in the Australian newspaper The Mercury. "It was American Independence Day and home seemed very far away for three Minnesota student teachers at Goulburn Street Primary School yesterday," the accompanying story by Madeleine Milford stated. "University of Tasmania associate dean of education Max Welsh said it was the ninth year the university had placed American students in Hobart schools and this was the largest group ever hosted," Milford's story said. "Placing them in schools is never a problem as the schools enjoy having the cultural experience of international visiting students." A senior at BSU, Kim is the daughter of Keith and Kay Meidment of Thief River Falls and a 1991 graduate of Lincoln high school. She was spending a five-week stay in Australia.

Strandquist Community News

F. Myrtle Vagis
436-2133

Today has turned out to be a lovely summer day in Northwest Minnesota, no rain and Roy's 4 thermometers average 70 degrees outside this afternoon. As for a chance for rain yet today we have learned "chance" is a mathematical term and not a definite statement and with that in mind I would say that the chance for rain is about 20%. To be more specific I suppose you would have to take into your calculation the temperature, barometric pressure, humidity and time of year. I remember the days that when to decide what was to be done on the farm, the first thing was to lift the curtain and you would have a pretty good idea if the weather was cooperating or not. Today's more technical methods confuse us older folks, so I've gone back to the curtain deal.

The Strandquist Seniors met at the Center on Thursday afternoon with 12 members and 7 guests, Ouena and Louisa Ellingson, and their sons Brian and Brent of Aurora, Linda Adlis, Wally Rud and Elsie Lafrooth. Ivan Kimbrough was the host and Elsie Kimbrough won the door prize. While some readied a quilt for tying, some played games while others visited. Brian played the mouth organ and was accompanied by his father on the piano, thus we had a musical for our entertainment.

Adeline Stennes and Ida Bruce accompanied Loraine Setten to the 80th birthday party for Antoinette Kasprowicz on Sunday afternoon at the American Legion Club room in Argyle.

Cindy Welterlund of East Grand Forks spent Saturday night with her parents, Morris and Hazel Anderson. They attended the Corey Boen and Candace Tennerman wedding in Thief River Falls in the evening.

Wednesday, Nelson LaDoux and Betsy Thompson met Polly Stevenson and Florence Strom in Bagley and they returned for a week or two of time at the Isaac Thompson's after a week with their niece Annette Moon of Codsr.

Sunday, June Kasprowicz and Judy Kleinvechter went to Argyle to attend Antoinette Kasprowicz's 80th birthday "open house". They also stopped to visit Bud and Maria Stetten.

Visitors at Morris' and Marcalyn Lindstrom's home the past couple of weeks have been Will and Diana Lindstrom of St. Paul, Walter Lindstrom of Robin, Vance and Adrienne Lofrooth, Rudy and Noreen Lindstrom of Trevor, WI, Lloyd and Lola Lindstrom, and Roger and Francis Brovik of Phoenix, AZ.

As this is being written, Andy Johnson, 13-year-old son of Ted and Lori Johnson of Hallock is undergoing heart surgery at the University hospital in Minneapolis. When Andy was only 6 days old he had a shunt placed in his heart area and now had to have one put in that fitted an adult; another 8 hour-procedure. Ted's father passed away on Saturday and Ted will be flying up here to attend the funeral before returning to Minneapolis.

Becky Johnson and Jake visited with Peter and Pearl on Thursday. In the evening Pearl accompanied Betsy Thompson, Polly Stevenson, Florence Strom, and Elsie Lofrooth to Denise Aakre's for Women's Missionary service.

Adrienne and Elsie Lofrooth had lunch at Otto and Doris Seng's to celebrate Otto's birthday.

Brian Nelson, Matthew, Karl Kasprowicz, Betty Pietruszewski, Paulette Kasprowicz and friend Phil from Los Angeles, CA; Lorina and Claudia Borggren and Jessie and Kali visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter on Tuesday. Evening visitors were Wayne and Pol Larson with Abbie, Kathy and Rebecca.

Polly Stevenson, Florence Strom and Betsy Thompson met some of Florence's former classmates at Town and Country for breakfast on Thursday. They were Bernice Gormundson, Jane Anderson, Volberg Torkelson, Ruth Anderson, Irene Sjoblom, and Inez Hendricks.

Pastor and Lois Freeman, Pearl Thompson and Walter Thompson met at Elsie Lofrooth's after the evening service to visit with the guest speakers of the evening. They were John Baskin and Lori Larson of Park River, ND and Dennis and Marilyn Bertell of Inver Grove Heights. Marilyn Bertell is the daughter of the late Leonard and Myrtle Holmstrom.

Florence Strom returned Wednesday to her home in Titusville, FL after a three week visit in Minnesota.

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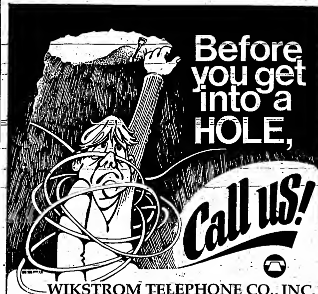

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Senior News

The Seniors met on Wednesday at the Center. Delores Engevik won the doorprize. They will have their annual dinner and sale on July 30th at the Center. Mrs. Howard Lunsetter served. Visitors were Olga Engevik and Jay Haraldson, Bernard and Blanche Engevik.

Birthdays

Birthdays for the month of August are Jamie Lunsetter, Brad Monson, Harold Klamer, Ann Engelstad, Linda Larsen, Sam Pearson, Lila Aune, Ann Morrissey, Juanita Hagen, Tara Larson, Gary Peterson, Arvin Dahl, Darel Wicklund, David Nelson, DelRay Larson, Ryan Sorvig, Mark Polensky, Nadine Wold, Ronald Simmons, Berger Olofson, Tammy Cleven, Jayne Miller, Brett Tiemen, Lenay Tiemen, Arthur Johnson, Sandy Bernstein, Leo Orpen, Kristi Scharmer, Kurt Englund, Alton Sparby, Andrea Tiemen.

Anniversaries

Those celebrating wedding anniversaries are Wayne and Barb Lunsetter, Roland and Mildred Klamer, Vince and Heather Hagen and Merlin and Carol Klamer.

Bill Bernstein came home from the hospital on Friday.

Kayla Harris of Thief River Falls spent Saturday until Wednesday with her grandparents the Juel Aunes.

Visitors the past week at the Alan Severts home were Olive Ostby and Ione Aune of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis of Middle River, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones, Evelyn Severts, Mrs. Ronnie Peterson, Eunice Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus, Mrs. Dale Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair, Gene Engen and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson.

Mrs. Eugene Polensky visited on Monday at the Bill Bernstein home.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson brought birthday wishes to Mrs. Reuben Brawley.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter were luncheon guests at the Harlow Johnson home at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harris, Nicholas and Kayla of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune spent Friday until Sunday at Wigwam Resort fishing.

Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited on Saturday morning at the Bill Bernstein home.

Olga Engevik and Jay Haroldson of Thief River Falls visited on Wednesday afternoon at the Cheslie Ruud home.

Mrs. Raymond Aune visited on Tuesday afternoon at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Engevik of Julian, CA are visiting in the area with relatives and friends.

Jordan Brateng of Grygla spent a week with his grandparents, the Gene Petersons.

Tuesday evening, Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune brought birthday wishes to Mrs. Alton Sparby at Grygla.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter brought birthday wishes to Bill Bernstein at Northwest Medical Center.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Severts of Fairfax visited at the Alan Severts home and spent the weekend at the Evelyn Severt's home.

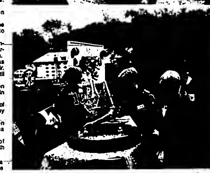
Friday, Tami Brateng visited at the Gene Peterson home and Jordan returned home. Ashley came to spend a few days with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik accompanied Mrs. Dean Anderson and Jill of Newfolden to Grand Forks on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar, also Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls and Adam Tasarek of Roseau were supper guests on Saturday at the Michael Tesarek home rural Roseau.

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Espe of Rochester, Forest Peterson of Los Angeles, NV and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klemer have been recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nordvick visited on Saturday evening at the Reuben Engevik home.



Annual family friendship picnic for Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home, River Oaks Residence and Maple Wood Residence was conducted recently. Among the activities for residents and guests were pontoon boat rides on the Red Lake river, sawdust money scramble and pick-a-duck game for prizes.

Boarding home conducts annual friendship picnic

Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home, Inc., in conjunction with River Oaks Residence and Maple Wood Residence, SLS recently held their 25th annual family friendship picnic.

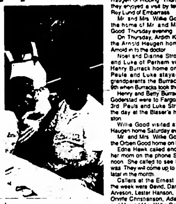
The annual event is planned for the residents' relatives, friends and neighbors and for business associates of the facilities. Many area residential facilities were represented at the picnic. Approximately 310 people were in attendance for the dinner and afternoon events.

Donated craft items were used for Bingo prizes. Area business loaned picnic equipment and supplies in addition to contributing several items for Bingo and door prize drawings.

A carnival was held for adults and children and included face painting, fish pond, golf, bean bag toss, pick-a-duck, egg hunt and a sawdust money scramble. Prizes were offered for all events.

Adults attending the picnic were involved with horseshoe pitching, pontoon rides, paddle boat rides, dunking booth, four-wheeler rides and the Bingo games.

Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home, Inc., is an intermediate care facility for 15 developmentally disabled adults. River Oaks Residence is an adult foster care home serving four individuals and Maple Wood Residence, SLS is a Supported Living Service currently serving four clients.



Face painting was one of the activities available to residents and guests at the annual family friendship picnic of Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home.

Little Oak

Visitors at the Arnold Haugen home on Wednesday were Ernest and Loretta Mostrom, David Arveson and Sharron Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haugen enjoyed telephone calls Tuesday evening from Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA from Orrin Haugen of Hibbing. Thursday evening they enjoyed a visit by telephone from Roy Lund of Embarrass.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quenton Good Thursday evening.

On Thursday, Ardith Kloth came to the Arnold Haugen home, she took Arnold in to the doctor.

Noel and Dianne Stromme, Paula and Luke of Perham visited at the Henry Burrack home on June 30th. Paula and Luke stayed with their grandparents the Burracks until July 9th when Burracks took them home.

Henry and Betty Burrack and Linda Goderstad were to Fargo, ND on July 3rd. Paula and Luke Stromme spent the day at the Blaser's home in Fosston.

Willie Good visited at the Arnold Haugen home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good visited at the Orben Good home on Friday.

Edna Hawk called and visited with her mom on the phone Sunday afternoon. She called to see how her dad was. They will come up to visit her folks later in the month.

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom for the week were David, Darren and Kyle Arveson, Lester Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Christianson, Adeline Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hanson of Plummer visited at the Ernest Mostrom home on Sunday afternoon.

Regna Gundsreon visited at the Henry Burrack home Wednesday evening.

Gary and Sharron Johnson called at the Arnold Haugen home Saturday afternoon.

The Arnold Haugen enjoyed a telephone call from Raymond Halvorson Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good attended funeral services for Carl Trulson held at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls Wednesday forenoon. Sympathy to the family.

Ardith Kloth motored to Minneapolis on Saturday to get her grandchildren, Adam and Kim Rittle of Orlando, FL. They came back on Sunday afternoon. They will spend about 10 days with Ardith and then they will take the plane back to their home in Salt Lake City, UT.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Trulson of Port Townsend, WA visited at the Willie Good home on Friday. They came up to attend the funeral for his brother, Carl Trulson on Wednesday. They left for their home on Saturday.

Art and Alma Henson visited at the Willie Good home on Sunday. Ernest Mostrom called there later in the afternoon. Jimmy Dison visited there on Tuesday.

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Get well wishes go out to Darlene Elsbrener who is recuperating from knee surgery. Darlene is a patient at St. Joseph's hospital in St. Paul.

Several people from the area got together for a picnic lunch at the Deer Park playground last week. Allison, Trisha and Jacob Bernier, Kathy and Jimmy Dulka, Barb, Larisa, Brett, Todd, and Tylor Chervestad, Connie and Kyle Lundeen, and Jessica, Beth, and Josh Dulka of Colorado Springs, CO who are visiting with their grandparents.

Congratulations to Jim and Tami Sparby of Gatzke who are the proud parents of a baby boy, Briley Josh, who was born on July 2, 1995 and was welcomed home by his very proud sister Kallie and brother David.

Several members of the community enjoyed the Prairie Fire Children's Theater production of "Snow White" which was presented on Saturday and Sunday at the Plummer school. Congratulations to Larissa Chervestad who did a tremendous job in her role as one of the seven dwarfs.

Congratulations to Connie Lundeen who celebrated her birthday in grand style on Saturday, July 15, 1995. Happy Birthday Connie.

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Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
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On Sunday afternoon Doloris Hirst, Lyla Quam and Liz Evenson attended the Musical Festival in St. Hilaire and thought it was excellent with a variety of music of many nations.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad returned Monday evening from Blue Water Covenant Bible camp north of Grand Rapids.

Last Friday Adolle Skjervon and Lillian Sundby of Alvarado attended the funeral for Nora Daucette at Assembly of God church in Thief River Falls.

On Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Sinn attended the funeral for Dora Lindstrom at the Anderson funeral home in St. Paul. Friday the funeral was at Bethesda Lutheran church in Strandquist.

Grace Lundin and daughter, Sandy Dolleen of Scandia, Ward and Barb Sinn, Angie Hoglo and children, John and Stacy Berborich and children of Brooks, Charlie Sinn of Dallas, TX, Dean and Patty Grandstrand were all callers at the Melvin Grandstrand home.

Visitors the past week at the Sid Ranum home have been their daughter and husband, Bud and Karen Robinson, granddaughter, Donna Metcalf and grandchildren and of Greenwood, AR, also Mr. and Mrs. David Ranum and Mrs. Tracy Robinson and children of Greenwood, AR. This family group had a potluck supper Sunday night at the Evelyn Bollo home in Middle River. Son Lowell Ranum of Bemidji spent Monday helping paint the family home.

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Anyone Want To Bet Waco Hearings Will Result In Any Action?

Congressional hearings on the U.S. government's attack on the Branch Davidian compound at Waco, TX, are entirely proper and long overdue, but we wouldn't wager any serious money that the results will be anything but more finger pointing.

Governmental officials from President Clinton through Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF) officers and agents have tried to put up smokescreens around the hearings. One of these was the testimony of a 14-year-old girl who said she had been forced into sex acts with Branch Davidian leader David Koresh at the age of 10.

Koresh in all probability was not a very nice person. In fact, he was likely an abusive, demented individual who was more deserving of loathing than pity. But the administration and its agencies as well as the public should be reminded that Koresh is not the subject of the hearings and it is not his actions that are being brought into question.

What is at issue is utilizing the force of government regulatory agencies and the military against private citizens. Branch Davidians may have had questionable lifestyles and ideals, and individuals within the sect could have been guilty of breaking the law. Even if this is the case, it would not justify the military type attack which killed more than 80 people, including many women and children.

In an Associated Press story on the hearings last Friday, a paragraph stated: "President Clinton acknowledged that the government made mistakes but contrasted those mistakes to 'the depravity that took place inside that compound.'"

We recall shortly after the assault and fire that U. S. Attorney General Janet Reno said she would take full responsibility for the situation. Admirable words, yet she has not been held accountable for causing more than 80 deaths and the two and a half years since the atrocity took place has produced nothing but rhetoric.

"Mistakes" were made. "Responsibility" was claimed. Hands were wrung and wrists were slapped and life went on. Innocent people died horrible deaths unnecessarily after nearly two months under siege by representatives of their own government and no one—ironically other than a couple of Davidians who escaped the compound—has been brought to trial.

This congressional hearing should not be portrayed as a case of Republicans against the Administration as has been done in daily press coverage. It is a case of assuring protection of the people from their government. Should this scenario have taken place in another country, the United States would have condemned the action as suppressionist and totalitarian and termed it brutal and unwarranted.

The hearings now underway can hardly help but find bad judgment and malicious intent in the actions of federal agencies from the ATF to the FBI. The initial attack was conducted as a training exercise that was unnecessary to accomplish the stated objective and so poorly conducted it would have been laughable if not for the loss of life involved.

The ensuing siege and further embarrassments piling up around the ineptitude of federal government agencies created a growing frustration level that led to ordering the military style attack and resulting fatal fire. Urgency of the government in demolishing the site to remove evidence which could have contradicted its own account of what took place is also suspect.

When the hearings are completed, however, don't expect any significant punishments to result to federal officers responsible. Federal agencies seem to be set up to shed responsibility like a peaked roof sheds rain.

Professor Proposes Limited Land Payment To Replace Programs

Professor Willis Peterson of the University of Minnesota's Department of Applied Economics believes that his proposed "Limited Land Payment" (LLP) to replace existing farm programs would help preserve the environment, family farms and rural communities.

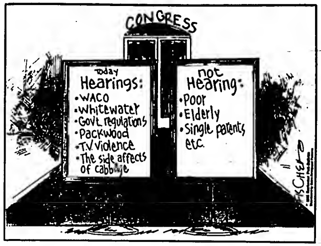
Peterson says existing price support and cropland diversion programs have been detrimental to the environment. His proposal would base payments on land rather than specific crops. Payments would not depend on the quality of the land, its agricultural or forestry use or how much each acre produced. As a result, he said, there would be no incentive to produce specific crops or to apply more fertilizer or chemicals in order to increase one's payment.

Under his proposed land payment program, small, low-income farms would benefit more from a larger payment per acre, with payments limited to fewer acres per farm. For example, a $100 per acre payment on 40 acres would be $4,000 per farm. There were slightly over two million farms in the country, according to 1987 census data, he said, and a $4,000 payment per farm would have cost $8.351 billion. Actual farm payments in 1987 were $9.646 billion.

Peterson says $4,000 wouldn't make much difference to the largest farmers, but could more than double the net incomes of small farmers on low quality land or those who suffered a crop failure.

"Rural communities would benefit because more families would receive payments than with past programs—about three times the number," he said. "And there's evidence that small livestock farmers spend their money closer to home than large feedlot operators. With this program, about 50 per cent of the total payment would go to small farms with less than $10,000 in annual sales."

Peterson's proposal was summarized in a publication called *Minnesota's Future—People, Land, Water* and produced by the University of Minnesota extension service.



Goodridge
Sheri Liedberg
681-4448

Thursday, Linda Ventura, Jason and Jeremy from Edmonton, Alberta, Canada visited at the Dale Hanson home and were supper guests. Jason and Jeremy were also overnight guests.

Friday evening, Dale and Dawn Hanson, Ben, Clifton, Andy, Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel participated in the Highlanding 4-H club tour.

Saturday, Tom Burback and friend of White Bear Lake visited at the Dale Hanson home.

Sunday, Dale and Dawn Hanson, Clifton, Andrew, Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel attended the 100th Anniversary celebration of Salem Lutheran church of rural Oklee. After they visited at the Clifford Hagge home. Others there were Sharon Burback of White Bear Lake, Ron and Ellen Hegge and family of rural Oklee, Linda Ventura and boys of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, Loran and Tami Hegge of Bemidji, Elna Halle, Ruth Naff of Bemidji, Leona Slatto of Oklee, Ernie Larson of Chinook Mt. Bannan and Virginia Larson of Warren, and Karl Hamm and family of Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls and Jim Liedberg of Warren accompanied Dean Liedberg of Boston, MA to Moorhead on Monday where they spent the 4th of July at the Wayne Gallas home.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dahlen joined Mr. and Mrs. Luverne Longroy of Flint, MI, Mable Rime of California, Myrtle Bologna of Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Roben Pamow of Thief River Falls and Joyce Sand of Grand Forks for lunch at the Goodridge Cafe Friday.

Glady's Rindahl and Mrs. Justin Dahlen visited with Mr. and Mrs. Luverne Bergot at rural Oklee on Friday.

Saturday, Dawn Hanson and Andrew attended the wedding of Nathan Liedberg and Francine Kazmerczak at the Bethany Lutheran church of rural Thief River Falls.

Saturday evening, Dawn Hanson and Jean Halvorson attended the Miss Thief River Falls pageant at the Lincoln high school. Congratulations to the new Miss Thief River Falls Tara Marquis from Oklee and to the 1st runner-up Nicole Paulson of Goodridge.

Sunday morning, Dale and Dawn Hanson, Ben, Clifton, Andrew, Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel attended the pancake breakfast at the Curling Club Building in Thief River Falls. The event was sponsored by the Pennington County 4-H as a fund raiser for the New York Exchange trip in August.

Andrew Hanson was one of the campers who attended Bible camp at Lake of the Woods Camp near Baudette. Pastor Bob Dahlen and his wife Shelia and daughter Maria also were at the camp with 3rd and 4th graders from the Goodridge Parish.

LETTERS

To The Editor:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the committee and all those who participated in the planning and preparation for the centennial celebration at St. Pauli Lutheran Church.

It was a great opportunity to visit with friends and neighbors I hadn't seen in many years. The program Saturday featuring the Ladies Aid skit was just like turning back the clock. It reminded me of the many good times and delicious meals at church functions.

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Trail Community News
Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Dorothy Aaknes of Albuquerque, NM and Olive Kolling of Gully were visitors with Rose Aaknes on Saturday afternoon. They all enjoyed lunch at Joyce's Cafe in Trail.

Kathy Bakko of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes visited with Clare Strand and Esther Rutkowski at Home Health Care at Fosston on Sunday evening.

Sylvia Fintoland visited with her mother and step-father John and Grace Ratkovec at Bemidji on Saturday.

Glen and Judy Aaknes and Cheri Rohak and Ryan of South Milwaukee, WI are visiting with their parents Rose Aaknes and Eugene and Eva Assolin of Oklee and with other relatives and friends.

Adeline Provost visited with Rose Aaknes on Saturday forenoon.

Glen and Judy Aaknes, Cheri Rohak and Ryan were supper guests at the Rose Aaknes home on Saturday.

Potluck dinner and luncheon guests at the home of Rose Aaknes on the 4th of July were Glen and Judy Aaknes, Cheri Rohak and Ryan of South Milwaukee, WI, Wayne and Kathy Bakko of Gonvick, Kurt Bakko, Wade and Roxy Bakko and Sam and Weston of Gonvick, John and Darlene Elsbrenor of rural Trail, Olaf and Hazel Rikjo of Prophetstown, IL, Omar and Sylvia Oualley of Nevada, Halvor Rikjo of Gully, Adeline Provost, Al and Vi Radniecki and Lillian Tanem all of Oklee, Darwin and Pauline Tanem of Oak Creek, WI, Eva Assolin of Oklee, Scott and Leeann Bakko and Brennan of Gonvick.

Sunday afternoon Adeline Provost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes were luncheon guests with Wayne and Kathy Bakko at Gonvick.

Darwin and Pauline Tanem of Oak Creek were spending a week with his mother Lillian Tanem of Oklee and with other friends and relatives.

Helen Sordahl and Marilyn Halvorson came and picked up the wedding cake for the wedding of Rod and Jeannie Johnson.

Leonard and Tena Schmit of Gully were visitors at the Philip Schmit home in Trail on Monday evening.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES
Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—President Hines says that 200 miles of roadbed on the Farmers Railroad will be completed this fall.

—A complaint is out against Phil Zeh for selling a cigar on Sunday.

—It is no uncommon thing to see Mrs. Mullarky assisting in her husband's store, a helpmate indeed, in this age of fuss and feathers and the New Woman.

—No scale of wages for harvest hands has yet been generally made and a good many think that enough help will be on hand to get good men at $1.50 per day.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—The recent census shows that Thief River Falls now boasts 3,502 residents, as compared with 1,819 in 1900.

—O. J. Rollis, a former resident here who has homesteaded near Sunnyslope, Alberta, reported to the News that ranchers in that area are being plagued by excessive rain and livestock diseases.

—The Great Northern and Soo Line are vying for the contract to carry mail from the Twin Cities to Winnipeg.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Harry Webster, noted Duluth airplane pilot will make several flights at the county fair. He will be accompanied in the plane by Miss Laura Stoppel of this city.

—The second annual Chautauqua to be held in this city is slated for Saturday morning with many area youngsters expected to participate.

—C. A. Nason copped first place honors in the amateur class of the annual trapshooting tournament by breaking 168 birds out of 175.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Black rust is reported to be infecting wheat fields in this vicinity.

—E. M. Bennes and N. J. Silk were elected to the local school board.

—Crossing spaces have been painted at paved intersections to encourage pedestrians not to "jay walk."

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—A donkey baseball game will be played in Thief River Falls on August 14.

—St. John Lutheran church celebrated its 40th anniversary with Rev. P. J. Seltz, former pastor, as principal speaker.

—Gordon Neset, Jock Booren and Gordon Holte were selected to attend a Boy Scout jamboree in Washington D.C. in August.

—W. J. LaBree, Olaf Neset and Robert J. Lund were named to appraise damages to property affected by the widening of Johnson street, east of the new Third street bridge.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Evangelist A. B. Ost is the present speaker at a series of tent meetings south of the post office.

—Land O' Lakes creamery was authorized by the city council to build a new turkey processing plant on a site in the old mill yard at an estimated cost of $30,000.

—Pennington County Safety council was reorganized with Sheriff Arthur Rambeck as chairman, Bill LaPave as vice chairman and Richard Mabey as secretary.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Judy Penney, 19, of St. Louis Park, formerly of Thief River Falls, was crowned Queen of the Lakes at the Minneapolis Aquatennial.

—Pat Clinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clinton of this city, left for the All-State Girl Scout encampment near Cody, Wyoming.

—Long-awaited new Eighth street bridge will definitely be constructed in 1956, Senator Roy E. Wiseth reported.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Barbara Hasselberg, 1964 Miss Minnesota, will be in Thief River Falls to crown Miss Aquacade of 1965.

—Nine-year-old Jerome Ramstad was Thief River Falls' first traffic fatality in more then four years when he died as a result of a three-car mishap in downtown Thief River Falls.

—Just-completed 64th annual Pennington county fair included record premium payments, record individual entries and an estimated 10 per cent increase in attendance.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Season's best actor and actress for the Thief River Falls summer theatre are Kathy Wald and Rick Erickson, currently holding the lead roles in the theatre's production of "Little Mary Sunshine."

—Increase in net revenue of 16 per cent to $3,560,140 and an excess of revenue over expenses of $60,220 was reported at the annual meeting of Northwestern Hospital association.

—Northland community college announced it would field its first football team in the fall of 1976.

—Shareholders of Arctic Enterprises, Inc. of Thief River Falls heard of a first quarter loss but optimism toward a profitable year at the annual meeting of the corporation at the Thief River Falls country club.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Kevin Schuman was hired as law enforcement instructor at Northland community college.

—Carol Bergeron of Oklee was crowned Miss Thief River Falls at the Jaycee-sponsored pageant.

—Taxpayers will be asked to vote on a bond issue of $5,975,000 for an addition to Lincoln high school.

Gully News
Florence Berg
268-4236

Rhonda Godtland left Thursday for Clearwater, FL where she has accepted an Administrative position with Morton, Plant, Mease Health Care Facility. Rhonda graduated with honors from the University of Minnesota, June 9th with a masters degree in Health Care Administration. Her parents Arne and Lucilla Godtland attended the graduation with their granddaughter, Candace Halland from Erlaco, TX. Candace spent a few weeks visiting with her grandparents. She returned to Texas with her aunt Barb and Rick Fisher.

Dick and Shirley Berg of Monticello, spent the weekend with us, the Floyd Bergs; we sure had a good visit. Others who stopped over were Mary Berg, Pam Ringstad from Dayton, Ann Lahse of McIntosh, Linda Carlson of Warroad, and her daughter Jodi Myers. Dick and Shirley Berg were over and visited aunt Deloris Ringstad and Pam Ringstad on Sunday evening had a few good card games.

Mildred Sollan and Esther Thoreson were coffee guests at Elaine Haugan's on Friday. Katie and Brianna Haugan spent the weekend with grandma Elaine and grandpa Orville Haugan. Gerald Haugan of Burnsville was home over the weekend. Owen Haugen visited at the folks too.

Katie and Brianna and Gerald Haugen, Orvin of Salol were dinner guests at the Darrell Haugan's at Wingar.

Visitors at the Ken and Alice Forsberg's this past week were Erick and Ariana Bergman, Elaine and friend Catherine, Barbara Peterson, Reuben and Wanda Rydean, Ron and Renae Bergman.

Donna Miller, Amy and Brent from Buffalo came Tuesday to bring mom, Alice Forsberg home from the hospital. They stayed for the rest of the week.

Alice is looking forward to a trip to Sweden in September. Due to her health, they had to cancel their planned trip now in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Emerson and Willis Emerson took Effie to Bemidji to the doctor on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Emerson, Willis Emerson, Leslie Emerson and Effie Handy spent Thursday in Fargo; and visited the Curtis and Kenneth Emersons. Willis Emerson and Effie visited in Fosston Friday afternoon at Marion Handys, Arnold Scott, Blanche Hilliard and Mr. and Mrs. Elmar Nord.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Handy, Erin and Jonny of Fargo and Marion Handy of Fosston were Saturday evening callers at Effie's. Ed and Lyn Turonno were Sunday guests at Effies. Willis and Effie visited on Monday at Ed Turonno's home in Thief River Falls.

Deloris Ringstad and Maxine Poulson of Bemidji returned home after spending 2 weeks in California visiting Deloris's daughter Rose and Ken Miller of Citrus Heights and their brothers, Percy of Vacaville, Leo of Marced and Larry Haugen of Fresno, CA. They also enjoyed a trip up the coast to Jenner by the sea with brother Percy and Virginia Rudi of Woodland, CA.

Pam Ringstad of Dayton and Sandy Graff of Eden Prairie spent a few days with Deloris Ringstad and Alma Sollon of Fosston.

Agder

Justin Barth from Minneapolis is spending a few days at the Ray Barth home.

Bernice Knutson attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration for Kenneth and Doris Finstad on Sunday at the Rodoemor Lutheran church.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES
Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — July 26, 1945
From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Flood Control Ass'n. Board to Convene Here

"Members of the board of directors of the Red Lake River Flood Control association will meet in Thief River Falls this evening to consider futher steps to be taken in connection with the proposed establishment of the Red Lake river drainage and conservancy district, covering the area to be affected by the projected channel improvement program. At a meeting in Grygla Tuesday evening, Roy Wiseth of that community was nominated for a place on the district board as a representative of Eastern Marshall and Western Beltrami counties."

Evangelist Ost Talks This Week At Tent Meeting

"Evangelist A. B. Ost, Palisades Park, N.J., is the present speaker in the series of tent meetings south of the postoffice, sponsored by the Union Gospel Tent Mission of Thief River Falls. Mr. Ost, who arrived Tuesday night, continues in nightly services, 8 o'clock except Monday, through August 5 and Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock. Arne H. Mars, Kennedy, pastor-evangelist, brought the message on the prophet Ezekiel's experience, the emergency during which he lived and his equipment, in the opening service Sunday afternoon, to which a large group had come."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Dorothy Lamour
Arturo DeCordova
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County Man Mentioned in Norway Article

"Sgt. Clifford Johnson, member of the A.A.-Norwegian 99th battalion which has reached its goal, Norway, was mentioned in an article written by George Grim, staff correspondent of the Minneapolis Star Journal in a recent trip through Oslo, Norway. He said, 'I was greeted at the camp gate by Sgt. Clifford Johnson of Goodridge. He is tanned and healthy and happy. He had a leave and visited an aunt at Flisa recently.' Sgt. Johnson is the grandson of Mrs. Clara Berg of Goodridge."

Land O'Lakes Erecting Big New Building

"The largest local building project to be initiated since wartime restrictions of construction activities become effective several years ago will get under way next Monday when the Land O'Lakes Creameries will start work on the erection of a huge new warehouse and turkey processing plant on the Soo Line right of way at the south end of the old millyard. Stuart McLeod, local manager, announced that the structure will be 192 feet in length and 60 feet in width, with a concrete foundation and a small basement to house the heating plant. The superstructure will be of frame construction with asbestos shingles on the exterior. The cost of the project is estimated at $30,000."

Thief River Greenhouse Window Ad For Fair

"The floral shop of the Thief River Greenhouses on East Second St. this week is showing an attractive window display, designed to advertise the Pennington county fair which opens next Monday. With a huge reproduction of a clown for a background, the display includes a merry-go-round, animals of various kinds and carnival attractions in miniature."

Seed Plant Is Leased By NW Cooperative Unit

"Leasing of a Thief River Falls seed processing plant and elevator by Northwest Cooperative Mills was announced last week by A. H. Roffers, general manager. The seed processing plant is being leased from the Farmers Cooperative Grain and Seed association. The plant will be improved and new machinery and laboratory equipment installed by August 1, in time for the 1945 seed harvest. Seed is being bought in northern Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana and Canada. The plant has a 2,000,000 pound season's capacity."

—So many of our congressmen are traveling in foreign parts these days that it's almost impossible to get a quorum in Washington.

—News Item from Ketchikan, Alaska: "Three liquor stores opened last week. Three new preachers came to town. We're holding our own.

—All the good things in life are free, says the Montevideo American, adding, however, that it's darned convenient at times to have money in your pocket.

—Remember way back when you could buy potatoes from your grocer at any time you wanted to?

—The force of public opinion evidentally still has some influence. A halt has been called to the transporation of race horses by rail.

—Starting next Monday, July 30, Northwestern Minnesota residents will direct their attention to the Pennington county fair.

—Of interest to folks lacking red points are reports that fishing is better than ever.

—Bad news for some folks is contained in the announcement that bourbon whiskey will be off the market shortly.

—You haven't noticed a B-29 bomber in a corner of your yard, have you? No trace has been found of the one abandoned by its crew near Grand Rapids last week.

—Says Billy Noonan: Our forefathers came to this country because the king would not allow them to attend church. Now look!

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR
St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — July 24, 1895
From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"Our machine men are busy these days setting up binders and mowers.

"Today's train brought a host of traveling men to town looking for orders.

"Caspar Falk came down from his farm near Thief River Falls today to buy his threshing and harvesting supplies. He has already cut his barley and will commense threshing it today.

"The annual school meeting was held for this district at the village hall last Monday evening. H. J. Freeman was chosn moderator of the meeting. H. E. Ives was re-elected clerk for the ensuing year and it was determined to have eight months of school and commencing the last Monday in September."

Crop researchers look in China for wheat scab clues

Clues to solving scab in wheat might be in a growing region of the world where the fungal disease has been an even greater problem than in the Red River Valley.

Three University of Minnesota (U of M) crop researchers recently visited China, where wheat has been plagued by scab for decades, reaching epidemic proportions in some areas one in four years.

Bob Busch, a USDA-ARS wheat breeder; Ruth Dill-Macky, assistant professor of plant pathology; and Charles Hu visited three scab research sites in eastern China, including Nanjing and Shanghai. A native of China who now works as a crop researcher at the U of M, Hu organized the research tour and served as interpreter.

While in China, the U of M crop researchers learned better ways to screen germplasm and to inoculate breeding materials.

At Minnesota wheat checkoff-supported nurseries in Morris and St. Paul, wheat lines are inoculated to evaluate their susceptibility to scab, with the ultimate goal of finding wheat varieties that are more resistant.

Instead of inoculation with a spray application of the scab fungus, then spread through irrigation, the Shanghai nursery—a primary testing site in China—uses a natural infection method. Busch explained that wheat seed is sterilized by autoclave (heat and steam), then inoculated with the scab fungus. Prior to heading, the infected kernels are spread at the base of plants in test plots. This method more closely simulates natural epidemics in the field, and it complements greenhouse testing, he said.

Fungicide applications (with products not registered in the United States) seem to be a standard practice in chinese wheat-producing areas. Although spraying appears to help control scab in China, negative trade-offs are apparent.

"We didn't see anybody spraying using safety gear," Dill-Macky said. "And there was no apparent system for testing chemical residues in harvested grain either."

The U of M researchers did not find any new wheat germplasm in China that has more scab tolerance than the Chinese lines U.S. wheat breeders already have.

Busch says a challenge with these lines is incorporating scab-resistant traits into a new variety while leaving undesirable characteristics behind. For example, Sumai, one of the Chinese breeding sources, has inherent poor quality and is susceptible to rust despite its tolerance to scab.

"The Chinese breed wheat strictly for yield," Busch said. "I guess when you have a billion mouths to feed, you become less concerned about quality."

In the longer term, the visit to China will help establish what is hoped to be scab-tolerant, high performing varieties. In the meantime, several of what Busch calls "insurance" varieties (good in scab years but not as good as others when scab isn't a problem) are close to release.

Verde is a high yielding, semi-dwarf spring wheat variety with moderate scab tolerance that is being increased for general use next year. Busch says Verde has scab tolerance comparable to Marshall but somewhat less than 2375.

Two other varieties being developed at the U of M are being increased and are scheduled for public release within two years. Both are lower yielding than some varieties currently grown, but they have acceptable quality characteristics and much better scab resistance than is present in other varieties available now.

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Reading between the lines

Likelihood of Purchase of Selected Merchandise Over Next 12 Months

% of total sample	Good Chance	Some Chance	Total Market Potential	% Reading Local Paper
New television	9.2	11.0	20.2	77.3
New home furniture	11.8	18.3	30.1	78.9
New carpeting	8.1	14.3	22.4	81.0
New stereo equipment	3.8	10.5	14.3	78.4
A major appliance	7.3	11.0	18.3	84.9
New VCR player	4.3	9.7	14.0	70.7
New camera/camcorder	3.3	9.9	13.2	74.1
New personal computer	4.9	12.1	17.0	79.4
New lawn mower/tractor	4.4	9.3	13.7	78.8
A boat	2.0	4.8	6.8	75.6
A snowmobile	2.6	5.0	7.6	83.5
New home	3.8	6.3	10.1	74.2
Used auto or pickup	7.3	22.2	29.5	76.0
New auto or pickup	7.0	15.9	22.9	76.0

Minnesotans are reading MN Newspapers
Source of information: Consumer Data Service 3601 N. Lincoln Oklahoma City, OK 73105 (405) 524-0021

Lincoln high school Class of 1995 held its 10-year class reunion recently in Thief River Falls. Events included registration and social at the Eagles hall Friday evening, June 23, and golling, tours of Challenger elementary and Lincoln high school, group picture, banquet and dance Saturday, June 24. The class had 173 graduates, three of whom are now deceased, and 97 members in attendance at the reunion. Pictured left to right are the following: TOP PHOTO: Front row, Tammy (Young) Tollefson, Joan (Moran) Krueger, Sandi (Sorter) Seidel, Alene (Fischer) Medhurst, Merlin Shoultz, Leslie Grieanti, Cindy (Moser) Abedelwaheb, Keri (Jordal) Ekeberg and Sheree (LaFave) Engelstad; second row, Tami Jorda, Cindy Kain-Scherer, Deleine (Johnson) Solberg, Jodi Thompson, Teri (Klopp) Walseth, Penni (Johnson) Hanson, Karla (Johnson) Kosel, Angie (Bezzler) Vedbraaten, Lori (Ostgarden) Morinville, Janelle (Vateses) Barth, Michelle (Thorstad) Posner, Ryan Drese, Shelle (Letourneau) Kurth, Kelly (Wagner) Gilund and Margie Weisenberg; third row, Julie (Finstad) Ojson, Crystal Larson, Teri (Freeman) Jonson, Kristin (Peterson) Flaht, Brenda (Mathiau) Haste, Kristi (Sorteberg) Robson, Lori (Jorgenson) Eichenberger, Dawn (Joppru) Holloway and Jennifer (Olson) Kack; fourth row, Bob Brelland, Peter Nygard, Troy Walseth, Roger Gonsorowski, Scott Fowler, Dan Upham and Brian Millis; fifth row, Kreig Kalnz, Gary Gaalaas, Jeff Wieland, Bob Hunt, Jason Kunda, Matthew Samuelson and Todd Wing; BOTTOM PHOTO: Front row, Ann (Lykken) Wold, Jaki Hahn-Rohlah, Lisa (Torgerson) Parent, Stacie (Kurtz) Krey, Connie (Gaard) Folkedahl, Maud (Torgerson) Evans, Cindi (Russell) Bondy and Lisa (Howe) Samenko; second row, Kalli (Olson) Todd, Lea (Wagner) Crawford, Pam (Sinsky) Peterson, Leslie (Welgend) Macho, Shelley McGann, Tami (Gustafson) Duckstad, Jill (Eggenberger) Johnson, Jackie Thune and Kristi Jorstad; third row, Jennifer (Anderson) Langevin, Lisa Arnold, Natalie (Wilson) Obse, Paula (Bergan) Peterson, Heidi (Tangquist) Nelson, Georgia (Howard) Luoma and Michelle (Holmgren) Cualley; fourth row, Dan Imgrund, David Olson, Bob Hunt, Tim Peterson, Jenny Spencer, Fonda (Wendlandt) Lillevold and Carla (Dick) Torgerson; fifth row, Chad Bottem, Steve Solheim, Mark Bondy, Jeff Johnson, Kurt Philipp, Chris Trudeau and Brian Dormedy.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
Correspondent
378-4284

Tuesday evening, Mr and Mrs. Orlin Hanson were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon hanson home.

Alfred Nelson and Leslie and Dale Anderson were visitors on Wednesday forenoon at the Vernon hanson home.

Jessica, Michelle and Melissa Johnson of Fargo were visitors on Thursday morning and treated to coffee by their grandparents, Clarence and Mayme Johnson.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel visited with Anna Kriel at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Wednesday evening, brief visitors at the Vernon hanson home were Jerold Johnson of Crookston.

Mrs. Bruce Solberg was a visitor at the Dale Anderson home on Tuesday.

Thursday, visitors and dinner guests at the Vernon hanson home were Mrs. Kenneth Kriel and Andy Rubachka.

Andy Anderson of Thief River Falls was a visitor and coffee guest on Thursday at the Dale Anderson home.

Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Eliason of Coon Rapids were overnight guests at the Vernon hanson home. Mr. and Mrs. Eliason left for their home on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel were visitors and coffee guests on Wednesday morning at the Vernon hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and her grandson, Kyle Iverson, and Mrs. Obsé Howe and Dennis were picking strawberries at the patch near Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday afternoon at the Gary Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel, Roger Kriel and Mrs. Darcey Moses left on Friday for Lake Mille Lacs to attend the funeral for Sadie Lesagard. Sadie Lesagard is Mrs. Norman Kriel's sister. Our sympathy to the Kriel family. May her memory be blessed.

Wednesday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon hanson and Mrs. Obsé Howe were dinner guests at the The Redstack home. Later, they served at the wedding gifts of Sara and Tim Rosendahl.

Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie visited with Ruby Anderson on Monday.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harlen hanson, Jenny, Margo and Kyle were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon hanson and also visited with other relatives in the area. Then on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Harlen hanson attended the wedding for Sara Redstack and Tim Rosendahl at the St. Francis Xavier Catholic church in Oslo. Congratulations Sara and Tim. They all attended the reception and dance held at the Legion club in Thief River Falls on Saturday night.

Jodi Adams of the Coast Guard is spending 10 days visiting with her parents, the Norman Adams, and her brother, Darin. Jerd Adams of Fargo also spent the weekend with her parents. Jodi plan to visit with her sister, Jo.

Sunday, a potluck dinner was held at the Dale Anderson home in Steepeyes. Her guests were Elva Johnson, Ione and Joyce Nelson, Karen and Jim Zeptor and Dennis Hodson. Elva's mother, Ruby Anderson, joined them.

Mrs. Clayton Johnson visited by phone her mother, Helen Mortrom, of Stillwater on Saturday.

Monday afternoon, Allen Hawk, Jesse, Zane and Jenny and Jessica, Michele and Melissa Johnson were visitors at the Clarence Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Rensland were visitors and lunch guests Sunday evening at the Alfred hanson home.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ulvin Hanson of Osseo were visitors at the Gene Marquis home.

Supper guests at the Gary Johnson home on Saturday were Adelaide Dalen, Mary Cullen and a friend Clara of Gullaq, ND.

Thursday, Elva Fladlien went with a group of women to Dale Dale's in Grand Forks to visit Hilmi Dalen. Then on their way home, the group stopped and had coffee with Carol Anderson in Warren.

Mrs. Bruce Solberg visited on Wednesday at Oldest Acres near Grafton with her mother, Merton Schroeder, and her grandmother, Cora Oldest.

Friday, Jesse, Johnson and Jessica left for their respective summer jobs at camps in East Grand Forks and Grand Forks, ND. Then later in the afternoon, the Johnsons enjoyed dinner at the Royal Fork in Grand Forks, ND. On their way home, the Johnsons made a business trip to Crookston where Jessica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited at Wal-Mart.

A week ago Saturday, Shelley Johnson and Kristi, Greg and Gabi Helgman and Scotty, Brian Sodak, Aaron Charnestad, Conney Olson, Brian Walters, Kyle Nelson, Johnie Hanks and Perry Lundeen were seen at the Tim Lundeen home.

Thursday the week, Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Rensland were visitors and coffee guests at the Dales England home of rural Grygla.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Obsé Howe were visitors and coffee guests at the George Dahle home of rural Osse.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dorynk, Mike and Michael left on Saturday for their home in Fort Worth, Texas after visiting at the Clarence Johnson home.

Sunday, brief callers at the Ronnie Kotha home were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sataid of Grygla.

Elva Fladlien left on Friday night to visit with Brother, Clare Hodson, in Sheepeye. While there, Elva also attended the Hodson family reunion in Sheepeye on Saturday night. Elva returned home on Monday.

Friday visitors and lunch guests at the Eddy Sluzy home were Adelaide Cullen, Mary Cullen and a friend, Clara, from Gullaq, ND.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen attended the wedding for Shelley Weber and Mark Schmidt in Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 15.

Sunday afternoon, Marvin and Louise Weine of Valhalla Centre, Alberta, Canada, Lynn Dalen, Jerry and Kaylee of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Weine, David and Brittany of Bagley were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weine.

Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Eddy Sluzy home were Doreen Aakre; Davis; Katelyn and Laura of Clearbrook; Gary Dale and mother in-law and her sister-in-law.

Tim Lundeen and Shannon are spending a week at Floyd River near Hawkinson Falls on a houseboat trip.

Kristi Jorstad left for Detroit, MO on Sunday.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Obsé Howe and Dennis visited with Anna Kriel at the Pine Haven Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. David Spielstad, Robyn and Adam took Danielle Howe and Jenny Nelson to Lake of the Woods Bible Camp in Baudette on Monday.

Sunday, visitors and coffee guests at the Gene Marquis home were Don Hoven and Mr. and Mrs. Roman Rodier and Victoria of Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson were among the guests guests on Sunday at the Dale Dale and Carol Anderson home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. Bob Gallman of St. Cloud and Bob Anderson of Buffalo, MN and Mrs. Mike Gwynn, Mia and Michael of Duluth, WI, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson of Fosston were visitors and lunch guests on Friday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Thursday night, visitors and supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home were Shelley Johnson and Kristi, Greg and Gabi Helgman and Scotty, Brian Sodak, Jeff Lundeen and Jeff Kimball.

Leslie hanson was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Hanford Rensland home.

Thursday afternoon, Gittmar Rensland was a visitor and lunch guest at the Clarence Johnson home. Later, he visited with his mother in the Johnson's trailer.

Monica Johnson spent the day with her grandfather, Clarence Johnson, on Friday.

Saturday visitors at the Clayton Johnson home were Tony Rubachka and Chris.

Chris Peterson was a visitor on Monday at the Gene Marquis home.

Delbert Sherry of Warren was a dinner guest on Sunday and a visitor during the day at the Ronnie Kotha home.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alesa were visitors at the Sherry Johnson home on Monday evening.

Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the Clarence Johnson home were Jean Johnsgn, Jessica, Michelle and Melissa.

Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotha were visitors at the Clarence Johnson's barbecue in the Elva Fladlien home.

Sunday, Jessica and Jenny and Mrs. Bob Dahlen and Marie and Dr. James Nesbjan of Minneapolis were visitors and supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home. Dr. James Nesbjan was also an overnight guest at the Tim Lundeen home on Sunday night.

Sherry Johnson was a dinner and coffee guest at the Greg Helgman home Monday afternoon.

Steven Weber was an overnight guest at the Tim Lundeen home one day during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Jensen were a dinner and coffee guest at the Leonard Johnson home.

Jessica Parrow and Elvie Fladlien were shoppers in Bemidji on Tuesday.

Jessica Johnson, Michelle and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited with Jean Nesbjan at the Merle Nesbjan home Sunday forenoon.

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City of Thief River Falls
ANNUAL SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Annual Summary Financial Statement

The purpose of this report is to provide a summary of financial information regarding the City of Thief River Falls to interested citizens. The complete financial statements may be examined at the City Administrator's Office, P. O. Box 232, Lafayette (218) 681-5601. Questions about this report should be directed to the City Administrator's Office.

The following summaries are from the general purpose financial statements of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota for the year 1992. The figures are rounded and the percentage change is derived between the two years.

Revenues and Expenditures for General Operations (Governmental and Expendable Trust Funds)

	Total 1991	Total 1992	Percent Increase (Decrease)
REVENUES			
Taxes	960,818	873,587	-9.1%
Special Assessments	225,010	230,450	2.4%
Intergovernmental Revenues	2,288,070	2,324,065	1.6%
Charges for Service	257,450	267,120	3.8%
Other	832,150	867,000	4.1%
TOTALS	4,563,518	4,562,222	-0.0%
EXPENDITURES			
General Government	828,880	828,583	-0.1%
Public Safety	1,202,010	1,228,000	2.2%
Public Works	1,000,000	1,000,000	0.0%
Culture and Recreation	1,000,000	1,000,000	0.0%
Other	1,100,321	1,100,327	0.0%
Capital Outlay	1,000,000	1,000,000	0.0%
Debt Service	1,000,000	1,000,000	0.0%
TOTALS	7,131,211	7,172,910	0.6%
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(2,568,693)	(2,610,688)	-0.9%
Bond Sale Proceeds	700,000	2,343,000	-67.1%
Transfers In (Out)	812,780	780,000	19.1%
Fund Equity, Beginning of Year	7,240,382	7,237,831	-0.0%
Prior Year Adjustments	36,881	(3,000)	-811.0%
Fund Equity, End of Year	6,270,294	6,343,831	-1.2%

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS
KEY FINANCIAL RELATIONSHIPS

	1991	1992	1993
Current Population	8,000	8,000	8,000
Tax Capacity Value	2,283,293	2,150,587	2,217,750
Percent of Property Taxes Collected	97.8%	98.3%	98.3%
City Revenues (Governmental Funds)	$729.96	$230.87	$267.92
City Expenditures for Capital Improvements	$826.17	$855.42	$1,122.42
Debt Service	252.35	287.31	223.39
Bond Rating	Aaa	Aaa	Aaa-1

Financial Expenses Pertinent Municipal Short Debts

BALANCE SHEET
December 31, 1992

Assets		
Cash on Hand, Checking Accounts and Savings	$ 213,510	
Accounts Receivable	13,653	
Special Assessments	179,000	
Delinquent Receivable	57,773	
Fixed Assets:		
Land	$ 20,000	
Buildings, Furniture, & Fixtures	527,000	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(123,192)	
Total Assets	$ 889,857	
LIABILITIES AND NET EQUITY		
Accounts Payable	$ 52,718	
Fund Equity:		
Retained Earnings: Unreserved	$ 837,139	
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	$ 889,857	

SUMMARY OF REVENUES & OPERATIONS
For the Year Ended December 31, 1992
(Cash Basis)

Revenues:	
Taxes	$ 1,022,788
Less: Cost of Bond Sale	(22,000)
Net Taxes	$ 1,000,788
Other Profits	$ 1,000,788
Other Profits as a Percent of Sales	20.00%
Operating Expenses	$ 201,882
Depreciation Expense	$ 201,882
Nonoperating Revenues (Interest Income, etc.)	$ 15,579
Nonoperating Expenses (Interest, etc.)	$ 0
Net Income Before Operating Transfers	$ 814,485
Additional Information	
Beginning-of-Year Retained Earnings	$ 173,000
Capital Outlay (buildings, equipment, etc.)	$ 0

City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET - ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS
December 31, 1992
(With Comparative Totals for December 31, 1991)

ASSETS	General Fund	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Enterprise Funds	Internal Service	Trust and Agency	General Fixed Assets Account Group	General Long-Term Debt Account Group	Totals (Memorandum Only) 1992	Totals (Memorandum Only) 1991
Cash and Investments	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Cash and Investments - Restricted	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Receivables:											
Accounts Receivable	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Accrued Interest Receivable	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Taxes Receivable-Delinquent	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Special Assessments Receivable-Current	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Special Assessments Receivable-Delinquent	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Special Assessments Receivable-Deferred	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Due from Other Funds	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Due from Other Governmental Units	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Inventory	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Prepaid Items	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Fixed Assets								$ 1,000,000		$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Total Assets	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000		$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY											
Accounts Payable	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Accrued Interest Payable	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Deferred Revenue	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Bonds Payable									$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Total Liabilities	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000		$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Fund Equity											
Investment in General Fixed Assets								$ 1,000,000		$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Fund Balance	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Total Fund Equity	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000		$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Total Liabilities and Equity	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000

City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES AND EXPENDABLE TRUST FUNDS
For the Year Ended December 31, 1992
(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended December 31, 1991)

SOURCES OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Expendable Trust	Totals Primary Government Governmental Funds 1992	Totals Primary Government Expendable Trust Funds 1992	Totals Reporting Entity (Memorandum Only) 1992	Totals Reporting Entity (Memorandum Only) 1991
REVENUES									
Taxes	$721,275	$108,135				$829,410	$871,587	$829,410	$871,587
Licenses	$1,158					$1,158	$9,747	$1,158	$9,747
Intergovernmental Revenues	1,648,219	101,153	750,870	4,000		2,503,172	2,324,065	2,503,172	2,324,065
Charges for Service	251,836			38,248		290,084	267,120	290,084	267,120
Special Assessments	32,000				45,951	77,951	230,450	77,951	230,450
Special Assessment Revenue			457,835			457,835	867,000	457,835	867,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	136,835	473,288	20,867	54,048	29,726	711,663	867,000	711,663	867,000
TOTAL REVENUES	$2,790,323	$682,576	$1,229,572	$96,296	$75,677	$4,874,443	$5,436,969	$4,874,443	$5,436,969
EXPENDITURES									
General Government	$828,880					$828,880	$828,583	$828,880	$828,583
Public Safety	$1,202,010	$1,228,000				$1,202,010	$1,228,000	$1,202,010	$1,228,000
Public Works	$1,000,000	$1,000,000				$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
Culture and Recreation	$1,000,000	$1,000,000				$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
Other	$1,100,321	$1,100,327				$1,100,321	$1,100,327	$1,100,321	$1,100,327
Capital Outlay	$1,000,000	$1,000,000				$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
Debt Service	$1,000,000	$1,000,000				$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
TOTALS	$7,131,211	$7,172,327				$7,131,211	$7,172,910	$7,131,211	$7,172,910
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	$(2,568,693)	$(2,610,688)				$(2,568,693)	$(2,610,688)	$(2,568,693)	$(2,610,688)
Bond Sale Proceeds	$700,000	$2,343,000				$700,000	$2,343,000	$700,000	$2,343,000
Transfers In (Out)	$(12,780)	$780,000				$(12,780)	$780,000	$(12,780)	$780,000
Fund Equity, Beginning of Year	$7,240,382	$237,831				$7,240,382	$237,831	$7,240,382	$237,831
Prior Year Adjustments	$(36,881)	$(3,000)				$(36,881)	$(3,000)	$(36,881)	$(3,000)
Fund Equity, End of Year	$6,270,294	$6,343,831				$6,270,294	$6,343,831	$6,270,294	$6,343,831

USE OF FINANCIAL RESOURCES

EXPENDITURES									
General Government	$828,880					$828,880	$828,583	$828,880	$828,583
Public Safety	$1,202,010					$1,202,010	$1,228,000	$1,202,010	$1,228,000
Public Works	$1,000,000					$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
Culture and Recreation	$1,000,000					$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
Other	$1,100,321					$1,100,321	$1,100,327	$1,100,321	$1,100,327
Capital Outlay	$1,000,000					$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
Debt Service	$1,000,000					$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000	$1,000,000
TOTALS	$7,131,211					$7,131,211	$7,172,910	$7,131,211	$7,172,910
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	$(2,568,693)	$(2,610,688)				$(2,568,693)	$(2,610,688)	$(2,568,693)	$(2,610,688)
Bond Sale Proceeds	$700,000	$2,343,000				$700,000	$2,343,000	$700,000	$2,343,000
Transfers In (Out)	$(12,780)	$780,000				$(12,780)	$780,000	$(12,780)	$780,000
Fund Equity, Beginning of Year	$7,240,382	$237,831				$7,240,382	$237,831	$7,240,382	$237,831
Prior Year Adjustments	$(36,881)	$(3,000)				$(36,881)	$(3,000)	$(36,881)	$(3,000)
Fund Equity, End of Year	$6,270,294	$6,343,831				$6,270,294	$6,343,831	$6,270,294	$6,343,831

City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN RETAINED EARNINGS - ALL PROPRIETARY FUNDS AND SIMILAR TRUST FUNDS
For the Year Ended December 31, 1992
(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended December 31, 1992)

	Enterprise Funds	Internal Service	Pension Trust Fund	Totals Memorandum Only 1992	Totals Memorandum Only 1991
SALES AND COST					
Sales	$1,963,788			$1,963,788	$1,837,342
Cost of Sales	(1,498,088)			(1,498,088)	(1,395,158)
GROSS PROFIT	$465,729	$0	$0	$465,729	$442,184
OPERATING REVENUES					
Sale of Electricity	$5,365,886			$5,365,886	$5,085,725
Sale of Water	1,066,629			1,066,629	983,795
Charges for Services	873,738	$97,613		971,351	1,010,754
Rental Income, Parking & Misc.	179,000	89,201		268,201	384,000
TOTAL GROSS PROFIT & OPERATING REVENUE	$7,949,833	$1,096,944	$0	$10,042,777	$8,831,003
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Salaries & Wages	$621,987	$107,810		$729,797	$730,414
Payroll Taxes & Fringe Benefits	165,264	32,757		208,021	202,277
Utilities for Operations	129,533	4,280		133,813	170,414
Supplies	152,908	4,280		157,188	239,420
Repairs & Maintenance	132,908	3,873		136,781	184,855
Depreciation	293,901	4,805		298,706	284,553
Insurance & Other	315,053	199,771		514,824	1,077,588
Operations & Maintenance Expense	$4,553,864			$4,553,864	$4,537,503
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE	$7,365,548	$358,994	$0	$7,724,542	$8,006,024
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	$584,285	$737,950	$0	$574,235	$827,259
OTHER REVENUES (EXPENSE)					
Sale & Loss Sale	$134,932	$8,900	$143,832	$109,245	
Ad Valorem Taxes		10,155	10,155	8,310	
Interest Income	132,561	34,394	166,955	174,535	242,562
Miscellaneous Revenue (Expense)	(29,665)	(273)	(29,938)	(29,938)	(41,941)
Interest & Fiscal Agent Fees	(181,373)		(181,373)	(181,373)	(214,373)
Annuity Payments - Pension				(50,000)	(50,000)
Gain(Loss) on Sale of Fixed Asset	(2,001)	(1,337)		(3,338)	(22,540)
TOTAL OTHER REVENUES (EXPENSES)	$76,305	$52,039	(50,000)	$78,344	$(75,537)
NET INCOME (LOSS)	$660,240	$789,937	$(50,000)	$652,579	$1,476,722
RETAINED EARNINGS - JANUARY 1	$19,318,438	$1,030,630	$175,846	$20,523,214	$23,058,783
Transfers - Net	(813,000)	(539,000)		(1,352,000)	
Prior Year Adjustments	$(1,000)	$0		$(1,000)	(3,152,000)
Prior Period Adjustments	$1,000			$1,000	$2,800
RETAINED EARNINGS - DECEMBER 31	$19,165,678	$1,281,275	$125,846	$20,572,793	$20,523,214

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial presentations

City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET - ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS
December 31, 1992
(With Comparative Totals for December 31, 1991)

ASSETS	General Fund	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Capital Projects	Enterprise Funds	Internal Service	Trust and Agency	General Fixed Assets Account Group	General Long-Term Debt Account Group	Totals (Memorandum Only) 1992	Totals (Memorandum Only) 1991
Cash and Investments	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Cash and Investments - Restricted	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Receivables:											
Accounts Receivable	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Accrued Interest Receivable	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Taxes Receivable-Delinquent	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Special Assessments Receivable-Current	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Special Assessments Receivable-Delinquent	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Special Assessments Receivable-Deferred	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Due from Other Funds	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Due from Other Governmental Units	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000			$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000
Inventory	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000,000	$ 1,000

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FOR SALE- 10 roll-up awning, can be used on a camper or patio. call 218-745-5578. 2t58c

FOR SALE- Two exercise units, one Alpine Skier, one Rower. 964-5000. 1t59p

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FOR SALE- Heavy duty washer and dryer, excellent condition, $300.00/o.b.o., 681-8701, leave message. 1t59p

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Help Wanted

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The Times 324 N. Main — 681-4450 — Thief River Falls, MN

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Position for counter sales combined with finishing ladies garments. Part time or full-time. Apply in person only. **NARVERUD CLEANERS** 315 LaBree Ave. N Thief River Falls. Hrs. 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

HELP WANTED- Tri County School is seeking regular and substitute bus drivers for the 1995-96 school year. Applicant must be Minnesota certified or willing to obtain certification, help with training and obtaining certification will be provided. Applications can be picked up at the Superintendent's office or call 218-436-2261. Applications must be returned by July 31. 4t60c

HELP WANTED- McIntosh Manor, an 86 bed Nursing Home, including a 28-bed Alzheimer's Unit, is seeking a full-time Registered Nurse. Position requires working every other weekend. Competitive wages and paid time-off. Contact Lynae Finseth, 700 NE Riverside Ave., McIntosh, MN 56556, 218-563-2718. E.O.E. 8t63c

HELP WANTED- Volunteers to provide temporary housing for battered women/children. Stipends paid. Must be sensitive to abuse issues and confidentiality. Call Violence Intervention Project at 1-800-660-6667 for application. 4t62c

SINGERS: Country, Gospel and Easy Listening. Crystal Image Talent Agency of Nashville. Holding FREE one-song audition Sat., Aug. 5, 2 p.m. to 10 p.m., Super 8 Motel, 1915 Hwy. 59 SE, Thief River Falls. Ask for Joe Cumberledge. *Bring backup cassette or guitar, no bands, no calls.*

HELP WANTED- Part-time waitresses, bar waitresses, and bartenders. Apply in person at the American Legion club in Thief River Falls. 4t59c

WANTED- Woman interested in caring for elderly woman in home. Prefer someone with experience. 218-754-2281. 16t69c

PART-TIME HOUSEKEEPING, Hartwood Motel, 681-2640. 2t59p

MCINTOSH MANOR Nursing Home now hiring full time or part time LPN's. Flexible days and shifts available. Competitive wages and paid time-off. Contact Lynae Finseth at 563-2715. E.O.E. 8t62c

DOMINO'S PIZZA DELIVERY PERSONNEL WANTED Earn up to $7 - $10 per hour, flexible hours. Must be 18, have your own car and proof of insurance. Apply at DOMINO'S PIZZA or Call 681-6000.

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Johnson's Riverside Boarding Home, Inc. is taking applications for a Resident Aide/Housekeeper position. Applicants must be 18 years of age, be able to obtain a Class B driver's license, get CPR certified and pass the facility's medication administration program. For more information call 681-1278 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. 4t60c

DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed. No experience?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers/DTDTS. Call 1-800-332-7364. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay pkg. + benefits. $30K+1st yr, $40K+2nd yr. 4t6c

NEED FAX service? Stop in at The Times. Send or receive for only $2.00 first page with each additional page $1.00. Our fax # is 218-681-4455. Stop in at The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, TRF. Telephone 218-681-4450. 1t59e

The Jewel Box Jewelry Sales Full-time position available in Thief River Falls. Retail sales experience, computer skills, and enthusiasm required. Competitive salary. Mail confidential resume to: Scott Hepper, The Jewel Box, Inc., P.O. Box 597, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

AVON WANTS individuals interested in earning $8-$14/hr. No door-to-door. 1-800-736-0168 IND REP. 2t60p.

HELP WANTED- Part-time delivery person, early morning hours, and full-time doughnut fryer, evening hours, 681-1222. Gary's Bakery. 58tfc

Wanted Director for Middle River Community Theatre Production of "Cemetery Club" Sept. 27 - 30 & Oct. 1. Contact Jerome Henning 222-3679 or Pat Hanson 222-3571

HELP WANTED- Harvest help, starting soon, equipment handling experience preferred, phone 218-681-3870. P4t61p

HELP WANTED- Experienced framer needed for Ben Franklin custom frame shop, full-time. Starts immediately. Apply in person or call 681-4310 for application. 4t60c

HURSING ASSISTANT Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part-time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at: Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. EOE. 102dc

SEEKING RESIDENT MANAGER team to manage and maintain our apartment building, call 701-237-6840 or 701-235-2943. 41dc

SEMI DRIVERS for hopper bottoms, late model equipment, must be 24-years or older, percentage pay with benefits. Todd Stanley, 218-294-6300. P4t60p

HOMARK INC.

An Employee Owned Company

HOMARK Join The Homark Team. We are currently hiring for production line work— carpentry skills helpful. Applications available at: **100 Third Street, Red Lake Falls, MN** *"Builders Of Affordable Housing"*

The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

PART-TIME MAGNET ARTS DANCE INSTRUCTOR

Effective: Fall, 1995 - approximately 2 hours per day.
Duties: Teach dance and movement in an interdisciplinary class as well as a part of the physical education classes. Some individual work with Magnet Art School students in the dance/movement areas.
Requirements: Experience with teaching dance as it relates to other art areas would be helpful as well as experience teaching non-skilled dancers.
Salary: $16.00/hour.

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, School District Service Center, 230 South LaBree Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 1st, 1995. For additional information please contact Bev Arnston at 218-681-8677.

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HELP WANTED CAD Operator

CAD Operator to work in the Electric Department for the City of Thief River Falls. The work includes the operation of a computer aided drafting system for the production of drawings. The operator will operate a Geographical Information System (GIS) including data storage, information retrieval, print drawings. The operator will help establish criteria for the City's GIS. Manual drawing will be required. The operator position will require two years of technical training in CAD or GIS. A valid State of Minnesota driver's license or equal is required. The ability to read construction drawings and do field measuring is required.

Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., August 11, 1995. A complete job description and applications are available at the office of Minnesota Job Service, P.O. Box 679, 318 N. Knight Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. The City of Thief River Falls is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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HELP WANTED- Earn up to $500.00 per week assembling products at home. No experience. Info 1-504-646-1700 Dept. MN-8345. P4t60p

HELP WANTED- Part-time cleaning, evenings, call 681-2318. 2t60c

HELP WANTED- Checkout person needed 3 p.m.-11 p.m. shift, 11 p.m.-6 a.m., part-time, apply at Petro Pumper. 58tfc

NORTHERN PRIDE INC. is accepting applications. Starting wage is $6.00 per hr., with an increase after training and a bonus in December. Apply At: NORTHERN PRIDE, Inc. Nora & Pennington Ave. Thief River Falls, MN 56701 Or Call 218-681-1201 For More Information/E.O.E.

HELP WANTED- Production Coordinator at the Occupational Development Center, Thief River Falls Division. Must possess extensive experience or a bachelor's degree in industrial technology, excellent management/supervisory skills, marketing ability, and knowledge of financial/budget procedures. This is a full-time position which offers a competitive wage and excellent benefits. To receive an application contact Raenelle at 218-281-3326. Applications close July 28, 1995. EOE/ADA. 4t59c

The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH INSTRUCTOR

LOCATION: Franklin Middle School
EFFECTIVE: 1995-96 School Year
REQUIREMENTS: Minnesota Certification - Preference given to candidates with willingness and ability to coach/advise various co-curricular student activities.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 220 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 1, 1995.

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

LEARNING READINESS TEACHER

LOCATION: Challenger Elementary School
EFFECTIVE: 1995-96 School Year - Full-Time 185 days
DUTIES: Teacher for a three and four/five year old center based program. Responsible for developing curriculum, family conferences, working cooperatively with several early childhood programs and other duties as assigned.
REQUIREMENTS: Minnesota Teaching Certificate in area of Early Childhood required with Early Childhood Special Education certification beneficial.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Negotiated by the Community Education Director.

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 220 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 1, 1995.

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

CLEANER

Location: Building to be assigned
Effective: Fall 1995
Hours per day: 6
Duties: Sweep, mop, wet-wash, dust/polish, collect/store/dispose refuse, ensure building security and other miscellaneous tasks which fall within the scope of this job title.
Requirements: Position requires standing and walking for most of the work shift and also may involve heavy lifting.
Salary: $6.00 per hour after probationary period with a pay incentive at year end as per negotiated contract.

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, 230 South LaBree Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701.

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Help Wanted

WANTED- Responsible person to live in or spend overnight with elderly lady, references required, call 796-5664, 796-5272, or 222-3797. 2t60c

IN CHRIST'S LOVE, EVERYONE IS SOMEONE

Part-time day position open in housekeeping department at Warren Good Samaritan Center. Work 2 days/week with the possibility of full-time hours in the future. Applicant must be able to work every other weekend. Benefits include paid time off, EAP Program, health/dental insurance, pension and credit union. If interested, apply in person or contact Brenda Borowicz by 8-1-95, at Good Samaritan Center, 410 S. McKinley St., Warren, MN 56762. 218-745-5282. EOE/AA

C. D. TECH Glenmore Recovery Center has an opening for a part-time Chemical Dependency Tech at its Thief River Falls Halfway House. The position would entail monitoring the clients who occupy the residence, ensuring they attend to daily living and are in compliance with established guidelines and responsibilities. The Tech will also be responsible for some clerical duties and maintaining the residence. Competitive wage and rotating shifts. Prior experience is preferred, but not necessary. If interested, contact: Louella La France, 621 LaBree Ave. N., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, 218-681-8019, or Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resource Department, 323 S. Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. E.O.E. 2t60c

Help Wanted T59 Motel & Video Housekeeper, Experience Preferred, 15 to 25 Hours Per Week. Also, Desk Clerk, 20-35 Hours Per Week. Apply In Person.

FULL-TIME JOBS AVAILABLE – GREAT BENEFITS –

Crookston, MN, Manufacturer is taking applications for the following positions:

Production Workers – *No experience required but helpful. Wages start at $6.00 to $7.50 per hour based on experience.*

CNC Machine Set-Up Person – *Experience required. Starting wage based on qualifications.*

Tool & Die Maker/Pattern Maker – *Experience required in design & construction of jigs & fixtures for CNC machining equipment and/or construction of tooling for casting industry.*

Excellent Benefits Package *(includes health, life, and disability insurance, paid holidays, vacations, and sick pay allowances, 401K and bonus plan). Rapid wage progression possible dependent upon abilities. Employer is an equal opportunity and drug-free employer.* Apply or inquire at the Crookston office of Job Services, 721 Minnesota St., or call 218-281-3593 for information or to have an application sent to you.

Pets

AKC SIBERIAN Husky pups, blue eyes. 681-6370. P4t61p

TO GIVE AWAY- Six week old puppies. call 437-6464 after 5 p.m. 1t59f

FOR SALE- Rabbit cage, holds 7, 8 rabbits, call 964-5266, after 5:30 p.m. P4t60p

TO GIVE AWAY- 4 female Alaskan and Border Collie cross puppies, 7-weeks old, call 681-4846. 1t59f

FOR SALE- AKC registered Chow Chow puppies, call 528-4857 after 6:00 p.m. 1t59p

ROYAL PET Grooming and supplies, certified groomer, 8th and Atlantic, Thief River Falls, call 681-8311. 8t63c

FOR SALE- 8x12 dog kennel, call 449-4581. 4t62e

FOR SALE- Hamster, cage, and accessories. Call 681-8276. 58tfe

FOR SALE- Liver and white Springer Spaniels, 8 weeks old, call 681-3821. 3t61e

FOR SALE- Purebred New Zealand rabbits, good for pets, 4-H projects and fryers, 278-4188. P4t60p

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY- 500 or 1000 gallon propane tank, 818-681-7796 or write L. Oso, RR 2 box 79, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 8t64p

WOULD LIKE to buy 351 Windsor engine for 1982 Ford pickup, call 218-681-5308. PF4t62p

PIANO WANTED- Small used piano, advise make and height, need at once, will pay cash, 612-864-3063. P4t60p

WANTED TO BUY- A well mannered and trained horse for an inexperienced child rider, call 681-4983. 2t60p

WANTED TO BUY- 2-to 4 bedroom rambler house in Thief River Falls. Must be in good condition. Call 681-1278 or 681-7564 after 6:00 p.m. 6t62c

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Ariens, Lawn Boy, and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair, Warren, MN 745-4298. T50tfc

M.T.D. 16-H.P. Garden tractor, 46" cutting deck, 4-speed, headlights unit, new condition, 754-4241 after 5. 2t60p

For Sale By Owner: 103 East 7th Street, Thief River Falls 681-8450
Priced to sell $88,900, Central Air, Library, Computer Room, 4-Season Porch, Completely Carpeted, 4+ Bedrooms, Independent Living Quarters, Quality Built, Convenient Location, Fireplace.

LANDS FOR LEASE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall offer for lease at Public Auction, to be held in the commissioner's room in the courthouse in Thief River Falls, MN the following tax forfeited lands for crops, hay and pasture use for the 1995 season. Land sale will commence at 10:00 A.M., Monday August 14th, 1995.

Kenneth Olson, Auditor
Pennington County

Description	Sec.	Twp	Range	Value
GRAY TOWNSHIP				
1. SE1/4NE1/4 and Lot 1	5	153	45	$10.00
2. E1/2SW1/4	20	153	45	10.00
3. W1/2NW1/4	20	153	45	10.00
4. W1/2NW1/4	29	153	45	10.00
5. W1/2SW1/4	29	153	45	10.00
NORDIN TOWNSHIP				
6. E1/2SE1/4	7	154	44	10.00
7. NW1/4	17	154	44	10.00
8. NW1/4SW1/4	17	154	44	10.00
POLK CENTRE TOWNSHIP				
9. NE1/4NW1/4	18	152	45	10.00
10. N1/2NE1/4	18	152	45	10.00
11. S1/2NE1/4	18	152	45	10.00
STAR TOWNSHIP				
12. SE1/4	12	153	39	10.00
13. NW1/4NW1/4 and SE1/4NW1/4	13	153	39	10.00
14. NE1/4	13	153	38	10.00
15. SE1/4SE1/4	13	153	39	10.00
16. N1/2SE1/4	13	153	39	10.00
17. E1/2W1/2NW1/4 and E1/2NW1/4	25	153	39	10.00

FLYNN REALTY, INC.

JUST LISTED!! WELL MAINTAINED OLDER HOME WITH 3 BEDROOMS PLUS DEN OR 4 BEDROOMS - 1 & 1/2 BATHS - NEWER ROOF, NEW SIDING - DETACHED GARAGE, WORKSHOP AND OFFICE FINISHED AND HEATED - CLOSE TO DOWNTOWN - $49,800.00.

NEW ON THE MARKET!! NEAT, CLEAN, 3-4-BEDROOM 1-1/2 STORY HOME - INTERIOR RECENTLY REDECORATED - OAK FLOORS - UPDATED BATH - FULL CLEAN BASEMENT - 2-CAR DETACHED GARAGE - $44,600.00.

NEW ON THE MARKET!! 2,500 SQ. FT. OF LIVING AREA - 5 BEDROOMS - 2 BATHS - LIVING ROOM - FAMILY ROOM - 2 FIREPLACES - 2-CAR ATTACHED GARAGE PLUS SINGLE DETACHED GARAGE - 1,100 PLUS SQ. FT. OF COMMERCIAL AREA - LARGE LOT - CLOSE TO DOWNTOWN - ZONED C-4...

3-BEDROOM, 3-BATH HOME WITH DOUBLE ATTACHED GARAGE - NEWER APPLIANCES, FAMILY ROOM, REC. ROOM - NEARLY MAINTENANCE FREE EXTERIOR - TREES AND GARDEN, AMENITIES TOO NUMEROUS TO LIST - ALL ON 1.75 ACRES, SLIGHTLY OVER 1 MILE FROM CITY LIMITS.

NORTH MAIN AVENUE - 2,000 SQ. FT. RENTAL OR OFFICE SPACE AND 2,800 COLD STORAGE AREA - 117' X 140' CORNER LOT - IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY - $24,500.00.

EAST EDGE OF THE CITY - 6,400 SQ. FT. - CITY UTILITIES - SUITABLE FOR MANUFACTURING OR WAREHOUSING - SECURITY FENCED LOT - $69,600.00.

CALL FLYNN REALTY FOR AN APPOINTMENT

EVENINGS OR WEEKENDS
Robert Flynn, Broker
Norman Wassink, Associate Broker 681-3385
Jerry Hoffman, Sales Associate..........449-3945
Mobile Phone..........681-9019

218-681-6050
FLYNN REALTY, INC.
Professional Bldg. 4th and LaBree Thief River Falls, MN

Wanted To Rent

WANT TO RENT- 2 bedroom house in country, Sept. 1, call 681-8114. 1t59p

SLEEPING ROOMS NEEDED Northland Community and Technical College Needs Sleeping Rooms To House One Or More Students For 30 Days. *We Are Currently Compiling A List Of Available Rooms.* Please Call 218-681-5424 or 1-800-959-6282

For Rent

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tfc

ROOMMATE WANTED to share a two-bedroom house in TRF, furnished. If interested call 681-8143, leave message and will get back to you. 5tfc

TWO-BEDROOM apartment. HUD rental assisted. Must have a dependent or be pregnant, includes utilities. 681-8797. 618c

FOR RENT- 200 sq. ft. office space, heat, air and electric furnished, call 681-2604 or 681-1817. 56tfc

READY-TO-RENT, August 5, 2 bedroom duplex apartment in St. Hilaire, nice yard, water, sewer and garbage charges paid, security deposit $200.00, rent $255.00/month. Call 681-3360. 59tfc

FOR RENT- Main floor apartment/shared bath with another lady. Heat and hot water paid. Rent $150, deposit $150, call 681-4087. 29dc

STORAGE SPACE 12'X24' STORAGE UNITS FOR RENT. MONTHLY $40.00/ $50 DEPOSIT. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN **681-3370**

FOR RENT- Main floor 1-bedroom apartment and upstairs 2-bedroom apartment, partially furnished, deposit required, 681-5862. 58dc

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartment, $360.00 a month, available Sept. 1, references and deposit required, no pets, call Property Management, 681-4478. 66dc

OFFICE SPACE for rent. Call 681-4683, 9 - 5. 93tfc

FOR SALE **MUST SACRIFICE** Price lowered to sell immediately - **$25,000** 4-Bedroom home located at 305 Duluth Ave. N., Thief River Falls. Drive by, take a look – give a call at 701-772-5963 or 701-772-1649, ask for Don or leave a message.

Country Home For Sale by Owner

Very Nice, 3+ Bedrooms, 1-1/2 Bathrooms, Double Garage, on 2.5 Acres, Plus Many Extras. 2 Outside Buildings. Well Kept! 1 Mile North of Strandquist, MN. *Evenings* (218) 597-2631 or 754-2741.

Genereux Realty, Inc. Hwy. 32 South (Across from Belmont Funeral Home) Thief River Falls, MN 56701 **(218) 681-HOME (4663)** 1-800-447-0382 YOUR HOME TEAM FOR THE '90's

JUST LISTED!!! UNIQUE DESIGN!!! JUST BEEN REMODELED. 3-BEDROOM HOME WITH FULL BATH, FAMILY ROOM IN BASEMENT WITH FIREPLACE, SECOND FIREPLACE IN LIVING ROOM, FORMAL DINING ROOM, NEW ROOF AND SHINGLES, NEW PLUMBING AND FIXTURE, NEW FLOOR COVERINGS, MUCH MORE! YOU HAVE TO SEE THIS ONE! $00's!

JUST LISTED! 2 lots on North Dewey. Lot one is 80 x 275. Second lot is 300 x 45T.

$5003 . . . SHERWOOD FOREST AREA!!! Turn Key ready! Nice 3-bedroom, 2 bath, split-level home, family room in lower level. Office and entry on same level. UNDER $90,000.00!!

$5002 . . . 1070 REVERE MOBILE HOME with 2 bedrooms, stove, fridge, washer, dryer and microwave-all stay!! ONLY $7,900.00.

$9987 . . . THIS ONE IS MOVE-IN READY!! Sharp 3-bedroom, just redecorated! Hardwood floor in the formal dining room! Roomy kitchen, front living room with open staircase! Open front porch! GARAGE-$39,900.00.

$9985 . . . COUNTRY LIVING AT ITS BEST! 3 acres on the river with great view. Home is a 5-bedroom rambler with 3 baths, fireplace in the family room, formal dining. PRICED IN THE LOWER $80's!

$9972 . . . PRICE REDUCED!! Almost new home on 5.4 acres! Tri-level design, no maintenance exterior! Park-like yard, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room. $70's!

$9999 . . . MUST SELL!!!!!! 10 acres hobby farm. 3-bedroom home, shop, pasture. LOW $30's. SLACKTOP ROAD.

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Marilyn Nelson, Associate Broker....681-8261
Richard Froiland, Sales......465-4448 Jan Ness, Sales....681-2767
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For Rent

FOR RENT 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT. Car Plug In. Air Conditioned. Laundry Facilities. **GARAGES AVAILABLE** **COUNTRY ACRES APARTMENTS** THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN **681-3370**

FOR RENT- Commercial store front, approximately 576 total square feet, with 250 square foot display area, office and bathroom. Will fix up to suit tenant. Located by Northern Motors on Hwy. 81 West. Call Jack 681-2038 or 681-7736. P4t62p

2-BEDROOM MOBILE HOME- 8-1-95, one year lease, no pets, reference, deposit, non HUD. 681-2863. P4t60p

SPACIOUS 3-BEDROOM, 2nd floor, close uptown garage, 1 year lease, adult building, no pets, available Aug. 18, 1995. $355.00 plus electric, heat paid, 681-7440. 56tfc

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom mobile home, deposit lease, (no pets), 681-1856. P4t61p

FOR RENT- Large 2-bedroom apartment, 2 bedroom trailer, call 681-5308 or 681-8723. P4t62p

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom mobile home at Riverview court, call 681-3921. 1t59p

1- AND 2 bedroom apartments available, all utilities paid, HUD approved, call 681-7603 for application. 4t62c

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT 681-2845

Real Estate

For Sale By Owner: Lovely 2-bdrm. home in Thief River Falls, breakfast nook, fireplace, stove & fridge, hardwood living room & dining room floors, full basement, single car garage, nice yard. Call 681-3688 or 681-4308 & leave message & we'll call you back.

Real Estate

3-BEDROOM OLDER home with detached 2-car garage, 2 blocks from Mark Twain school. 681-2199 evenings. P8t62p

FOR SALE- 4+ bedrooms, central air, garage, fireplace, many extras! 103 East 7th Street. 681-8450. 12t60p

FOR SALE- Older remodeled 2 bedroom home on S. Arnold. Call 681-1193 for an appointment. P4t60p

COMMERCIAL RENTAL- 1600 square feet apartment, 7800 square feet warehouse fully rented. 10% return on investment (218) 465-4242. 47tfc

WANTED- Listing for all types of land. We have buyers looking for farmland and hunting land. List with the leader in farmland sales in NW Minnesota. We know our real estate business and appreciate yours. Northland Realty Farm Sales, 681-6036, Thief River Falls, MN. 46tfc

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FOR SALE BY OWNER 4-bedroom home on 3 1/2 acres, 3 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfc

PERFECT RETIREMENT home in Oklee, 2-3 bedroom rambler, price reduced in low 30's, on large 100'x200' corner lot, call 681-4087 or 796-5895 evenings. P4t61p

FOR SALE- 400 acre farm, Lambert township, 5 miles SW of Oklee, includes 5 acre building site with older home, storage and outbuildings, 325 acres tillable, 40 acres pastureland, remainder river and woods. Cash only, no contract for deed, call 218-483-3268. PT8t59p

OLD HOUSE- to be moved, would be good hunting cabin! Sold in, as is condition, 449-3945, owner/agent. 33tfc

FOR SALE- Older 4-bedroom house in Newfolden, very large yard along river, small one car garage, assumable loan possible. For more information, call 218-436-2384. P4t59p

FOR SALE- 1979 home on 1-1/2 acre, surrounded by trees, 12 miles south of Thief River Falls on Highway 32, energy efficient, 2 bedroom plus, 2-bath, triple car plus, 3-season porch, finished basement with large family room, sauna, plenty storage and closets, triple heating, satellite dish, many extras. Call evenings, 216-253-4411. 8t62c

FOR SALE- Picture perfect hobby farm, 40 acres, ranch home, 40x80 metal shed, double garage. Just 4.5 miles east of Thief River Falls Tech. Price reduced. Owner financing to serious qualified buyer, contact United National Hjelden Realty at 701-746-9529 for showing appointment. 4t59c

TWO LARGE residential lots in Southtown near Challenger Elementary School, 681-4886 days, 681-2516 eves/weekends. 33tfc

FOR SALE by owner- Country home, 10 miles west of Thief River Falls on blacktop, 4-bedrooms, outdoor pool, insulated shop and storage buildings. Call 681-2140 for appointment. 10t65p

FOR SALE- 1-bedroom home, 1214 North Arnold, available now, stove and refrigerator included, all carpeted, $9,900.00, quiet neighborhood, drive by, phone owner, 681-1480. P4t62p

STAN GIBSON REALTY

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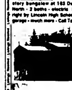

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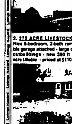

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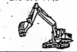

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Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aakner
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Sylvia Flateland and Rose Aaknes made a business trip to Gonvick on Monday. They also called on Kathy Bakke.

Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes, Marvin Helvorson and Helen Sordahl attended they prayer services for Clara Strand at the Carlin Hoialmen Funeral Home at Fosston on Wednesday evening.

Those that attended the funeral for Clara Strand at the Carlin Hoialmen Funeral Home on Thursday in Fosston were Kathy Bakke of Gonvick, Adeline Pravoll of Oklee, Leonard and Tone Schmit and Gilbert Nilson and Halvor and Vivian Rikje of Gully, Doris Evje and Darren of Gully, Rose Aaknes, Mrs. Wishard, Hazel Nelson and Sylvia Flateland.

Omer and Sylvia Qually of Nevada called on Rose Aaknes on Tuesday to let her know that John Tweeton died. Sympathy goes out to his two daughters. John passed away on Wednesday, July 6, 1995 at Las Vegas, NV. There will be graveside services at the Mt. Olive cemetery later.

Sympathy

Sympathy goes out to the family of Clara Strand. She passed away on Sunday, July 9, 1995 at the First Care Nursing Home in Fosston at the age of 93 years.

Clara Josephine Henson was born April 22, 1902 the parents Ole and *Anna Marie Pederson Hanson* in Johnson township rural Gully where she grew up and attended rural school. She was married to Ivan Griffin on Oct. 10, 1920. There were three children born to this marriage. Clara owned and operated the Trail hotel and later operated Clara's Eat Shop in Trail until 1940 when she was married to Norman Strand. They moved to Thief River Falls and lived there for 11 years then moved back to Trail and farmed until Norman passed away in 1978. Clara moved to the town square apartments in Fosston in 1979 and lived there until she entered the First Care Nursing Home in 1992. Clara was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran Faith and was a member of the Mt. Olive Lutheran church in Trail. She was also a member of the Embassy Community Center in Fosston and the Trail V.F.W. Auxiliary Post #6426.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two husbands, one daughter, Betty Griffin Bengston who passed away in 1979. One son, Verne Griffin, who passed away in 1992. Six brothers and five sisters.

Officiating was pastor Philipp to Lehamn, Mt. Olive Lutheran church Trail. Soloist Mark Erickson selections "What a friend we have in Jesus", "Amazing Grace". Organist was Kathy Bakke. Honorary pallbearers were Gilbert Nilson, Tom Jackson, Irwin Christianson, Everett Schumacher, Wayne Bakke, and Trail VFW Auxiliary Post #6426.

Pallbearers were Harvey Henson, Alvin Handrickson, Orville Henson, Mervin Henson, Elmer Henson, Orin Strande.

Survivors include one son Dennis Griffin and his wife Mary of Fosston, four grandchildren nine great grandchildren and one sister Cara Henson of Fosston as well as several nieces and nephews and cousins. Interment was in the Mt. Olive Lutheran cemetery rural Trail in charge of arrangements Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home Fosston, Erskine and McIntosh. Blessed be her memory.

We would like to thank Howard and Sylvia Flateland, Roxanne Flateland, Wes Flateland, Judy Syeller and Lee for all the work they did cleaning up around the Mt. Olive church after the carpenters got the entry ready. Also thanks to Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes for cleaning the church inside. "Thanks again!"

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Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Sheila and Abigail Gerardy, Rebecca and Tricia Willett attended the 100th Anniversary of Salem Lutheran church on Sunday.

Baptism

Mcaulli and Madison Berns, daughters of Virginia and Jon Berns of Oklee were baptized at 5 p.m. on Sunday at their home in Oklee with Pastor Forsberg officiating. Rebecca Willett was one of the sponsors. She and Tricia Willett, Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson were supper guests at the Berns home.

Stan and Fran Tvedt and family visited at the Harold and Marian home on Tuesday evening with the Schmidtka family.

Birthday for Mabel

Myrtle Peinode, Lillie Halvorson, Hilma Hemstad, Bunny DuChamp, Lorena Westerlund, Pat Larson, Arlene Kelly, Glanyce Harrington of St. Paul, Dorothy Paquin of Milwaukee, WI, Dorothy Morshouse of Thief River Falls were luncheon guests of Dorothy Nelson and her mother Mabel Nelson of Milwaukee, WI at the Best Western of Thief River Falls. Mabel had turned 90 years old and is a former resident of Plummer. The three Dorothys were good buddies many years ago and hadn't gotten together for over 40 years. What fun!

Ruth Wilkens, Dorothy Myhre and Bunny DuChamp were Monday morning and dinner guests of Edna Hydo, going "Up and Down the River."

Carole Wright, Charlotte Leining and Dorothy Myhre were Monday afternoon guests at the Byer home to visit Anne Anderson.

Dinner guests at the Eugene Prestegeard home of Thief River Falls on Monday were Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Marnie Loomis of Fullerton, CA and Phyllis Olson of Minnetonka.

New Arrival

Nancy and Tom Bray are the proud parents of their first child. Kevin Thomas was born on July 10th at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Happy grandparents are *Russell and Arlene Zimpel of Plummer.*

Anne Anderson and the Byers visited on Tuesday evening at the Rey Vigstol home of rural Thief River Falls.

Circles Meet

The Phoebe circle gathered at the home of Jean Carpenter on Wednesday afternoon. Amelia Eskeli led the Bible study and the business meeting. Seven members and guest Anne Anderson enjoyed Jean's delicious lunch.

Lillie Halvorson, Esther Walter and Ruth Wilkens met at Lorena Westerlund's home on Tuesday to roll bandages, a project of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid. The Joy circle met at Lucille Kveseger's home on Wednesday afternoon. Rosemary Eskeli was Bible study leader and Fern Eskeli was in charge of the business.

Alice Tillman hosted the Presbyterian Ladies Aid on Wednesday afternoon. President Ruth Wilkens presided over the study and meeting. A guest was Alice's granddaughter Courtney of Anaheim, CA who is visiting in the Tillman home.

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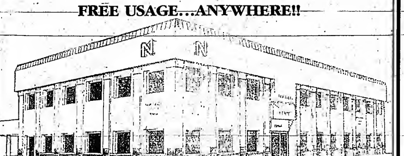

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5. Branches should be left full length. They do not have to be cut shorter.
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July 26, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Thief River Falls City Code, that Dennis and Naomi Raymond, 633 Spruce Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, have applied for a Variance to the provisions of Chapter 11- Land Use Regulation (Zoning) which govern the Front Yard Setback for structures in the Suburban Residential District (R-1). The property for which the Variance is being requested is located at 130 Eastwood Drive and is legally described as Lot 11 in Block One of Thyren's First Addition.

The Raymonds propose to purchase the above described lot and construct a single family residence on the property. The City has previously vacated the southerly one-half of Eastwood Drive abutting this lot. The Raymonds are requesting approval of a twelve feet (12') Variance to the twenty-five feet (25') Front Yard Setback Requirement of Sec. 11.31, Subd. 5., for the R-1 District. Approval of the Variance would allow the Raymonds to construct the proposed residence thirteen feet (to the roof overhang) from the north property line, which is the center line of Eastwood Drive. Eastwood Drive is a dead end street at the south of this lot.

Notice is further given, that the Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Hearing on the Variance Request at 7:30 P.M. (CDT) on Monday, August 7, 1995, in the Heritage Community Center, 301 Fourth Street East, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the proposed Variance Request will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons wishing to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend the Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated the 21st day of July 1995.
-s- Donald L. Stewart
Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

July 26, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Thief River Falls City Code, that Gerald and Wanda Schuster, 1232 Edgewood Drive, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, have applied for a Variance to the provisions of Chapter 11- Land Use Regulation (Zoning) which govern the Front Yard Setback for structures in the Suburban Residential District (R-1). The property is legally described as Lot 5 in Block Five of Green Acres Addition.

Gerald and Wanda Schuster propose to construct a 29'X28' (roof overhang dimensions) onto the north end of the existing house and attached garage. The Front Yard Setback of the existing structure at the northwest corner is approximately sixteen feet (16'). As proposed, the new attached garage addition would have a Front Yard Setback of 4.4' which would require the granting of a twenty-one point six feet (21.6') Variance to the twenty-five feet (25') Front Yard Setback Requirement of Sec. 11.31., Subd. 5., for the R-1 District.

Notice is further given, that the Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Hearing on the Variance Request at 7:40 P.M. (CDT) on Monday, August 7, 1995, in the Heritage Community Center, 301 Fourth Street East, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the proposed Variance Request will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons wishing to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1995
-s- Donald L. Stewart
Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

July 26, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Thief River Falls City Code, that David J. Colby, 502 Dovle Avenue North, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, has requested that the zoning for the property located at the above address be amended from General Business District (C-2) to General Residential District (R-2). The property is legally described as Lots 7 and 8 in Block Six of Meehan's Addition.

Until recently the first floor of the building located on this property was occupied by Thief River Linen, Inc., and the second floor is an apartment unit. Colby proposes to convert a portion of the first floor of the building into a second apartment unit. Two family dwellings are not a Permitted Use in the C-2 District, but are permitted in the R-2 District.

Notice is further given that the Planning Commission will conduct a Hearing at 7:50 P.M. (CDT), following Hearings conducted by the Board of Zoning Appeals, on Monday, August 7, 1995, in the Heritage Community Center, 301 Fourth Street East, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the proposed Zoning Amendment Request will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons who wish to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1995.
-s- Donald L. Stewart
Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

July 26, 1995
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON A 1995 SINGLE FAMILY MORTGAGE REVENUE BOND PROGRAM FOR PURPOSES OF MINNESOTA STATUTES, CHAPTER 462C, AS AMENDED AND SECTION 147(f) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1985, AS AMENDED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority (the "Issuer") will meet on August 16, 1995, at 9:00 a.m. at Room B, Best Western located at Hwy 32 South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on the adoption of a 1995 single family housing program (the "Program") and the issuance of the Bonds (defined below) by the Issuer, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 462C, as amended. The Program provides for the issuance by the Issuer of its revenue bonds in one or more series (the "Bonds") to undertake a program of making or purchasing mortgage loans or participations in mortgage loans made to construct, acquire or rehabilitate single family housing within the jurisdiction of the Issuer, by low or moderate income persons or families. The Bonds will be issued in an aggregate initial principal amount of approximately $1,701,491. The Bonds shall be limited obligations of the Issuer and the principal and interest thereon shall be payable solely from the revenues and proceeds pledged to the payment thereof, except that the bonds may be secured by a pledge of revenues from, and a lien on the property financed. No holder of any of the Bonds shall ever have the right to compel any exercise of taxing power of the Issuer to pay the bonds, or the interest thereon, nor to enforce payment against any property of the Issuer except revenues and proceeds of the Program.

All persons interested may appear and be heard at the time and place set forth above.

Dated: July 26, 1995
BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE NORTHWEST MINNESOTA MULTI-COUNTY HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
By -s- Leo Meier, Executive Director

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July 26, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Thief River Falls City Code, that Leslie E. & Marlene Snetting, 1702 Greenwood Street East, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, have requested that the Zoning for the following described property be amended from Agricultural (AG) to High Density Residential District (R-3):

A tract of land located in part of Government Lot Ten (10) in Section Four (4), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-three (43) West of the 5th Principal Meridian, described as follows:

Beginning at a point 262 feet south of the Northeast corner of said Government Lot Ten (10); thence west parallel to the north line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 1133.00 feet; thence South, parallel with the east line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 681.00 feet; thence due East over and across said Government Lot Ten (10) and parallel to the South line of said lot to the east line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 1133.00 feet; thence North along said east line 681.00 feet to the place of beginning, containing 17.18 acres more or less, excluding the following described tracts:

Tract No. 1 (Mike & Dawn Phillips) -
Part of Government Lot Ten (10), Section Four (4), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, described as follows:

Beginning at a point 883 feet south along and upon the East line of said Lot 10 from the Northeast Corner of said Lot 10, which point lies on an old established fence line; thence running 200 feet West to a point; thence 313.5 feet North to a point; thence 200 feet East to a point; and thence 313.5 feet South to the point of beginning; LESS the North 78 feet of the above described tract; and

Tract No. 2 (Benhart A. Johnson) -
Part of the Government Lot Ten (10), in Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-Three (43), described as follows:

The North Seventy-five feet (75') of that certain tract described as follows: Beginning at a point Five Hundred Ninety-three feet South (593'), along and upon the East Line of said Lot Ten (10) from the Northeast Corner of said Lot Ten (10), which point lies on an old established fence line; thence running Two Hundred Feet West (200') to a point; thence Three Hundred Thirteen point Five feet North (313.5') to a point; thence Two Hundred Feet East (200') to a point; and thence Three Hundred Thirteen point Five feet South (313.5) to the point of beginning, containing 1.44 acres, more or less, in Pennington County, Minnesota.

Leslie Snetting and Regan Rohl, acting as LRP Partnership, Box 576, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, are proposing to develop the land owned by Leslie & Marlene Snetting as a Manufactured Home Park with approximately sixty-five (65) lots in the Park. The Snettings own additional land west of the above described property which lies in Government lot Nine (9) along the Red Lake River. This property is not being platted or rezoned at this time, but in the future is proposed to be developed for single family residences and, subject to City approval, as public park land.

Notice is further given, that the Planning Commission will conduct a Hearing on the Zoning Amendment Request at 8:00 P.M. (CDT), on Monday, August 7, 1995, in the Heritage Community Center, 301 Fourth Street East, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the Zoning Amendment Request will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons who wish to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1995.
-s- Donald L. Stewart
Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

July 26, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
PRELIMINARY PLAT REVIEW
PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 12 of the Thief River Falls City Code, that Leslie E. & Marlene Snetting, 1702 Greenwood Street East, Mike & Dawn Phillips, R.R. 8 - Box 17, Benhart A. Johnson, R.R. 6 - Box 16, Cary & Penny Efta, R.R. 6 - Box 13, all of Thief River Falls, MN 56701, are submitting a Preliminary Plat for review by the City of Thief River Falls. The properties to be platted are legally described as follows:

TRACT "A" (Snetting, Phillips & Johnson) -
A tract of land located in part of Government Lot Ten (10) in Section Four (4), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-three (43) West of the 5th Principal Meridian described as follows:

Beginning at a point 262 feet south of the Northeast corner of said Government Lot Ten (10); thence west parallel to the north line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 1133.00 feet; thence South, parallel with the east line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 681.00 feet; thence due East over and across said Government Lot Ten (10) and parallel to the South line of said lot to the east line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 1133.00 feet; thence North along said east line 681.00 feet to the place of beginning, containing 17.19 acres more or less.

TRACT "B" (Efta) -
A tract of land located in part of Government Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10) of Section Four (4), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-three (43) West of the 5th Principal Meridian described as follows:

Beginning at a point 17 feet south of the Northeast corner of said Government Lot Ten (10); thence south on the east line of said Government Lot Ten (10) a distance of 245 feet; thence west, parallel with the north line of said Government Lot (10) to an intersection of the east bank of the Red Lake River in said Government Lot Nine (9); thence northeasterly along the east bank of the Red Lake River to a point which lies 17 feet south of the north line of Government Lot Ten (10); thence east parallel with said north line to the point of beginning.

Leslie Snetting and Regan Rohl acting as LRP Partnership, Box 576, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, are proposing to develop the land owned by Leslie & Marlene Snetting as a Manufactured Home Park with sixty-five (65) lots in the Park. The Snettings own additional land west of the above described property which lies in Government Lot Nine (9) along the Red Lake River. This property is not being platted or rezoned at this time, but in the future is proposed to be developed for single family residences and, subject to City approval, as public park land. LRP Partnership has requested and that the Snetting property included in the above described TRACT "A" be annexed into the City and be rezoned from Agricultural (AG) to High Density Residential District (R-3).

Cary and Penny Efta propose to plat fifteen (15) lots on their property. A portion of the lots on the easterly part of the property nearest to Pennington Avenue are proposed to be developed as a Manufactured Home Subdivision or for Multi-Family Residential use. The westerly portion of the property would be developed for lower density residential use. The Eftas are not proposing to request annexation or rezoning of their property at this time. The property would, however, have to be annexed into the City and rezoned as R-3 or R-4 before the Eftas could develop the lots for the intended use.

The Johnson and Phillips properties will be part of the plat. No change in use of these properties is proposed. As of this date Johnson and Phillips have not made a determination as to whether or not they will request to be annexed into the City.

Notice is further given, that the Planning Commission will conduct a Hearing on the Preliminary Plat at 8:20 P.M. (CDT), on Monday, August 7, 1995, in the Heritage Community Center, 301 Fourth street East, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the platting will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons who wish to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1995.
-s- Donald L. Stewart
Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

July 26, 1995
SUMMARY OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE JOINT POWERS BOARD FINAL MEETING NORTHWEST TECHNICAL COLLEGE DISTRICT #2200-04
THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 1995 7:00 PM
BEMIDJI CAMPUS
(ITV all sites)

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bentrup, Borgen, Flottemesch, Kleeow, Partlow, Smalley
MEMBERS ABSENT: None
ALTERNATES PRESENT: None
APPROVED: Minutes of June 8, 1995
APPROVED: Payment of bills for the month of June 1995 (Check Nos. 1-4, 630, 719-721, 765, 768, 779, 4778, 4835, 4866, 4874, 4918, 4929-5066, 82018, 82870, 83109-83112, 83875, 83946, 83957, 83963, 84020, 84087, 84131, 84185, 84204, 84242, 84245-84308, 102322-102333, 108015, 108517, 108625, 108692-108700, 108702-108848, 111094, 111269, 111882, 111687, 111690, 111694, 111696, 111699-111700, 111708, 111711, 150387, 150808, 161644, 152303, 152408, 155049-155100, 155102-155132, 203482-203493, 211301-211578, 307564, 307809, 307848, 307869, 307912-308139, 407214-407348, 453178-453204, 503348, 505527-505557, 505643-505665, 505671-505691, 505693-505710, 505714-505797)
APPROVED: Final budget summary for 1994-95
APPROVED: Agenda additions
RECEIVED: Communications to the board from Rollis Boldt, NTC-Thief River Falls
INFORMED: CEO Report
HEARD: Remarks from Senator Roger Moe
INFORMED: Senate President's Report
ACCEPTED: Bid from Ram Building Systems, Inc. in the amount of $88,608 for remodeling of classroom space, NTC-Thief River Falls
APPROVED: Sale of auto body department paint spray booth at NTC-Detroit Lakes to Precision Manufacturing, Inc. for $2,010
APPROVED: Memorandum of Understanding between NTC and UTCE for union leave for Bruce Homstad, NTC, Bemidji
APPROVED: Resolution for Auto Service Technology Program
RESCINDED: Resolutions placing the following faculty on unrequested leaves of absence: Pat Speckman, Wayne Linsted, Steve Boe, and Lori Wells, NTC-Bemidji
RESCINDED: Resolution relating to the termination and nonrenewal of the teaching contract of Rosalie Forbes, NTC-Bemidji
APPROVED: Employment of Dennis Hopman on contractual basis for interim leadership duties and responsibilities
APPROVED: Amended 1995-96 school calendar for NTC-Detroit Lakes
ACCEPTED: Bid from Alpha Video in the amount of $49,876 for video production equipment under the multimedia grant
ACCEPTED: Bid from Wilde Optical in the amount of $70,944.65 for materials and labor for additional ITV facilities at Moorhead and Wadena
APPROVED: Closing building construction fund and transferring fund balance to repair and replacement fund
APPROVED: Lease document between NTC and Wayne Skaalen for lease of approximately 35 acres of farmland on the Detroit Lakes campus
APPROVED: Five-year extended leave of absence for Douglas Schwertz, NTC-Wadena
APPROVED: Resolutions placing Nancy Hanson and Barbara Klasen on layoff pursuant to union contract, NTC-Bemidji
APPROVED: Transfer of Ron Matuska, NTC-Wadena, to Red Wing Campus
APPROVED: Consent agenda items
RESCINDED: Motion made at the May 11 board meeting relative to a trip to China, NTC-Moorhead
SOLIDIFIED: Memorandums received by East Grand Forks faculty guaranteeing 1994-95 contracts as indicated in each individual memorandum
APPROVED: Resolution in support of Ray Cross as President/CEO of Northwest Technical College
ADJOURNED: Meeting adjourned at 6:40 PM

July 26, August 2, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
DISTRICT PROBATE COURT
COURT—PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No.
In Re: Estate of Melvin Saugen, Deceased.
ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of August, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated February 16, 1990, and for the appointment of Neil A. McEwen, whose address is 1710 Little John Court, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701 as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: July 18, 1995
(COURT SEAL)
James R. Wilson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bakke
Court Administrator

Attorney Neil A. McEwen
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 220
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-3070

July 19, 26 1995
INVITATION TO BID

The Goodridge School Board #561 will receive sealed bids for construction and installation of a new Music Room and associated Handicapped Accessible Ramps until 11:00 a.m. CDT August 22, 1995 at the Goodridge School Superintendent's Office, Goodridge, MN at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. The bid opening and reading will be conducted in a room selected by the Superintendent. Inquire at the Superintendent's Office for the room location.

The project includes the following work: Construct a single story music room, south of the existing stage with a handicapped accessible ramp connection to render the building handicapped accessible. All work will be completed on the Goodridge MN School Site.

All bids must be in accordance with the Construction Documents on file with:
1. School Superintendent's Office, P.O. Box 195, Goodridge, MN 56725, Phone 218-378-4133.
2. Jones Architectural Engineering, Rt. 2 Box 181, Clearbrook, MN 56634, 219-776-3790.
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Copies of the Bidding Documents for use in preparing bids may be obtained from the Architect at the address stipulated above by depositing $50.00 for each set obtained. Make checks payable to Goodridge School District 561. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to those submitting a bona fide bid and/or who return the documents in good condition within ten days of the date set for opening bids.

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The Goodridge School Board reserves the right to waive any irregularities and to reject any or all bids as they may deem to be in their best interest.

No bid may be withdrawn within a period of sixty (60) days after the date fixed for opening bids.

Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
286-4542

Sylvia Flateland and Rose Aaknes made a business trip to Gonvick on Monday. They also called on Kathy Bakke.

Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes, Marylin Halvorson and Helen Bordahl attended the prayer services for Clara Strand at the Carlin Hoialmen Funeral Home at Fosston on Wednesday evening.

Those that attended the funeral for Clara Strand at the Carlin Hoialmen Funeral Home on Thursday in Fosston were Kathy Bakke of Gonvick, Adeline Prevolt of Oklee, Leonard and Tone Schmit and Gilbert Nilson and Halvor and Vivian Rilde of Gully, Doris Evje and Osrren of Gully, Rose Aaknes, Mrs. Wiehard, Hazel Nelson and Sylvia Flateland.

Omer and Sylvia Qually of Nevada called on Rose Aaknes on Tuesday to let her know that John Tweeton died. Sympathy goes out to his two daughters. John passed away on Wednesday, July 5, 1995 at Las Vegas, NV. There will be graveside services at the Mt. Olive cemetery later.

Sympathy

Sympathy goes out to the family of Clare Strand. She passed away on Sunday, July 9, 1995 at the First Care Nursing Home in Fosston at the age of 93 years.

Clara Josephine Hanson was born April 22, 1902 the parents Ole and *Anna Marie Pederson Hanson* in Johnson township rural Gully where she grew up and attended rural school. She was married to Ivan Griffin on Oct. 10, 1920. There were three children born to this marriage. Clara owned and operated the Trail hotel and later operated Clara's Eat Shop in Trail until 1940 when she was married to Norman Strand. They moved to Thief River Falls and lived there for 11 years then moved back to Trail and farmed until Norman passed away in 1978. Clara moved to the town square apartments in Fosston in 1979 and lived there until she entered the First Care Nursing Home in 1992. Clara was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran Faith and was a member of the Mt. Olive Lutheran church in Trail. She was also a member of the Embassy Community Center in Fosston and the Trail V.F.W. Auxiliary Post #6426.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two husbands, one daughter, Betty Griffin Bengston who passed away in 1979. One son Verne Griffin who passed away in 1992. Six brothers and five sisters.

Officiating was pastor Philipp to Lehamn, Mt. Olive Lutheran church Trail. Soloist Mark Erickson selections "What a friend we have in Jesus", "Amazing Grace". Organist was Kathy Bakke. Honorary pallbearers were Gilbert Nilson, Tom Jackson, Irwin Christianson, Everett Schumacher, Wayne Bakke, and Trail VFW Auxiliary Post #6426.

Pallbearers were Harvey Hanson, Alvin Hendrickson, Orville Hanson, Mervin Hanson, Elmer Hanson, Orin Skjonde.

Survivors include one son Dennis Griffin and his wife Mary of Fosston, four grandchildren nine great grandchildren and one sister Care Hanson of Fosston as well as several nieces and nephews and cousins. Interment was in the Mt. Olive Lutheran cemetery rural Trail. In charge of arrangements Carlin-Hoialmen Funeral Home Fosston, Erskine and McIntosh. Blessed be her memory.

We would like to thank Howard and Sylvia Flateland, Roxanne Flateland, Wes Flateland, Judy Syslier and Lee for all the work they did cleaning up around the Mt. Olive church after the carpenters got the entry ready. Also thanks to Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes for cleaning the church inside. "Thanks again!"

Plummer

Ellie Byer
465-4375

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Sheila and Abigail Gerardy, Rebecca and Tricia Willett attended the 100th Anniversary of Salem Lutheran church on Sunday.

Baptism

Mcaulli and Madison Berns, daughters of Virginia and Jon Berns of Oklee were baptized at 5 p.m. on Sunday at their home in Oklee with Pastor Forsberg officiating. Rebecca Willett was one of the sponsors. She and Tricia Willett, Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson were supper guests at the Berns home.

Stan and Fran Tvedt and family visited at the Harold and Marian home on Tuesday evening with the Schmidtke family.

Birthday for Mabel

Myrtle Petnode, Lillie Halvorson, Hilma Hemsted, Sunny DuChamp, Lorena Westerlund, Pat Larson, Arlene Kelly, Glenyce Harrington of St. Paul, Dorothy Pequin of Milwaukee, WI, Dorothy Morehouse of Thief River Falls were luncheon guests of Dorothy Nelson and her mother Mabel Nelson of Milwaukee, WI at the Best Western of Thief River Falls. Mabel had turned 90 years old and is a former resident of Plummer. The three Dorothys were good buddies many years ago and hadn't gotten together for over 40 years. What fun!

Ruth Wilkens, Dorothy Myhre and Bunny DuChamp were Monday morning and dinner guests of Edna Hyde, going "Up and Down the River."

Carole Wright, Charlotte Leining and Dorothy Myhre were Monday afternoon guests at the Byer home to visit Anne Anderson.

Dinner guests at the Eugene Prestegaard home of Thief River Falls on Monday were Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Mamie Loomis of Fullerton, CA and Phyllis Olson of Minnetonka.

New Arrival

Nancy and Tom Bray are the proud parents of their first child. Kevin Thomas was born on July 10th at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Happy grandparents are *Russell and Arlene Zimpel of Plummer.*

Anne Anderson and the Byers visited on Tuesday evening at the Roy Vigstol home of rural Thief River Falls.

Circles Meet

The Phoebe circle gathered at the home of Jean Carpenter on Wednesday afternoon. Amelia Eskell led the Bible study and the business meeting. Seven members and guest Anne Anderson enjoyed Jean's delicious lunch.

Lillie Halvorson, Esther Walter and Ruth Wilkens met at Lorene Westerlund's home on Tuesday to roll bandages, a project of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid. The Joy circle met at Lucille Kvasager's home on Wednesday afternoon. Rosemary Eskell was Bible study leader and Fern Eskell was in charge of the business.

Alice Tillman hosted the Presbyterian Ladies Aid on Wednesday afternoon. President Ruth Wilkens presided over the study and meeting. A guest was Alice's granddaughter Courtney of Anaheim, CA who is visiting in the Tillman home.

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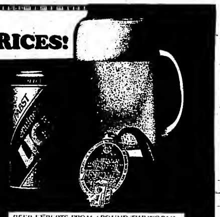

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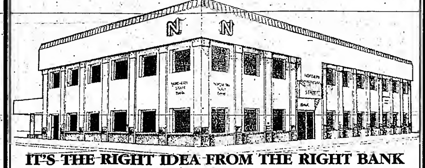

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INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

4-H club ribbon winners at Pennington County Fair

Pennington county 4-H club members earned $1,8?0.50 in premium money and a basket of ribbons at the 94th annual Pennington County Fair held July 12-16 at the fairgrounds in Thief River Falls.

Following is a list of all entrants and the ribbon placing they received on their entries. Awards area abbreviated as follows: GC—Grand Champion and blue ribbon, RC—Reserve Champion and blue ribbon, B—Blue ribbon, R—Red ribbon, W—White ribbon, and P—Cloverbud.

Independent study

Erik Mallea-Sheep Wethers, B, sheep ewe lamb, B, chickens, market, R.

Chase Rupprecht-Jr. Dairy showmanship, RC, dairy calves, B, dairy jr yearlin, B.

Cole Rupprecht Cloverbuds, P, cloverbuds, P.

Happy Acres

Heather Bjerken-Cat, B, foods, beginners, RC.

Ryan Broden-Pets, GC, fishing exhibit, B, demonstration, 3-5 grades, R.

Gabriel Carlson-Foods, beginners, B, photography-beginner, B.

Sunny Carlson-Beef steer born, GC, beef jr yearling, GC, beef 2-year-old, GC, market heifer, GC, beef cow/calf, RC; beef animal science, GC, flower gardening, jr., B, my flower garden poster, RC, clothing, int., constructed, GC; clothing, int. purchased, GC, health presentation, GC, creative arts, GC;

Lindsey Cedergren-Community pride, B;

Kelly Clark-Landscape plan to scale, GC, home environment, advanced, GC, health presentation, B;

Chad Eckstein-Aerospace-rocketry, B;

Seth Eckstein-Shop 6th grade & older, B;

Catherine Erickson-Flower gardening, beginner, B; clothing, beg. unit 1, B; foods, beginners, B; creative arts, RC;

Teresa Friend-Rabbit-4 class-sr. buck, R; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, R; creative arts 13 & under B;

Danielle Grandbois-Horse-sr. showmanship at halt., R; horse-sr. western pleasure, B; horse-sr. equitation-hunt, B; horse-sr. equitation-saddle, B; horse-sr. English pleasure, B; horse sr. western riding, B; horse-sr. trail class, B; horse-sr. key race, B; hose-sr. pole weaving, B; horse-sr. barrel racing, B; high point game horse, GC; high point performance horse, GC; high point overall horse, GC; horse-sr. jumping figure 8, B; dog-beginner class a, GC; dog-sr. novice showmanship, RC;

Ellen Haymond-Child development, unit 1, B; aerospace-rocketry, RC; our world of water-geology, GC; demonstration, 3-5 grades, R;

Philip Hoks-Performing arts, GC;

Jana Johnson-Sheep showmanship, RC; sheep ewe lamb, B; creative arts, B;

Jason Johnsrud-Horse-sr. showmanship at halt., R; horse-sr. wester, R; horse-sr. western pleasure, B; horse-sr. western riding, B; horse-sr. trail class, R; horse-sr. key race, R; horse-sr. pole weaving, B; horse-sr. barrel racing, B; horse-sr. jumping figure 8, B;

Robert Molskness-Pet photo story, RC; food preservation, B; photography-intermediate, RC;

Tami Molskness-Clothing, beg. unit 1, RC; foods, beginners, B; photography-beginner, B;

Alicia Peterson-Photography-beginner, B; creative arts, B;

Eric Rouland-Shop 6th grade & older, GC; small engines, GC;

Cami Sorenson-Sr. beef showmanship, RC; beef steer, RC; beef cow/calf, B; clothing, adv. construeted, B; health poster/educ. exhibit, B;

Derek Sorenson-Jr. beef showmanship, RC; beef steer, B; beef cow/calf, B; fishing exhibit, RC; creative arts, B;

Joshua Steele-Shooting sports exhibit, B; photography-beginner, B;

Chris Swanson-Dairy calves, GC; dairy jr. yearling, B; dairy sr. yearling, B; dairy 2-yr.-old, RC; dairy advanced, GC; dairy herd, GC;

Lindsey Swanson-Food revue, R; foods, beginners, B; needlework, R; creative arts, B;

Ryan Swanson-Sr. beef showmanship, GC; beef summer yearling, GC; beef jr. yearling, RC; beef cow/calf, GC;

Allyson Torstveit-Flower gardening, beginner, B; clothing, beg. unit 2, B; foods, beginners, B; photography-beginner, B;

Heather Torstveit-Sr. dairy showmanship, GC; dairy calves, GC; dairy jr. yearling, B; dairy sr. yearling, B; vegetable gardening, B; flower gardening, jr. GC; small grains exhibit, B; food preservation, B; microwave cooking, GC;

Anthony Wold-Dairy foods, RC; demonstration, 3-5 grades, RC;

Highlandiog

David Frederick-Foods, beginners, B;

Pamela Frederick-Foods, beginners, R; needlework, R; photography-beginner, B;

Penny Frederick-Photography beginner, B.

Chancey Halvorson-Shooting sports exhibit, B.

Cole Halvorson-Shooting sports exhibit, B.

Andrew Hanson-Shop 5th grade & under, B, bicycle, GC, shooting sports exhibit, B.

Benjamin Hanson-Community pride, RC, youth leadership, B, shop 6th grade & older, B, safety, B.

Brittany Hanson-Cloverbuds, P, cloverbuds, P.

Clifton Hanson-Aerospace-science exhibit, B, health poster/educ. exhibit, B, shooting sports exhibit, B.

Jamie Holen-Jr. dairy showmanship, GC, dairy calves, B, dairy jr yearlin, B, dairy 2-yr-old, B.

Adam Kassa-Shooting sports exhibit, B, our world of water-geology, RC.

Amy Langseth-My flower garden poster, B.

Gabrielle Lee-Pets, R, creative arts, B.

Eliza Skibicki-Pets, B.

Nina Smith-Photography-beginner, B, creative arts, B;

Kristian Solberg-Plant & soil science exhibit, RC; shooting sports exhibit, RC;

Arlen Stenvik-Horse-sr. showmanship at halt., R; horse-sr. western, B; horse-sr. western pleasure, R; horse-sr. western riding, B; horse-sr. trail class, B; horse-sr. key race, B; horse-sr. pole weaving, R; horse-sr. barrel racing, B; horse-sr. jumping figure 8, B.

Aaron Swanson-Foods, beginners, B; safety, B, computers-beginner, GC.

Kari Swanson-Clothing, beg unit 2, B; foods, beginners, B; photography-beginner, B;

Amanda Weber-Pets, B; other pets science exhibir, B; foods, beginners, B

Banner, B;

Kratka

Maren Hammer-Foods, beginners, B; creative arts, B;

Katie Hruby-Sheep wethers, GC; clothing, beg. unit 2, B;

Nicole Hruby-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P.

Katy Olson-Community pride, B; child development, unit 2, GC; foods-intermediate, GC;

Mylynda Olson-Teens learning about children, GC; youth leadership, GC; fishing exhibit, GC;

Cheri Roisland-Chickens, market, B; needlework, R, creative arts, B;

Lynnet Solberg-Clothing, beg. unit 1, B; foods, beginners, B; food education-beginner, R; creative arts, B; self-determined exhibit, B;

Michelle Tieman-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Vanessa Tieman-Conservation exhibit, RC; creative arts, B; banner, GC;

Cloverbuds

Hannah Bednarek-Cloverbuds, P;

Seri Broden-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Lucas Eckstein-Cloverbuds, P;

Heather Haymond-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Tyler Hedin-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Peter Hoks-Cloverbuds, P;

Brandon Johnsrud-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Billy Kezar-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Tyson Panek-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Sarah Rothchild-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Aaron Sigerud-Cloverbuds, P;

Dale Swanson-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

New Solum

Brian Hall-Vegetable gardening, RC; wildlife exhibit, B;

Randine Hall-Vegetable gardening, GC; indoor gardening, Intermediate, GC; home environment, unit 2, B; clothing, int., constructed, B; needlework, B;

Wayne Johnson-Rabbit sr. showmanship, RC; swine-spring barrows, GC; swine spring gilts, GC; chickens, GC; ducks, GC; chickens, market, B; ducks market, RC; robbit-single fryer, GC; rabbit-pen of 3 fryers, GC; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, B; robbit-4 class-jr. buck, B; robbit-6 class-sr. buck, B; robbit-6 class-sr. doe, B; shop 6th grade & older, RC; self-determined exhibit, GC; swine showmanship, GC;

Katie Jorde-Pets, B; flower gardening, advanced, RC; home environment, unit 2, B; clothing, int., constructed, B; foods-intermediate, RC; photography-beginner, B; creative arts, RC;

Mikkel Jorde-Cloverbuds, P,

Samantha Jorde-Clothing, beg. unit 1, B; needlework, R; creative arts, GC;

Jennifer Klaven-Sheep wethers, B; robbit, pen of 3 fryers, R; rabbit-4 class-sr. buck, R; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, R; rabbit-4 class-jr. buck, B; rabbit-large-non-purbred, B; cat, B; clothing, beg. unit 3, const., B; needlework, B; shop 6th grade and older, R; photography-beginner, B;

Lance Klaven-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Kelly Natvik-Sheep wethers, B; sheep ewe lamb, RC; sheep-yearling ewe-lambed, RC; clothing, int., constructed, B; shop 6th grade & older, B.

Beth Olson-Chickens, market, B, flower gardening, jr., B, home environment, advanced, RC, needlework, GC, health poster/educ. exhibit, B, photography intermediate, GC.

Jared Reierson-Beef steer, B, beef cow/calf, B.

Lisa Reierson-Beef steer, B, beef cow/calf, B.

Justin Voecks-Cloverbuds, P, Banner, RC.

Sanders

Daren Asp-Swine-spring barrows, B, swine spring gilts, RC, beef animal science, B, swine animal science, B, small grains science exhibit, GC, tractor maintenance workbook, RC, electric, GC, demonstration, 6th grade & up, R.

Eric Asp-Bicycle, RC, aerospace-flying, B, shooting sports exhibit, B.

Jared Asp-Swine-spring barrows, RC, swine spring gilts, B, cat, B, beef animal science, RC, swine animal science, B, potatoes, science, GC, indoor gardening, beginner, B, flower gardening, beginner, B, fruit science exhibit, GC, electric, RC, wildlife exhibit, B, demonstration, 3-5 grades, R;

Yvonne Asp-Flower gardening science, B, small grains exhibit, B, crochet.

Lora Danielson-Rabbit-4 class-sr. buck, B; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, B; rabbit-6 class-sr. buck, B; rabbit-6 sr. doe, R; pet photo story, B; shop 6th grade & older; B

Matthew Langevin-Photography-beginner, B, creative arts, B;

Amber Moikrid-Swine showmanship, RC; beef cow/calf, B, swine-spring barrows, B; swine spring gilts, B; crochet, B;

Ashley Moikrid-Beef cow/calf, B; swine-spring barrows, B; needlework, R; fishing exhibit, B; photography-beginner, B;

Allison Page-Creative arts, R;

Brandon Page-Computers-beginners, R;

Christine Wegner-Wildlife exhibit, GC;

Rebecca Wegner, Adv.-forest resources, GC; creative arts, B;

Satellite

Kelsey Carlson-Sr. dairy showmanship, RC; dairy calves, R; dairy 2-yr.-old, B; dairy advanced, B; cat, B; dairy animal science, B; living with children, RC; food preservation, B; foods-intermediate, B; food education-int., GC; bread, R; food education-bread, B; dairy foods, B; microwave cooking, RC; consumer ed. super shopper, GC; safety, B; health poster/educ. exhibit, B; creative arts, B;

Jonathan Iverson-Pets, R; small grains exhibit, B; foods, beginners, B; shop 5th grade & under, RC; wildlife exhibit, B;

Joshua Iverson-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Justin Iverson-Small grains exhibit, B; foods, beginners, B; shop 6th grade & older, B; wildlife exhibit, B;

Madi Mills-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P,

Sara Mills-Cloverbuds, P; cloverbuds, P;

Silverton

Deirdre Dally-Needlework, R; photography-intermediate, B;

Derek Gustafson-Rabbit-small-sr. doe, B; aerospace-flying, B; photography-intermediate, B;

Jaquelyn Keogh-Home environment, unit 1, GC; child development, unit 1, RC; food beginners, R;

Houston Kirkeide-Foods, beginners, RC; shop 5th grade & under, GC;

Kimberly Kirkeide-Food revue, RC; foods-intermediate, R; bread, GC;

Nathan Koland-Rabbit-4 class-sr. buck, B; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, B; rabbit-4 class-jr. buck, B; rabbit-4 class-jr. doe, B;

Sarah Koland-Rabbit-4 class-sr. buck, B; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, B; rabbit-4-jr. buck, B; rabbit-4 class-jr. doe, B;

Lauren Lavalier-Horse-sr. showmanship at halt., B; horse-sr. western, B; horse-sr. western riding, B; horse-sr. trail class, W; horse-sr. key race, W; horse-sr. pole weaving, B; horse-sr. barrel racing, R; horse-sr. jumping figure 8, R;

Darren Nelson-small grains exhibit, RC; team demonstration, GC;

Miranda Nelson-Horse-sr. western, R; horse-sr. western pleasure, B; horse-sr western riding, B; horse-sr. trail class, W; horse-sr. key race, B; horse-sr. pole weaving, B; horse-sr. barrel racing, B; horse-sr. jumping figure 8, B;

Jonathan Pream-Jr. rabbit showmanship, RC; rabbit-6 class-sr. buck, B; rabbit-large-non-purbred, B;

Andrea Vigen-Food revue, GC; food preservation, RC; team demonstration, GC;

Smiley

Amanda Clark-Horse-sr. showmanship at halt., B; horse-sr. western, B; horse-sr. western pleasure, B; horse-sr. western riding, R; horse-sr. trail class, W, horse-sr barrel racing, W; horse-sr jumping figure 8, R; bread, B; needlework, B; youth leadership, B;

Benjamin Clark-Safety, B, self-determined exhibit, B;

Joshua Clark-Aerospace, model airplanes, GC.

Melissa Clark-Horse sr showmanship at halt., B, horse-sr western, R, horse-sr western pleasure, R, horse-sr trail class, W, clothing, beg. unit 3 const., RC, safety, B, health poster/educ. exhibit, RC.

Jill Gregor-Clothing, beg unit 1, B, foods, beginners, B.

Zyta Gregor-Clothing, beg unit 1, B, foods, beginners, B.

Janae Harlow-Child development, unit 1, B, clothing, beg unit 2, B, food revue, B, foods, beginners, B, safety, B, video-beginner, GC.

Tanner Harlow-Shop 5th grade & under, B, safety, B.

Bryanna Helgeland-Rabbit-4 class-sr buck, B, rabbit-4 class-sr doe, RC, rabbit-4 class-jr buck, GC, rabbit-4 class-jr doe, B, dog-beginner class A, R, dog-jr novice showmanship, R, cat, RC, flower gardening, jr., B, my flower garden poster, GC, landscape plan to scale, RC, plant & soil science exhibit, GC. Chelsey Helgeland-home environment, unit 1, B, clothing, beg unit 2, RC, clothing, unit 2, fact/why, R, safety, B, conservation exhibit, GC; creative arts, B;

Jocelyn Helgeland-Rabbit sr showmanship-GC; community pride, GC; rabbit-4 class-sr. doe, B, rabbit-4 class-jr. buck, B, rabbit-4 class-jr doe, B, dog-graduate beginner, R; dog-sr. novice showmanship, GC clothing, int., constructed, RC, youth leadership, RC; safety presentation, GC, demonstration, 6th grade & up, RC;

Derek Hesse-Cloverbuds, P,

Kari Hesse-Clothing, beg. unit 2, R; safety, B; photography-beginner, B;

Carissa Holecek-Horseless exhibir, RC; dog-beginner class A, W, dog-jr. novice showmanship, R, clothing, beg. unit 3, const., B; food revue, B; bread, B; needlework, B;

Ashley Kenner-Cloverbuds, P.

Brandi Larson-Pets, B, landscape plan to scale, B, clothing, int purchased, RC, safety presentation, B.

Trevor Larson-Shop 6th grade & older, B, shooting sports exhibit, GC.

Ryan Lee-Cloverbuds, P, cloverbuds, P.

Tiffany Lee-Sheep showmanship, GC, sheep wethers, B, sheep ewe lamb, GC, sheep-yearling ewe, GC, sheep-yearling ewe -lambed, GC, goat-jr doe, B, goat-milking yearling, B, goat 2-year-old, RC, goat 3-5-year-old, GC, goat showmanship, GC;

Lena Lopac-Flower gardening, beginner, GC, home environment, unit 1, B, clothing, beg unit 1, R, foods, beginners, B, safety, B.

Senja Lopac-Rabbit-4 class-sr buck, B, cat, GC, flower gardening, jr., RC, food preservation, B, foods-intermediate, R, safety, B.

Dustin Sorteberg-Dairy calves, R, dairy jr. yearlin, B.

Lisa Sorteberg-Jr. beef showmanship, GC; dairy calves, R; dairy jr yearlin, B, beef summer yearling, RC, home environment, unit 1, RC, child development, unit 1, GC; needlework, RC.

Kay Steiger-Home environment, unit 2, RC, clothing, beg. unit 3, constr., GC; bread, RC, safety, B, demonstration, 6th grade & up, GC.

Laura Steiger-Home environment, unit 2, GC; clothing, adv. constructed, GC; youth leadership, B; safety presentation, RC;

Chad Torstveit-Bantams, GC; poultry animal science, B; veterinary science exhibit, GC; adv.-forest resources, RC; wildlife exhibit, RC;

Banner, B;

Steiner

Hanniah Filer-Creative arts, B;

Billy Lubitz-Poultry showmanship, GC; chickens, market, B; food preservation, GC;

Marsha Lubitz-Poultry showmanship, RC, dairy calves, B, dairy sr yearling, B, chickens, market, RC.

Kelli Murzy-Horseless exhibits, GC, rabbit-4 class sr buck, B, cat, B, creative arts, B, demonstration, B.

Kristin Murzy-Jr. rabbit showmanship, GC, rabbit-4 class-sr buck, B, rabbit-4 class-sr doe, B, needlework, B, creative arts, B, demonstration, B.

Nathaniel Murzy-Chickens, market, GC, rabbit-4 class-sr doe, B;

Andrew Solem-Beef jr. yearling, B,

Rebekah Solem-Foods, beginners, GC, safety, B,

Carolyn Walrath-Self-determined exhibit, RC;

Jonathon Walrath-Self-determined exhibit, B,

1995 4-H Fashion Revue

Beginners

Blue Ribbon Group: Tami Molskness-Happy Acres; Lynnet Solberg-Kratka; Katie Hruby-Kratka; Kari Hesse-Smiley; Jennifer Klaven-New Solum;

Court of Honor: Allyson Torstveit-Happy Acres; Janae Harlow-Smiley; Samantha Jorde-New Solum; Chelsey Helgeland-Smiley; Catherine Erickson-Happy Acres;

2nd Attendant: Carissa Holecek-Smiley; 1st Attendant: Melissa Clark-Smiley; Royal Person: Kay Steiger-Smiley;

Intermediate/Advanced

Court of Honor: Kelly Natvik-New Solum; Randine Hall-New Solum; Katie Jorde-New Solum;

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Depot renovation to cost more than anticipated

Renovation of the Soo Line Depot for use as offices for city administrative offices in Thief River Falls will cost more than earlier estimates projected. A new estimate puts the cost of renovation at just over $1 million.

During the city council meeting Tuesday night, the council received a construction estimate from Michael J. Burns Architects. The firm broke the project down into several phases, but the total cost was estimated at $1,056,565.

During the past year, the community successfully raised about $525,000 for the Save the Depot campaign. About $70,000 of that money has already been spent on acquiring the depot and obtaining project studies. It was noted that the total project cost of just over $1 million didn't include asbestos removal, the cost of re-positioning the engine, and acquisition costs.

Alderman Don Barron wanted to know where the pot of gold to pay for the project was going to come from.

City Administrator Roger DeLap said he had already begun looking at various options of paying for the project. But it was clear that there will be more discussion about the project and how to cut costs. In addition, the council will discuss what it will do with the city auditorium and the engineering services building.

Mayor Robert Reeve pointed out during the discussion that if renovation was going to proceed, the architects need to prepare plans and specifications by October 1. He also noted that the public support mandated that the building be open for public use. He also reminded the council that there is no parking at the city auditorium.

Alderman Barron encouraged council members to remember that they have to think about the city auditorium building and engineering services building, not just the depot.

Mayor Reeve said he was getting the impression that Alderman Barron had discovered some road blocks that would delay the project.

Barron said he was in favor of the project, but that the ramifications and all of the costs of moving into the depot need to be considered.

Vice-Mayor Jean Heinrichs said the city already has rentors interested in renting the basement of the city auditorium. She said based on her discussions, the city should retain use of the gymnasium. She also said the city should look at a simple ramp to make the building handicapped accessible.

Tuesday night, the council received a project cost estimate for the city auditorium. The report was the result of a comprehensive analysis of the building and related municipal function. The analysis was inspired by the need to provide building access and provisions for the disabled as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act. Three options were presented: Option 1 would cost $1,046,000; Option 2 would cost $826,000; Option 3 would cost $422,000.

At the conclusion of the discussion, the council approved a recommendation to develop an architectural engineering contract to address the renovation of the depot project for city use, which would be presented for approval at the August 8 city council meeting.

The council then approved a recommendation to accept the city auditorium report, and that city staff and council committees work to address the future efficient use of the existing city auditorium and

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Fire damages Satellite Drive In

The big screen of the Satellite Drive In in Thief River Falls was damaged by fire Monday evening.

Fire department officials responded to the fire after receiving a 911 call at about 7 p.m. Fire Chief Dave Bjorkman said he wasn't sure what caused the fire. The Minnesota state fire marshal's office has been called in to assist the city's fire department and Pennington county sheriff's department in an investigation.

Much of the wood-frame building was clad with metal, and a composite material was used for the screen, but Bjorkman said much of the smoke was due to tires that were on fire inside of the building. A storage room existed inside of the building and housed an old tractor, some tires, and other items.

Children at the scene of the fire said they had played in the building, and that some of them had smoked cigarettes in the storage room.

Just last April, the Satellite Drive In theater sign was donated to the Minnesota State Historical Society, by the theater owner, Jerry Hickerson. The theater was in operation in Thief River Falls for 34 years, including 18 years under Hickerson's ownership. When Hickerson bought the theater in 1968 it was called the 59-Hi Outdoor Theater. When Hickerson purchased the theater it was about the time of Sputnik, so the name was changed to Satellite Drive In. Hickerson closed the theater eight years ago after the state lowered the legal drinking age to 18.

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The women of Twice But Nice won the award for best theme with their Crazy Daze costumes. The gang wore fire fighter hats, red shirts, suspenders, yellow rain slickers and big black boots. They even had a Dalmatian. Pictured from left to right are Angie Klinker, Connie Omdehl, Missy Azure, Amber Culkins and Jeanne Nelson. Not pictured is Sue Kiesow...someone had to watch the store.

School board hires Supt.

Monday, board of directors for School District 564 in Thief River Falls approved resolutions hiring Mark Hinckley as superintendent of schools and James Sims as student activities director.

The positions were offered to Hinckley and Sims last week, but the board of directors had to approve the employment of the two men. In a very short meeting, the resolutions were approved without much discussion.

Hinckley, who takes office on August 14, was hired through June 30, 1997, according to provisions of a negotiated contract.

Sims was hired as student activities director effective August 1, with salary and benefits per negotiated contract. Sims has already taken office.

Filing dates for school board were formally approved Monday night. The dates established by resolution call for the filing period to open August 29 and closing on September 12. In order to file for candidacy, affidavits of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the $2 filing fee paid prior to 5 p.m. on September 12. The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7. This year, three individuals will be elected to the school board for terms of three years each.

A resolution to approve the consent agenda was adopted. The consent agenda, which is a regular feature of school board and city council meetings in Thief River Falls, consists of several items. Any of the items on the consent agenda can

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Lincoln high school Envirothon team, which won the state championship in the first year the program has been offered at the school, is presently in Rexburg, Idaho, competing against other state champions in the national event. Pictured left to right are, in the foreground, Sarah Leech, Sarah Huschle and coach Patti Johnson; in back, Kyle Nelson (alternate), Philip Nelson, Adam Henney and Justin Phillips. The team won regional competition at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge and the state championship over 26 teams in Fridley.

Lincoln team competes in national Envirothon

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

Since winning the Minnesota Envirothon over 26 other teams at state competition in Fridley this spring, the Lincoln high school team has been preparing for national competition which is being held this week—July 30-August 5—in Rexburg, ID.

All members of the team—the first ever at Lincoln—are graduates with the class of 1995 except for alternate Kyle Nelson, son of Wayne and Janice Nelson, who will be a junior at Lincoln this fall.

Regular team members are Adam Henney, son of Myles and Renee Henney; Sarah Huschle, daughter of Gary and Kathleen Huschle; Sarah Leach, daughter of Stan and Margaret Leach; Philip Nelson, son of Wayne and Janice Nelson; and Justin Phillips, son of Michael and Dawn Phillips. Coach of the team is Patti Johnson, science instructor at Lincoln.

Since graduation the team members and their coach have been meeting once or twice a week, reviewing materials provided on the five areas of competition involving the environment and natural resources.

Topics of study include aquatics, forestry, groundwater, soils and wildlife.

The Envirothon has been held nationally since 1979 and in Minnesota for the past three years. This is the first year Lincoln high school has fielded a team. Last year's winning Minnesota team, which Lincoln defeated at the state Envirothon this year, placed seventh in the national event in 1994.

Team members left Saturday at 4 a.m. in two vans, and arrived in Bozeman, MT, that evening. On Sunday they familiarized themselves with the area before traveling into Rexburg, ID, where orientation was conducted on Monday at Ricks College —the second largest private junior college in the United States.

First stage of competition took place Tuesday at Harriman State Park where the team was asked 50 two-point questions at each of the five topic stations. A perfect team score would be 500 points.

Today (Wednesday) bus tours will be conducted of Yellowstone National Park and on Thursday morning the team will be presented with a problem question. They will have the day to determine their solution to the problem and to prepare a 20-minute presentation for Friday morning on how the solution would be accomplished. All team members must participate in the presentation, and following the presentation team members must answer questions for a five to 10-minute period.

Five teams will be selected for the finals. Previous scores will be wiped out, and these five will repeat their presentations to determine the final placing.

Each of the Lincoln team members has one of the five topics as a specialty study area, although questions are asked of the team and answers are reached by consensus.

On the Lincoln team, Adam Henney has forestry as his topic

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Depot renovation costs more than anticipated

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engineering services building.

The city council did receive some good news from a firm hired to review environmental concerns at the depot. Lammer Environmental Services Corporation of Fargo estimated that the cost for removal of hazardous material, such as asbestos and lead-based paint, could reach $40,000. The original estimate was over $60,000.

■ **Despite some controversy surrounding a public works division reorganization plan, the city council approved the reorganizational plan.**

The recommendation to the council was to approve the plan and designate Ron Lindberg as acting public works director. Questions raised about whether department heads had been notified resulted in Alderman Milt Burstad withdrawing part of the recommendation designating Lindberg as the acting public works director.

The organizational plan is expected to create a public works division using existing staff through reorganization and not add any additional financial burden to the city. The plan calls for the combining of duties and responsibilities of the proposed public works director and the existing engineering services director. Lindberg would continue to be responsible for the engineering services department with oversight responsibility over the other departments under the public works. The job description of the engineering technician would incorporate additional responsibilities and duties now included in the engineering services director's job description.

The public works department would consist of the airport, sanitation, streets, and government buildings departments. New job descriptions for departments would provide less responsibility for the overall planning, scheduling, and administrative tasks. Correct department heads would serve more in the capacity of foremen or supervisors within their department or work units. The new job descriptions would be effective when the current department head retires or resigns.

The city attorney has reviewed the proposed plan and has indicated that it does not appear to be in violation of the city's Equal Employment Opportunity Policy because it represents a reorganizational plan with no new employees being hired.

■ **The city council has approved a recommendation to annex property, which could be used for a proposed manufactured home park.** Council members pointed out during discussion that this was not an endorsement of the project, but a necessary step in the process, which would allow for a public hearing on the subject. The manufactured home park would be located in Rocksbury township along County road 17 (the airport road).

■ **The city council has decided to wait for the results of a traffic count study before going ahead with a plan to remove two of four stop signs on Edgewood Drive near Franklin Middle School.** The decision to remove the signs was not approved, as reported earlier.

In discussing the subject, Alderman Barron suggested that separate traffic counts be taken, and suggested that the council consider putting yield signs on everyone of the entrances to the street from cul de sacs.

Alderman Burstad said the city should not get into the traffic count business.

Mayor Reeve asked Alderman Frank Hamerlinck whether there was any urgency to taking action. Hamerlinck, who is the Alderman in that ward, said that in his conversations with residents in the neighborhood, they didn't seem opposed to losing a stop sign. There is some concern, he said, that people are not stopping at both signs. They stop at one, he said, but not both. In answer to his question, however, Hamerlinck said there didn't seem to be any urgency to making a decision.

In other business, the council: approved recording of a certificate of survey requested by Allan and Deloris Steenerson; approved a zoning amendment in Loberg's First Addition; approved an electric rate ordinance change for waiver of demand; approved transfer of a beer license from Weldon Swenson (Swede's Place) to Roger and Palma Anderson; designated Lisa Johnson as deputy city clerk; approved charge off of all 1994 NSF checks to "bad debts expense"; approved city membership with the International Coalition for Land and Water Stewardship in the Red River Basin; approved payment of golf course bituminous surfacing by MnDOT for $31,907.80; approved the Fourth Ward polling place at 7th Day Adventist school for 1995; approved an accountant/personnel salary schedule and established current salary adjustment; approved a dance license for Matt and Julie Gustafson for August 4 at the Armory; called for bids on the metal storage building located on depot property; recommended the city work with Bob Flynn Realty and pursue purchase of property located on Pennington Avenue and Greenwood Street.

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School board hires school superintendent

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be removed from the consent agenda for discussion, but they are generally items which require little or no discussion. The following items were on this week's consent agenda:

Accept the resignation of Pam Carlson as counselor at Franklin Middle school effective July 19; accept the resignation of John Anderson as physical education and health teacher at Franklin Middle school effective July 24; accept the resignation of Craig Lindahl as maintenance person in the district effective August 1; accept the resignation of Mayme Boughton as kitchen helper at Franklin Middle school effective August 31; accept the resignation of Faith Myhrer as kitchen helper/cashier at Franklin Middle school effective July 24; approve a leave of absence without pay for Allen Aaseby as metals teacher at Lincoln high school for the 1995-96 school year; approve a medical leave of absence for Roy Storhaug as bus driver effective September 5-October 31; approved a letter of understanding with the Thief River Falls Education Association concerning the assignment of the Wide Area Network Manager for the 1995-96 school year; approved the transfer of Jim Kotz from communications teacher at Lincoln high school to Wide Area Network Manager effective for the 1995-96 school year; eliminated the 1.0 FTE counselor position at Franklin Middle school and establish and post for a 1.0 FTE counselor/school psychologist position at Franklin Middle school effective for the 1995-96 school year; establish and authorize the administration to post for an ESL teacher for up to .70 FTE for the district for the 1995-96 school year; establish and authorize the administration to post for the following educational assistant positions for the 1995-96 school year: 2. 5-3 Hours/day third grade educational assistant, 4 hours/day, 4 days/week ECSE educational assistant, 6-7 hours/day OHI educational assistant at Franklin.

Satellite Drive In damaged by fire

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Fire Chief Bjorkman contacted The Times office just before press time, to report that juveniles are believed to have started the fire. He is asking that anyone with information about the fire to contact the law enforcement center at 681-6161.

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Molstad serves in state office of Odd Fellows

Larry Molstad of Thief River Falls is now serving in the state office of Grand Warden in the Minnesota lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows following his election and installation at the state convention in Willmar.

Molstad is a member of Young Pine Lodge No. 221 in Thief River Falls. The local lodge, which holds meetings the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, observed its 100th anniversary last year—two years ahead of the centennial for the City of Thief River Falls.

The Independent Order of Odd Fellows is a fraternal order dedicated to caring for each other and those who are in need, Molstad said.

"We believe that all are brothers and sisters and we strive to treat each other accordingly," he said. "We are closely associated with the Arthritis Foundation and help to raise funds for its support. Last year the amount was more than $400,000."

A Home for Seniors is provided in Northfield which includes minimum to secured care for seniors and a subsidized independent living apartment complex. A new Alzheimer's unit was recently opened which includes three-stage care for those who have this disease. These facilities are open to all, not just members of the Order.

The Odd Fellows and its auxiliary, the Rebekahs, also have a world eye bank and visual research foundation which supports visual research at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in Maryland.

Molstad said that while the Odd Fellows is based on the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, it is not a religion.

"Odd Fellowship only requires that you support and work for your own church," he said. "No man or woman may become an Odd Fellow or Rebekah unless he or she believes in a Supreme Being as the creator and preserver of the universe and is loyal to his or her country and fellow man."

It is believed the term "Odd Fellows" was first placed on the organization by the King of England in the 17th Century. It was considered odd at that time to find a group of members organized for the purpose of giving aid to those in need and pursuing projects for the benefit of all mankind. Those who belonged to such an organization were considered "odd fellows."

The Odd Fellows Educational Foundation makes education loans of up to $10,000 over a four-year period available to relatives of members at five per cent interest. Loan repayment need not begin until after the student has graduated from college.

"If any of this sounds interesting to anyone as something they would like to learn more about, I invite them to contact me at 681-8341," Molstad said.

Goodridge PTST plans meeting

First meeting for the 1995-96 school year will be held by the Goodridge Parents, Teachers, Students Together (PTST) at 7 p.m. Monday, August 14, at the Goodridge community center.

The organization was established last spring and has been actively involved in many school events, including hosting a teacher appreciation luncheon on national Teacher Day, honoring seniors with a good luck dollar at the senior breakfast, recognizing a teacher who has shown commitment and achievement in his or her subject area or grade level with a plaque of appreciation and presenting a senior scholarship at graduation ceremonies.

Organizers of PTST said the organization's mission is to "build the future, one student at a time. We believe children are a special gift with individual needs and talents. Our goal is to maintain an active partnership among students, parents, teachers and staff and to promote positive communication and ownership in the educational process."

Potential new members are invited to join present members at the August 14 meeting.

Goodridge PTST is eager to continue its projects as the 1995-96 school year approaches," the organizers said. "It is just another way to be involved in your child's education."

"The Railroad's Settling of MN"

The public is cordially invited to a presentation by the Minnesota Humanities Commission, as a grant to the Marshall County Historical Society on Sunday, August 6, at 2 p.m. The presentation, "Railroad's Settling of Minnesota" will be presented by Donovan Hofsommer from the Department of History in St. Cloud.

The event will be held at the south end of the fairgrounds occupied by the Marshall County Historical Society in Warren.

TRF teacher is MN Teacher of Excellence

Marcy Mickelson of Thief River Falls is one of 34 Teachers of Excellence in the 1995 Minnesota Teacher of the Year program.

A committee of judges selected the Teachers of Excellence from 81 local nominees. Judges based their selection on teaching philosophy, professional development, community involvement and letters of recommendation.

From the 34 Teachers of excellence, judges will narrow the list to Honor Roll Teachers, or finalists. The 1995 Minnesota Teacher of the Year will be selected from the finalists and announced at an October 15 luncheon.

One injured in accident near Plummer

Curt Zimmerman of Rothsay was taken to United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND, in critical condition following an accident Tuesday morning near Plummer. Thursday morning, nursing administration staff at United Hospital had Zimmerman listed in satisfactory condition.

The Minnesota State Patrol received a report of the accident five and one-half miles north of Plummer on Highway 59 at about 8:30 a.m. According to the accident report, Zimmerman's vehicle collided head on with a 1980 Ford Semi owned by Northwest Beverage and driven by Steven Kloety of Thief River Falls. Zimmerman was traveling north on Highway 59, and Kloety was driving south. Both vehicles were considered a total loss. The accident is still under investigation.

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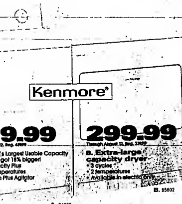

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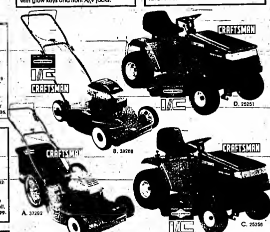

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United Lutheran Church and Our Savior's Church have a new pastor.

Local health officials promote August as Breast-feeding Awareness Month

Breast-feeding leads to happy healthy babies. That's the message health professionals and public health officials in the Quin County WIC program will be stressing during Breast-feeding Awareness Month in August. Quin County WIC Program serves the counties of Marshall, Pennington, Kittson, Red Lake and Roseau.

Breast-feeding Awareness Month is a statewide event promoting the many benefits of breast-feeding. The statewide campaign is part of a worldwide observance promoting breast-feeding. Gov. Arne Carlson has shown his support for breast-feeding by proclaiming August to be Minnesota Breast-feeding Awareness Month.

During the month of August, Quin County WIC will be giving World Breast-feeding Week refrigerator magnets to the families of a breast-fed children who are participating in the WIC program. In addition, these families will also be eligible to participate in a drawing to receive a tote-bag displaying the World Breast-feeding logo. Each of the five counties will have a drawing for a tote-bag.

"Breast-feeding is simply the healthiest way to feed infants," said Linda Ulrich, RN, local WIC Coordinator. "Unfortunately, many barriers still prevent mothers from breast-feeding. Through Breast-feeding Awareness Month, we hope to educate people about the importance and value of breast-feeding." Mrs. Ulrich said research shows that the benefits of breast-feeding include:

* resistance to infections, including respiratory, ear and gastrointestinal infections
* protection against certain diseases
* easy for the baby to digest
* bonding between mother and child
* convenience
* improved cognitive development
* cost savings for families, employers and health care system.

The U.S. Surgeon General and the Minnesota Department of Health are encouraging women to breast-feed. Their goals are for at least 75 per cent of mothers to breast-feed at hospital discharge and for 50 per cent of women to breast-feed until the baby is at least five to six months old. Currently, 67.4 per cent of Minnesota women breast-feed during the early post-partum period, and 22.3 per cent of women breast-feed until their babies are five to six months old.

"We need to let women know that breast-feeding is the best way to feed babies," Linda Ulrich said. "We're confident our awareness efforts will make everyone in the community more supportive of breast-feeding."

The Northwest Medical Center is also an advocate for breast-feeding says nurse Jan Milender. There are many ways the nurses in obstetrics encourage mothers to breast-feed their babies. First of all, they try to get the newborn to the breast as soon as the baby and mother have been stabilized after birth. They also allow "feeding on demand," meaning that the baby is fed when the baby cries for a feeding, not when someone else decides. The staff in obstetrics also allows and encourages mothers to allow letting the baby set the length of time to nurse. Studies have shown that letting the baby suckle longer allows for more milk production and production of the rich hind milk which has a higher caloric value than milk produced by shorter feeding times.

The nurses also help mothers to learn different positions for holding the baby which can help prevent sore nipples, educate mothers on breast care and talk about the importance of good nutrition when breast feeding. Mothers are also taught to keep track of the child's bowel movements and wettings to determine if the infant is getting adequet nutrition.

The hospital auxiliary has breast pumps for sale or rent for mothers that need to be separated from their babies, but still want to breast-feed.

Most of all, the staff tries to encourage and reassure women who may have trouble with breast-feeding at first. They let them know that some babies just aren't aggressive nursers, but that is not the fault of the mother or anything she is doing.

Evadell Tangquist, R.N., teaches the prenatal classes at the hospital. She also encourages expecting parents to breast-feed their infants. She says that she works with women who are interested in making sure their baby is healthy and are very receptive to the idea of breast-feeding. She offers people information on both breast and bottle feeding, but said many have already made up their mind before they come to class.

The points that all of the organizations stressed is that breast milk is ideal for babies. It provides the exact amount of digestible protein needed and is more easily digested than cow's milk or formula. Breast milk is so specific to human babies that it actually changes composition during feeding. It contains less fat and more protein in the early morning and more fat at the end of the afternoon feedings. It contains antibodies to all diseases the mother has had, and protects baby from illness.

For more information about breast-feeding, please contact the Quin County WIC Program, Park Place Mall, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. Phone 1-800-223-1591 or 218-253-2125, or the Northwest Medical Center at 681-4240 or Inter-County Nursing at 681-5250.

Bridal shower for Jill Tvedt Sunday

There will be a bridal shower for Jill Tvedt, bride-to-be of Bernie DeHate, on Sunday, August 6 at 2 p.m. at St. Joseph Church in Red Lake Falls. All friends and family are welcome.

90th birthday celebration for Frieda Zutz

There will be a 90th birthday party for Frieda Zutz on Sunday, August 6 from 2-4 p.m. at Sunset Court in Red Lake Falls. Everyone is welcome. No gifts please.

Jennifer Stumpf on dean's list at Moorhead State

Jennifer Stumpf, a junior mass communications major, has been named to the spring quarter dean's list at Moorhead State University with a grade point average higher than 3.25 while carrying 12 or more credits.

Jennifer is the daughter of LeRoy and Carol Stumpf and a 1993 graduate of Lincoln high school. Because she was participating in the Eurospring program her grades were not received early enough to be included with the original announcement of dean's list students.

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Winners of the six-and-seven-year-old catagory of the Kmart hot wheels race from left to right Micah Sheridan, second; Cody Charpentire, first and Christine Cherpentire, third. The 25 cent entry fees, along with a gift from Kmart, are given to Happy Acres 4-H club, to be used for their Community Pride project.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church. Bring a friend!

Thursday
Senior Dance at the Heritage Center from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Music by Vern Rogalla. All seniors are welcome.

Monday
Praise through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Heritage Center roast turkey dinner at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Expectant Parent class at Northwest Medical Center meeting rooms B1B2 at 7 p.m. Call 681-4240, extension 446 to register.

These kids were the winners of the four-and-five-year-old race at the Kmart hot wheels race. From left to right are Jacob Collins, second place; Lucas Trickle, third place; Jack Hamre, first place.

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Editors Gretchen Beito and Deb Zak look over the Minnesota Pine with John Mattson, publisher and Mary Ann Loiberg, layout and design. American Association of University Women Minnesota Pine won first place in the category of 2,000 and more members in recent Association judging. The Times of Thief River Falls publishes the eight page tabloid four times a year.

Gengler and Norman united in marriage at June 17 ceremony

Leslie Gengler and Matt Norman were united in marriage on June 17 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Worthington at 2 p.m. with Father Olson presiding at the double ring ceremony.

The bride's parents are Jim and Rita Gengler of Worthington and the groom's parents are Tom and Colette Norman of Mendota Heights.

Music was provided by vocalist Janelle Schmitz, friend of the bride and organist Dana Hogan. The church was decorated with white, purple and pink flower baskets, white pew bows and a white isle runner.

The bride had a bouquet of cascading white roses and she wore a v-neck white gown with lace sleeves and full skirt.

The maid of honor was Mona Pederson of Davenport, IA, friend of the bride. The matron of honor was Shawn Sandahl of Thief River Falls, friend of the bride. bridesmaids were Suzanne Ryan of Plymouth, friend of the bride and Becky Westrum of Burnsville, friend of the bride. The bride's attendants wore floor-length straight, purple crepe dresses. Their arm bouquets were made of purple-tipped white roses.

Flower girls were Andrea Norman and Grace Christensen, both of St. Paul, nieces of the groom. They wore white dresses each with a purple sash and carried white baskets filled with purple flowers. The bride's personal attendant was Tricia Gengler, sister-in-law of the bride.

The groom wore a black tuxedo and wore a white rose boutonniere. His best man was Eric Vanden Brink of Minnetonka, friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Jeff Dickmann of Chicago, IL, Paul Kruger of Martinsville, NJ, both friends of the groom and Pat Norman of Burnsville, brother of the groom. The groom's attendants wore black tuxedos with purple-tipped white roses.

The ring bearer was Bryant Gengler of Worthington, nephew of the bride. He wore a black tuxedo and a boutonniere similar to the groomsmen. The ushers were Andy and Greg Gengler, of Worthington, brothers of the bride. They were dressed like the groomsmen as well.

Honored guests were Milton and Geraldine Gengler of Brookings, SD and John Lenz of Henry, SD, all grandparents of the bride.

Hosts and hostesses of the reception were Kathy and Stuart Melby, aunt and uncle of the bride, and Tim and Kelley Norman, brother and sister of the groom. Guest book attendant was Rhonda Palmer, friend of the bride.

The three-tier wedding cake was decorated with purple and white flowers with greens surrounding and topping the cake. Punch was served by Pat Vanderloo and Romagene Rawlins, both aunts of the bride.

The wedding trip was to Cancun, Mexico. The couple lives in Chicago, IL where the bride is employed at Fist Chicago Bank and the groom is employed at Polymer Resources, Chicago. The bride is a 1984 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1988 graduate of Moorhead State University. The groom is a 1984 graduate of Sibley High School and a 1989 graduate of the University of Wisconsin, Madison.

Kasprowicz to marry Aronson September 16

Bethany Kasprowicz and Steve Aronson, along with their parents, Joelle Kasprowicz of Greenbush, Lois Dalager of Thief River Falls and Robert and Pam Aronson of Roseau, announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Bethany is employed by the Roseau Medical Clinic and Gene's Sports Bar. Steve is employed by Polaris Industries.

A September 16 wedding is planned at Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Roseau.

Campanula garden club held June and July meetings

The Campanula garden club met on June 9 at the home of Ruth Holmes with Marie Fischer, Edythe Franson, Bernice Knutson, Eleanor Tornes, Maxine Wicklander and Ann Blazek. Each brought a sack lunch. President Ruth Holmes opened the meeting with a club creed and the June poem. She also read "Let Evening Come" in memory of Viola Koglin.

Bernice had the topic: asparagus. New member Ann Blazek treated the members with a Dairy Queen cake.

On July 14 the members of Campanula Garden Club met at Maxine Wicklander's home. The topic was dried wild flowers and plants and peonies. Maxine took her information from the Minnesota Horticulturist Magazine. She told how to dry and preserve each flower and plant. There were a dozen plants on display. The next meeting will be on a trip to Quality Gardens and Arlene Thune.

An 80th birthday party was held for Rema Hanestad

An 80th birthday party was held for Rema Hanestad by her son Warren and family of Thief River Falls and son Darrel and family of Duluth.

Warren fixed the yard facilities in the event of rain, and Gloria Hanestad, assisted by daughters, Lee Ann Lund and Nicki Bruggeman, prepared the food for the three-day celebration. Rema's sister and husband of Mesa, AZ hosted breakfast for all relatives at the Best Western.

Coming to celebrate with Rema was her sister Ethel and daughter of Chisholm, sister Hazel of Thief River Falls and two life-long friends from Badger, Ruth Ramberg and Jessie Besseler. Greetings were received from Germany, Alaska, Washington, California, Colorado, South Dakota and Illinois. Among the lovely gifts was a quilt prepared by Gloria Hanestad consisting of blocks made by sons and wives, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Kaitlin Anneke Lund of Thief River Falls gave a beautiful corsage to great-grandma.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On July 24, a baby boy was born to Frank and Susan Hazard of Thief River Falls. He has been named Brian John.

• On July 26, a baby girl was born to Gene and Jacki Lunsetter of Thief River Falls. She has been named Jenna Kay.

• On July 27, a baby girl was born to Nathan and Kimberly Barnes of Thief River Falls. She has been named Kendra Ann.

• On July 28, a baby boy was born to James and Shannon Jesme of Their River Falls. He has been named Gunnar James.

Bridal shower for Michelle Lundeen

There will be a bridal shower for Michelle Lundeen, bride-to-be of Ryan Bakken, on Wednesday, August 2 at 7 p.m. at the home of Mary Jo Mugaas at 521 Spruce Avenue South, Thief River Falls. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

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Miller to marry Oliver

Tim and Jane Miller are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Miranda Lynn to Kevin Patrick Oliver, son of Joel Oliver and the late Marlen Oliver of Woodbury.

The bride-to-be is a 1992 graduate of Lincoln High School and Northland Community College and a 1995 graduate of the University of Wisconsin, River Falls. Her fiance is a graduate of Woodbury High School and serves with the United States Marine Corps Reserve.

An October 21 wedding is planned for Fort Snelling memorial Chapel in St. Paul.

Dyrud to wed Edwards

Heidi Dyrud, daughter of Avis and Philip Dyrud of Middle River, is engaged to marry Mark Edwards, son of the Reverend Donald and Cindy Edwards of Muncy, PA.

An August 12 wedding is planned at the Harvey Dyrud family farm, rural Newfolden. From Holt, the farm is three miles west on Highway 7 and two miles north on county road 141.

The community is invited; no local invitations are being sent.

Breenna Yeager sat on the sidewalk in front of Purdy's Shoes while mom Becky helped her try on some sandals on Crazy Day.

Monday meal at Heritage Center

The meal at the Heritage Center on Monday, August 7 will be roast turkey dinner. The meal starts at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

Bridal Registry
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SUN., AUG. 6 Amy Pervis Russell Bantin
SAT., AUG. 12 Susanne Johnson Jody Hinrichs
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Wichterman & Jobe married at St. Bernard's Catholic Church

Kristi Diane Wichterman and David William Jobe were united in marriage on May 6 at 2 p.m. at St. Bernard Catholic Church in Thief River Falls with Father Joe DeCrane presiding.

Parents of the couple are Patrick and Bonnie Wichterman of Plummer and Ervin and Joyce Jobe of New Ulm.

Music for the ceremony was provided by "The Power Group" from Moorhead State University. Selections were "Your Love Amazes Me" and "How Beautiful the Body of Christ." The processional was Canon in D, and the recessional was Trumpet Voluntary.

The maid of honor was Janelle Barth of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple. Bridesmaids were Diane DeHate of Briar Cliff Manor, NY, friend of the couple, Kimberly Jobe of New Ulm, sister of the groom and Missy Taggart of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple. The flower girl was Chelsey Olson of Moorhead, cousin of the bride. The bride's personal attendant was Julie Peterson, friend of the couple.

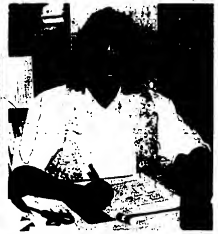
The best man was Dean Jobe of New Ulm, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Dan, Ryan and Cody Wichterman, all of Plummer, all brothers of the bride. The ring bearer was Austin Osterloh of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple.

Ushers were Dave Osterloh of Thief River Falls, Pat Davis of New Ulm, Lincoln Simonson of New Ulm and Todd Maidl of Loretto, all friends of the couple.

Honored guests were Floyd and Fern Hesse of Red Lake Falls and Roma Wichterman of Plymouth, all grandparents of the bride.

Host and hostess at the reception were Harold and Julie Jobe, uncle and aunt of the bride. Guest book attendants were Vickie Olson, aunt of the bride and Janelle Skjerping, friend of the couple. Cake cutters were Mary Wichterman and Dianne Wichterman, aunts of the bride. Coffee serves were Barb Culkins, cousin of the bride and Julie Peterson, friend of the couple. Punch was served by Diane Grinde and Lorraine Olson, aunts of the bride. Flower hostess was Judy Gruenhagen, friend of the couple, gift table attendants were Katie and Kayla Barth, friends of the couple. Waitresses were Lisa and Maggie Peterson, friends of the couple and Ericka Grinde, cousin of the bride.

The couple resides in Thief River Falls where the bride is employed at Digi-Key Corporation and the groom is employed at Bridgeman Dairy. The bride is a 1990 graduate of Pershing High School in Plummer and the groom is a 1982 graduate of New Ulm High School and 1987 graduate of South Dakota State University.



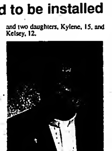
Dane Bruggaman is the new director at Discovery Place, Thief River Falls' only public daycare center. Dana is originally from the area, but has also worked for five years in Minneapolis. She has a degree in elementary education and has worked for Head Start and the Minneapolis Latch Key program. As the director she does everything from fixing air conditioners to grant applications. She enjoys her job, but misses the everyday contact with the children. She credits the excellent staff at Discovery Center with helping her make a smooth transition into her new job. The center is open from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. almost every day of the year.

Rev. Arlen Lloyd to be installed

Reverend Arlen Lloyd will be installed as the pastor of United Lutheran Church in Gatzke and Our Savior's Lutheran Church of Thief Lake on Sunday, August 6 at United Lutheran Church at a 4 p.m. joint service with Susan Tjomehoj, assistant to Bishop Arthur Rimmereid of Northwest Minnesota ELCA, presiding. The service will be followed by a pot luck dinner, and all are welcome to attend.

This is Rev. Lloyd's first call. He is a second carrier pastor who formerly worked in sales and management. He graduated from Wartburg Theological Seminary on May 14 and was ordained by Bishop Rimmereid on July 31.

He has been working in the two parishes from since July 5. He lives in Gatzke with his wife Dawn and two daughters, Kylene, 15, and Kelsey, 12.



Olson named to planning group

Ellen Olson, daughter of Ronald and Regina Olson of Thief River Falls and a graduate of Lincoln high school, has been named to the planning committee for the 1995 Family Weekend celebration to be held this fall at Concordia College in Moorhead.

Family Weekend is an informal event bringing parents and siblings to campus to share their student's college experience. Events include attending classes, visiting with faculty, a talent showcase, family festival and the president's brunch.

Bridal Registry

WEDDING RENTALS: MAILBOX - LETTER BOX W/CHERUB OR LOVEBIRDS CENTERPIECE

Sun., Aug. 6	Sat., Aug. 19
Amy Pervis, Russell Bantin	Gina Eddleman, Mike Nelson
Sat., Sept. 9	Sat., Sept. 9
Kathy Egderuo, Daniel Noreikis	Lora Wagner, Jeremy Sisler
Sat., Oct. 7	Sun., Oct. 22
Lona Jesme, Paul Miller	Diane Meekma, Arlen Springer
Sat., Oct. 28	
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Anderson to marry Borg

Brandon Borg and Andrea Anderson announce their engagement.

The bride to be is the daughter of Bruce and Anita Anderson of Argyle. Her fiance is the son of Gary and Cindy Borg of Newfolden.

Andrea is a 1994 graduate of Argyle High School and attends Northland Community and Technical College majoring in Word Processing Technology. Brandon is a 1995 graduate of Marshall County Central High School and will be attending Northland Community and Technical College majoring in Legal Assisting.

An August 12 wedding is planned for Bethlehem Lutheran Church of Newfolden with a reception to follow at the Farmer Dell Steakhouse, Argyle.

Homann and Anderson to marry on August 18

Kelli Marie Homann of Moorhead and Jeffrey Lynn Anderson of Thief River Falls, together with their parents, Bob and Dorothy Homann of Moorhead and Denny and Sharon Meyer of Detroit Lakes, announce their engagement.

Kelli graduated from Concordia College and will be attending school this fall in occupational therapy. Jeff is employed by Moorhead Schools.

An August 18 wedding is planned at Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Moorhead.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Gelatin Paint

The following activity is an interesting experience because when the child starts to paint, the mixture feels grainy, then it becomes slippery, then it becomes sticky, and when it dries it will again feel grainy.

You will need:
wax paper
dry gelatin (raspberry, black cherry and blackberry flavors emit the strongest odors and give the deepest colors) and
water.

Wet the wax paper, sprinkle two to three tablespoons of dry gelatin on the wet paper and let your child fingerpaint.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need a six-ounce package of instant pudding and two cups milk.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Stewart, Sarah. **The Library.** What will Elizabeth Brown do now that she has grown up and her book collection has gotten so big that all her shelves are collapsing? She surprizes everyone with her splendid solution.

McLean, Janet. **Dog Tales.** Join in on the "extra" ordinary daily activities of five dogs and the children who love them.

VIDEO VARIETY

Star Quest. Take to the air on the starship Synergize with Captain Quirk and Mr. Spot for the journey of a lifetime!

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Rainy Day Activities

During the summer when children can play outside they seem to just "entertain themselves." There is so much to do that interests them and stimulates them. But what about those days when the weather turns cold or rainy, or even when it's too hot to be outside. After being able to play outside the inside activities no longer seem to be interesting. Therefore you may have to be creative and come up with some ideas to get them started. Following are some ideas you might try. For some of these you will have to plan ahead and gather materials before you need them.

•Craft box: Fill a box with any leftover items your child could use to glue or make something with, such as yarn, fabric scraps, buttons, pipe cleaners, Christmas or birthday cards, egg cartons, etc.

•Play "dress up" with clothing, hats and shoes gathered for this purpose.

•Let your kids wash and dry all their water-proof toys.

•Make a kitchen "sand box" with cornmeal, oatmeal or macaroni.

•Cook or bake something.

•Have the kids help make a new batch of playdough. Get out the utensils, cookie cutters, etc.

•Make a tent or playhouse with a blanket or tablecloth over a card table.

•After a rain, if you can stand the mess, and the weather is now warm, walk outside in the mud barefoot.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk to your child about the rain, the mud, the puddles, look for rainbows, etc. Look for birds and talk about taking a bath in the puddles after the rain.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

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Minnie Geska's family recently came together to celebrate her 100th birthday. Five generations were present. Clockwise from the lower left are: Mickey Honsbrink of Thief River Falls, Ivy Rennie and Allyson Rennie of Glendive, MT, Ashlyn Hall of Minot, ND and Minnie Geska of Thief River Falls.

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SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

. . . Fall Housecleaning

Since most of the special summer activities have come and gone and Labor Day is barely a month away, I have been casting my eyes around my house in anticipation of some sort of fall housecleaning.

I do clean my house, more or less (mostly less), every week, scrubbing floors, vacuuming carpets, dusting the furniture and straightening and tidying everything that has somehow gotten left out and around where it doesn't belong.

(Sometimes I think I have ghosts in the house who come out when there is no one around and throw things hither and yon and put everything in places where it doesn't belong, because no one who lives here will ever claim credit for all of the junk that gets strewn around the house in one week.)

But my weekly housecleaning has nothing to do with the sort of cleaning I am thinking about. I am seeing dirty walls and ceilings, drab woodwork, messy kitchen cupboards, filthy carpeting, dirty curtains and windows, and dust in places I never thought it could accumulate.

Is it just my house, or is it a bad year for those things called cobwebs? I seem to have festoons of those nasty things all over the house, even in places I could swear I just dusted last week. They seem to be stretching down further from the ceiling every time I notice them, as well as spiralling upward from lamps and plants and picture frames. I think it was after noticing them that I started to feel like the house needed a thorough fall housecleaning.

I am wondering when I should do all of this cleaning. I plan to take a vacation the week of Labor Day and I am wondering if I should just do all of the cleaning then. What a bore! However, if I don't do it all at once, it will stretch out over at least the entire month of September and I think I will be awfully tired and crabby every day during that time until I get it finished.

Then there is another way to do the cleaning and that is to do one whole room in an evening or two. That might be nice because then I would at least have a part of the house to sit down in and admire when everything else was in shambles.

Does anyone have any other ideas on how to do fall housecleaning? If you do, short of hiring someone to do it, let me know. I think I need help.

No matter how, the cleaning has to get done. I know that fall is just a skip and a jump away and I love to decorate for fall and the other holidays that follow. There is nothing worse than trying to decorate a dirty, messy house.

Those cobwebs may look like a part of my Halloween decorating, but I don't think I can string Christmas lights on them and expect people to believe that they are part of my Christmas decorations.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

It's For The Mom

Everyone loves a parade. Especially if you're in it.

My son, in his nearly five years of life, has marched in three pet and doll parades. It would have been four, but his costume-blocked mother couldn't construct a workable outfit.

Even though the parade committee awards no prizes, there is subtle pressure to create an awesome costume. That's so other people say, "Isn't that cute." Instead of, "That poor kid. I wonder who his mother is."

The first year, a simple toy jump started my brain. A bright red, siren-sounding, push fire truck needed some firemen. A trip to the discount store yielded two spiffy firemen helmets (for my son and his cousin). I dressed the boys in white T-shirts and red pants.

That was the easy part. The challenge began as we marched four long city blocks to the park. Motivating a 2-year-old and a 4-year-old to walk "just a little bit faster" is not easy.

To add to the trauma, we were being chased by a third of the "101 Dalmations" litter; they were loaded on a garden tractor.

Of course, I played the role of fire chief and thought it would be "cute" marching with the boys while wearing a yellow rain slicker on an 80-degree day. I could have doused a small campfire with my sweat.

By the end of the parade, I had already decided not to participate the following year. I had no idea that that much stress would be involved with one small parade.

After sitting on the sidelines the next year, I felt guilty. I berated myself, "Come on, he's only young once. You should be able to think of something."

In one of my brainstorming sessions, I saw the possibility of a wagon becoming a horse. With a lot of paper grocery bags, a lot of masking tape and a lot of imagination, a horse materialized.

A mop sacrificed its head to become the mane; sea shells doubled as eyes, a frayed rope served as the tail. The pony looked rather pathetic and his neck drooped a bit, but we thought he was the finest horse in Minnesota.

Three little cowboys (my son and his second cousins) trotted the parade route, waving and throwing Tootsie Rolls to the crowd. I think the parade-goers assumed the creation was an equine because the kids were dressed in cowboy hats and boots and wielded guns.

This year I decided to tone down the project. A simple entry would suffice. "Think of something you can actually make," I told myself.

My son had an idea of what he wanted to be: Batman or G-Force. He thought a white dish towel tied at the neck would make a great costume. But then the mother pressure kicked in. I couldn't let my son march down the street wearing a dish towel! "Poor kid, who is his mother?" they'd say.

I finally convinced him to be a "beach boy." He helped me decorate the wagon with blue crepe paper to simulate water. We threw in a towel, sand bucket and oversized sunglasses. He sat in a swimming ring and held a beach umbrella. His costume was a swimsuit. So what if it was sprinkling and not quite warm enough for beach attire?

We were satisfied; only three other kids had the same idea. When we got to the parade there were many cute costumes. I wonder who their mothers are?

I'm keeping pet and doll parade ideas in the back of my mind for next year. After all, a parade like this isn't for the kids. It's for the mom.

Senior dance at Heritage Center

There will be a senior citizen dance at the Heritage Center on August 3 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music will be by Vern Rogalla. All seniors are welcome.

Bill Kusmaul, as the bunny, and Jane Bantson were part of the Crazy Daze crew at Northern Lights Books. Many fun characters, lots of bargains and food were found downtown on Saturday.

Bundgaard to marry Bjorgaard September 3

Debra Bundgaard and Chris Bjorgaard announce their engagement. Debra is the daughter of Bruce and Marjorie Bundgaard of Minneapolis. Chris is the son of Edward and Charlotte Bjorgaard of Thief River Falls.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Concordia College and is employed at Northwest Youth and Family Services as a youth services learning coordinator. The groom is an Independent Insurance agent.

A September 30 wedding is planned for Minneapolis. A reception for the couple will be held in Thief River Falls in conjuction with a celebration of the groom's parents' 25th wedding anniversary at Trinity Lutheran Church on September 3 at 2 p.m.

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Tri-Valley bus schedule is set for August 7 - 11

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Monday, August 7

Departs McIntosh at 8:50 a.m. with stops in Erskine 9:00, Mentor 9:15, Red Lake Falls 9:45, Gentilly 10:15, Crookston 10:30 and Fisher 10:40. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hendrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45 Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops at Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9, Goodridge 9:20. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, August 8

Departs Crookston at 8 a.m. with stops in Mentor 8:45, Erskine 9:00, McIntosh 9:10, Fosston 9:25 and Lengby 9:40. Arrives in Bemidji at 11 a.m.

Departs Gary at 8:10 a.m. with stops in Fertile 8:30, Beltrami 9:00, Ada 9:30 and Borup 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Departs Stephen at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Argyle 8:45, Warren 9:00, Alvarado 9:20 and Oslo 9:30. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, August 9

Departs Crookston at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Beltrami 8:30, Fertile 8:45, Winger 9:10, Erskine 9:35, Brooks 10 a.m., Oklee 10:15 and Plummer 10:30. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Gary 8:50, Twin Valley 9:05 and Flom 9:30. Arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Departs Strandquist at 9 a.m. and stops in Viking 9:45. Arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

Thursday, August 10

City-wide transportation in Crookston.

City-wide transportation in Twin Valley from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, August 11

Departs Oully at 9:15 a.m. with stops in Trail 9:25, Oklee 9:50, Plummer 10:15 and Red lake Falls 10:45. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11:35.

Transportation city-wide in Ada 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Transportation city-wide in Warren from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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MARKETS

as of Monday, July 31

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.70
New Crop 95	4.50
Spring Wheat #2	4.10
Spring Wheat #3	4.00
Spring Wheat #4	3.35
Winter Wheat	4.30
Durum	4.75
Top Malting Barley	2.75
Feed Barley	2.05
Top Milling Oats	1.80
Ordinary Oats	1.45
Oil Sunflowers	11.00
New Crop 95	10.90
Corn	2.55
Rye	2.00
Flax	5.25
Soybeans	5.40
Buckwheat	12.00
Confectionery Sunflowers	12.00
Canola	11.25

We the family of Carl Delbert Widing would like to send a heartfelt Thank You for all the help and loving support from everyone, especially the cooperation, loving concern and skills of doctors, nurses, and aides of the nursing station on 2nd floor ICU of the Northwest Medical Center.

Thank You,

Joann, Jodell, David, Merle, Julie, Wes, Jeff, Jan, Roger, Cheryl, Michelle, Tracey, Jason, Travis, Brandon and Blake

Obituaries

Hazel Melvie, 75
Arlene Thompson, 62
Paul Sorenson, 76
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Hazel Melvie, 75

Thief River Falls — Hazel Melvie, 75, died Friday, July 28 at Northwest Medical Center, CNC Unit, Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were at 10 a.m. on Monday, July 31 at the First Baptist Church in Thief River Falls with Reverends Carroll Erickson and Wilbur Sorley officiating. Special music was provided by organist Gloria Lee, and pianist Jan Lee. Soloists were Pearl Sorley who sang "In the Garden" and Twyla Hicks who sang "One Day at a Time" Congregational hymns were "Day by Day" and "Under his Wings."

Casketbearers were grandchildren David Lee, Eliot Lee, James Lee, Jason Lee, Jonathan Lee, Maria Lee, Mattie Lee and Judy Wiseth. Because of Hazel's love of children, her special great grandchildren are considered honorary casketbearers: Nicole, Brittany and Devin Wiseth, Desire, Dannica and Alex Aehlert and Allyson Lee. Interment was in the Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Hazel Mathilda Kolberg was born on November 19, 1919 in Barto township, Roseau county. She attended school at the Haug-Leo rural school and attended Orland Lutheran Church.

On July 2, 1938, she was united in marriage to Arthur Lee at Greenbush. The couple farmed in the Greenbush area until 1948, when they moved to and continued farming in Rocksbury township near Thief River Falls. In 1962, they moved to Thief River Falls and she worked as a cook in the Thief River Falls School District. Arthur died July 9, 1970.

On February 16, 1971, she was united in marriage to Robert N. Melvie at Watertown, SD. The couple lived in Roseau where she assisted her husband in his chiropractic clinic. Dr. Melvie died October 16, 1986. She later moved back to Thief River Falls.

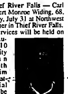
She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Thief River Falls where she taught Sunday School for several years, and was a member of the Ladies Mission Circle and the Silver Wings Group at the church.

She is survived by three sons, Boyce Lee and Arvid Lee, both of Thief River Falls and Eli Lee of Redmond, WA; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one sister Alma Olson of Strathcona; five brothers, Kenneth of Warroad, Melvin and Rudy, both of Roseau, Joe of Karlstad and Earl of Roseau and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, Arthur O. Lee and Dr. Robert Melvie.

Carl Widing, 68

Thief River Falls — Carl Delbert Monroe Widing, 68, died Monday, July 31 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.



Funeral services will be held on Thursday, August 3 at 10 a.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church with Reverend Tim Bauer officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Dorothy Larson and vocalists Joel Kezar, Audrey Burda and Dinne Klemetson. Selections are "How Great Thou Art," "Daddy's Hands," "Amazing Grace" and "Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Casketbearers are Merle Widing, Ward Stark, Jeff Widing, Roger Widing, David Stark and Jason Stark. Honorary casketbearers were Dennis Kezar, Walter Leach, Sherman Johnson, Merlyn "Buzz" McAdam, Vernon Reierson and all friends and relatives in attendance. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery with military honors by the Thief River Falls American Legion and VFW Posts.

Visitation is on Wednesday, August 2 from 3 to 9 p.m. with a 7 p.m. prayer service at Green Funeral Home and at the church on Thursday for one hour prior to services.

Carl Delbert M. Widing was born on January 8, 1927 in Chicago, IL to Carl and Mildred (Jahr) Widing. He was baptized in Chicago and moved with his family to Thief River Falls in 1929. Carl was confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church. He attended school in Thief River Falls, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1947.

He entered to United States Navy in 1944, serving for two years in the Philippines and China.

On January 21, 1951 he was united in marriage to JoAnn McAdam at Trinity Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.

In 1951, Carl and his father were in business together as plaster contractors. In 1956 he moved to California where he was a plasterer by trade, working for Harry Bell and O.L. Bishop. In 1992 Carl retired and they moved back to Thief River Falls where he has resided since.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and the Thief River Falls VFW.

He is survived by his wife JoAnn; three sons, Merle of La Mirada, CA, Jeffrey of Thief River Falls and Roger of La Mirada, CA; two daughters, JoDell Stark of Wichita, KS and Julie Stark of Garden Grove, CA; six grandchildren and one brother, Robert of Mission Viejo, CA.

He was preceded in death by his parents and nephew Johnny McAdam.

Elfie Hanson-Erickson, 72

Bunning, CA — Elfie Hanson-Erickson, 72, formerly of Thief River Falls, died on Wednesday, July 26 at her home in Banning, CA after a long battle with cancer.

Services were held on Monday, July 31 at 10 a.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Banning, CA with Reverend John R. Hershberger officiating.

Elfie Olga Hanson was born on August 7, 1923 in Thief River Falls to Syvert and Mabel (Berg) Hanson. She attended school in Thief River Falls and grew to adulthood.

She married Ernest "Eric" Erickson on November 25, 1946 in Silverton Lutheran Church, Silverton township. The couple then moved to California where she worked as a bank clerk at First Interstate Bank for thirty years in Los Angeles and Palm Springs.

She was a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church of Baning, CA and of the Banning Women's Club. Elfie especially enjoyed Norwegian Rosemaling.

She is survived by her husband Ernest; two sons, Jon of Long Beach, CA and Karl of Hemet, CA and two brothers, Martin and Silas, both of Thief River Falls.

She was preceded in death by her parents and four brothers, Wilhelm, Oswald, Milton and Melbin.

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Respectfully,
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Larry Belmont

Arlene Thompson, 62

Thief River Falls — Arlene Thompson, 62, died on Tuesday, July 25 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 31 at 2 p.m. in Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Rev. Tim Bauer officiating. Special music was provided by organist Vi Barr. Congregational hymns were "Children of the Heavenly Father," "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" and "Abide with Me." Interment was at the Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Arlene Doris Thompson was born May 19, 1933 to the late Lawrence and Violet (Brouse) Brinkman in Grand Forks, ND. She attended school on Moorhead, East Grand Forks, Crosby, ND, and Williams.

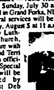
On February 1, 1971 she was united in marriage to Berent Thompson in Sisseton, SD. Arlene has spent the last ten years in the CNC Unit of the Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.

Arlene is survived by one brother, Dennis Brinkman of Thief River Falls; one sister, Delores Spina of Williams; sister-in-law, Doris Thompson of Brooklyn Center; two aunts, Lillian Strait of Rolla, ND and Manena Strait of East Grand Forks; one uncle Sidney Brouse of Warren; three nephews Steve Spina of Eau Claire, WI, Stan Spina of Williams and Stacy Spina of Manhattan, KS and several cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband Berent, her parents and one infant son, Billy Alan.

Anne Treitline, 76

St. Hilaire — Anne Treitline, 76, died on Sunday, July 30 at United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.



Funeral services will be held on Saturday, August 5 at 11 a.m. in the Calvary Lutheran Church, St. Hilaire with Reverend Terri Skildum officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Deb Holmgren and vocalist Penny Schindler. Selections are "On Eagle's Wings" and "In the Garden." Congregational hymns are "Amazing Grace" and Rock of Ages."

Casket bearers are Kyle Jordet, Eric Moody, Bill Treitline, Jeff Treitline, Jeremy Treitline and Scott Treitline. Interment will be in the Sunny Slope Cemetery, Mott, ND on Saturday, August 12 at 10:30 a.m.

Visitation will be Friday from 1 to 9 p.m. at the Green Funeral home with a prayer service in the evening at 7 p.m. and at the church for one hour prior to services.

Anne Ella DeLaBarre was born on December 14, 1918 at New Leipzig, ND, the daughter of Charles and Martha (Dering) DeLaBarre. She attended schools in New Leipzig, graduating from high school there. On July 10, 1932 she was confirmed in the Christiaia faith in New Leipzig where she grew to adulthood.

On November 26, 1939 she was united in marriage to Kenneth Treitline in New Leipzig, ND. Following their marriage, the couple lived in several communities, including New Leipzig, Zion, IL, Waukegan, IL, Milwaukee, WI, Celedonia, WI and Mott, ND in 1959, where her husband later died.

She later moved to Fond du Lac, WI, LaMoure, ND, Valley City, ND and in 1989 to St. Hiliare. She continued to live in that community until one and a half years ago when she became a resident of the Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Aane loved reading, quilting, bingo and fishing.

She is survived by her children, Arlyce Moody of Grand Forks, MND, William of Cass Lake, Donald of St. Hiliare, Jerome of Inver Grove Heights and Kenneth of St. James; 14 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one brother, Leslie of Yuma, AZ and one sister Emma Gebhardt of Beaverton, OR and special friends Winifred and Melinda Treitline.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth who died on March 5, 1962; grandson, Kenneth Treitline on October 15, 1994; sisters, Rosie, Elsie and Lilly and brothers, Arthur, George, Paul Oscar and James.

Jesse Vezina, 72

Goodridge — Jesse Vezina, 72, died on Monday, July 24 at his home in Goodridge.

Mass of Christian burial was Friday, July 28 at 1 p.m. in St. Ann's Catholic Church in Goodridge with Father Tim Bushy as presider.

Casketbearers were Harvey Frazer, James Frazer, Eugene Frazer, Charles Frazer, Earl Frazer, Carl Frazer, Robert Frazer, Michael Frazer. Honorary casketbearers were all of Jesse's friends and relatives. Military honors were preformed by Cass Lake American Legion. Interment was in Pine Grove Cemetery, Cass Lake.

Jesse Vezina was born on February 16, 1923 in White Earth, the son of Frank and Mathilda (Lachapple) Vezina. He was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith. The family made their home in Lengby. In 1935, when Jesse was 12 years old, they moved to Cass Lake.

He worked in the Civilian Conservation Corps and on the railroad, for a time before entering the United States Army on April 12, 1942.

Mr. Vezina served over seas for 12 months. He received three Battle Stars, Driver and Mechanic Badge and the Good Conduct Medal. He was honorably discharged on December 24, 1947, in Camp McCoy, WI.

He was united in marriage to Lois Ann Frazer on October 11, 1947 in Cass Lake. The couple lived in Cass Lake and worked at the Box Factory. They moved to Hibbing and he drove truck for the mines. From 1952 to 1959 Jesse went to Greenland every year for seasonal work.

In 1954 they opened Vezina Cafe in Goodridge and sold the business in 1970. Jesse also worked construction in Minnesota, North Dakota and Montana, retiring in 1976, due to ill health.

Mr. Vezina was a member of the White Earth Tribe, the Cass Lake American, St. Ann's Catholic Church.

He enjoyed making tin furniture, hunting, fishing, auction sales, puzzles, spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

He is survived by his wife, Lois of Goodridge; two daughters, Patricia Schwartz, Cloquet and Marilyn Knutson of Roseau; daughter-in-law, Carole Vezina of East Grand Forks; 11 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; sisters, Iva Ord and Gladys Dunning, both of Cass Lake; several nieces and nephews.

Margaret Schmidt, 70

Red Lake Falls — Margaret Schmidt, 70, of Red Lake Falls died at her home. Arrangements are with the Pettersön Funeral Hame in Red Lake Falls.

Levurne Berget, 77

Oklee — Levurne Berget, 77, of rural Oklee died at his home on Monday, July 24.

Funeral services were held on Friday, July 28 at 10:30 a.m. in the Pettersan Funeral Home in Oklee with the Reverend Daniel Faugstad officiating. Special music was provided by organist Marian Marquis and vocalists Donna Sherman and LaVonne Enerson.

Casketbearers were Rudolph Torgerson, James Cook, Lloyd Ralston, Harry Sevre, Keith Swenson and Raymond Swenson. Interment was at the Clearwater Cemetery near Oklee.

Levurne Herbert Berget was born September 22, 1917 in Equality township, the son of Albert and Mathilda (Rindahl) Berget. He was baptized and confirmed at the Clearwater Church. He was raised in Equality township and farmed with his family. He later attended Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls.

On January 1, 1943, he was united in marriage to Bernice Skelly in East Grand Forks. They moved to Lambert township where they raised mink and farmed. They have resided there since.

Levurne was president of the Farmers Union, treasurer of the Clearwater Church, served on the Lambert township board and served in the FHA Board for Red Lake county.

He is survived by his wife, Bernice, near Oklee; his three children; Allan of Atascadero, CA, Gary of Bemidji and Anita Halvorson of Trail. He is also survived by 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Doris Jevne, 78

Strathcona — Doris Jevne, 78, died unexpectedly in her home on Monday morning, July 31. Arrangements are pending with Collins Funeral Home in Greenbush.

David Kurowski

Karlstad — David Kurowski, 48, died Tuesday morning, August 1 at Karlstad memorial Nursing Center. Arrangements are pending with Collins Funeral Home in Greenbush.

Signe Lie, 92

Trail — Signe Lie, 92, of Trail died Friday, July 28 at First Care Hospital in Fosston.

Funeral services were Tuesday, August 1 at 2 p.m. in Sand Valley Lutheran Church in Trail with Pastor Robert Kelly officiating. Interment will be in Sand Valley Cemetery, Trail.

Signe Bjornson was born April 21, 1903 in Germantown to Rev. Halvor and Thea Johnson Bjornson. She grew up in Germantown area and attended Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls.

She later attended Park Region Normal School in Fergus Falls. She taught in rural schools in the Rothsay area. She then attended Interstate Business College in Fargo, ND and was later employed in secretarial work.

Signe was united in marriage to Rev. Hallverd Lie in 1927 in Rothsay and they resided in Hopple, ND and later in Fisher, moving to Trail in 1946. Hallvard passed away in 1966. Signe has continued to live in Trail since that time.

Signe was a member of the Sand Valley Lutheran Church in Trail.

She is survived by three daughters, Lydia Lie of Trail, Thore Pearce of Longmont, CO and Rachel Olsen of Fargo, ND; stepdaughter, Aasta Slagle of Madison, WI; two stepsons, Hens Lie of Boise, ID and Leif Lie of Rapid City, SD; sister Ungeborg Olson of Fergus Falls; sister-in-law Charlotte Bjornson of Fargo, ND; brother-in-law Howard Weller of Maple Plain; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; sons, Paul and Harold; stepsons Dagfinn Lie; five brothers and six sisters.

Vernon Sjoblom, 65

Karlstad — Vernon Ruben Sjoblom, 65, died Sunday, July 30 at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Funeral services will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2 at Collins Funeral Home Chapel in Karlstad with Pastor Gary Halverson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Kirstin Olson and vocalist Corienne Jacobson. Selections are "How Great Thou Art" and Battle Hymn of the Republic." Military honors were accorded by the Karlstad American Legion Post.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. on Thursday, August 3 at Fort Snelling National Cemetery with military honors accorded by the Fort Snelling Honors Team.

Vernon Ruben Sjoblom was born November 5, 1929 on the family farm in Marshall county, the son of Clara (Englund) and Alvin Sjoblom. At the age of nine years, he moved to Karlstad where he attended school and grew to manhood.

At age 17 he joined the U.S. Army and served in Japan. Following his discharge from the service in 1953, he was employed by Gateway Transportation in St. Paul.

In 1972 he was united in marriage to Lois Pluntz and they made their home at Forrest Lake until his retirement in 1982. They then moved to Karlstad where they have lived since.

He was a long-time member of the Karlstad American Legion Post.

He is survived by his wife Lois; his mother Clara Nelson of Karlstad; two sisters, Adrienne Lefrooth of Strandquist and Eleanor Kostrzewski of Inver Grove Heights; one brother, Arlynn Simanson of Cottage Grove and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1938.

Peter H. Thompson, 89

Karlstad — Peter H. Thompson, 89, died Sunday, July 30 at Northwest Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, August 2 at 10 a.m. at Hegland Lutheran Church in Karlstad with Pastor John A. Riveness officiating. Special music will be provided by pianist Mrs. Jerome Boen and the Hodne Family. Selections were "Where Roses Never Fade" and "Last Mile of the Way."

Caskelbearers are grandsons, Rick Thompson, Mark Thompsan, Matt Thompson, Scott Thompson, Brian Thompson and Michael Wallace. Interment will be in Hegland Church Cemetery.

Peter H. Thompson was barn November 9, 1905 at Pelan, near Karlstad, the son of Torkel and Carrie (Stromlund) Thampson. He attended school and grew to adulthood in the Strandquist community, and was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

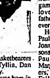
On May 23, 1936, he was united in marriage to Alice Eikeland at Roseau. Since their marriage, the couple has made their home in Karlstad.

Peter was employed as a housemover for Thompson Construction far many years, and also worked far the Minnesota Highway Department far many years. He was Karlstad's milk delivery man for about 10 years. He was a member of the Hegland Lutheran Church near Karlstad. Peter had been in failing health for the past three years.

He is survived by his wife Alice; three sons, Rager of Lake Bronsan, Rodney and Douglas, both of Karlstsd; two daughters, Vivian Wallace of Coon Rapids and Valarie Shetterly of Carmichael, CA; 10 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two brothers, Ole and Clarence, both of Karlstad; one sisiter Marilyn Johnson of Hanford, CA and many nieces nephews and other relatives.

Paul Sorenson, 76

Duluth — Paul Robert Sarenson, 76, died on Tuesday, July 25 in Viewcrest Nursing Home in Duluth.



Funeral services were held Friday, July 28 at 11 a.m. at Jarvi-Dowd Chapel in Duluth with Paul's son Rev. Thor Sorenson officiating.

Casketbearers were his twin sons Henry and Paul Sorenson and nephews, Ken and Mike Mancini, Peter Sorenson and Don Ness. Honorary casketbearers were John Sorei, Jeff Tyllia, Dan Stoac and Shawn O'Leary.

Paul Robert Sarenson was born in Oklee on March 6, 1919, the son of Thor and Bella (Vattendahl) Sorenson. He graduated with honors from Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls in the Class of 1937.

He lived in Duluth far more than 50 years. He was a boilermaker for 40 years and worked on many projects including the Frazer Shipyards and Reserve Mining. He was an hanorary member of Hermantown Community Church and a member of the Owls Club, Fraternal Order of the Eagles and Moose Lodge 505.

He married Janice Deurloo on November 23, 1950. She now resides in East Helena, MT.

His love of playing cards came from his father. He enjoyed many games with his family. He also loved to fish and hunt with his father, brother Bud and sons when ever possible.

He is survived by two daughters, Paula Kern of East Helena, MT and Joan Fifield of Billings, MT; three sons, Thor and twins, Henry A. and Paul A., all of Duluth; a sistar Marge Lomas of Duluth; two brothers, Vemon "Bud" of Thief River Falls and Edgar of Minneapolis; brother-in-law Potar Wuorio of Duluth; 14 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his step mother Vera; three sisters, Elaine Madeline Sorenson in infancy, Pauline Mancini and Elaine Wuorio and one brother Kenneth Allan.

Vera Van Schaick, 82

Chippewa Falls, WI — Vera Evelyn Van Schaick, 82, formerly of Altoona, WI died Sunday July 9 at Wissota Lakeside Nursing Home in Chippewa Falls, WI.

Graveside services were held on Wednesday, July 12 at 11 a.m. at Forest Hill Cemetery with Rev. Janet Ellinger of Lake Street United Methodist Church officiating.

Vera was born on January 1, 1913 in Kansas, the daughter of John and Altha Watson Gregory.

She was married to James W. Van Schaick on September 17, 1929 in Yakima, WA. He preceded her in death an February 23, 1994. They lived in several places in South Dakota and Minnesota before moving to Wisconsin in 1989.

Vera served as postmaster in Garvin for over 20 years. She enjoyed crafts, sewing and quilt making. She also enjoyed watching baseball and basketball and loved to travel. She was a member of Lakes Street United Methodist Church and the American Legion Auxiliary Post #53.

Vera is survived by two daughters, Bonnie M. Van Schaick of Orange, CA and Ruth M. Larson of Eau Claire, WI; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two sisters, Fay Meshke, Brownstown, WA and Virginia McAlister of Troutdale, OR; nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, two brothers and two sisters.

Kittelson and Janisch plan August 26 wedding

Shane Kittelson and Aaron Janisch, along with their parents Georgene Kittelson in honor of the late Marlyn Kittelson of Grafton, ND and Darrel and Jean Janisch of Thief River Falls, announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Shane is a 1990 graduate of Grafton High School and a 1995 graduate of the University of North Dakota with a bachelor of business administration degree in banking and finance economics. Aaron is a 1990 graduate of Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls and a 1992 graduate of the University of Minnesota, Crookston with an associate of arts in natural reasources and conservation. He is a 1995 graduate of Northland Community College with an associate of science in law enforcement.

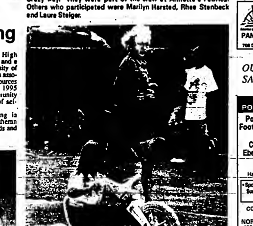
An August 26 wedding is planned in Zion English Lutheran Church in Grafton. All friends and family are welcome to attend.

Meekma and Springer plan October wedding

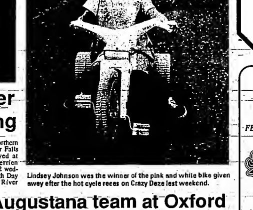
Diane Meekma and Arlen Springer, along with their parents, Ronald and Suzanne Meekma of Thief River Falls and Wendell and Jollett Springer of Endeavor, WI, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Diane is employed at Northern State Agency in Thief River Falls and her fiance is employed at Andrews University in Berrien Springs, MI. An October 22 wedding is planned at the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Thief River Falls.

Renee Rasmussen and Heather Schaflend gave a Vulcan salute on Crazy Day. They were part of the crew at Annette's Fabrics. Others who participated were Marilyn Harsted, Rhea Stenbeck and Laura Steiger.



Youngsters got encouragement from family and friends as they raced cycle in the Kmart parking lot on Saturday night. Kids ages four to seven raced for first, second and third place trophies.



Lindsey Johnson was the winner of the pink and white bike given away after the hot cycle races on Crazy Daze last weekend.

Lois Steiger of Annette's Fabrics demonstrated sewing tips while dressed as the commander of the U.S.S. Enterprise for Crazy Day.

Andrea Cambell on Augustana team at Oxford

Andrea Campbell of Newfolden is among the students from Augustana College, Sioux Falls, SD, invited to participate in a study of a computer-based hypertextual project based on the character, Jesus. The computer program is a little like an interactive computer game, but it's a teaching tool.

Campbell and fellow students Susan Dahlman from Chetek, WI, and Steven Stokes from Arvada, CO, have been working with Dr. Richard Swanson, assistant professor religion/philosophy/classics to create the program.

The Augustana team was invited to present its work this fall at a conference organized by Oxford University and the University of London. The conference, which focuses on computers and teaching in the humanities, draws participants and presenters from prestigious institutions around the world.

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Afran prepares for annual activities

In cooperation with the Great Plains Chautauqua Society, Afran (L'Association des Francais du Nord) sponsored a children's workshop on literature of 100 years ago at Huot Park, the Old Treat Site, on Friday. Also, a second workshop for adults, featured a speaker on Indian Treaties.

Afran members strive to carry on the traditions of the early French and to educate others in the cultural heritage attached to the french and to all the early settlers.

A major event which area residents may have attended in former years is the Chautauqua to be held at Huot Park August 26 and 27. Under the "big tent" presenters will be John C. Chalberg as Teddy Roosevelt, Robert Till will present Pierre de La Verendrye, the early explorer who wrote about North Dakota and Minnesota, and David and Teresa Dandeneau who will present more about the La Verendrye family as they explored this area in the 1730s.

A primitive encampment during the two days at Huot Park, site of the Old Indian Treaty, will feature a French soldiers squad, mountain men, trappers and traders. Admission for each day is $3 per person.

Local students attend national student meeting

Josh Clark, Anne Padilla and Jordan Goldesberry were among the 1,650 student council leaders and student activity advisers attending the 59th National Association of Student Councils (NASC) Conference June 24-28 at Union high school in Tulsa, OK.

With a theme of "Spirit of a New Frontier" the national meeting included training sessions on leadership skills, effective communication, motivating other students, and effective student activity projects. The delegates heard speakers, such as actor, author and 1986 National Teacher of the Year, Guy Dowd, and 1995 Miss America, Heather Whitestone. Delegates also debated key national and international issues.

Josh Clark is the son of Carl and Jamie Clark of Thief River Falls. Anne Padilla is the daughter of Ernesto and Marcia Padilla. Jordan Goldesberry is the son of Olive and Jim Goldesberry.

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Smoke, mostly from burning tires, filled the sky above the Satellite Drive in in Thief River Falls Monday. Fire damaged much of the wood frame building that was the big screen for the drive in. Since the theater was closed eight years ago, the building has been used for storage. The fire is under investigation.

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Wednesday evening supper guests at the Clara Paterson home were Mrs. Gene Marquis, Megan and Andrea.

Howard Sjulestad was a visitor and coffee guest Sunday morning at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams and Jodi attended the prayer service for Paul Mutnansky at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge on Thursday evening.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Adaline Hanson home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Hanson, Betsy and Reed of Salol.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristian attended the John Slanvick family reunion on Saturday and Sunday.

Sunday afternoon, Alvin Kompan was a visitor and lunch guest at the Alfred Iverson home.

Joanna Johnson was an overnight guest of Jessica Johnson's at the Jean Johnson home on Saturday. Joanna also spent Sunday visiting at the Jean Johnson home and the Clarence Johnson home.

Visitors at the Eddy Stucy home on Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tiegland of Minneapolis.

Thursday evening, Mrs. Gary Johnson attended the prayer service for Paul Mutnansky at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at her grandparents the Clarence Johnson home on Thursday night.

Those who spent the weekend from Friday till Sunday at Roger's Resort in Waskish were Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud, Erica, Kelsey, Elroy and Tyler, Katie and Elizabeth Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Miller, Jonathon, Casey, and Robby, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Vad, Jeremiah, Jenny and a friend Holly from Newfolden and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Anderson, Jeremy and Brian of Thief River Falls and a friend Michael Carpenter of Thief River Falls.

Jean Violet of Crookston spent a couple of days visiting with June Johnson.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud were visitors at the Roger Nelson home.

Clarence Johnson visited by phone with Ellen Holthusen of Thorhult on Thursday afternoon.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Krial home.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and Clara Peterson visited on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haugen at their home.

Sunday, Mike Schroeder of Robbinsdale was an overnight guest at the Bruce Solberg home.

Thursday afternoon, Arnie and Gene Kotrba visited with their grandfather Gilmer Mandarud.

Renee Marquis visited with June Johnson during the week.

Gilmer Mandarud was a visitor and coffee guest at the Larry Kotrba home Thursday morning.

Jami Adams left for Fargo on Tuesday after spending the weekend with her mom and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams.

Thursday night supper guests at the Gene Marquis home was Dick Marquis of Oklee.

Monday visitors and supper guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill of Oklee and Kyle Iverson of Hallock.

The sewing group spent Thursday afternoon at the Clayton and Marlys Johnsrud home were Pat Syzmansky, Marion Marquis of Oklee, Elva Fiedler, Brenda Syzmensky along with Marlys Johnsrud.

Jennifer and Tiare Kotrba went on Thursday to spend a few days visiting at the Hank Kuznia home in Coon Rapids. Then on Monday Jennifer Kotrba returned home and Tiare remained at the Hank Kuznia home to visit awhile longer.

Monday, Tony Rubischko was a visitor at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson and Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Hanson were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday night at the Leonard Johnson home.

Elva Fiedler and grandson Brady Fiedler and Adaline Parnow of Thief River Falls were shoppers in Grand Forks on Friday.

Sunday a birthday party was held at the Jeff Thruna home for Wendy Thruna and daughter Ariel. Their guests were Lorraine Waina, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hanson and Luana, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson and Jeff Thruna's mother Mary Ehron of Roseau and Wendy's husband Jeff. A big lunch was served with two decorated birthday cakes. Wendy and Ariel received gifts and cards from their guests. Happy Birthday Wendy and Ariel!

Neil Johnson, Jennifer, June and Lindy were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday evening at the Dale Anderson home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors at the Gene Arveson home.

Joel Fiedler and Brady and Elva Fiedler spent the weekend camping at Itasca State Park.

Monday night Hanford Roisland was a visitor and coffee guest at the Galen Englund home of rural Grygla.

Jared Haugen was a visitor at the Shirley Johnsrud home on Tuesday evening.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and grandson Kyle Iverson of Hallock were visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Waina home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen were visitors on Sunday afternoon at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Leslie Iverson and Randy Culkins were visitors and coffee guests at the Hanford Roisland home during the week.

Monday evening visitors at the Dale Anderson home were Neil Johnson, Jennifer, June and Lindy.

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Roger Philipp attends 1995 conference

Roger Philipp, First National Bank, Thief River Falls, attended the 41st Annual Conference of the Upper Midwest Agricultural Credit Council (UMACC), July 12-14, in Medora, ND.

Approximately 100 bakers form Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wisconsin attended the conference. The three-day conference provided bankers an opportunity to hear nationally recognized speakers cover issues affecting the banking and agricultural industries and participate in information gathering sessions and networking opportunities to enhance their knowledge of the agricultural banking field. "The conference is designed to provide agricultural bankers with the latest industry information, enabling them to better serve their customers and communities," said UMACC Executive Director Wayne Berthiaume, Minneapolis.

Pilot walks away from crash Friday

Ronald Syverson of McIntosh walked away from an airplane crash Friday south and west of Oklee. Syverson received minor bumps and bruises when the crop dusting airplane he was piloting crashed.

Red Lake County sheriff's department spokesperson said they received a report of the accident at 8 a.m. Friday, July 28. At this time, the sheriff's department is reporting that Syverson was making a turn at the end of a field and had mechanical problem with the automatic flaggers and didn't realize he was so close to the ground. The plane, which was leased from NoCo of Red Lake Falls was considered a total loss.

Border Patrol takes four into custody in TRF

United States Border Patrol officials took four individuals into custody at Northern Pride in Thief River Falls Wednesday. The four allegedly entered the country illegally.

A spokesperson for the law enforcement center in Pennington county said police officials assisted U.S. Border Patrol officials in their investigation. The four individuals will be taken to Denver, CO, in preparation for their deportation.

According to police, Northern Pride officials were cooperative when border patrol officials and police arrived at the business on Pennington Avenue at about 11:39 a.m. Wednesday, July 26.

Warroad theatre group plans awards banquet

As the 15th Warroad Summer Theatre season draws to a close, plans are underway for the awards banquet, which will be held on Tuesday, August 15 at the Patch Restaurant in Warroad.

The event will begin with a social hour at 6:30 p.m. and dinner at 7 p.m. Dinner choices include chicken strips, chicken and barbeque rib combination and stuffed pork chops.

At 8 p.m. the awards program will commence with entertainment.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Reservations are required and can be made by calling the Warroad Summer Theatre box office at 681-3435 from 1 to 5 p.m. daily.

Camp Sioux open to youth with diabetes

North Dakota affiliate of the American Diabetes Association will conduct two one-week sessions for diabetic children ages 8-14 at Camp Sioux July 30-August 5 and August 6-12.

Camp Sioux is one of only three in the nation to offer camping free of charge to children with type I (insulin-dependent) diabetes. Physicians, nurses and dietitians are on the camp staff.

For more information contact the American Diabetes Association, North Dakota Affiliate, Inc., P.O. Box 5234, Grand Forks, ND 58206-5234 or call toll-free 1-800-666-6709.

Roseau teen killed in four-wheeler accident

Thirteen-year-old Luke Solom of rural Roseau died after a four-wheeler accident Sunday in Roseau county.

Minnesota State Patrol received a report of the accident at 11:55 a.m. Sunday, July 30. According to the accident report, Solom was driving on a township road, one mile east of Highway 89 and one and one-half miles north of Highway 11. He apparently went down into a drainage ditch, stopped at water's edge and tried to back up. The 1994 Polaris four-wheeler flipped over on him pinning him under water. Solom was transferred to Roseau hospital and then to United Hospital in Grand Forks.

Talent entries sought for Grygla Fall Fest

Talent entries are being sought for the Grygla Fall Fest, which will be held August 25-27.

The Second Annual Friday Night Live talent competition will be held Friday, August 25 at 7 p.m. at the Grygla school auditorium. The event, which is sponsored by the Grygla Lioness club, is open to men and women, boys and girls of all ages. Non-residents and residents are welcome to take part in the event. There is no entry fee.

This year, winners will be named in four separate age groups. Each of the four winners will receive $25 in cash and a gift from one of the participating businesses. The age group divisions are 3-6, 6-12, 12-18, and 18 and over.

Entries needed to be entered before August 22.

For information call Delores Saul at 294-6274, or Joy Nordby at 294-6122.

Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors in Thief River Falls paid a courtesy call on Randall J. Bolar, M.D., general/bariatric surgery, at Dakota Clinic - TRF recently. Dr. Bolar joined the clinic last year. Pictured from left are Gloria Wilson, chamber ambassador, Dr. Bolar, and Carla Torgerson, chamber of commerce.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday evening, Aug. 7: Turkey with dressing, whipped potatoes, corn, bread, pistachio dessert, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 8: Hamburger gravy, whipped potatoes, beets, salad, bread, cherry cake, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 9: Swiss steak, boiled potato, peas, carrots, bread, cooked rice pudding, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 10: Pork chops, baked potatoes, mixed vegetables, bread, rhubarb crisp, milk.

Friday, Aug. 11: Tuna macaroni salad, peas, coleslaw, bread, pears, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Senior Meals: Newfolden

Monday, Aug. 7: Baked ham, baked potato, squash, blueberry muffin with margarine, lime sherbet, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 8: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrots, dinner roll with margarine, praline pumpkin pie, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 9: Spoonburgers, baked beans, potato salad, relish tray, bun with margarine, butterscotch pudding, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 10: Baked pork chop, scalloped potatoes, California blend, orange gelatin with apricot half, bread and margarine, gingerbread with topping, milk.

Friday, Aug. 11: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, bread and margarine, peach sauce, milk.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Aug. 7: Baked fish almandine, steamed rice, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with French dressing, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 8: Roast pork with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 9: Stewed chicken with dumpling, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Aug. 10: Beef stroganoff, egg noodles with gravy, sliced carrots, pineapple-marshmallow coleslaw, sugar cookie, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Aug. 11: Salmon loaf with cream pea sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, cherry crisp with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Discovery LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, Aug. 7: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, muffins.

Tuesday, Aug. 8: Milk, apple juice, Kix, peanut butter, toast.

Wednesday, Aug. 9: Milk, orange juice, Rice Krispies, cinnamon toast.

Thursday, Aug. 10: Milk, applesauce, cream of wheat, toast.

Friday, Aug. 11: Milk, oranges; scrambled eggs, toast, jelly.

Lunch:

Monday, Aug. 7: Chili with beans, crackers, cheese, sandwiches, pear halves, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 8: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad with dressing, chocolate pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 9: Chicken with rice hotdish, whole corn, bread and butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 10: Meatballs in gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Friday, Aug. 11: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, coleslaw, applesauce, milk.

Holt Keenagers to meet August 11

The Holt Keenagers will meet on Friday, August 11 at the Holt Community Center. Pollock dinner will be served at noon. Please R.S.V.P. The directors will be there and the August birthdays will be celebrated.

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JULY 31 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 1 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 2 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 3 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 4 DANCE 9-1 "MARSHALL JONES BAND"	AUG. 5 BAR BINGO 5-6:30
AUG. 7 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 8 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 9 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 10 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 11	AUG. 12 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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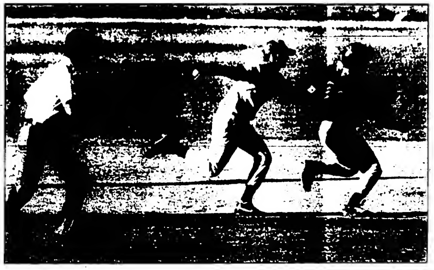

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Kyle Sanden competes at national level

by Sports Editor Mike Lundgren

Kyle Sanden did not score a bunch of points or pull down a bundle of rebounds, but the Thief River Falls high school senior-to-be nevertheless proved a point while participating in high-profile, big-time basketball at the national level.

He proved he belonged.

Sanden's Summer Tour '95 will not soon be forgotten. It actually started when he was chosen to the Minnesota Select Maroon team last spring following a try-out that attracted 230 of the the state's best high school-age basketball players.

The Maroon squad kicked off a brief but intense schedule by playing all-star teams from Iowa and South Dakota in southern Minnesota at the end of June.

The Select squad then headed for the July 6-9 Kentucky Prep Festival, but without Sanden and Kevin Loge of Morris Area, a pair of 6-10 players who both made verbal commitments this spring to accept scholarship offers to play basketball at the University of Minnesota following their high school careers.

Instead of joining their Maroon teammates in Louisville, Sanden and Loge were among the 140 players selected nationwide to take part in the prestigious Nike All-American Summer Camp July 7-12 in Indianapolis.

It was an eye-opening experience, acknowledged Sanden. "Everybody there was good," he said. "There were two-three guys on each team that were as big as you were, and some of those guys can really get up (jump). It's a lot more physical."

The camp featured daily classes, a list of guest speakers (many with NBA credentials), and two scrimmages per day.

"The first couple of days I didn't get the ball," smiled Sanden. "The guards were busy trying to prove themselves. But I didn't care. I just wanted to play good defense, and run the floor."

Eventually, Sanden did get his hands on the basketball. But the scoring opportunities were still few and far between.

And yet Sanden impressed. Enough so that Dean Smith, the legendary coach at perennial college basketball power North Carolina, wrote to inquire about Sanden's availability – to find out if he was, indeed, intent on going to Minnesota.

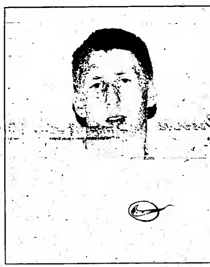
"The attention was nice," noted Sanden. "That was a big honor to have someone like Dean Smith notice you."

However, Sanden said he never once questioned his decision to commit to the Gophers early. "I wanted to play close to home, and Minnesota has a great program," he said.

Sanden will sign n tender with the Gophers in November. Announcing his college selection early likely lessened the pressure when he attended the summer camps and tournaments.

"There were a lot of coaches watching," explained Sanden, "but I didn't feel any pressure. I figured I had nothing to lose. I was not a big name. I was just a no-name who wanted to prove he belonged. I thought I did well. I thought I played really good defense, and that was one thing I wanted to work on. I just went out and played as hard as I could. I knew the competition was going to be tough. I wanted to see where I fit in. I felt I belonged."

The Nike Camp concluded with roster selections and match-ups that placed the top 20 players in the gold game, the next 20 in the silver game and a third group of 20 in the bronze game. Sanden played in the silver game. Loge was in the gold group.



Kyle Sanden talked about his experiences playing with the Minnesota Select Maroon basketball team and his participation in the Nike All-American Summer Camp during a recent visit to The Times office.

Sanden and Loge flew from Indianapolis to California to join the Select Maroon team for the Orange County Invitational that was already underway in Huntington Beach.

As soon as the California event was completed, the Minnesota squad crossed the state line into Nevada to take part in the Nike Las Vegas Invitatinnal before flying back home.

Each tournament consisted of a four-or-five-game schedule for the Maroon team. Playing time was pretty much equal for the 10 squad members, often in five-player rotations, pointed out Sanden, who noticed a drop in individual talent from the Nike All-American Camp to the Select tournaments, but watched as team work became the key to success. "We were competitive, but we had only been together two weeks and we were facing teams that had been playing together year-round," he explained.

"It was really a good experience," said Sanden while assessing the basket opportunity unique to northwestern Minnesota high school players. "It was a lot of fun, and I think it was really beneficial. It showed me what I have to work on – I have to get stronger, and I have to improve my leaping ability."

Sanden will not be eligible for the Select program and Nike camps next summer. Instead, he will probably prepare for his freshman year of college basketball by playing in a Twin Cities summer league, where he will face other college and some professional players.

First, there's a final season of high school basketball to complete. Some might figure that Sanden, after having been part of a Nike camp and national tournaments, and with an NCAA Division I career ahead, might find it tough to be motivated against the likes of Roseau, Argyle, Kittson County Central, etc. that appear on the Thief River Falls schedule.

But Sanden says that will not be a problem. In fact, those are the type of schools who present challenges with their special defenses and their desire to do well against a future Gopher that will keep his competitive fire burning.

Baseball playoff series opener...

Thieves out-score Wensloff, Roseau

Amateur baseball produces some unique combinations: college rivals who are now teammates; college teammates who are now competing against each other; and former coaches facing their former players. Those combinations, a post-season match-up, perfect weather, a large crowd, and well-played baseball added up to an entertaining evening Monday as the Thief River Falls Thieves edged the Roseau Royals 7-6 at Irv Wilson Field. The nine-inning contest was completed in a swift 1-hour, 53-minutes.

It was the opener of a 2-out-of-3 game regional-qualifying Northwest Border League playoff championship series that headed to Roseau Tuesday. A third game, if needed, will be played at 7 p.m. tonight (Wednesday) at Irv Wilson Field.

The Royals' Tracey Wensloff, who coached many of the Thieves during their high school baseball careers, put on a power-hitting display for his former players with a 3-for-4 game that included a pair of towering two-run home runs and five RBI.

The left handed-hitting Wensloff cleared the right field fence in the first inning and drove in 1995 Northland Community College graduate Josh Stromlund with a single in the third when he scored himself on a sacrifice fly by Barry Borowicz to give Roseau a 4-0 lead.

Thief River Falls chopped the margin in half in the bottom of the third on a sacrifice fly by Corey Poole and a two-out bouncer through the left side of the infield by Mike Swanson.

The Thieves went ahead 5-4 in the fourth with a sacrifice fly to the left field fence by Jason Svir and a two-run home run to right-center by Marc Haugen.

It was a short-lived lead; lasting only until Wensloff stepped to the plate in the fifth and nailed a two-out, first-pitch home run to put the Royals ahead 6-5.

However, a couple of Roseau infield errors in the bottom of the fifth allowed the tying and winning runs to cross the plate. First, Swanson reached on a two-base error, and promptly scored on an error on a ball hit by Nathan Knutson. Despite a pitch-out, Knutson picked up a stolen base when the throw was bobbled at second. He advanced on a fly-out by Barry Dowers and scored on a sacrifice fly by Steve Burslie.

There were no more runs, but Thief River Falls dodged a bullet in the eighth when Haugen ran down Steve Willman's two-out, bases-loaded line-drive into the right-center field gap.

That got Swanson, who took over for Thief River Falls starting pitcher Mike Steen at the start of the inning, out of the eighth. But the North Dakota State University outfielder still had to face Wensloff to open the ninth. He retired his former coach on a ground ball back to the mound to start a 1-2-3 game-clinch inning.

Steen gave up seven hits, walked four and struck out two for the win. Swanson surrendered one hit, walked one and struck out one for a save. A route-going pitching performance by Borowicz included six hits, three walks and two strike-outs.

The Thieves, the regular season Northwest Border League champions, are 10-5 overall. The Royals to the finals of the three-team league playoffs by eliminating Warroad over the weekend.

Thieves vs. Royals

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Roseau	202 020 000	6	6	3
Thief River Falls	002 320 00x	7	8	1

Roseau - Barry Borowicz (LP), Tracey Wensloff 3/4 with a pair of 2-run home runs and 6 RBI.

TRF - Mike Steen (WP), Mike Swanson (8-save); Marc Haugen 2/3 with a 2-run home run.

Bison 14-15-year-olds finish 1-2 in state play

Thief River Falls Bison 14-15-year-olds had a 1-2 showing at the 1995 Babe Ruth Intact state baseball tournament played in Barnesville and Pelican Rapids.

A second place finish in the Lake Agassiz District tournament behind Red Lake Falls put the Bison in the Intact event, where Thief River Falls opened with a 4-3 eight-inning win over East Twin I, but then lost to Barnesville 10-0 and Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton 15-1 in the double-elimination event.

The Bison gained a 2-2 tie in the bottom of the sixth against East Twins I on a lead-off single by Jarod Reierson and a two-out RBI double by Andrew Solem.

After surrendering a run on an error in the top of the eighth, Thief River Falls won the extra-inning match-up in the bottom of the inning on a lead-off double by Andy Harbott, three walks and a base hit by Jeff Beste.

The Bison, after collecting nine hits in the Thursday opener, were limited to just one hit in both Friday starts.

Bison vs. East Twins I

		r	h	e
East Twins I	001 001 01	3	11	1
TRF Bison	000 001 12	4	9	2

Bison - Cassy Skjervan, Jeff Beste (8-WP); Ryan Rogalla and Andy Harbott 2 hits each

Bison vs. Dilworth-G-F

		r	h	e
TRF Bison	100 000	1	1	1
Dilworth-G-F	026 115	15	12	0

Bison - David Hoglo (LP), Jeff Beste (3), Mike Dowers (4), Jeremy Swanson (6). Jeremy Swanson had lone TRF hit.

Bison vs. Barnesville

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TRF Bison	000 00	0	1	6
Barnesville	101 44	10	6	0

Bison - Brendon Rokke (LP), Hamilton Keefe (3); Mike Dowers had lone TRF hit.

Scott Oliver named new UMC coach to succeed Jim Sims

Scott Oliver has been appointed head football coach at the University of Minnesota-Crookston, succeeding Jim Sims, who left UMC last week to become activities director for School District 564 in Thief River Falls.

Oliver has been the UMC head hockey coach and assistant football coach since 1987. He is a former first round draft pick of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the Canadian Football League who has also coached at Moorhead State University and at the high school level at Moorhead, Dilworth and Glyndon-Felton.

Moorhead top Ninth District seed

■ Legion baseball tournament underway in Roseau

Ninth District American Legion baseball tournament is scheduled to start today (Wednesday) in Roseau with Thief River Falls playing Detroit Lakes and Fergus Falls taking on East Grand Forks.

Top-seeded Moorhead and second-seeded Roseau received first-day byes in the six-team, round-robin event that will advance its winner to the state tournament in Hibbing.

Fergus Falls was the No. 3 seed, Detroit Lakes No. 4, Thief River Falls No. 5, and East Grand Forks No. 6.

Tournament play continues through Saturday.

Crookston, the reigning Class A state high school baseball champion, figured to be a Ninth District Legion contender, but because of scheduling conflict that led to a shortage of players, Crookston officials withdrew the team from the tournament field.

Thief River Falls ended an 8-22 regular season schedule Friday with a 9-4, 11-1 doubleheader loss at Detroit Lakes.

"I thought we did okay at times against Detroit Lakes," said Thief River Falls coach Terry Wiseth. "Right now we're struggling with our bats. We showed some signs of coming out of it, but we'll still have to bunt and run and try to manufacture some runs."

Game 1

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Thief River Falls	110 020 0	4	3	4
Detroit Lakes	403 110 x	9	-	-

TRF - Chris Vanyo (LP), Chris Ella 1/3 with a stolen base and an RBI

DL - Jim Huberty (WP)

Game 2

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Thief River Falls	000 100	1	2	0
Detroit Lakes	102 404	11	13	1

TRF - Eric Bjorgaard (LP), Trever Magner (5), Chris Vanyo, 1/2 with a stolen base

DL - Doug Muzik (WP)

Ninth District Tournament

Wednesday, Aug. 2

■ Round 1 - Fergus Falls vs. East Grand Forks, 5 p.m.; Detroit Lakes vs. Thief River Falls, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 3

■ Round 2 - Roseau vs. Fergus Falls-East Grand Forks winner, 10 a.m.; Moorhead vs. Detroit Lakes-Thief River Falls winner, 12:30 p.m.

■ Round 3 - Fergus Falls-East Grand Forks loser vs. Moorhead-Detroit Lakes/Thief River Falls loser, 3 p.m.; Detroit Lakes-Thief River Falls loser vs. Roseau-Fergus Falls/East Grand Forks loser, 5:30 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 4

■ Round 4 - loser bracket game, 12:30 p.m.; winners bracket game, 3 p.m.

■ Round 5 - losers bracket game 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 5

■ Round 6 - finals, 12:30 p.m.

■ Round 7 - championship (if needed), 3:30 p.m.

- Sports Briefs -

Fall sports reminder

All fall sports participants in grades 6-through-12 in School District 564 are reminded to have the required paperwork completed for the start of preseason practice.

The eligibility forms are currently available in the office of newly-named activities director Jim Sims from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Participation fees have been set at $45 at the high school level and $30 for the middle school programs.

Sims reminded athletes of regulations that require a physical examination every three years.

Tracey Wensloff received congratulations as he rounded third base following a fifth inning Roseau home run in Monday's amateur baseball playoff game against Thief River Falls. A former Thief River Falls high school coach, Wensloff hit a pair of two-run home runs and drove in five runs for the Royals, but it wasn't enough to keep the Thieves from claiming a 7-6 win at Irv Wilson Field.

Men's Softball

Division I

	W	L
Busch	17	5
Pepsi	17	6
Amoco 24/Pizza Hut	17	5
Bears/Swede's/Pennington	14	8
Northwest Eye Center	10	16
Budget Electronics	8	13
DW's/Anderson Bros	8	13

Division II

	W	L
RC Cola/Taco John's	15	7
Thygeson Construction	13	8
Best Western Inn	14	16
Keystone/Kainz Chiropractic	10	16
Miller Lite	11	18
Forsberg's Inc.	11	15

Division III

	W	L
Phillips Iron & Metal Inc.	18	7
Elks Lodge	14	8
Rick's Appliance	11	11
WCF Distributors	9	13
VFW	9	13
Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen	5	17
Hutchinson Transfer	5	17
United Methodist Church	2	20

Results

■ Thursday, July 27 - (6:20 p.m.) Best Western Inn 17, Busch 16; DW's/Anderson Bros. 7, Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic 2; Pepsi 14, Budget Electronics 4; Amoco 24/Pizza Hut 12, Northwest Eye Center 11; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square 8, Thygeson Construction 6; RC Cola/Taco John's 24, Miller Lite 7; (7:30 p.m.) Busch 18, Pepsi 7; Amoco 24/Pizza Hut 17, Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic 2; Best Western Inn 16, DW's/Anderson Bros. 8; Northwest Eye Center 18, Budget Electronics 18; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square 16, RC Cola/Taco John's 10; Miller Lite 12, Thygeson Construction 7.

■ Monday, July 31 - (6:20 p.m.) Forsberg's Inc. 11, Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium 2; WCF Distributors 9, Rick's Appliance 8; United Methodist Church 28, Miller Lite 15; Best Western Inn 11, Elks Lodge 1; (7:30 p.m.) VFW 7, Hutchinson Transfer 4.

Schedule

■ Tuesday, Aug. 1 - (6:30 p.m.) Hutchinson Transfer vs. Miller Lite, Field 1; Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. vs. VFW, Field 2; Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium vs. Best Western Inn, Field 3; WCF Distributors vs. Elks Lodge, Field 4; United Methodist Church vs. Forsberg's Inc., fairgrounds; (7:30 p.m.) Hutchinson Transfer vs. VFW, Field 1; Phillips Iron & Metal Inc. vs. Best Western Inn, Field 2; United Methodist Church vs. Miller Lite, Field 2; WCF Distributors vs. Black Magic/Tommy G's/Evergreen Eating Emporium, Field 4; Rick's Appliance vs. Forsberg's Inc., fairgrounds; (8:40 p.m.) Rick's Appliance vs. Elks Lodge, fairgrounds.

■ Thursday, Aug. 2 - (6:20 p.m.) Amoco 24/Pizza Hut vs. Busch, Field 1; DW's/Anderson Bros. vs. Budget Electronics, Field 2; Pepsi vs. RC Cola/Taco John's, Field 3; Northwest Eye Center vs. Thygeson Construction, Field 6; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic, St. Hilaire (7:30 p.m.) Amoco 24/Pizza Hut vs. Budget Electronics, Field 1; Pepsi vs. Thygeson Construction, Field 6; RC Cola/Taco John's vs. DW's/Anderson Bros., Field 5; Northwest Eye Center vs. Busch, Field 4; St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square vs. Keystone Light/Kainz Chiropractic, St. Hilaire

Thief Lake goose hunt reservations no longer needed

Beginning this year, hunters no longer need to apply in mail to reserve a goose hunting station at the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area, it was announced recently by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

The reservation application system will still be used at the Lac qui Parle Wildlife Management Area in west-central Minnesota, but at Thief Lake, the reservation system has been discontinued due to decreasing numbers of applicants in recent years.

However, hunters still must report to the check station each morning to sign up for hunting stations, which will be assigned at drawings held at 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. daily. All other rules will remain the same as last year.

The drawings will be held only through Oct. 23. After that date, stations will be available on a first-come, first-choice basis.

Additional information can be obtained from the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area, HCR 3, Box 17, Middle River, MN 56737; telephone 218-222-3747.

Although waterfowl season dates will not be officially set until early September, the Minnesota goose season is expected to open Sept. 30. A six-shell limit, shooting hours, and non-toxic shot restrictions will be strictly enforced at both Thief Lake and Lac qui Parle Wildlife Management Areas.

Softball playoffs won by Ridgerunners, Swingers

Best Western Inn Ridgerunners and the Swingers won Division I and Division II titles, respectively, in the 1995 Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League playoffs Saturday.

Both divisional playoffs featured a four-team, double-elimination format. Division I member Sather Law Office did not take part in the event.

Division I Results

■ Round 1 - Best Western Inn Ridgerunners def. Pizza Hut/Amoco 24; B&E/Terrys def. Baker's Acres

■ Round 2 - (winners bracket) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners vs. B&E/Terrys, (loser's bracket) Baker's Acres def. Pizza Hut/Amoco 24

■ Round 3 - (loser's bracket) Baker's Acres def. B&E/Terrys

■ Round 4 - (finals) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners def. Baker's Acres

Division II Results

■ Round 1 - Swingers def. Digi-Key, Musherettes def. Best Western Inn

■ Round 2 - (winners bracket) Swingers def. Musherettes, (loser's bracket) Best Western Inn def. Digi-Key

■ Round 2 - (loser's bracket) Musherettes def. Best Western Inn

■ Round 4 - (finals) Swingers def. Musherettes

District 9 baseball tournament...

TRF VFW beaten twice

Thief River Falls surrendered 29 runs in two games to bow out of the 1995 VFW District 9 baseball tournament for 16-year-olds that began Friday in Fergus Falls.

An early 2-0 Thief River Falls lead turned into a 14-4 Friday loss to Fergus Falls in the first round of the six-team, double-elimination event.

Saturday, Thief River Falls was no-hit by Moorhead in a 15-0 loser-out match-up.

The Thief River Falls VFW team ended the year a 7-27.

TRF - Fergus Falls

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Thief River Falls	200 80	4	6	5
Fergus Falls	340 43	14	13	1

TRF - Stokke (LP) with Skjerven and Jordet pitching in relief. Danarski drove in two runs in the top of the fourth

TRF - Moorhead

		r	h	e
Thief River Falls	000 00	0	0	4
Moorhead	908 0x	15	12	1

TRF - LaRoque (LP)

Moorhead - Fogel (WP) - 0 hits, 3 walks, 6 strike-outs

Park & Recreation Summer Hummer scheduled Aug. 3

Annual Thief River Falls Park and Recreation Department Summer Hummer will be held Thursday, Aug. 3, at Oakland Park.

The activities, scheduled to be held from 5 to 7:30 p.m., will be open to all participants in the Park and Recreation Department-sponsored youth baseball, softball and tennis programs.

Area Sports

Red Lake Falls Invitational men's slow pitch softball tournament will be played Sunday, Aug. 13.

The event is designed for Class D and below teams.

Entry fee for the 16-team tournament is $80, plus a softball.

Tournament directors are Bob Philion, P.O. Box 111, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, telephone 253-4372; and Alois Schmitz, Route 2, Box 142, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, telephone 253-2401.

Women's Softball

Fourth meeting in a two-week span between Division I leaders Best Western Inn Ridgerunners and B&E/Terrys will be the feature match-up today (Wednesday) when the Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League closes out its 1995 season.

Best Western Inn Ridgerunners took a 2-1 edge in the late-season series and gained a one-game lead in the Division I standings by beating B&E/Terrys 13-4 Wednesday (July 26) behind three hits each by Patti Peterson, Shannon Olson and Paula Fanfulik. Olson homered.

Cheryl Johnson was 4-for-4 with a home run, Olson went 2-for-2 and Michelle Erickson was 2-for-3 as the Best Western Inn Ridgerunners began the night with a 13-9 win over Pizza Hut/Amoco 24.

Lisa Hovet, who was 3-for-5, came up with the game-winning RBI in the eighth inning as Baker's Acres came out a 20-19 winner over Pizza Hut/Amoco 24. Angie Hoglo was 4-for-4 with two triples and a double for the winners. Deb Johnson was also 4-for-4; while Michelle Fletcher went 3-for-3, Karen Bakken 3-for-4, Lisa Spiering 3-for-5 with a grand slam home run, and Cheryl Engelstad 3-for-5 with a triple and a double.

Baker's Acres also beat Sather Law Office 14-6 as Doreen Myers went 4-for-4 with a triple and a double, Hovet 3-for-3, Engelstad 3-for-4 with a triple, and Kelly Waswick 2-for-3.

Home runs by Lynette Jackson and Carisa Novacek highlighted the Swingers' 25-2 win over Digi-Key.

The Swingers also defeated the Musherettes 9-8 as Diane Walton went 3-for-3 and Darcy Hanson tripled.

Sheila Hanson had the game-winning RBI in the bottom of the seventh as the Musherettes bounced back with a 16-15 win over Best Western Inn. Colleen Rook had four hits for the winners, while Dee Thompson had three – including a home run.

League members are reminded that the Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League end of the year meeting will be held Wednesday, Aug. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in Room 131 at Northland Community and Technical College.

Division I

	W	L
Best Western Ridgerunners	18	4
B&E/Terrys	15	8
Baker's Acres	14	8
Sather Law Office	7	13
Pizza Hut/Amoco 24	6	14

Division II

	W	L
Swingers	18	6
Musherettes	10	10
Best Western Inn	3	17
Digi-Key	1	18

Results

■ Wednesday, July 26 - (6:20 p.m.) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 13, Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 9, Best Western Inn 13, Digi-Key 7, Swingers 9, Musherettes 8, B&E/Terrys 10, Sather Law Office 0. (7:30 p.m.) Best Western Inn Ridgerunners 12, B&E/Terrys 4, Musherettes 16, Best Western Inn 15, Swingers 25, Digi-Key 2, Baker's Acres 14, Sather Law Office 6; (8:45 p.m.) Baker's Acres 20, Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 19

Schedule

■ Wednesday, Aug. 2 - (6:20 p.m.) Digi-Key vs. Musherettes, Field 1, Swingers vs. Best Western Inn, Field 2, Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 vs. Baker's Acres, Field 3, B&E/Terrys vs. Best Western Inn Ridgerunners, fairgrounds; (7:30 p.m.) Best Western Inn vs. Digi-Key, Field 1, Swingers vs. Musherettes, Field 2, Baker's Acres vs. Best Western Inn Ridgerunners, Field 3, Pizza Hut/Amoco 24 vs. Sather Law Office, fairgrounds; (8:45 p.m.) Sather Law Office vs. B&E/Terrys, fairgrounds

Calendar Winners

July 24 - Missy Taggart, $25, July 25 - Polly Beyer, $25, July 26 - Kristi Lane, $250, July 27 - Sharon Walton, $25, July 28 - Karla Bykluym, $25, July 29 - Cheryl Engelstad, 25, July 31 - Lisa Tvedt, $25.

Women Bowlers will meet Aug. 9

Thief River Falls Women's Bowling Association fall organizational meeting will be held Wednesday, Aug. 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Family Bowl.

All league secretaries should attend the meeting.

For additional information contact Suzanne Peterson at 681-4886 or 681-2516.

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Thieves lose 17-4 game to Gerrell's

Grand Forks Gerrells was an easy 17-4 winner over the Thief River Falls Thieves Wednesday in amateur baseball at Ity Wilson Field.

It was the 1995 regular season final for the 9-5 Thieves.

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Gerrells: Darren Smith (WP); Jamie Hallner 3S with a home run and 5 RBI.
Thieves: Jody Lecker (LP); Barry Dowers (4); Carter Rogers 2-run home run.

Wood turning into cash crop for area timber landowners

Wood as a cash crop is a new idea to some people in this part of the state. For many years the economy of the wood market prevented the utilization of the wood grown here.

However, according to DNR area forest supervisor Vince Buck in Wannaska, that era has passed, and people are beginning to realize that the 10 and 20 acre wood lots that they haven't gotten around to putting into crop production have a value of their own, and loggers are willing to pay a fair price for it.

Increased demand for wood fiber has brought the market to the western fringes of Minnesota. The result is that people are getting a fair return on the wooded acres that are harvested by today's modern lumberjacks. The prices received by the landowner will differ because of variables such as access, the species and quality of the trees, and the regulations imposed by the landowner. If the logging is done by a professional logger, there will be no lasting damage to the residual stand or the next crop of trees.

One of the best pieces of advice for a landowner contemplating selling timber is to seek the advice of a forester, who will give you an accurate estimate of how much wood is on you property and it's approximate value. If your plans for the wooded acres on your property include improving the wildlife habitat, a forester will take that into consideration when they set up a cutting plan.

Foresters can also help with the process of finding reputable loggers and writing contracts between logger and landowner. The expense incurred by the landowner by paying a forester will be repaid by the increase in income from the forested land.

Services of a forester can be obtained by contacting the Division of Forestry office in Wannaska, telephone 218-425-7793. The staff will direct you to a consulting forester, or if one can't be found, they will help you by giving the estimated volume of timber and setting up a contractor to do the logging.

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DNR News

Bowhunter Education

A well-designed voluntary program to educate bowhunters will probably be more successful than a mandatory one. That's the opinion of Bob Anderson, executive director of the National Bowhunter Education Foundation. Anderson expressed that view during a recent Twin Cities area meeting of the Minnesota Bowhunters Task Force.

Anderson said there is a great need for bowhunter education because the sport is growing at a rate of 10 to 15 percent annually across the country. Women who have taken up the sport represent about 30 percent of the increase. Because of this growth, some believe that archers should be required to complete a training course before they are allowed to purchase a bowhunting license in Minnesota.

Anderson argued that the trend is away from mandatory programs across the country because they often result in angry participants and unhappy instructors.

According to Anderson, planning is a key to success. He said states that set goals and then plan and implement a voluntary education program will reach more bowhunters and reach them sooner than states with mandatory programs. He cited efforts in Colorado, where a fledgling voluntary program grew 200 percent in just two years.

The National Bowhunter Education Foundation has produced a kit that states can use to promote their programs. The kits explain the need for bowhunter education and can be used to recruit instructors and participants.

Water Conservation

During times of high temperatures and below normal rainfall, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources urges everyone to monitor their water use and to conserve water whenever possible.

Water for nonessential uses such as law watering and car washing places a high demand on public water supply systems, inhibiting the ability to respond to emergencies such as fires, and to meet other customers' needs, according to Dave Johnson of the DNR Waters Division.

"Wise use of our surface and ground water resources helps to preserve and protect these high quality resources for future and ground water resources helps to preserve and protect these high quality resources for future use and enjoyment," Johnson said.

Conservation measures that can be employed by a household include:

- Water lawns only when it is needed. If walking on a lawn leaves a trail of footprints, it's time to water.
- Water lawns before 9 a.m. or after 6 p.m., because a large portion of the water applied between these hours is lost to evaporation.
- Let grass grown longer; a 2 1/2inch to 3-inch cover of grass shields roots and lowers evaporation. Longer grass also uses less water.
- Water lawns in 10-minute intervals spaced one-half hour apart to allow water to soak into the lawn.
- When doing laundry, set the washer to the appropriate cycle for the load size; do full loads of laundry whenever possible.
- *Shorten the length of showers* or use less water in the bath tub.
- Don't leave the facets running while washing a car, shaving, brushing teeth, or washing dishes.

"Many water utilities have emergency and conservation restrictions," Johnson noted. "Listen to local new reports, read city newsletters, or check with city water utility office for more information."

The DNR monitors river flow levels across Minnesota. When the flow in a river falls below the level necessary for the protection of a stream's water resource value and for protection and welfare of the people, the DNR is required by law to take action to maintain minimum protective flows," Johnson said. "Minnesota law requires water to be saved for domestic and other essential uses before lower priority water items are met.

Fishing clinic will be held in TRF August 9

MinnAqua Fishing Clinic will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. August 9 in Thief River Falls for children ages 8-14. The Clinic will be held in Red Robe Park and will cost each participant $2. Preregistration can be completed by contacting the Thief River Falls parks and recreation office at 681-2519 before August 3.

Attendance at this clinic in Thief River Falls has been one of the highest in the state. MinnAqua was created by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources in 1990 in an effort to teach the recreation, ecology, conservation and ethics of angling. Support from the parks and recreation department and many businesses in the community has made it a successful endeavor in Thief River Falls.

Thief River Falls has taken advantage of this program in an effort to expand and utilize fishing opportunities in the Thief and Red Lake rivers.

Trained instructors will conduct the program, which includes hands-on activities such as fish identification, pop can casting, food web tag, and of course fishing. *Participants* also learn sportsmanship, safety, the basics of water ecology and techniques of fishing.

Trained instructors will include local residents, conservation officers, area DNR representatives, officers of the Pennington County Sheriff's office, the police department, members of Agassiz Environmental Education Committee, and Professional Fisherman Greg Hopps, and "Ernie the Angler" of WDAZ Channel 8 TV.

Hopps is bringing a simulator depth finder. It shows what the bottom of a lake and river look like through a depth finder. He will also show youngsters what a small fish, big fish or school of fish would look like.

In addition to a great day of learning and fishing, many prizes, like lures, tackle boxes and fishing rods, will be given away.

New duck regulation system is embraced

A new system for determining duck hunting regulations that is embraced by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and most states' conservation agencies—including the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources—will likely increase hunting opportunities this fall.

Called adaptive harvest management (AHM), the new system looks at the status of midcontinent mallards and their breeding habitat to propose duck hunting seasons. Three different options, or packages (which vary by flyway), would offer either a conservative, moderate or liberal duck hunting season in regard to season length and bag limit. The AHM method will base season setting and evaluation more soundly in science and less on subjective decisions, say DNR wildlife managers.

Because mallard numbers are at their highest level in 23 years and Canada pond counts are 16 percent above the long-term average, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will likely propose—using the AHM formula—a liberal season package. That would mean a 50-day season with a five-duck daily bag limit in the Mississippi Flyway. Historically, waterfowl regulations nationwide have been primarily based on the status of mallards, which are good indicators of how other duck species are faring.

Although Minnesota supports the AHM method, DNR Wildlife Section Chief Tim Bremicker said the agency will consult hunters and conservation groups before deciding whether or not to accept the USFWS's proposed seasons and limits.

"We believe that AHM is a much better way to develop waterfowl seasons," Bremicker said, "but we always seek hunter input before finalizing a season in Minnesota."

If the USFWS proposes the liberal season, each state will have an opportunity to embrace a more conservative option.

Adaptive harvest management was developed over the past three years by federal and state waterfowl experts to find a better way to set waterfowl regulations. Although the previous season-setting method worked well—restricting regulations when necessary and helping with the waterfowl recovery being seen by biologists today—it was subject to much haggling among state and federal biologists and administrators, who spent considerable time arguing for and against relatively minor changes. These changes, adding just a duck or a few extra days, confused hunters and made it difficult for biologists to evaluate the effects of hunting on waterfowl regulations.

"AHM is driven more by scientific data than the method we used in the past," said Jeff Lawrence, a DNR waterfowl specialist and one of two Mississippi Flyway technical representatives who worked on the new season-setting model. "By using population goals in the North America Waterfowl Management Plan and factoring in the different models on how hunting affects duck populations, AHM should make the regulations-setting process less contentious and less prone to political pressure."

The new method will also help biologists better understand how hunting influences duck populations, which will be valuable information for future season-setting decisions.

Lawrence said that while Minnesota's spring mallard breeding population declined 25 percent from a year ago, duck numbers are up dramatically in most major breeding areas surveyed in May by the USFWS. In addition, the canvasback population jumped 47 percent from last year to 777,000 breeding birds, the highest level since continental surveys began in 1955. Godwalls and redheads have also reached record high numbers.

Excellent water conditions since the spring of 1994, combined with abundant nesting grasslands from the federal Conservation Reserve Program, are largely credited for the population increases. This is the second year in a row that breeding duck populations have risen in the Prairie Pothole Region.

Because Minnesota has in past years recommended or supported conservative waterfowl regulations, some Minnesota hunters might wonder if the DNR is abandoning tradition by embracing AHM. But DNR Fish and Wildlife Division Director Roger Holmes, a long-time advocate of conservative waterfowl regulations, said the state is continuing its tradition of playing it safe with ducks.

"Regulation setting is an inexact science," said Holmes. "We can never know exactly how many ducks can be safely harvested, so we will continue to err on the side of the ducks. AHM doesn't change that one bit."

What will change with AHM, Holmes said, is that waterfowl managers will be able to use biological information more effectively to evaluate how hunting affects duck populations and—over time—to reduce the margin of error they have to work with.

"If the mallard breeding population and May pond counts are high enough, we could support long seasons and bigger bag limits without threatening the health of the duck populations," Holmes said. "If we thought for a second AHM would put ducks at risk, we wouldn't back it."

Early season goose hunting permits are available from DNR

Hunters interested in participating in the special Sept. 2-11 early Canada goose seasons in the Twin Cities Metro Zone, the Fergus Falls/Benson Zone, or the Southwest Zone should submit an application by Aug. 20, according to the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

Application forms are now available at county auditors offices, license agents, DNR Wildlife Section offices, and the DNR License Bureau In St. Paul. Validated permits will be mailed back to hunters. An unlimited number of permits will be issued.

The zones are identical to last year. December hunts are also planned for the Twin Cities Metro Zone and a Fergus Falls/Alexandria Zone – a smaller zone than used for the September season. A permit will be needed for the Fergus Falls/Alexandria December hunt, but the Pergus Falls/Benson Zone permit will be valid for the later hunt, so early season hunters should keep their permit. No special permit is needed for the December Twin Cities hunt.

Hunters may not hunt without 100 yards of surface water during early seasons. Because most hunting in the zones is on private land, hunters are encouraged to get permission from landowners before the season. Daily bag limit for the Twins Cities metro hunt has been increased to five geese this year, from four birds in the past. The possession limit has been increased from eight to 10.

In addition to the special permit, hunters must have a current small game license, federal duck stamp, and Minnesota migratory waterfowl stamp, in accordance with state and federal regulations.

Outdoor News

Watermilfoil Control

Controlling Eurasian watermilfoil is proving to be a formidable challenge, according to the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. Despite aggressive, cooperative control efforts by the DNR, local lake associations and others, the harmful exotic plant has shown the ability to grow and spread within lakes that were previously infested, and within connecting watersheds.

Several lakes that had little milfoil in 1994 have experienced significant increases in the area occupied by milfoil this year. Residents on large lakes with large populations, such as Lake Minnetonka, report that the plant is growing all too well this year.

"The high rate of growth that we are seeing this year is probably due to the hot weather we experienced in June," said Chip Welling, DNR Eurasian Watermilfoil Program coordinator.

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LHS Envirothon team competes

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area, Sarah Huschle specializes in aquatics, Sarah Leach concentrates on groundwater, Philip Nelson deals with the wildlife area and Justin Phillips studies soils.

While team members have their specialties, they meet to review the highlights of their studies and to determine interrelationships within and among the five topic areas.

Henney said that forestry study covers such topics as tree identification; diseases and insects; tree planting, timber cruising and timber harvesting; forest fires and forest management.

In aquatics, Huschle said study areas range from point and non-point pollution to hydrological cycles, invertebrates and fish, aquatic plant life and even water rights.

Sarah Leach said that the groundwater section deals with wells, water uses, septic systems, contamination sources, water tables and aquifers.

In the wildlife area, Philip Nelson said, areas covered include birds of prey, migratory birds including waterfowl, reptiles and some emphasis on specific species such as elk, mule deer and sockeye salmon with a view toward management options.

Justin Phillips said the study of soils includes how soils are formed, texturing, soil types and suitability for use (such as for building or agriculture), slope measurement, erosion, topography and soil map reading.

"The competition will be serious and the questions will be tough," predicted coach Patti Johnson. "We feel we have made a good attempt at preparation, but we don't know what emphasis the questions will cover. And every team competing is a state champion which has earned its way there."

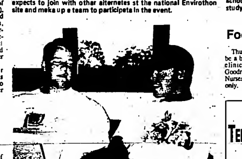
All of the team members agree that their participation in the local and state Envirothon has increased their interest and enthusiasm for beginning their college or university studies. Adam Henney, Sarah Huschle and Sarah Leach are all planning to study biology. Philip Nelson is planning to study engineering and Justin Phillips will enroll in agronomy.

Sponsors for the team as state champion include the state Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR), Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts, Pennington Soil and Water Conservation District, Minnesota Association of Conservation District Employees, Tony Dorn, Inc. and First National Bank of Thief River Falls.

Team members extend their thanks also to local businesses which donated items unique to Minnesota for exchange with other national competitors.

Team member Sarah Leach and alternate Kyle Nelson review materials prior to leaving last Saturday to compete in the national Envirothon in Rexburg, Idaho. Sarah has responsibility for the groundwater area of competition. Kyle must be familiar with all five topic areas. If not needed as a team member, he expects to join with other alternates at the national Envirothon site and make up a team to participate in the event.

Sarah Huschle, whose area of expertise on the Lincoln high school Envirothon team is aquatics, reviews material during a study session Thursday evening.



Envirothon team members from Lincoln high school met Thursday for their final study session prior to leaving early last Saturday morning for the national Envirothon in Rexburg, Idaho. Pictured are team members Justin Phillips (left), who specializes in soils and Adam Henney, whose expertise is in forestry.

Philip Nelson and Envirothon coach Patti Johnson make notes during a final study session Thursday evening prior to leaving early last Saturday morning for national competition at Rexburg, Idaho. Competition is at Ricks College and Harriman State Park. Philip's main area of study for the team is wildlife.

Several speeding cases listed in court reports

Several speeding violations were among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the period of July 20-27.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Curtis Eric Jackson, Stillwater, 55, 68/55, $76; Patricia Joy Osowski, Newfolden, 40, 74/55, $87.50; Jennifer Louise Plante, Crookston, 16, no seat belt, $47.25; Jonathan Gary Erickson, Thief River Falls, 20, littering, $122.50; Nichole Marie Jarshaw, Warroad, 20, 80/55, $99; Marcus Jhanns Jlus Tullemans, Thief River Falls, 29, 76/55, $99; Jesse Allen Cosovan, Red Lake Falls, 48, 65/55, $65.50; Eric Christian Dowers, Goodridge, 18, 74/55, $87.50; Shawn Patrick Martinsen, Thief River Falls, 18, 74/55, $95; Cheryl Ann Meyers, St. Paul, 45, 65/55, $64.50; Mark Steven Moreno, Thief River Falls, 24, 73/55, $87.50; Gary Norman Polonsky, Courtice, Ontario, Canada, 53, 65/55, $64.50; Mary Lynn Klingler, Antioch, IL, 39, 65/55, $64.50; Dorothy Mavis Haugen, Parkville, 58, 75/55, $87.50; Beatrice Dovie Narverud, St. Hilaire, 26, 65/55, $64.50; John Everette Thompson, Longmont, CO, 33, 70/55, $87.50.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Lou Ann Beito, Thief River Falls, 34, issuance of dishonored checks, $40, $355.97 restitution; Chad Lee Erickson, Bagley, 22, 70/55, $87.50; Dawn Marie Swenson, Strathcona, 24, issuance of dishonored checks, $147.50, $66.35 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Shawn Eldon Underdahl, Thief River Falls, 27, falsely reporting a crime, $147.50, 20 days in jail stayed for one year;

Jeremy Lee Altendorf, Eagle Bend, 23, issuance of dishonored checks, $167.50, $56.95 restitution; Patrick Thomas Cullen, Rochester, 28, 70/55, $87.50; Kyle James Moulds, Grand Forks, ND, 19, 70/55, $87.50; Kenny David Schwartz, Thief River Falls, 17, 68/55, $87.50; Richard Anthony Tassler, Ham Lake, 38, issuance of dishonred checks, $142.50, $32.97 restitution; Orvile Paul Winger, Erskine, 31, issuance of worthless checks, $142.50, $103.04 restitution; Jesslyn Keyne Hams, Red Lake Falls, 16, 74/55, $87.50; Charlotte Marie Stebbins, Roseau, 25, theft, $147.50, $405.17 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Daniel Clay Lavalier, Thief River Falls, 20, calendar parking, $50; Daniel Clay Lavalier, Thief River Falls, 20, calendar parking, $50; Daniel Clay Lavalier, Thief River Falls, 20, calendar parking, $50; Shirin Heidi Lamp, Thief River Falls, 22, failure to yield right of way, $122.50; Tom Michael Lara, Sturgeon Bay, WI, 18, disobeyed stop sign, $76;

Jeremy Wayne Breiland, Thief River Falls, 18, failure to yield right of way, $68.50; Dustin Eugene Eddleman, Thief River Falls, 18, 43/30, $87.50; Steven Ray Engen, Newfolden, 24, disorderly conduct, $66.50; Brian Weslie Green, Thief River Falls, 16, 41/30, $76; Carol Joy Hanson, Thief River Falls, 21, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Jack Bennie Hansan, Thief River Falls, 38, 46/30, $87.50;

Tracy Lynn Smsky, Thief River Falls, 23, disobey stop sign, $76; Jared Darryl Comstock, Thief River Falls, 20, disorderly conduct, 10 days in jail stayed for two years; Mark Alan Delnge, Thief River Falls, 31, disorderly conduct, $77.50; David Lee Johnson, Thief River Falls, 27, 55/45, $64.50; Tracy James Kotrba, Thief River Falls, 27, calendar parking, $22.50; Jackie Kay Lappegaard, Thief River Falls, 16, failure to yield right of way, $122.50; Byron Edgar Sagmoen, Thief River Falls, 80, failure to yield right of way, $122.50.

Foot care and blood pressure clinic

Thursday, August 10 there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 9-11 a.m. at the Goodridge Senior Citizen's Center. Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only.

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A weekago Sunday, Ruth Liedberg visited at the Glady's Haarstad home at Newfolden.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Critser visited and were dinner guests at the Ruth Liedberg home on Tuesday.

Sophia Rembeck of Thief River Falls was a visitor at the Ruth Liedberg home on Monday and was also a dinner guest at Ruth's.

Friday afternoon, Mrs. Ronald Dahlen, Kevin and Jerry of Washington and Mrs. Justin Dahlen visited and were coffee guests at the Neil Liedberg home.

Mrs. Ronald Dahlen, Kevin and Jerry of Washington spent a few days visiting at the Justin Dahlen, Dalan Dahlen and David Dahlen homes and with other friends in the area. Monday morning they left for their home.

Sunday, Gena Fjeld and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg to the Christian Academy for their smorgasboard supper in Thief River Falls.

Visitors Saturday evening at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Colleen Thompson and a girlfriend of Bemidji and Jodi Gustafson of Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening supper guests at the Dalan Dahlen home were Mrs. Justin Dahlen, Jim Dahlen and friend Sheryl, Mrs. Ronald Dahlen, Kevin and Jerry of Washington, Jocky Drangstveit, a friend and Tabitha and Chelsey of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Byklum and Dakotah of rural Grygla.

Tuesday, Evelyn Lillo of Roseau was a dinner guest at the Justin Dahlen home. In the afternoon Glady's Rindahl and Corrine Roisland of Thief River Falls visited at the Justin Dahlen home and were all coffee guests.

Sunday, Mrs. Neil Liedberg brought dinner to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlen at their apartment in Thief River Falls. Later Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg of rural Goodridge visited at the Clarence Dahlen home.

Tuesday evening, Mrs. Bob Purdy, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Jodi Gustafson all of Thief River Falls took in Christian Womens at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

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Agder

Marilyn and Roger Nygaard left for their home in Elston, IA on Monday after spending their vacation with Adeline Moe and other relatives in the area.

Bernice and Ray Barth met their friends, Elmer and Alice Munson from Green Valley, AZ at a local restaurant on Wednesday morning and enjoyed having breakfast together.

Bruce and Linda Hanson from Wilmar were weekend guests at the Ruth and Lowell Hanson home.

Sylvia Nelson was an afternoon visitor at the Ethel Nelson home on Thursday.

Doris Kaushagen was a birthday supper guest on Wednesday at the home of Jaon and Doon Kaushagen, Bill and Chad. Later in the evening, Harold and Edith Nobbon brought birthday greetings to Doris.

Bernice Knutson and Ida Rupprecht were among those who took the AAL bus trip to the Forest River Community and to the Myre Museum in Grand Forks on Friday.

Ruth Hanson, Angie Larson, Pearl Nelson and Mary McGlyn from Mentor spent several days last week at the Nelson Cabin at Washkish.

A large crowd attended the Holt Parish picnic held at the Donald and Margaret Rupprecht home on Saturday evening. Everyone enjoyed the potluck supper which was followed by a campfire service led by Pastor Nancy Worner.

Mrs. Terry Clavon and infant son Carlton and her sister were visitors on Friday at the Ethel Nelson home.

Ida Rupprecht was a Sunday afternoon visitor at the home of Alvin, Bernyce and Gaylord Grendstrand near Viking. She brought birthday greetings to Alvin and Bernyce.

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Law enforcement investigates reports of thefts, burglaries

Several incidents involving thefts, and even a robbery attempt were investigated by local law enforcement officials during the past week.

Robbery. On July 26 at 11:17 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report that the night clerk at the Kruse Inn in St. Hilaire had been robbed. She locked up at about 11:10 p.m. and as she was leaving two men approached her and pushed her against the wall of the building. They attempted to take two money bags and her purse. The two money bags were dropped a short distance away, but the woman's purse is still missing. The two men ran into the nearby woods of a shelter belt. They fled when she told them the police were on their way. The incident is under investigation.

Burglary. On July 27 at 9:02 a.m. police received a report of an attempted break-in at Franklin Middle school. Doors had pry marks on them, but entrance to the rooms was not gained. Both doors will have to be replaced at a cost of $1,000.

On July 27 at 6:20 p.m. police received a call from the owner of the Stylon chateau. Someone took the money bag from a storage area. Theft loss is estimated at over $3,000. There were no signs of forced entry.

Thefts. On July 25 at 9:30 a.m. a resident of Greenwood Apartments reported that the speakers from his vehicle had been stolen. They were valued at $240.

On July 25 at 11:33 a.m. an off-duty officer received a complaint that three kids were snooping through cars. They were talked to and all three denied the complaint. One 11-year-old and two 12-year-old boys were cited for theft after officers learned they had taken cigarettes from a truck.

On July 26 the Pennington county sheriff's department issued a complaint against Karen Lynn Griffin, Red Lake Falls, for charges of theft - wrongfully obtaining public assistance, and theft - wrongfully obtaining food stamps, from July to August 1994.

On July 29 at 1:02 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a theft in Silverton township. An air-compressor and weed whacker were taken from a shop area. The theft loss was estimated at $575.

On July 31 at 10:31 a.m. police received a report of a theft from a residence in the 400 block of South Tindolph. Some fishing equipment was taken out of his boat in the back yard of his residence and from the garage. The theft loss was estimated at $260.

Consumption under age. On July 26 at 1:45 a.m. while investigating a theft report on Merriam, officers interviewed some juveniles and determined they had been drinking alcohol. A 16-year-old male, a 15-year-old female, and two 15-year-old males all face charges of consumption under age.

On July 29 at 5 a.m. police were conducting a second investigation and discovered juveniles drinking at a Greenhill Drive residence. Gregory Paul Judes, New York Mills, 20, was cited for consumption under age.

On July 29 at 4:23 a.m. police were on foot patrol when they observed a vehicle having difficulty. When the driver observed the officer she attempted to run away. Shelly Jean Stenberg, 19, was cited for consumption under age.

Accidents. On July 26 at 8:15 a.m. police received a report of an accident on the corner of Third and Arnold. Ervin Carl Pearson, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup south on Arnold, when a vehicle driven by Richard Luvern-Peter Anderson, Viking, was driving a car east on third Street and the vehicles collided. Pearson allegedly went through the stop sign and collided with the Anderson vehicle. Anderson had a cut on his head. His passenger Ione Anderson had a bump on her right side. Pearson was cited for a stop sign violation. Damages were estimated at $300 to the Pearson vehicle, and $1,500 to the Anderson vehicle.

On July 30 at 7:20 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Third and Markley. Bradley John Krantz, Halma, was driving a pickup east on Third Street when a car driven by Tracy Lynn Rendulich, Thief River Falls, which was also going east on Third Street, collided with the rear of the Krantz vehicle. Damage to the Rendulich vehicle was estimated at $2,500. Damage to the Krantz vehicle was estimated at $250. Rendulich had a cut on her forehead. In the Krantz vehicle, Mya Krantz complained of neck pain. Rendulich was cited for inattentive driving.

On July 31 at 3:35 p.m. police received a report of an accident on Brooks Avenue and the Arctco parking lot. Kristi Diane Jorstad, Thief River Falls, was driving a car southbound on Brooks, when her vehicle was struck by a car driven by Mark James Stengrim, Warren, who was eastbound out of the parking lot. Both vehicles were considered a total loss. A passenger in the Jorstad vehicle, Matthew James Jorstad, had head injuries. Mark Stengrim had head injuries. Kristi Jorstad had neck injuries. All were treated and released. Stengrim was cited for failure to yield right of way. Jorstad was cited for no seat belt.

Vandalism. On July 27 at 8:21 a.m. at shop located near Highway 59 south behind Wilson's Car Wash someone spray painted parts of the property, including tractors. Damage loss was estimated at $2,500.

On July 30 at 2:21 p.m. Lee Carriere of Nintendo Queen reported a burglary. Subjects gained entry through a rear window. The total theft loss was estimated at $209 in checks and cash. Damage loss was estimated at $50.

Charge filed. On July 27 at 11:02 p.m. Wayne Henry Lokken, 45, Skime, was arrested by the Koochiching sheriff's department on a warrant issued by the Pennington county sheriff's department on a charge of criminal sexual conduct in the second degree. The charge stems from an incident on September 24, 1994, in the township of Goodridge, and that Lokken allegedly engaged in sexual contact with a person under the age of 13.

Harassment. On July 26 11:25 a.m. Ronald Merle Blue Sr., 38, Thief River Falls, was charged with harassing/stalking, following a complaint of Blue harassing her.

Driving while Intoxicated. On July 29 at 12:39 a.m. the sheriff's department received a complaint of a one-vehicle rollover on State Aid 3 in Bray township. Dwight Angelo Johnson, Redby and New Mexico, was arrested for driving while intoxicated. Damage to the vehicle was considered minor.

On July 28 at 11:18 p.m. an unlicensed motorcycle was observed traveling on Nora with its lights out. When the the officer activated the squad car lights, the motorcycle sped up. It eventually stopped at a location on Greenwood Drive. Jason Henry Aarestad, 21, Thief River Falls, was cited for fleeing a police officer on a motorcycle, and driving while intoxicated.

Drugs. On July 30 at 12:30 a.m. Dustin Jacob Black, Warroad, 18, was cited for possession of a small amount of marijuana after police received a complaint of heavy traffic at an apartment complex. The marijuana was discovered after police received permission to search an apartment.

Old Mill State park picnic draws 1,000

The "Prairie Memories Creamery Picnic" at Old Mill State Park on Sunday, July 30, was attended by approximately 1,000 people. Four autos arrived for the day to be part of "Auto Memory Lane".

Argyle Lions Club served a grilled "chuckwagon" meal and lemonade. The horse shoe tournament with Tracy Safranski officiating, resulted in first place for Jed and Allyn Roley; second place for Margy and Derick Smith, third place for Shirley Johnson and Warren Jadeke. Winners were awarded trophies made by Steve Broten and Harriet Hodne.

The Newfolden Gospel String band members performed from 1 to 2 p.m. Members present included Earl and Floyd Hanson, Beula Bjornrud, Eunice Waterworth, Gordon Bring, and guest Clayton Broten.

Antoine Gingras, farmer and businessman of the mid to late 1800's, entertained visitor's with tales of events that happened in his life. Gingras was portrayed by Virgil Benoit.

More music was provided by Clayton Broten, Robert Broten, Steve Broten, and Gordon Bring after Antoine Gingras left.

Ice cream was donated by the Marshall County Dairy Association and was served by the Valiant Grove 4-H group and Marshall County Dairy Princess Laura Hess.

The Sand Creation contest included sharks, turtles, dolphins, and octopus, and sand castles with all participants receiving a ribbon from the park.

Several groups helped make the event a success including: the Argyle Lions Club, Minnesota Dairy, Marshall County Dairy Association, Marshall County Historic Society, Newfolden Gospel String band, Red River Valley Fiddlers Association, Valiant Grove 4-H club, park staff, friends and volunteers.

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The Second Section

TRF Education Foundation holds meeting

Thief River Falls Education Foundation held its annual meeting on Tuesday, July 11. The foundation is a non-profit organization which promotes continued excellence in K-12 education in Thief River Falls. Grants for projects in District 564 and administering scholarships, as well as promoting alumni activities and in involvement, comprise the Foundation's mission statement.

Cheryl Lee, Steve Olson and Paul Ihle were elected to serve three-year terms on the board of directors of the Foundation. Ihle is an attorney who has served on the Foundation board since its inception in 1990. Cheryl Lee is an accountant and officer of Lee Plumbing and Heating. She also serves on the District 564 school board. Steve Olson is manager of Falls Liquor Store. All three are Lincoln high school alumni.

Outgoing board members, Tom Kays and Doug Dallman, were thanked for their service to the Foundation.

Officers were also elected at the annual meeting: Roger Tunberg, president, Paul Ihle, vice president, Cheryl Lee, secretary/treasurer. Board of Directors include: Gretchen Beito, Ruth Hasnedl, Keith Steva, Jane Mattson, and Heidi Hoks. Judy Dimich serves as executive director for the Foundation.

Cheryl Lee

Steve Olson

Paul Ihle

Sarah Huschle awarded Olson scholarship

Sarah Huschle has been awarded the 1995 Don L. Olson Memorial Scholarship by the Thief River Falls Education Foundation. Sarah is a 1995 honor graduate of Lincoln high school. She plans to major in biology and play volleyball at the University of Minnesota.

"Nunsense" performances scheduled at TR Golf Club

That's Entertainment is proud to present (again) the musical Nunsense August 20 through August 22 at the Thief River Falls Golf Club. Nunsense, written by Dan Goggin, is a hilarious tale of a group of nuns from the order of the Little Sisters of Hoboken. After a "small disaster" the Reverend Mother decides to put on a little fund-raising festivity with the help of Sister Hubert, Sister Robert Anne, Sister Leo, and Sister Amnesia. The night is filled with singing, dancing and even a few surprises.

An energetic cast brings their talents to the production of Nunsense. Deb Jacobson who presently holds the Women's Golf Champion title will be driving her team towards a new destination at the Golf Club. She plays Sister Mary Regina — the Reverend Mother and fearless leader of this motley crew. Her faithful assistant, sister Mary Hubert, is played by Sally Erickson. Flighty Sister Mary Amnesia, a poor wandering soul searching for her true identity, is played by Heidi Hoks. Laura Erickson brings warmth to the order as their newest noviate, Sister Leo. Kari Frisch rounds off the cast as Sister Robert Anne. Frisch also is the cast's director and choreographer.

Accompanying the cast you will find Marilyn Wigness of Thief River Falls appropriately named Sister Mary Melody. Deb Hayes ties everything together as the stage manager and spotlight operator Sister Mary Myopia. Each colorful Sister contributes to this lively kaleidoscope that leaves you begging for more, which is exactly what happened after the first run of performances this past May. When the phone calls kept coming, even a month after the last performance That's Entertainment could hardly say no to the Golf Club's request that we bring back the show this August. After the first two scheduled nights sold out a third performance was added for Sunday, August 20, to accommodate the public's demand. Seating is limited so get your Sunday evening tickets soon.

The evening kicks off with a social hour starting at 6 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. with the show to follow. Ticket prices are $17 which includes the performance and a dinner choice of prime rib or broiled jumbo shrimp. Tickets are available from the Thief River Golf Club. For more information call 681-2955.

4-H Day Camp at Goodridge

Rescheduled because of bad weather on the original date, 4-H Day Camp will be held Monday, August 7, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Goodridge park.

Campers will take part in craft activities and outdoor cooking and learn new songs and games. They should bring a sack lunch and $2 to cover cost of supplies. Junior leaders will serve as counselors.

Number of MN farms increase

The number of Minnesota farms this year is estimated at 87,000, up 2,000 from 1994, according to the Minnesota Agricultural Statistics Service. This increase is due to a change in the farm definition that includes places with five or more horses, except horses in boarding stables and racetracks. Under the old definition, horse only farms were excluded.

Minnesota's total farmland at 29.8 million acres is up 100,000 acres from last year because of the change in definition of a farm.

The average farm size is 343 acres, down six acres from last year.

Number of farms by sales groups in Minnesota showed farm numbers in the $1,000 to $9,999 group at 35,000 up 5,000 from 1994. Numbers in the $10,000 to $99,999 group at 34,000 farms remained the same. Farm numbers in the $100,000-plus group dropped 3,000 to 18,000.

U.S. Highlights. The number of farms in the United States in 1995 is estimated at 2.07 million, up less than half a per cent from 1994.

Total land in farms is 972 million acres, unchanged from last year. The average farm size decreased from 471 acres in 1994 to 469 in 1995.

Estimates for the number of farms and land in farms refer to June 1. A farm is defined as "any establishment from which $1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would normally be sold during the year."

Sister Mary Regina (Deb Jacobson), who is holding the putter, relies on blind faith and help from Golf Club Pro Jim Lawrence, and Sister Robert Anna (Kari Frisch), to make this putt. "Nunsense" will be performed at the Golf Club in Thief River Falls from August 20 to August 22. Tickets are on sale at the Golf Club now. For more information call 681-2955.

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
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Dana Wiseth and Kelsey Johnsrud were overnight guests of Amie's at the Larry Kotrba home on Sunday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen attended the wedding for Nathan Lindberg and Francine Kazmierzak at the Bethany Lutheran church.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Jean Johnson home on Monday evening.

Jean Johnson was a brief visitor at the Marie Naeseth home on Saturday morning.

Thursday, Johnson, Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Jessica and Michelle Johnson had dinner at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sistad of Grygla were visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nephew home in Fertile.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, Hazel Hout, Gladys Langseth, and Joyce Owen, Scott Curtis and Mike were dinner guests at the Phyllis and Billy Wiseth home of rural Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristan visited on Sunday at Ostad Acres near Grygla.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy went to visit Lecia Cullen at the "Good Samaritan Home" in Warren. Later that day they had coffee with Mr. Brad Hovet at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson attended a wedding in Wadena for Jill Stegman and Chad Christianson at the St. Ann's Catholic church in Wadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson also attended the reception at the Cove Inn Club in Wadena then later that night Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were overnight guests at the Curtis Johnson home in Detroit Lakes.

Jodi Adams will be leaving for California on Wednesday after spending some time with her parents, Norman and Marie Adams.

Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Vernon Kallhusen of Thorhult and Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle, Monica were visitors and lunch guests at the Clarence Johnson home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and coffee guests at the Elmer Rustan home of rural Oklee.

Agnes Erdalbas came home on Tuesday after spending three weeks visiting at the Hank Kuznia home in Coon Rapids and the Harry DeBoer home in Spring Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. DeBoer brought Agnes home and they were overnight guests from Tuesday till Friday. Then on Friday Mr. and Mrs. DeBoer left for Grand Forks where they visited with Joyce Myers and they left on Sunday for their home in Spring Lake Park.

Saturday and Sunday, Billy Feragen was an overnight guest of Corey's at the Gene Marquis home.

A family get together was held at the Marie and Norman Adams home on Sunday. Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kotrba and Jason, Jim and Elaine Adams of Reynolds, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Deanna and Dustin, Jim and Bernice Sherry of Crookston, Debbie Alberpeter and Clay of Euclid, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gena, Amie, Nicky and Melinda, Tracy Kotrba and girl friend Paula of Thief River Falls, Jodi Adams, Jami Adams, Dann Adams and Marie and Norman Adams.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and grandson Kyle Iverson of Hallock attended the sale at the Orville Christenson home. Then after the sale Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Kyle and Tony Rubischko were coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home.

Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Solberg, Katie, Holly, Emily and Nicholas of Anoka were visitors and overnight guests at the Bruce Solberg home.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis, Megan and Andrea were visitors and coffee guests at Dick and Marion Marquis home in Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended prayer service for Paul Mutnansky on Thursday evening at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji spent Thursday visiting with his parents the Clayton Johnsrud's. Randy left for Bemidji on Friday.

Monday, Richard Johnson of Foston was a visitor at the Leonard Johnson home.

Clara Peterson was a visitor during the week at the Gene Marquis home.

Thursday night, Mrs. Leonard Johnson visited with June Johnson.

Monica and Michelle Johnson visited with their grandparents the Clarence Johnson's on Monday night.

Lucas Bjerklie was an overnight of Corey's on Friday at the Gene Marquis home.

Michelle and Monica Johnson babysat at the Tony Rubischko home on Saturday night while Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rubischko attended a wedding dance in Plummer.

Monday visitors and coffee guests at the Kelly Dahlen home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson.

Jami Adams of Fargo spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams.

Wednesday evening visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Grandson Kyle Iverson of Hallock, granddaughter Jill Radniecki of Oklee and Alvin Kompen.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited at the Jean Johnson home on Thursday night.

Mrs. Gary Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home Monday morning.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Kyle Iverson of Hallock and Tony Rubischko were visitors at the Leonard Johnson home.

Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Hyldon were visitors at the David Sylvestad.

Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the Clarence Johnson home were Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson and Joanna Johnson.

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Monday,-Tuesday, Aug. 8-9— Christian computer camp begins on Monday at Occision Hills and continues on Tuesday.

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AmeriCorps National Service program members working in northwestern Minnesota will host a conservation tillage demonstration Thursday, August 17, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on the Tim Hvidsten farm on County Road 5 east of Stephen.

The demonstration is conducted in cooperation with the Natural Resources Conservation Service offices in Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake and Roseau counties.

Activities will begin with serving of coffee and doughnuts from 8:30 to 9 a.m. Information sessions will begin promptly at 9 a.m.

The information session will be presented from 9 to 10 a.m. Topics and presenters include: "Practicality of Minimum Tillage in the Northwest" by Ray Thompson, Marshall county extension educator; "Making It Work" by Dwight Peterson, area farmer; and "High Residue and Disease" by Dr. Jochum Wiersma of the University of Minnesota agricultural research center at Crookston.

High residue tillage equipment will be on display and demonstrated following the information sessions. Implements from eight equipment manufacturers will be shown.

A free lunch will be served following the equipment demonstrations, during which those attending the demonstration will be encouraged to inspect the equipment and visit with manufacturer representatives and dealers.

All area farmers, agribusiness personnel and other interested individuals are invited to attend the information sessions and demonstrations.

AmeriCorps is a national service program that engages 20,000 Americans of diverse backgrounds in performing service that meets critical community needs in return for an educational award, which may be used for college, job training, graduate school or to repay existing student loans. The majority of AmeriCorps members are working in partnership with states, local governments and non-profit organizations.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture is running three types of AmeriCorps teams in 38 states, composed of approximately 1,200 members. These include an anti-hunger team, public lands and environment team and a rural development team.

Many of the AmeriCorps projects are sponsored by community-based organizations and all projects are designed to get things done.

Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors paid a courtesy call to Dr. Charles Winjum, who became a family practice physician at the Dakota Clinic - TRF in September of 1994. Pictured from left are: Mike Malby, chamber ambassador, Dr. Winjum, and Bruce Mattson, chamber ambassador.

Roger Tunberg, president of the Thief River Falls Education Foundation, presents the 1995 Don L. Olson Memorial Scholarship to Sarah Huschle of Thief River Falls.

MPCA seeks comment on proposed feedlot rules

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency has begun revising the state rules regulating animal feedlots. MPCA officials said they're seeking public input on the rules and encouraged farmers and others interested in this issue to become part of the revision process.

Since 1968, the MPCA has been responsible for developing standards to protect surface and groundwater from sources of pollution. In the early 1970s, feedlots were included in those sources. Run off or drainage from feedlots can harm water resources by contributing bacteria, silt, and excessive levels of nutrients to them.

The state's feedlot regulations, Minnesota Rules Chapter 7020, were last revised in 1978. Since then, said MPCA officials, agriculture in Minnesota has seen major changes. Animal housing and production methods have changed dramatically, there are more animals on farms than ever before, and much more is known about the potential impacts of feedlots on water quality. The siting and operation of large facilities with thousands of animals and large manure lagoons have become particularly controversial.

In updating the rules to deal with such issues, the MPCA plans to work closely with representatives of both the agricultural sector and environmental groups. Part of that process, officials said, is to seek input on the rule revision from all affected interests.

MPCA officials haven't yet determined the full scope of the rule revision, but issues that are being considered or have been raised include:

- unpermitted manure basins and their effect on groundwater
- abandoned feedlots
- ensuring the facilities reserve financial resources to deal with potential problems
- seepage limits for earthen basins
- manure application and stockpiling requirements
- managing animals' access to public waters
- odor control.

The MPCA is asking for the public's input on these and other issues relating to feedlot regulation through August 11, 1995. An additional comment period will be scheduled later this summer. By the fall, the MPCA will use the comments received to prepare the list of issues to consider in the rule revision. The revision is expected to take about two years, with more opportunities for public participation. A draft rule will be developed by next spring, and public hearings are expected to begin in the fall of 1996.

For more information or to comment on the rule revision, write the MPCA, Water Quality Division, Feedlot Unit, 520 Lafayette Road, St. Paul, MN 55155-4194; or call (612) 295-8481, or toll free (800) 657-3864.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Virginia Hokkanen and her granddaughter, Ashley Muotanan from Virginia, came Thursday to spend the weekend at the home of Martha and Jarvis Torgerson. On Sunday morning, Martha accompanied Virginia and Ashley to Grafton. There they picked up their aunt, Sally Swanson and attended the family reunion picnic in the Grafton Park. In the afternoon they were luncheon guests at the home of Pastor Peter and Beverly Schelabien. When they returned home Bruce and Debbie Williams had an anniversary supper waiting for Martha and Jarvis. Virginia also visited her mother, Tilda Uggerud before returning home on Monday.

Jennifer Fonkert from Oklahoma City hosted a 'Pink and Blue' shower honoring Jill Johnson at the home of Melrene Kaiser on Sunday afternoon. Other guests present were Irene Nelson, Carol Johnson, Irene Johnson, LeVonne Thune, Judy Olson, Mary Jane Paradis, Julie Olson, Sue Nelson, Pam Battleson, Sharyl Johnson, Jana Mattson, Lisa Robson and Benjamin.

Margaret and Donald Rupprecht were among the guests who helped Fred Oallman celebrate his birthday on July 18, at his home.

Mrs. Howard Nelson was a visitor at the Ethel Nelson home on Monday.

Bernice Knutson visited with Mavis Hillyer at the Bill Stock home on Sunday afternoon.

Lois Oalager and David Barth were Sunday evening visitors at the Ray Barth home.

Roger and Merilyn Nygaard and Adeline Moe were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mabel and Eddie Andersons.

Martha and Jarvis Torgerson and Grace Jorde went to Duluth on Tuesday to be with their sister, Sybil Heath. Jarvis and Martha returned home on Friday after attending the funeral for Merlin. Grace remained for a longer visit.

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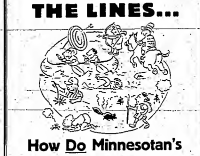

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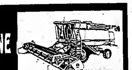

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Are You Misusing Your Child Car Seats? Most Users Are!

If you are a parent with small children and use child car seats as the law requires when they are traveling in vehicles, chances are you think you are doing a good job of protecting your youngsters. You may be doing so, but the odds say you are not.

At a recent child car seat check-up day in St. Paul, 32 car seats were inspected by staff of MN SAFE KIDS Buckle Up!, a program of the Minnesota Safety Council and Minnesota Department of Public Safety. Of the 32 seats checked, 29 were found to be misused and/or unsafe. That is a failure rate of 91 per cent.

At a child restraint clinic in Mankato, Minnesota State Patrol safety officers checked 40 car seats. It was found that 97 per cent were being misused!

Surprisingly, and alarmingly, these results are not unique. Most states nationwide have a child car seat misuse rate of 50 to 75 per cent with some states at 90 per cent. Those numbers don't do much for a person's confidence in relying on child car seats to protect children's safety.

The statistics do not necessarily mean that the seats provide no protection or are a greater hazard than no seats at all, just that they are not being used properly to give the protection they were intended to provide. Still, a 90 per cent failure rate is certainly cause for concern.

Safety of children should always be a primary concern for parents and other adults. A recent survey of parents and other principal caregivers conducted by the National SAFE KIDS Campaign revealed some other interesting findings, most of which are not really surprising. For instance:

- One in three families still doesn't buckle up;
- Four out of five parents believe it is all right to allow children ages nine and under to cross streets alone;
- Almost half of parents with children ages five and under do not always supervise them when they are in the bathtub;
- Two out of three parents report that they do not regularly check the batteries in their home smoke detector;
- Two out of three parents report they do not have their water heater set at a level to prevent scald burns or do not know the temperature;
- Almost three out of five parents with guns in their home report they do not lock them away from children;
- Nearly three out of five parents report that their children play on playground surfaces that can cause fall-related head injuries;
- Almost two out of five parents with children ages five and under do not keep dangerous household cleaners out of the reach of children; and
- Almost half of parents surveyed don't have emergency numbers near telephones or have complete first-aid supplies in the home.

Within these survey results is a reminder of the importance of thinking about child safety and making the effort to do what is possible to prevent placing children in circumstances where they could be injured. Injuries to children always seem to be especially tragic.

Who Is Regulating The Regulators?

One of the promises made by the current Congress is relief from the overload of paperwork caused by government agency regulations. It has passed a 45-day congressional review procedure for regulations and now is working on the Comprehensive Regulatory Reform Act of 1995—said to be the most extensive collection of regulatory relief measures to be considered by the Senate in decades.

Why is such legislation necessary? Because agencies have been allowed to continually create new reporting requirements which are added to previous regulatory forms. Sen. Rod Grams of Minnesota said he received an impressive photo from a small business owner in Minnesota. The owner is standing behind a pile of paperwork that reaches up to his nose. The man operates a business that grossed less than $80,000 in 1994 but had to deal with filling out more than 2,400 pages of federal forms.

Not all businesses are affected to that extent, but the cumulative cost of the federal regulatory burden has been estimated between $600 billion and $850 billion a year. Even at the $600 billion figure the cost represents about $6,000 for every household in America. There is no question that excessive regulations have sent billions of dollars of U.S. investment and tens of thousands of jobs out of this country.

Many agencies are involved but the ones mentioned most frequently are the Internal Revenue Service, Food and Drug Administration, Environmental Protection Agency and Federal Communications Commission.

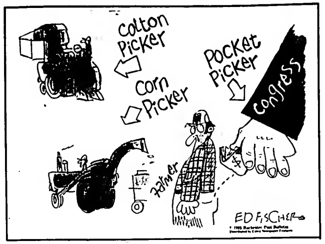
Sen. Grams explains his views of the Regulatory Reform Act as follows:

"First, it would apply cost-benefit tests to federal regulations. Cost-benefit analysis performs two critical functions in making regulatory policy 'user friendly.' It screens out rules which are clearly excessive, thus counteracting the often overzealous tendencies of certain regulatory agencies. And it provides a productive and open framework for debating the merits of regulatory policy.

"The second objective of the regulatory reform bill would be to base health, safety and environmental rules on scientific—rather than political—assessments of risk. All too often, regulations are implemented without any legitimate evidence of danger. And finally, individuals would be granted legal recourse against regulatory agencies that have ignored the risk assessment and cost-benefit requirements.

"Of course, we need to continue to take steps to protect the environment and promote better health and safety standards in this country," Sen. Grams adds. "This Congress will ensure that the progress we've made in leaving our children a cleaner, safer world will not be undone. But by freeing American job providers from the burden of over-regulation, we'll empower them to focus their time and valuable resources on environmental upgrades that truly improve our lives, and not simply create work for another desk-bound bureaucrat in Washington."

That sounds good to us. Any bets on the results?



Jeannine Fortin, M.D., recently joined the medical staff at Dakota Clinic - TRF in Thief River Falls. Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors paid her a courtesy call at the hospital to welcome her to the community. Pictured from left are Bruce Mattson, chamber ambassador, Dr. Fortin, and Mike Melby, chamber ambassador.

Area students graduate from NDSU in Fargo

A number of students from northwestern Minnesota were among 1,800 students to graduate at spring commencement exercises from North Dakota State University at Fargo. Graduates and their degrees include the following:

Timothy Hapka, Argyle, BS; Michelle Curfman, Fosston, BS; Louise Hall, Fosston, MA; and Aimee Lilio, Fosston, PHARM D; Jami Adams, Goodridge, B ARCH; Jonathon Sundby, Karlstad, BLA; Matthew Johnson, Kennedy, BS; and Casey Johnson, Middle River, BS;

Also Deon Wawrzyniak, Newfolden, BS; Christopher Stich, Red Lake Falls, BS; Robert Novak, Deaune Smedsmo and Chad Wold, Roseau, BS; Brian Jensen, Brent Jergenson, Michael Larson and Steve McGlynn, Stephen, BS; Jessica Nelson, Thief River Falls, PHARM D; and Nathan Fausher, Warroad, BS.

Country music jam session at Fosston Sun.

Monthly country music jam session will take place Sunday, August 6, beginning at 1 p.m. and continuing into the evening at the Embassy Community Center in Fosston. Potluck supper will be served at 5 p.m.

All who play musical instruments are invited to participate. Individuals and small groups will perform in the afternoon and large groups in the evening. Listeners are also invited and there is no admission charge.

No country music jam session is scheduled in September because of the annual threshing bee at Rollag. For more details contact Rodney Myhrum at 218-435-6913 evenings.

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Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Adeline Pravost of Gklee came and got her sister Rose Aaknes for the Senior Citizen program on Friday afternoon. They called on Lillian Tanem and her granddaughter Paulette Tanem at Oak Creek, WI. They were luncheon guests with Al and Vi Radniecki. They also visited with Dean Radniecki of Hoyt Lakes who is spending the weekend with his parents, Al and Vi Radniecki at Gklee.

On Sunday, Wade and Roxy Bakke hosted a birthday dinner in honor of their son Weston, who turned 2-years-old. Besides them and the honored guests was his sister, Samantha. Great grandma Rose Aaknes of Trail, Great Aunt Adaline Pravost of Gklee, Grandparents Andrew and Marion Grondahl of Fosston, Great-grandma Helen Bakke, Grandparents Wayne and Kathy Bakke and uncle Kurt Bakke all of Gonvick.

Wayne and Kathy Bakke of Gonvick were mowing the yard for her mother, Rose Aaknes on Friday evening. Other callers on Rose were Omer and Sylvia Oually of Las Vegas, NV.

Hazel Nelson took in the Senior Citizen program on Friday afternoon at Oklee

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Business is quiet, everybody is waiting for the harvest.

—Two tramps tried to rob Ales Oldham in the Great Northern yards on Tuesday and both received a good whipping.

—A party of our young bicyclists visited Red Lake Falls on Sunday last. The roads were not very good and the boys were just a little weary with their 40 miles travel.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Articles of incorporation for the Thief River Falls Transfer and Storage company have been drawn up, which will make this city a major distributing point for farm machinery. Incorporators are C. L. Dobner, H. G. Dobner, W. A. Murphy and W. J. LaBree.

—It is now certain that Thief River Falls will become a Soo Line passenger-freight division point when the line from here to Kenmare, North Dakota is completed.

—F. H. Kratka returned from a visit to Thorsby, Alabama, a town made up chiefly of Norwegian emigrants from Minnesota.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Thomas H. Smith, publisher of the Thief River Falls Times, was arrested and charged with promoting an illegal contest with prizes for persons securing the largest number of subscriptions to the paper.

—The second chautauqua to be held in this city ended yesterday after five days of entertainment.

—A fire in the electrical sign at the Minnesota Candy Kitchen was apparently caused by a short circuit.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—F. F. Haynes, local real estate dealer, was named appraiser for the Department of Rural Credit.

—Representative Knud Wefald will speak at a picnic sponsored by the People's Co-op store.

—The Boys' band will perform at the Central school tonight.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Arnold Wiegand has bought a 600-acre tract for a sheep ranch.

—The annual Farm Bureau picnic drew 1,000 people.

—City council voted to buy a 1,000-horsepower Busch-Sulzer diesel engine at a cost of $59,643.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—A petition was filed in district court for the creation of a drainage and conservancy district in connection with the projected work on the Red Lake and Clearwater river channels.

—Judge Oscar R. Knutson naturalized 22 persons in district court here.

—W. E. Dahlquist described his recent tour of the European battlefields at a meeting of the Lions club.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—About 350 persons are expected to attend the annual state Women's Christian Temperance Union convention to be held here August 9-11.

—Fire damaged the women's building at the fairgrounds to the extent of about $2,000.

—Barbara Droppo, Northwest Dairy Princess, was guest of the chamber of commerce at its Thursday luncheon.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—St. Pauli Lutheran church of Hazel will observe its 70th anniversary Sunday.

—Familiar S & L store in Thief River Falls has undergone a change and has been renamed Bostwick's, announced store manager C. R. Waldera.

—Five Thief River Falls youths spent a couple of hours last night watching a blinking light in the sky; they believe the object may have been a "flying saucer."

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—After 23 years on the Thief River Falls police force, Eltan Cummings announced his retirement.

—Good crowds, good weather and good quality and quantity of exhibits marked the 74th annual Pennington county fair as a success.

—Family histories from Pennington county are being sought for a historical book to be published by the local historical society.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—First place in the Crazy Days Costume contest in Thief River Falls was shared by Gladys Anderson and Beatrice Svir, employees of Gary's Rainbow Bakery, who were nattily attired in paper flour sacks.

—First street bridge construction is expected to begin next week.

—Open house will be held August 11 at the Pioneer Village, on Oakland Park Road.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4387

Esther Rindahl went with her daughter, Gail back to New Richmond, WI to spend some time. While there they visited with Trudy Olson from Arizona and Yvonne Hedlund from Anoka and she also spent the night with her sister Verna Goro in St. Paul. Gail took her mother back to Hibbing and she visited with Diane Rindahl and Susan Olson and family. When they got to Hibbing they said they had had a severe wind storm that had uprooted trees and broke off many branches and had no electricity at the time they visited there.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rindahl were dinner guests at the David Arnason home on July 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrack spent Sunday at the Bud and Irene Wishard home. They also called on Allen and Mable Erickson in the evening.

Faith, Rebekah and Jacob Ulowelling of Wisconsin, Paula, Luke Stromma spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrack. Lori Ulwelling, Ben and Lydon will come and got the children, July 30th and spent Friday with her parents.

Visitors and callers at the Arnold Haugen home on Sunday were Pastor Faugstad, Ardith Kioth, Kim and Adam Riffle, Lois Burstad, Sharron and Gary Johnson, Arlene Pickerd.

Arnold Haugen is on the sick list. Those who have visited with him at his home during the week were Willie and Jane Good, Orben Good, David and Darren Arveson, Ernest and Lorraine Mostrom, Gary, Sharron and Brian Johnson, Lois and Bob Burstad, Linda and Bud Homme, Ardith Kioth, Kim and Adam Riffle, Clara Peterson, Joni, Kelly and Emily Bjerklie, Orville and Gertrude Christianson, Jesse Casavan, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mostrom, Terry Haugen, Gilva Berg, Dorothy Haugen and Harriet Emarson, Bruce Burstad, Graham and Jordon.

On July 21st, Gertie Haugen of Goodridge hosted a birthday party for Corrine Haugen and Corella Thorbeck. Attending along with the hostess and honor guests were Amy and Mark and Milton Haugen, Paul and Ted Thorbeck and Arlene Pickard. Happy Birthday Corrine and Coralla.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Haugen of Hibbing came to the Arnold Haugen home Friday evening and returned to their home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Haugen of Apple Valley also came there Friday evening and stayed till Saturday evening when they left for their home.

Coralla, Paul and Ted Thorbeck of Plymouth and Milton Haugen of Moorhead, spent the week at the Orville Christianson home preparing for the auction sale. Milton was a guest of his mother Gertie Haugen of Goodridge during the week. Corrine and Mark of Moorhead and Amy Haugen of Minneapolis (a University of Minnesota student) and Arlene Pickard of Camas, WA; arrived at the Christianson home Friday night before the sale. Many neighbors, friends and relatives attended the sale and also helped during the sale.

On Saturday at noon Andy and Cheryl Achman, Katie, Michelle and Heidi of Anoka, Brenda and Joe Burla, Dianell and Ryan of Mt. Iron, came to the Arnold Haugen home to visit with their grandparents. Later in the afternoon they had a picnic supper. Sharron Johnson and Lois Burstad, Bud and Linda Homme, Orrin and Janice and Steve and Angie Haugen, Mishawn Shaske joined them. The little grandchildren enjoyed coming to see the grandparents which they had not seen for a year and a half. They Achmans, Burla and Steve and Angie left for their homes Saturday evening.

Pastor Faugstad, Joe, Anna, Katie and Madaline visited at the Arnold Haugen home on Thursday forenoon.

Arnold Haugen received several calls from friends during the week. Fred Knutter of Chicago, IL, Alverda Noel, Harlan Mostrom, Ella Mostrom, Marlys Drangstvelt, Edna Hawk, and Orrin Haugens.

Strandquist

Sunday dinner guests at Isaac and Betsy Thompson's were Polly Stevenson, Florence Strom, Nelson LaDoux, of Thief River Falls, Jahn and Gladys Simchuck of Park Rapids and Robert and Cathy Andrew and Lisa Thompson.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — August 2, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Distribution of '45 Directory of City in Progress

"Thief River Falls has a new city directory regardless of wartime handicaps. It is the first since 1940. The 1945 edition now being delivered to subscribers by R. L. Polk & Co. is a handy volume of 234 pages listing 3,760 names. This count considers the names of man and wife as only one name and eighteen was continued as the minimum listing age. Prominent through the pages of the directory are the names of service men and women, some of them now returning to civilian life."

State Analyzes County's 7th War Loan Purchases

"The Minnesota War Finance committee this week released an analysis of bond purchases by Pennington county residents exclusive of commercial banks, in the Seventh War Loan campaign. Purchases were as follows: 7/8 per cent notes, $135,350; one and one half per cent, $30,500; two and one quarter per cent, $9,500; two and one half per cent, $62,770; savings notes, $80,625; Series E, $358,411; Series F, $18,629; Series G, $30,800; total $726,585."

New Ration Books To Be Distributed

"Price Administrator Chester Bowles announced last week that the new food and gasoline rationing books will be distributed in December. The new book No. 5 will be issued at schools and other public buildings throughout the nation from December 3 through 15. It will contain stamps for meats and fats, processed foods, sugar and shoes."

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Helen Walker
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Pennington County Leader in Waste Paper Salvage

"The Minnesota Salvage committee announced last week that, with a quota of 126,996 pounds, Pennington county had salvaged a total of 175,469 of waste paper during the six-month period ending June 30, leading all of the nine counties in this district with respect to percentage of attainment of quota."

Swedish Sermon Sunday at Evangelical Church

"Evangelist A. B. Ost of Palisades Park, New Jersey, will speak in the Swedish language in the Evangelical Free church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. O. Jacobsen, pastor, stated today."

—To Grundy Aakhus goes the distinction of heading the list of names in the new Thief River Falls city directory now being distributed.

—Newspaper men loyal to their craft are unanimous in their praises of Governor Thye's new secretary, the former editor of the Northfield News.

—Britain's new prime minister has a job cut out for him if he's going to fill Churchill's shoes.

—President Truman's biggest task, says a Kansas editor, will be to convince the American people that there is no Santa Claus.

—The U.S. may be caught off base later on if we don't hang on to those hard won bases in the Pacific.

—Detroit, Michigan men, we read, are wearing women's panties. Well, why shouldn't they? Plenty of women are wearing men's pants.

—Congressman Gallagher of Minneapolis says too many of his colleagues talk too much and say too little. He should know.

—Judging by recent presidential appointments, it now really means something to be able to say I'm from Missouri.

—The trouble with the nation's economy these days is that there are too many striking examples.

—Les Nelson of the Mahnomen Pioneer wonders how women in the armed services can stand to wear the same hat for so long a time.

—We must be dumb: we can't figure out the meaning of half of the insignia worn by returning service men.

—Gloomy thought: And now with the county fair out of the way, it seems that summer is about over.

—It's a long time since the garden hose and sprinkler got such a light workout as this year to date.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — July 31, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"C. G. Rapp went to Crookston last Monday to hear Mark Twain speak.

"The weather the past week has been perfect and the crops are doing fine.

"Rev. Hillman and Rev. Ostad of Crookston were in town this week. Rev. Ostad will take charge of the Norwegian Lutheran Church here and at Thief River Falls in the future.

"The Scandinavian American Museum came up today from Red Lake Falls by team. They placed their mummified Norse Giant on exhibition for several hours while waiting for the train."

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Beatrice Hanson of DelRay Beach, FL spent several days visiting at the Lloyd and Lorraine Mercil home, a high light of her visit here was Ron's tour he gave her of Paradis Antiques, being herself very interested in Antiques.

Eddie and Mary Walseth of Thief River Falls, Fred and Tammy Paradis and Ronda and Karblo were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Joann Delage.

Lloyd and Lorraine Mercil spent two days at the Tom and Joyce Branson Cottage near Mora visiting and enjoying the nice weather and got to see Lorraine's aunt who she had not seen in 26 years.

Saturday evening guests of Russell and Charyll Hince were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Riel, Kyle and Christa of Cloquet, Mrs. Lillian Hince, Evangeline Grove, Joy Torkelson and girls of Plummer.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. John Jorgenson of Red Lake Falls visited with Dick and Grace Reck.

Harvey and Mamie Riendeau, Mrs. Dianna Davis of Grand Rapids and her daughter Brenda Markham of California were Sunday evening guests of Ben and Ethel Riendeau at Maple Lake.

Plummer

Bunny DuChemp and Dorothy Myhre were afternoon and supper guests at Edna Hyde.

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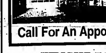

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• EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION TEACHER •
• PARENT EDUCATION COORDINATOR •

Appropriate licenses will be required. Applications will be accepted until August 18, 1995.
APPLY TO
Salvinus Hoffert, Grygla Public School, Box 18, Grygla, MN 56727

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For Rent

FOR RENT- 2 to 3 bedroom house, Aug 1, $336.00 month, 681 1108 2t62p

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT, upstairs across from McDonald's on Hwy 59 South, Thief River Falls 465 4298 or 466 4312 81tfc

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2-BEDROOM MOBILE home, large lot, no pets, deposit, references, lease, non-HUD, 681-2863. P4t64p

FOR RENT- Large 2-bedroom apartment, 2-bedroom trailer, call 681-5308 or 681-8723. P4t62p

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For Rent

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FOR SALE- 1972 14x70 mobile home on 3 lots, 2-bedroom, 2-bath, single car garage, excellent shape, 218 253-2946. P8t61p

FOR SALE- 14x70 3 bedroom mobile home on nice, large fenced-in lot. Nice trees, entryway, deck and shed. Appliances and curtains stay, lot included. Call 681-4005 after 4 p.m. P4t62p

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Real Estate

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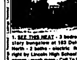

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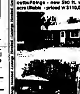

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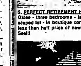

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Machinery

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FOR SALE [illegible] P4t64p

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Machinery

FOR SALE- [illegible] John Deere combine [illegible] 964-5441. 2t62

FOR SALE- [illegible] combine [illegible] 4 speed [illegible]

FOR SALE- [illegible] auger [illegible] hopper [illegible]

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BMU CHICKS for sale [illegible] 5 months [illegible]

Hay, Feed, Seed

FOR SALE- First crop alfalfa hay in large square bales, prime hay, RFV 172-186 [illegible] 3870. P4t62c

Farm Miscellaneous

FOR SALE- [illegible] trailer, good condition, new [illegible] and paint, $500.00, 964-5212. P4t62c

FOR SALE- John Deere [illegible] manure spreader, good condition, $400.00, 964-5212. P4t62c

Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, Aug. 5, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., 938 S. Crocker Ave. clothing, household tools, misc. 2t62p

GARAGE SALE- Thurs. Aug. 3, Fri. Aug. 4, 512½ Duluth. Changing table, dishes, coffee maker, toys, knickknacks, lots of clothing, misc. [illegible]

RUMMAGE SALE- Children's and adult clothing, toys, misc. 401 South Markley. Saturday, August 5, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. 2t62p

LARGE GROUP Rummage Sale- Furniture, men's, women's and children's clothing. Lots of miscellaneous items. Aug. 5, 8-4. 709 Champagne Ave. Red Lake Falls. 2t62p

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, Aug. 5th. Beginning at 8:00. Good school clothes, kids in sizes 6-16. Also teen sizes boys and girls, men's and women's clothing, small furniture, boots, skates, roller blades and other misc. items. 509 1/2 East 7th Street. 2t62p

GARAGE SALE- Friday, Saturday, Aug. 4-5, 8:00-5:00. 504 South Arnold. Clothing all sizes, baby items, Avon, lots of misc. 2t62p

Garage Sale – Sat., Aug. 5
Davidson Drive, 1 Mile S. on 32.
Road Marked
Clothing - children' Newborn thru 6, men's women's, canning jars, waterbed frame, toys, misc.

RUMMAGE SALE- Sat., Aug. 5th, clothes, books, girls bike, roller blades, gun cabinet, curtains, exercise bike, entertainment center, bookshelf, roller skates, coats, bed frame, weed eaters, misc., 106 Nora. 2t62p

Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE- 815 & 823 N. Arnold. Sat., Aug. 5, 8:00 to 5:00. Microwave, religious albums, radio, bed frame, gas grill, crafts, home decor, child table and chair set, kitchen table, color monitor, rail [illegible], clothes of all sizes, misc. 2t62p

GARAGE SALE- Friday, Aug. 4, 7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. and Sat., Aug. 5, 7:00 a.m.-Noon. South on Airport Road to Riverland Trail, 11th house on the right. Sectional couch, antique china hutch, dishes, boy's, men's, and women's clothing, hockey equipment, waterbed and lots of miscellaneous. 1t61p

Moving - Garage Sale
Thurs., Aug. 3rd – 7 a.m.-6 p.m.
901 S. Crocker Ave.
Chairs, Table, Couch, Dinette Set, Dressers, Few Odds-n-Ends

SIX FAMILY Garage Sale. 503 East 1st Street. 8:30-3:00. Saturday, August 5. Quality back to school children's clothing, especially boys 8-10, girls 12-14 junior, toys, books, sports cards, desk, trike, bikes, baby equipment, stroller, much household. 2t61p

MOVING SALE- Aug. 3 & 4, 9-6 p.m., 705 N. Daway. Brand named junior clothing, Lil Tykes, Fisher Price, videos, CD's. 1t61p

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Aug. 5, 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m., 1210 Greenhill Drive, on the corner of 13th Street. Ladies clothing from small through x-large. Tall, large men's clothing, some tools, furniture, lamps, bike, light fixtures, old claw foot bathtub, sheets, drapes, towels and much more. 1t61p

HOUSEHOLD SALE- Thurs., Friday, Aug. 3 & 4. Thurs. 10:00-6:00 p.m., Fri. 9-5 p.m. Bedding, glassware, household items, clothing, bikes, lots of misc. 3-1/2 miles east on Hwy #1. 1t61p

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, August 5, 8 a.m.-3 p.m., 2 miles south on Hwy 32, 1st left on Davidson Drive, Thief River Falls. Ski rowing machine, twin bed frame and mattress, love seat, full size headboard and frame, console TV, room size oriental rug, ironing board, new carpet, overstuffed chair, formica countertops, boy and girl toys for all ages, children's, teens' and adult clothes in good condition, priced very cheap, misc. too numerous to mention. 1t61p

RUMMAGE SALE- Lots of good tools, small appliances, etc. Friday-Sat., Aug. 4-5, James Johnson, 723 N. Arnold. 2t62p

GARAGE SALE- Aug. 4 & 5, 9-6, on west side of St. Hilaire. Brand name boys and girls clothes, newborn and up, adult clothing, toys, entertainment center, swimming pool, aquarium, much more. 1t61p

GARAGE SALE- 532 South Merriam, Sat., Aug. 5th, 5:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. No early sales! Women's sizes 5-10, some men's, knickknacks, household items, lots of misc. 2t62p

GARAGE SALE- Friday, Aug. 4th, 8-4, young ladies, men's, girls, some infant, boys Arctic jackets and misc., in Holt, South of Davidson shop, roads will be marked. 2t62p

Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Aug. 5, 9-4 p.m., 908 Oakland Park Road. Antique plates, quality clothing for larger women, items are top notch, don't miss this sale. 1t61p

GARAGE SALE- Friday, August 4th, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, August 5th, 9 a.m. to Noon. 618 Taft Street East. Household, clothes, toys, typewriter. 2t62p

5-PARTY GARAGE SALE- Sat., Aug. 5th from 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at twin garages of 814 S. St. Paul. Completely different set up from last week. Parkas, denim jackets, men's flannel, Pendleton and Chambray shirts, ideal for farm and construction workers. Assortment of snow boots, sweaters, women's coats, dresses, skirts, blouses, boys' and girls' clothing, all sizes, toys, dolls, bikes, carpet, 2 recliners. 2t62l

Lost And Found

LOST- ENGAGEMENT ring, July 31st, near St. Bernard's Church, call collect, 218-696-4225. 1t61f

Motorcycles-ATVs

FOR SALE- 1985 Suzuki GS 450L motorcycle, 2500 actual miles, cherry red, cherry condition, call 964-5000. P4t62p

1974 YAMAHA 250 MX, fair condition, call 681-7706 or 681-6262. P4t64p

FOR SALE- 1985 Suzuki 185, ATV, two new tires, for parts, $150.00, 964-5212. P4t61p

1991 BANSHEE 4-wheeler, excellent condition, priced to sell, call 681-2058. P4t62p

FOR SALE- 1993 Polaris Trail Boss, 250, 4-wheeler, new battery and new tires, excellent condition, 218-523-4955. P4t62p

FOR SALE- 1994 Honda XR 650L, asking $3,500.00, call 463-9445. P4t63p

Campers

CUSTOM BUILT Dreamer Class C motor home, '77 Dodge, 360, runs great, micro, dual air, awning, screen enclosure, more and more, $8,995.00 or best offer, 218-528-3368. P4t64p

FOR SALE- 1986 24-ft. Shasta camper, very good condition, 218-294-6381. 2t62p

1981 PALOMINO Pop-up camper, sleeps 7, very good condition, asking $1,450.00. Call 681-3577 after 6:00 p.m. P4t61p

TRAIL BLAZER, 11 1/2-ft. pickup camper, self-contained, sleeps five, 2-way refrigerator, hot water heater, gas stove, furnace, 681-7630. 61tfc

Sporting Goods

200 HONDA 3-wheeler, Jennings compound cross bow, 150 pound, 218-268-4374. 2t61p

1977 SILVERLINE boat, Inboard/outboard, 120 h.p., roller trailer, excellent shape, $3,500.00 or best offer, 681-1692. P4t61p

Sporting Goods

FOR SALE- Fishing boat, 21' Browning, 190 h.p. Mercury, inboard/outboard, $2,900.00/o.b.o. Call 701-772-4161

Snowmobiles

FOR SALE- 1995 Polaris XLT Special, with paddle track, 780 miles, $4,800.00, call 463-9445. P4t63p

Autos, Trailers

'90 CHRYSLER LeBaron convertible, 4-cylinder turbo, fully loaded, 75,000 miles, $4,900.00/o.b.o., trades accepted, 681-5368. P4t64p

FOR SALE- 1989 Dodge Dakota, 4x4, a.t., p.b., air, cruise, auto, good condition, $7,495.00, 681-6490. 1t61p

FOR SALE- Heavy-duty car tote trailer, in very good condition, 681-5748. 1t61p

FOR SALE- 1983 Olds. Cutlass Ciera, 4-door, with V-6 engine, high mileage, in very good condition, $1,800.00. Call 681-3360. 59tfc

FOR SALE- 1993 GEO Prizm, 5-speed, teal, very nice, $8,700.00. 218-463-3135. P4t62p

'86 PLYMOUTH K-Car, station wagon, 218-268-4374. 2t61p

FOR SALE- 1986 Chev. Celebrity, 4-door, in mint condition, p.s., p.b., air, tilt, AM/FM, new tires, 83,000 miles, asking $5,200.00. Call 674-4673 after 8 p.m., ask for Jenny. 4t61a

FOR SALE- 1984 Volkswagen Quantum, 4-door, 30 m.p.g., nice shape, $1,000.00, call 681-5873. P4t62p

FOR SALE- 1984 GMC 4x4, 1/2-ton pickup, 305 engine, good rubber, high miles, call 874-3325. 4t61f

1996 CHEVY Lumina Euro, air, tilt, cruise, AM-FM cassette, p. windows, p. locks, anti-lock brake system, good tires, mint condition, 68,000 miles, asking $7,650.00. Call 681-6720, no answer, please leave message. 8t63c

TWO 228 CHEVY V-6 engines and trannies. No.1 runs great - uses no oil - with elect. 350 turbo trans. Other runs good - high miles - uses some oil - with elect. 350 turbo trans. $500 for all or best offer. Call 681-6344. 2tfe

1985 GMC utility van, $2,000.00; 1980 Chevrolet Chevette, $350.00, 964-6878.

FOR SALE- '86 Dodge Ram 50, 4x4, 5-speed, nice shape, $3,200.00, 681-1703.

FOR SALE- 14-seat bus; 1978 Chev., 6-ft. 2" auger, 681-5462 or 681-7705. 4t63l

FOR SALE- 1989 Cavalier, blue, 4-door, good condition, asking price, $2,800.00, call 681-1780. P4t62p

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1986 DODGE Caravan, 7-passenger, good condition, $3,400, 681-2893.

FOR SALE- 1962 Buick Regal; $1,200.00. 681-1426. P4t61p

FOR SALE- 1978 Oldsmobile Delta 88, good body, interior, excellent runner, air, tilt, cruise, $700.00. 1961 Willies Jeep, 4x4, 1-ton with duals, 8-cylinder, $600.00. Call 681-4529 anytime. 2t62p

FOR SALE- '88 Pontiac Firebird, loaded, V-6, 4-speed, auto., new tires, T-tops, factory painted in '94. New American racing wheels, blue metallic, $3,800.00/o.b.o., 386-1749. P4t64p

1993 BUICK LeSabre, Limited, loaded, 52,000 miles, Arizona car; 1992 Ford Taurus, 4-door, loaded, 50,000 miles; 1992 Plymouth Acclaim, 4-door, 40,000 miles; 1992 Oldsmobile Delta 88, 4-door, nice car; 1990 Chrysler LaBaron, 4-door, V-6, 53,000 miles; 1092 Ford Tempo, 4-door, loaded, 83,000 miles; 1089 Buick Skyhawk, 4-door; 1989 Pontiac Grand Am, 2-door; 1984 Mercury Marquis, 4-door; 1992 Metro GEO, 2-door, 5-speed; 1958 Mercury Topaz, 4-door. Dane's Machine, Erskine, 215-687-5226. P4t64p

88 GRAND Caravan SE, air, cruise, p.s., e.t., stereo, 523-4481 after 5:00 p.m. P4t64p

FOR SALE- 1083 Chev. Conversion van, p.s., p.b., a.c., nice condition, call 218-681-2010. P4t62p

1983 CHEVY Cavalier, 4-door, 4-cylinder with 4-speed, high miles, some rust, runs great, $600.00. Call 681-5821 after 4:00 p.m. 6t67p

FOR SALE- '85 Chrysler New Yorker, white in color, best offer, car is in good shape, 218-745-5535. P4t63p

FOR SALE- 1980 Toyota Celica, black, 5-speed, jacked up, good runner, great gas mileage, new clutch, asking $1,450.00, 796-6822. 2t62p

FOR SALE- 1988 Chevy Celebrity, 4-door, a.c., tilt, cruise control, AM-FM stereo, 29,000 miles, $4,900.00, call 463-9445. P4t63p

1990 CHEVY Corsica, loaded, new tires, sharp and excellent condition, will sell below $6,000.00 book, make an offer, 218-681-5729. P4t62p

FOR SALE- 1992 Chev. pickup, ext. cab, nice, 90,000 miles, must sell, call 681-6972, ask for Jeremy or leave message.

FOR SALE- 1979 Chev. 4x4, 350, automatic, nice shape, $2,750.00, call 681-6873. P4t62p

FOR SALE- 1987 Dodge Charger 2.2, 5-speed, black, 67,000 miles, new tires, good condition. 681-1001. P4t61p

1985 FORD Ranger, 4x4, new paint, V-6, 5-speed, excellent condition, 59,000 miles, 681-6490. 1t61p

FOR SALE- 1986 Ford Crown Victoria, nice condition, 378-4272. 1t61p

Livestock

R & J HORSE SALES- Friday, Aug. 4th. Tack: 5:30 p.m. Horses: 8:00 p.m. Held 6-1/2 miles east of Wadena on Hwy. 10. Call for early horse numbers. Ron Sundby, 218-445-5849. 2t61c

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Legal Notices

August 2, 1995
ORDINANCE NO. 2__ 2ND SERIES
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 6 ENTITLED "MUNICIPAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES-RULES AND REGULATIONS, FRANCHISES AND RATES" BY AMENDING ELECTRIC SERVICE RATES AND CHARGES, AND BY ADOPTING BY REFERENCE CITY CODE CHAPTER 1 AND SECTION 6.99, WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, CONTAIN PENALTY PROVISIONS.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THIEF RIVER FALLS ORDAINS:

Section 1. The City Code Section 3.81, Subd. 4 A., B., and C., are hereby amended to read:

A. Availability. Available to all new uncontrolled primary electric space heating installations for private residences and in all flats and rooms used solely for private residence purposes.

B. To Qualify. New installations will be available after July 1, 1995. In order to qualify the following shall apply: (1) the new electric heating shall be wired so it can be controlled in the future; (2) the customer shall be responsible for the purchase of the back-up system in the future; (3) space and wiring for the future back-up system shall be provided; and (4) City has the right to require customer to install an acceptable back-up heating system at any time after January 1, 2000, in order for customer to continue to qualify for this rate.

Facilities placed into service from March 20, 1987, to March 20, 1992, shall qualify under terms and conditions existing at that time.

C. Metering. The uncontrolled heating loads must be separately metered by a KWH meter for demand verification only, not for customer billing purposes.

Section 2. The City Code Section 3.81, Subd. 6 A., B., and C., are hereby amended to read:

A. Availability. Available to all new uncontrolled electric space heating and /or processed heating installations.

B. To Qualify. New installations will be available after July 1, 1995. In order to qualify the following shall apply: (1) the new electric heating shall be wired so it can be controlled in the future; (2) the customer shall be responsible for the purchase of the back-up system in the future; (3) space and wiring for the future back-up system shall be provided; and (4) City has the right to require customer to install an acceptable back-up heating system at any time after January 1, 2000, in order for customer to continue to qualify for this rate.

Facilities placed into service from March 20, 1987, to March 20, 1992, shall qualify under terms and conditions existing at that time.

C. Metering. The uncontrolled heating loads must be separately metered; loads up to 100 KW by a KWH meter and above 100 KW by a recording KWH demand meter or similar equivalent meter/instrument.

Section 3. City Code Chapter 1 entitled "General Provisions and Definitions Applicable to the Entire City Code Including Penalty for Violations" and Section 3.99 entitled "Violation A Misdemeanor" are hereby adopted in their entirety, by reference, as though repeated verbatim herein.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication.

Passed by the City Council of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 25th day of July, 1995.

Voting Aye: Reeve, Burstad, Carlson, Hamerlinck, Heinrichs, Schmalz, Wennberg and Barron
Voting No: None
Absent: None

-s- Bob Reeve, Mayor

ATTEST:
-s- Roger DeLap, City Clerk-Treasurer

August 2, 1995
ORDINANCE NO. 258 2ND SERIES
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 11 ENTITLED "LAND USE REGULATIONS" BY AMENDING THE CITY ZONING DISTRICTS MAP, AND BY ADOPTING BY REFERENCE CITY CODE CHAPTER 1 AND SECTION 11.99, WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, CONTAIN PENALTY PROVISIONS.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THIEF RIVER FALLS ORDAINS:

Section 1. The City Zoning Districts Map, Ordinance No. 187, 2nd Series, is hereby amended by changing the zoning designation of the following described real property from Multi-Family Residential District (R-4) and General Business District (C-2) to General Residential District (R-2):

Loberg's First Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, including a rearrangement of part of Lot One (1) in Block One (1) of Oakville Second Addition, lot One (1), in Block One (1) of Southwoods Addition, and that part of vacated Belmont Drive lying northerly of the centerline thereof and easterly of the East line of Bellaville Court.

Section 2. City Code Chapter 1 entitled "General Provisions and Definitions Applicable to the Entire City Code Including Penalty for Violations" and Section 11.09 entitled "Violation A Misdemeanor" are hereby adopted in their entirety, by reference, as though repeated verbatim herein.

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Voting Aye: Reeve, Burstad, Carlson, Hamerlinck, Heinrichs, Schmalz, Wennberg and Barron
Voting No: None
Absent: None

-s- Bob Reeve, Mayor

ATTEST:
-s- Roger DeLap, City Clerk-Treasurer

July 26, August 2, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
DISTRICT PROBATE COURT
COURT—PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No. ______
In Re: Estate of Melvin Saugen, Deceased
ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of August, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated February 15, 1990, and for the appointment of Neil A. McEwen, whose address is 1710 Little John Court, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701 as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: July 18, 1995
(COURT SEAL)

James R. Wilson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bolte
Court Administrator

Attorney Neil A. McEwen
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August 2, 1995
ORDINANCE NO. 2__, 2ND SERIES
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 20 ENTITLED "LISTING OF UNCODED ORDINANCES IN EFFECT" BY EXTENDING THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS TO INCLUDE UNINCORPORATED UNPLATTED LAND NOT EXCEEDING 60 ACRES IN AREA ABUTTING UPON THE CITY LIMITS

WHEREAS, A certain petition dated June 1, 1995, requesting annexation of the territory hereinafter described was duly presented to the Thief River Falls City Council, and

WHEREAS, No objections to the annexation have been received from the Rocksbury Town Board, and

WHEREAS, The territory described herein abuts upon the City limits and is urban or suburban in character and none of the territory is now included within the limits of any city, and

WHEREAS, The population of this territory is now zero.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THIEF RIVER FALLS ORDAINS:

Section 1. City Code Chapter 20 entitled "Listing of Uncoded Ordinances In Effect" is hereby amended by adding this section to read:

Territory Annexed. The corporate limits of the City of Thief River Falls are hereby extended to include the unplatted territory described as follows and the same is hereby annexed to and included within the City of Thief River Falls as effectually as if it had originally been a part thereof:

Beginning at a point 593 feet south of the Northeast corner of Government Lot Ten (10), Section Four (4), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-three (43) West; thence west parallel to the South line of said Government Lot Ten (10), continuing over and across Government Lot Nine (9) of the same Section, Township and Range, and parallel to the South line of said Government Lot Nine (9) to the Government meander line on the East bank of the Red Lake River; thence southeasterly along said Government meander line a distance equal to 330 feet if said meander line ran directly south; thence due East over and across said Government Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10) and parallel to the South line of said Lots to the East line of Government Lot Ten (10); thence north a distance of 330 feet to the place of beginning; said tract of land containing 17.50 acres more or less,

and

That part of Lots Nine (9) and Ten (10), Section Four (4), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-three (43) commencing at a point of 262 feet south of the NE corner of said Lot Ten (10); thence west parallel to the north line of said Lot Ten (10) to the east bank of the Red Lake River in said Lot Nine (9); thence along said river in a southwesterly direction to a point 593 feet south of the north line of said Lot Nine (9); thence east parallel with said north line of said lots to the east line of said Lot Ten (10); thence north 331 feet to the place of beginning, containing 15.15 acres, more or less, except that part of Lot Ten (10) of Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian described as follows;

Beginning at a point 893 feet south along and upon east line of said Lot Ten (10), from the Northeast corner of said Lot Ten (10) which point lies on an old established fence line; thence running 200 feet west to a point; thence 313.5 feet north to a point; thence 200 feet east to a point; thence 313.8 feet south to the point of beginning, containing 1.44 acres more or less.

Section 2. Filing. The City Clerk is hereby directed to file certified copies of this Ordinance with the Minnesota Municipal Board, the Secretary of State, the Rocksbury Town Clerk, and the Pennington County Auditor.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication and approval by the Minnesota Municipal Board.

Passed by the City Council of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 25th day of July, 1995.

VOTING AYE: Reeve, Burstad, Carlson, Hamerlinck, Heinrichs, Schmalz, Wennberg and Barron
VOTING NO: None
ABSENT: None

-s- Bob Reeve, Mayor

ATTEST:
-s- Roger DeLap, City Clerk

August 2, 9, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL COURT
Court File No. P8-95-470
In Re: Estate of John L. Wold also known as John Ludvig Wold, Jr., Deceased.
ORDER FOR HEARING PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY

The petition of Linda Pain, dated July 10, 1995, having been filed in this Court representing that the above named decedent has been dead for more than three years leaving certain property therein described, and requesting the probate of the last will of each decedent, if any, and the descent of said property be determined and assigned by the Court to the persons entitled thereto.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that said petition be heard on the 21st day of August, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock, A.M., by the above named Court at Thief River Falls, State of Minnesota.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the petitioner give notice of said hearing in the manner prescribed by M.S.A. 524.1–401 to all persons entitled to notice pursuant to M.S.A. 524.3–403 and to all persons who have filed a demand for notice pursuant to M.S.A. 524.3–204.

Dated: July 21, 1995

-s- James R. Wilson
Judge of District Court
-s- Barbara Bolte
Court Administrator

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Legal Notices

August 2, 9, 1995
CONSTRUCTION OF RED LAKE WATERSHED DISTRICT
GOOD LAKE PROJECT, NO. 67, STAGE 3D
BIDS CLOSE 9:30 A.M., August 24, 1995
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Board of Managers of the Red Lake Watershed District will received bids at the office of the Red Lake Watershed District, 102 North Main, P.O. Box 803, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 until 9:30 a.m., August 24, 1995, for the construction of the Good Lake Project Stage 3D, Red Lake Watershed District Project No. 67.

The job is located in the Red Lake Indian Reservation. The proposed work includes, but is not limited to the following major quantities:

Furnish and install steel walkways 220' 18 18" C.S. Pipe Culvert, 150 cu yd. Random Riprap Class II, 62 cu yd. Random Riprap Class III, 4 acres Seeding, mulch & fertilizer.

Bids will be received for the entire work as one job. Bid forms are furnished with the specifications and all bids will be submitted in a sealed envelope marked: Bids for construction of the Good Lake Project Stage 3D, Red Lake Watershed Project No. 67, and accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond for not less than 10% of the amount of the bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract and furnish bond as required by law.

Contractors should be aware that the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians require a Special Business License of all prime contractors. The fee for this license is $50.00 plus two percent (2%) of the project cost. Securing this license is the responsibility of the Contractor.

At the time and place specified, the bids will be publicly opened and read at the office of the Board of Managers. The job will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder subject to the requirements that a performance and payment bond be furnished to the District in the amount of 100% of the contract price. The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to make the award in the best interest of the District. Plans and specifications are on file and can be obtained at the Watershed District Office at Thief River Falls, address above. Plans are $15.00 per set.

No bidder may withdrew his bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1995.
Signed: Lowell C. Enerson, Administrator

August 2, 9, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No. ______
In Re: Estate of Merle Arleigh Degen, aka Merle A. Degen, Deceased.
ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of August, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated February 26, 1990, and for appointment of Alice H. Degen, whose address is 225 West 12th Street, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701 as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: July 28, 1995
(COURT SEAL)

James R. Wilson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bolte
Court Administrator

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August 2, 1995
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES
Board of Education
Marshall County Central
Newfolden, Minnesota
Ind. School District No. 441
Conference Room
June 20, 1995 - 8:00 p.m.

The Board of Education of Ind. School District No. 441 met in regular session on June 20, 1995, in the Marshall County Central High School in Newfolden, Minnesota. Members present: Doreen Amundson, Eldon Augustine, Mark Carlson, Donna Fosholm, Dan Olson, Scott Peters, Keith Ranum, Supt. Ron Paggen. Visitors present: Susan Peterson, George Liapis. Absent: Jim Hodny.

The agenda was presented with Eldon Augustine presiding.

Motion by Donna Fosholm seconded by Dan Olson to accept the agenda as presented. UC.

Minutes of the previous meeting of May 16, 1995 were read and duly carried by a motion by Scott Peters seconded by Mark Carlson. UC.

Motion by Dan Olson seconded by Keith Ranum to pay current bills. UC.

Treasurers report by Mark Carlson.

Ron Paggen reported on the following:

1) Discussion concerning purchasing a trailer for transporting the lawn mower from site to site.

2) Reviewed progress on track & improvements on football field.

3) Presented schedule of projects for the Newfolden & Viking Elementary School buildings.

4) Reviewed industrial technology information.

Mark Carlson updated the board on the litigation lawsuit.

Motion by Keith Ranum seconded by Donna Fosholm to approve the repair of the Newfolden and Viking Elementary School projects as presented. UC.

Motion by Mark Carlson seconded by Scott Peters to contract with T.R.F. Sports Medicine to provide services to our athletics. UC.

Motion by Scott Peters seconded by Donna Fosholm to purchase the technology equipment for the Industrial Technology Department. UC.

Motion by Donna Fosholm seconded by Keith Ranum to accept Susan Hagen's request for a leave of absence from volleyball coaching for 1995-96 school year. UC.

Motion by Mark Carlson seconded by Dan Olson to approve the Student Handbook revisions as presented. UC

Motion by Keith Ranum seconded by Doreen Amundson to accept the SCSU Health and Safety contract at a cost of $2,900.00 a year. UC

Motion by Doreen Amundson seconded by Donna Fosholm to approve the continuation of budget expenditures after July 1st. UC

Motion by Mark Carlson seconded by Keith Ranum to participate in the Student Assurance Services for the 1995-96 school year.

Motion by Donna Fosholm seconded by Mark Carlson to extend Betty Gonsorowski contract from .50 to .64 for the 1995-96 school year. UC

Motion by Mark Carlson seconded by Scott Peters to set the Truth in Taxation Hearing meeting dates for December 5th at 7:00 p.m. and December 15th at 7:00 p.m. as a continuance if needed. UC

Motion by Mark Carlson seconded by Eldon Augustine to express a special thank you to Dan Olson for his years of service to the District. His contributions to the Board and the District will be missed. UC

8:55 - Recess

10:12 - Call to Order - Eldon

10:13 - Motion by Mark Carlson seconded by Dan Olson to go into executive session for the purpose of discussion of upcoming staff negotiations.

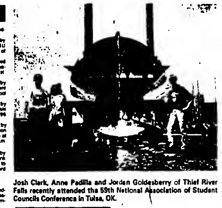
Executive session called to order at 10:14 p.m.

Motion by Donna Fosholm seconded by Keith Ranum to adjourn executive session. Adjourned at 11:13 p.m.

Motion by Dan Olson to adjourn, seconded by Mark Carlson. Adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

Next regular meeting is July 18, 1995 - 8:00 p.m.

Attest:
Eldon Augustine, Chair
Doreen Amundson, Clerk



Josh Clark, Anne Padilla and Jordan Goldesberry of Thief River Falls recently attended the 59th National Association of Student Councils Conference in Tulsa, OK.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Carmen, Larry and Tony Gustafson went to Duluth on Thursday to attend the Merlin Heath funeral. Tony returned home the same evening with Phil and Mike Torgerson. Larry and Carmen returned home on Friday and stopped for a visit with Emma and Walter Pederson at Oklee on the way.

Ron and Barbara Moe, Roger and Marilyn Nygaard and Art Moe spent Monday at the Adeline Moe home.

Other callers during the day were Doris Augustine and Mabel and Eddie Anderson.

Ethel Nelson and Ida Rupprecht were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Irene Iverson.

Walter and Gladys Nolte from Fertile were Monday morning coffee guests at the Bernice and Ray Barth home.

Bernice Knutson and Marlene Beedy visited with Marlene's mother, Bernice Danielson in Grand Forks on Saturday.

Art Mortenson was a supper guest at the Larry Gustafson home on Sunday.

Bernice and Bill Barth were Tuesday business callers in Bemidji.

Lee Ann Giles was a Monday afternoon visitor at the home of Carmen Gustafson. LuAnn is from St. Paul and was spending her vacation with her mother Angie Larson.

The Bethlehem Cemetery Association Board met at the home of Harold and Edith Nabben on Tuesday evening. Other members attending were Norris Trochmann, Kenneth Ose, Carl and June Berggren, Adeline Moe and Charles Myers. Norris Trochmann was elected to be the new secretary of the board.

Gully

Nancy Lee and Irena Carlson were in Thief River Falls on Sunday as guests of Audrey and Julian Gunderson. They showed their video pictures of Norway from their recent visit there, along with other relatives and friends.

Shirley and Don Sundquist of Proctor were weekend visitors of Brian and Sofila Carlson. They reported very good fishing on Pine Lake.

Tracy Johnson and Patrick Lee from Warroad spent the weekend with the Dick Lees and Johnsons.

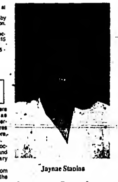
Visitors with Ann Nyland have been Herb and Vannia Larson from Roseau also Lillian Groven and Violet Erovold of Thief River Falls.

Enjoy our beautiful weather!!

Strandquist

Saturday evening, Isaac and Betsy Thompson attended the wedding of Corey Boan and Candace Tennarenn in Thief River Falls. Nelson LaDoux was a Sunday dinner guest at Isaac and Betsy's.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvechter's home have been Lerino Borggren, Pete Kastrozowski, Juno Kosprowicz, Marion Paderson and Ann Gunderson.



Jaynae Stanina

Jaynae Stanina receives Dorn scholarship

Thief River Falls Education Foundation has awarded Jaynae Stanina of Thief River Falls the Teddy Dorn Nursing scholarship. Stanina is a 1995 honor graduate of Lincoln high school. She plans to enroll in the LPN program at Northland Technical and Community College in the fall.

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Bob Baune of rural Thief River Falls was a Monday caller at the home of his sister Sandy Baune.

Supper guests of Wevell and Lloyd Sorensons on Tuesday were Mamie Lomis, Phyllis Olson, Betty Harder of rural Thief River Falls, Eugene and Willa Prestegaard of Thief River Falls, Tom and Rebecca Willett, Tricia and Todd, Tony and Sheila Garardy, Mallory, Brett and Abigail.

Trail News

Adelina Pravost of Oklee and Rosa Aaknes were dinner guests with Kathy Bakka at Gonvick. Adoline and Rosa were coffee guests with John and Darlena Eisbraner. Darlene returned home from the St. Paul after having knee surgery down there. She is getting along just fine. On the route home they were coffee guests with Lillian Tanam at Oklee. Other guests were Al and Vi Radniecki.

Star News

Mrs. Norman Adams, Jodi Adams of Colorado and Jami Adams of Fargo were callers on Monday at the Larry Kotrba home.

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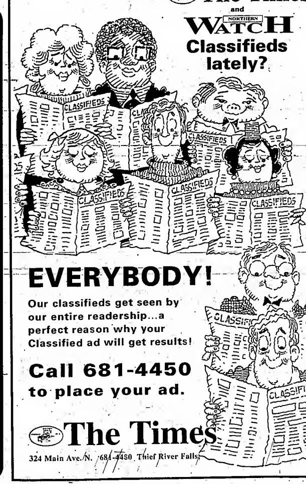

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State changes long term care funding

"Anyone who has a friend in a nursing home or pays state taxes has an interest in how Minnesota pays for long-term care," states Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls. "The 1995 legislative session included some changes for this part of the budget—changes that are controversial."

"The biggest issue was the nursing home reimbursement rate," Sen. Stumpf said. For the next two-year period, the inflation increase will be 3.3 per cent or about $20 million. When other scheduled revisions are also included, the total state and federal increase will be about $277 million statewide.

The increases are not as large as nursing home supporters had anticipated. Their budgets have been based on larger increases, and they say that they will have to make cuts because a 3.3 per cent rate increase will not keep up with expenses.

"The decision to change rates was difficult, but it happened due to concerns about state spending for human services," the senator said. "This part of the budget has been growing too fast (for the rate) to be maintained. Cost projections show that without changes, human services would consume every new dollar in the state budget within four years."

Nursing home expenses are only part of the human services budget, but they have contributed to its growth. Since 1988, state funding for nursing home care has grown from $187 million to almost $350 million—an increase of 87 per cent. Older Minnesotans make up 23 per cent of the state's residents who are on Medical Assistance, but they account for 70 per cent of the dollars spent on this program.

One reason for rising costs is rising demand, and it's a trend that will continue. In the next 25 years, the number of Minnesotans age 85 and older is projected to grow by 48 per cent. That's four times the state's expected overall growth.

"The state debate on this issue has received a lot of attention in recent months, but the focus is now shifting to Washington," Sen. Stumpf said. "Congress is considering cuts for Medicare and Medicaid. If those cuts occur, the strain on nursing home budgets could grow even more."

Katie Christensen (left), daughter of Keith and Ruth Christensen of Thief River Falls, won second place at the Marshall County Fair amateur talent contest recently with a vocal solo. She is pictured with her piano accompanist, Jessica Krankkala.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Sunday evening, July 16th Mr. and Mrs. Don Gagner visited with Dick and Grace Reck.

Mrs. Joy Torkelson and girls of ...

Dick and Karan Dalaga home on Wednesday evening to help Karen celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Joy Torgelson and girls, Mrs. ...

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... of Grand Forks were weekend guests of her mother Mrs. Joann Delage.

Arthur and Martha Gagner visited with Robert and Rosa Gagner residents of Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Tony and Julie Doroslere of Erskine, Walter and Irena Noyes of Oklee, Nicki Rood of Grand Forks, visited at the ...

... day Janea and Justin.

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak visited her aunts Mrs. Marthe Henrickson and Mrs. Anna Gust residents of the Villa St. Vincent of Crookston on Sunday afternoon.

Weekend guests of Russell and Cheryll Hince were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Riel, Kyle and Christa of Cloquet enroute to Canada.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. LaRoy Sustad visited with auntie Florence Drotts and called on Liz Swenson at their homes in Thief River Falls.

Hi! I'm back again after spending a few days in the hospital.

A week ago Thursday night Allan and Liz Swenson enjoyed a delicious chicken supper at the Clara Hanson home in Newfolden.

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Saturday afternoon Lloyd Ranum was a caller and luncheon guest at the LaRoy Sustad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Orohn, formerly of Viking and also spend many years on the Mission field in Senegal and Chad, Africa, were Tuesday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the LaRoy Sustad home. The Grahns are ...

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A week ago Sunday Liz Swanson was a guest at a potluck dinner at the Bob and Olivia Newland home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strong of Dallas, TX who is a cousin of Olivias.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rooker visited at the Barb Krons on Saturday night.

Last Thursday night, Bert and Joyce Kron attended the Marshall County Historical Board meeting held at Settler's Square in Warren.

Plummer

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... assist and take part in prenuptial plans for their daughter Teresa's wedding on Saturday. She was married to Kevin Tvedt at St. Bernards church of Thief River Falls with the reception being held in the Plummer Hall. The couple will make their home in Terrebonne when they return from their honeymoon.

Hilman and Ella Flaten of Portland, ND former neighbors of Art and Frances Schelert, visited them on Saturday. Other weekend guests were Sidney Schelert of the Cities, Harley and Alice Schelert of Fargo, Jim and Sherry Schelert of Plummer.

Eldon and Karen Vigstol helped aunt Dorothy Larson of Thief River Falls celebrate her 86th birthday on Thursday with dinner out and a visit in her home later.

Howard and Myrtle LeFayatta returned home from a trip to the Black Hills, taking in the sights and enjoying the country side.

Deb and Carmen Walter of Moorhead, Dixie Koskela of Rapid City, SD and a friend spent the weekend at the ...

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... Thief River Falls, son-in-law Brian Gralstrom, Adam, Nicholas, Kimberly and Hans of Salol, daughter Kim Nelson, Bethany, Michael, Ryan and Alexandra, daughter Kathi and Robin Abel, Rebecca and Lauren Lester and Verna Gralstrom of Salol, cousin Kern and Alice Tillman and granddaughter Courtney of Ansheim and Plummer, Aaron Art of Red Lake Falls, cousin Glenyce and Don Harrington of St. Paul, uncle and aunt Art and Avis Froland, brother Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, nieces and nephews Rebecca Willett, Tricia and Todd, Shaila Oarardy, Mallory, Brett and Abigail, Karl and Rita Sorenson, Kassandra, John and Jeffrey of Wannaska, Monta and Avis Marquis of Goodridge, Virginia Berns, Mcauli and Madison of Oklee, cousin Bernice Klink of Middle River, Boyce and Gloria Lee and family of Thief River Falls, Arvid and Jan Lee and family of Thief River Falls, Betty Hanson of Fargo.

Albert and Evalyn Tervo spent the weekend with his sister Edna Carey at her lake cabin on Lake Andrew near New London. While there they enjoyed ...

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Wetland bill blame • Page 3
Pennington County Commissioner Don Jensen blames urban legislators and state officials for the failure of the Wetland Act reform bill.

Two nominated Page 3
Two additional names have been added to the list of nominees for the Northwest Medical Center board of directors.

Open House Page 9
Challenger elementary school will have an all-school open house on August 31 from 5 to 8 p.m. Visitors will be able to tour the facility and meet teachers and staff.

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... Thief River Falls, MN 56701 Wednesday, August 9, 1995

Planning commission OKs rezoning request

Action would clear way for establishing manufactured housing park

Over 70 people attended a planning commission meeting Monday night at the Heritage Community Center in Thief River Falls to express their opinions regarding a proposed manufactured home park on Pennington Avenue and across from Hickory road.

With annexation completed, developers Regan Rohl and Les Snetting moved a step closer to building the manufactured home park when at the end of a long meeting Monday night the Planning Commission approved a request to rezone the property from agricultural to high density residential. The approval will be passed on as a recommendation to the city council.

Several letters were read into the record including letters from Chris Twomey, chief executive officer of Arctco, and Mark Larson, president of Digi-Key. Both expressed a concern that for the work force to continue to grow, employees will need adequate housing. Both saw adequate housing as a key growth issue for their businesses and Thief River Falls.

Les Torgerson, an adjacent property owner, said what the proposal amounted to was people with money and influence asking the commission to approve the project, a project which will de-value adjacent property.

Rohl and Snetting addressed some of the concerns by explaining that the manufactured homes look very similar to stick built homes, and that the homes will be on larger lots than typically found in manufactured home parks. They also said the homes will be owner occupied. Additional covenants have been added, and they will work with the city forester to develop a buffer.

Snetting said he originally planned on building higher-value housing on the property, but there wasn't a market. Not very many people, he said, can afford to build homes today.

Edith Etter, chairman of the Planning commission, asked what they were going to do for the children living in the development. She later explained that she was not against manufactured homes, but wanted people to tell the commission what they wanted to see in the developments.

It was explained that a portion of the property had to be dedicated to the city for a park. After meeting with the park and recreation department, the site chosen for the park was next to the river, more than 500-feet from the proposed development across a proposed future development site.

Dale Narlock, property owner in the area, said his major concern was that the city would be giving up more in tax base by allowing a manufactured home park to be developed. He also asked the developers to put it somewhere else.

David Motken criticized the notification process. He explained that he owns property on the other side of the river and would be able to clearly see the manufactured home park from his house. By law, however, the city was not required to notify him of the proposed development. He believes that it will adversely affect his property value.

Susan Peterson presented a petition in opposition to the proposed development. Peterson cited the criteria used in determining whether a proposal warrants approval by the commission in explaining her opposition to the development. Peterson said that the project doesn't conform to the city's comprehensive plan because much of the area is occupied by single family homes and not transitional housing. She said it will impede the normal and orderly development of the area, and will

(Continued on Page 6)

Alma Larson admires a large rose in the flower garden along the front of her house in Polk Centre township west of St. Hilaire. Alma has been named winner of the 1995 rural beautification award by the Pennington County Soil and Water Conservation District.

S.D. 564 volunteers win Governor's award

Volunteers who participate in the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire school district volunteer program have been named recipients of the 1995 Acts of Kindness: Governor's Volunteer Award. The volunteers won the award for their ongoing efforts to improve the lives of others in their community.

This new program recognizes 16 volunteers and volunteer groups annually for their acts of kindness. The Thief River Falls volunteers were chosen from nearly 200 nominations statewide. Lieutenant Governor Joanne Benson will present the volunteers with their award on "Volunteer Day" at the Minnesota State Fair Bandshell, Wednesday, August 30, at 1:20 p.m. The public is invited to attend the ceremony.

The Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire school district volunteer program was organized in 1991 to provide student enrichment activities, staff assistance, a higher rate of one-on-one student attention and new programs such as integrating business and community groups into the schools. More than 100 volunteers donate their time each week to assist students and staff, and more than 10,000 hours of service were given between 1993 and 1994.

Volunteers are involved at every academic and extra-curricular level and provide assistance in the classroom, media centers, libraries and the Lincoln High School Career Center. They offer clerical support and help with special projects throughout the district. In 1994, they were heavily involved in the process of opening a new school for all of the district's 1,200 elementary students. Hundreds of volunteers served as school bus monitors, school patrol guides, classroom aides and assisted with orientation programs.

"It is impossible to imagine our schools without volunteers," said Key Teeters-Asp, the group's nominator. "They have changed and touched everything in our school district, from individual children to entire programs. They have made our schools more caring and sensitive to the needs of students and have improved relations between the schools and community. Children thrive from the extra attention, time and positive feedback."

"We were overwhelmed by some of the stories we read in the nominations," said Lauren P. Week, MOVS director. "Most of them truly embraced the grassroots recognition we were trying to achieve when the program was created. It is evident that Minnesota communities are being strengthened by this exceptional and extraordinary effort of people helping people through their simple acts of kindness."

Acts of Kindness, an annual awards program, is sponsored by the Minnesota Office on Volunteer Services (MOVS), Department of Administration. MOVS provides statewide leadership and service to the volunteer community. Funding for development of this volunteer recognition program was provided by Lutheran Brotherhood, a fraternal benefit society.

This aspen tree in Highlanding township southeast of Goodridge provides a lesson in determination, according to Ernest Swenson, who took the picture on land formerly farmed by Joe Schlofer (now deceased). Size of this tree, and another which has grown up through the center of the box of this discarded manure spreader, indicate that the spreader has been in the pasture for 30 years or more. While this tree has grown through the spokes of the wheel, another tree on the other side of the spreader has grown around the other wheel's rim. "It looks like it's been a long time since Joe cleaned the barn," Swenson quipped.

Alma Larson receives beautification award

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

By today's standards of comfort and convenience, there are those who would say Alma Larson has lived a hard life. She may not totally agree with that assessment, but perhaps her life experience is why she is the kind of person who has such a special appreciation for the simple things in life.

As far back as she can remember, Alma has always loved flowers. There is a special enjoyment for her in a flower bed profuse in blossoms of a dozen or more varieties, ablaze in colors that are formed in shapes and textures that only nature can create.

Always Had Flowers

"Yes, we always had flowers in the summer, but not as many as I have now," states Alma, who has been named winner of the 1995 rural beautification award by the Pennington County Soil and Water Conservation District.

The winner is selected from a different part of the county each year. This year the judging included farm yards located in Polk Centre, Black River, Sanders, Numedal and Bray townships. Names of candidates were submitted by township officials.

Alma lives in Polk Centre township about eight miles west and two miles south of St. Hilaire in the house her husband Roy built in 1948. They were married in the Depression era of 1930 and had been married 61 years when he died in 1991. She is 82 years of age and looks more like 65, probably because she never had the time to grow old.

Husband Earned $35 A Month

"When we were married, Roy worked on the Noper farm at Thief River Falls for $35 a month," she recalls telling her great-grandchildren who asked about her early life. "That was in the summer. In the winter the salary went down to $15 a month."

Yes, prices for most items were similarly low, but there was no money for anything but necessities and frugal living was imperative.

Roy was a carpenter and followed that trade all his life, until Parkinson's Disease advanced to the point where he couldn't continue.

First House Has Two Rooms

"We moved to this farm in 1940 and Roy built this house in 1948," Alma said. "For the first eight years we lived in the house that was here when we moved in. It had one room downstairs and one room upstairs. That was it. We had six kids. Roy built a partition to make two rooms downstairs, but the second floor was always just one room."

It was a sacrifice of work time for Roy to build the house for his family, and it was done resourcefully. Local lumber sawed at the nearby Mosbeck sawmill was used for some of the early construction. When enough of the new house was done so it could be lived in, he salvaged materials from the old house to help build the new one. It had oak floors—retrieved from a tavern which had closed in Dorothy.

Raised Kids And Vegetables

While raising six children, Alma also raised a large vegetable garden but always made room for her beloved flowers. The garden provided much of the food for the winter as Alma regularly canned 600 to 700 quarts of garden produce, fruit and berries each year, including 100 quarts of peas which had to be shelled by hand and 100 quarts of corn. For a time she raised, picked and sold strawberries for a few extra dollars of income as well as canning many of them in various forms for the family.

Juneberries, chokecherries and cranberries were readily available in the immediate area and were harvested for sauce, jams and jellies. At least one trip was made each year to a swamp by Gatzke to pick the abundant blueberries there.

Alma Troland was born at Gatzke in a family of 10 children and moved to Thief River Falls with her parents and siblings when she was 11 or 12 years old. She completed eighth grade in Thief River Falls schools before she gave up her schooling and went to work.

Six Larson Children

Roy and Alma's six children all graduated from high school—the two oldest from the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and the youngest four from Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls.

Leonard, the eldest child, died in Fremont, CA. He and his wife Mannie had four children.

Darlene, the second child, lives in Alexandria. She had seven children from her first marriage and her second husband, Duane Lewis, is recently deceased.

Dionne is married to Louis Ulrich of Red Lake Falls and they have four children.

Gerold lives at Red Lake Falls and had two children before his divorce.

Richard is married to Phyllis Columbus of Red Lake Falls and they live at Red Lake Falls with their two children.

Sharon Cassavant, whose husband Louis is also recently deceased, lives at rural Red Lake Falls and has two children.

In addition to her 21 grandchildren, Alma has 20 great-grandchil-

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Stumpf recognized by Coalition of Cities

Senator LeRoy Stumpf was one of the Minnesota legislators honored by the Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities for their dedication to preserving a good quality of life for those living outside the Twin Cities metro area. Awards were presented at the Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities annual conference in St. Cloud, August 3.

These champions are a select group of legislators who have been outstanding in the areas of taxation, annexation and environment policy development. They were presented with a "Legislator of Distinction" award during the Coalition's August 3 evening program.

"Citizens need effective legislators to develop reasonable state policy resulting in fair taxation, quality environmental protection, and efficient government. The legislators we have recognized today have shown vision and determination that is all too rare, and they bring honor to the legislature," said St. Cloud City Council Member and Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities President John Ellenbecker.

Those receiving recognition for tax policy have protected home owners an businesses from huge property tax increases. The annexation policy award goes to legislators who have promoted legislation to protect the environment and prevent costly duplication of government services. Legislators who have distinguished themselves in the area of environment policy have taken on the MPCA, working to eliminate costly and ineffective agency mandates.

Legislators being honored are Sen. John Hottinger (DFL-Mankato) on tax and annexation policy, Sen. LeRoy Stumpf (DFL-Thief River Falls) on environment policy, Sen. Douglas Johnson (DFL-Cook) on tax policy, Rep. Kevin Goodno (IR-Moorhead) on tax and annexation policy, Rep. Ann Rest (DFL-New Hope) on annexation policy, and Rep. Tom Rukavina (DFL-Virginia) on environment policy.

The Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities is an advocacy group representing 61 cities outside the Twin Cities metro area. Primary policy concerns for CGMC are property taxation, annexation, and environmental regulation.

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Mike Barry and Mike Wiebolt, partners and co-owners of Pennington Main were given their first dollar of profit award from the Chamber of Commerce. Pictured from left to right are Holly Heugen, Mike Berry, Mike Wiebolt and Dave Onkka. Pennington Main is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Two more individuals in race for hospital board

Two individuals have agreed to have their names placed into nomination for three year terms on the Northwest Medical Center board of directors.

On Friday, June 30, the Northwest Medical Center board of directors nominating committee met and nominated Keith Steva, Larry Rohll, Robert Flynn and Ashok Patel, M.D. for three year terms which will expire in September 1998.

In addition, the nominating committee took action to nominate Kenneth Froschheiser for a two year term which will expire in September of 1997. Froschheiser would be filling the unexpired term of James Rogalla who resigned in December of 1994.

On Monday, July 24, the Northwest Medical Center board of directors met in regular session and during that meeting Larry Rohll indicated he will complete his current term on the board of directors, however, he will not stand for election to a term to expire in September 1998.

As a result of Rohll's decision to not stand for re-election, two nominations have been received from the Northwest Medical Center Association membership. Robert J. Dorklelinger and Roger J. Reuter. Both have agreed to have their names placed into nomination for a three-year term to expire in September of 1998.

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Jensen disappointed by failure of bill to pass '95 legislature

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Pennington county commissioner Don Jensen blames a group of urban legislators and state agency officials backed by Gov. Arne Carlson for the death of a 1995 bill intended to correct some of the problems with the 1991 Wetland Conservation Act.

Meeting with a group of colleagues from various counties who are concerned with wetland and other land use mandates imposed by state and federal government, Jensen said that "we could have had some of the relief people have been calling for and really helped those that need it most. I feel terrible that the bill was killed by a group of bureaucrats and metropolitan legislators who don't care about the problems of people in other parts of the state."

Jensen made a number of trips to St. Paul during the legislative session to lobby in support of the changes. He said the bill had gained a good deal of support among legislators but that it died as a result of political maneuverings on a procedural move in the Senate, after passing the House on the final day of the special session of the legislature.

"The motion had the support of a majority of senators," he said, "but died because it came just short of the two-thirds majority needed for passage on the procedure."

Prior to the beginning of the legislative session, agreement seemed universal that the 1991 wetland bill had an unintended but devastating impact on local units of government as well as individuals.

"The Wetland Conservation Act had a nice title when passed in 1991; but it masked a complicated land regulation nightmare that is the most restrictive of any state in the union," Jensen said. "Something is wrong with a law that is so broad in its application that it has the potential to make a criminal out of a homeowner for putting black dirt on the front lawn of his home."

The group expressed alarm for a growing number of citizens whose property values had declined due to significant expansion by the state of the types of property it may claim as wetland, and for the safety of travelers on local roads because the cost of implementing wetland policy diverts highways dollars from maintenance and repair to creating additional wetlands outside a wetland project.

"The Wetland Conservation Act added astronomical costs to road projects for county governments and put simple safety concerns like maintaining road shoulders for stranded motorists economically out of reach," adds Delray Larson of Gatzke, Marshall county commissioner.

"Counties must put aside such safety projects in wetland areas because the law requires projects in some counties to replace up to five times the acreage impacted by the road project," he said.

Jensen called replacement requirements "unfunded mandates" because they are imposed by the state at the expense of the counties. Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) figures show that the average cost to replace wetlands on a road project in the metropolitan area is $56,000 per acre. Jensen said that the highest total replacement cost per acre on a single project equates to $639,000 per acre.

"The broad, state-imposed definition of wetland, which includes dry lands that are only occasionally wet, makes it nearly impossible for a road project not to affect a wetland in many counties of the state," Jensen said.

"Don't think a wetland has to be wet to be a wetland," points out Beltrami county commissioner Richard Florhaug, "because it doesn't. Since the Wetland Conservation Act was passed in 1991, the state has grabbed 10 times the amount of land it used to control, and a great majority of that land is private property which is dry most of the time."

Lake county commissioner Sharon Hahn said "people are scared to death about having part or all of their property declared wetland. Routinely I hear terrible stories about how ditches back up to consume private property because the DNR won't issue a permit to clean the ditch.

"Value in the property is lost once cattails or other wetland vegetation shows up because the state declares the area a wetland, which turns away any future interest in the property," she said.

Jensen expressed concern for individuals affected by the law. "Any law that denies people the constitutional right to enjoy basic personal property rights also takes away liberties guaranteed under the constitution," he said.

"The wetland bill was submarined by a group that said wetland change was needed, but then made frantic, last-minute efforts to kill a decent bill after it had already passed the House floor."

Jensen said the group with which he met indicated unanimous and enthusiastic support for the protection of wetlands that hold significant public value, including maintaining and improving water quality, preserving wildlife habitat, providing for floodwater retention and conserving surface waters, but claimed that state is "land-hungry" in carrying out the 1991 law.

"The wetland act allows the state to claim even land that is nearly always dry," Jensen said. He said the law costs the state $403 per acre per year "just to administer," and compared that to a "generous statewide average cost" of $350 for an acre of agricultural land. He said the benefits "don't come close" to equaling the costs to individuals and local governments.

Jensen said individuals have the right to contact their county offices and state elected officials to let them know how they feel about the wetland law and he encourged people to do so.

"In the meantime," he said, "we will continue to work for the changes that are needed to bring some sanity back to this law."

Warroad Summer Theater plans awards banquet

Warroad Summer Theater is completing its 15th year of wonderful entertainment. Each year an awards banquet is hosted to recognize individuals who have done outstanding work in different areas of theater from acting to working in the box office. This year's awards banquet will be held Tuesday, August 15 at the Patch Restaurant in Warroad.

The evening will open with a social hour at 6:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 7 p.m. Awards will be presented following the meal.

The public is cordially invited to attend this annual event. Reservations are required by August 11 and can be made by calling (218) 386-3435 from 1 to 5 p.m.

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Refuge manager loves to work where the wild things are

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

What is someone from New Jersey doing at the Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge? She's managing it, that's what. Maggie Anderson is the new refuge manager at Agassiz NWR.

Maggie may have grown up southeast of Trenton, NJ, but she has always loved animals and came from a family who loved the outdoors. She originally planned to become a veterinarian, but a college counselor suggested that she might like wildlife management. The counselor was right. Maggie loves her job. She attended the University of Maine, Orono and graduated with a degree in Wildlife management. She was one of four women in the entire program.

When she was in school, women were encouraged to work at interpretive centers or other teaching positions, not in the field. In fact, when Maggie was a student, the instructors didn't want her going to deer point stations, which involved staying overnight in a cabin. Over the years, the US Fish and Wildlife Service has become much more receptive to women in the field. She said most of the classes she visits now are at least one third, if not one half, female.

However in the mid-1970's women were rarely hired for field work, so when Maggie graduated she spent a lot of time volunteering to do fish surveys. This involved being flown out to remote lakes and interviewing fisherman. After a while, she did earn a teaching certificate in hopes of finding a job. Shortly after she earned the certificate, she was able to find a job in the field.

In the late 1970's there had been a spruce bud worm infestation in Maine. The bugs were eating up the woods of northern Maine, and the area had been heavily sprayed with insecticides. Maggie's job was to help study the effects of the insecticide on fish. She found that at the time the fisheries were more receptive to women, than the wildlife refuges. They spent three to four weeks at a time in the field, camping in tents and catching fish. To give an example of the remote areas she worked in Maggie explained the nearest motel boasted cross ventilation. That meant if the bathroom window and the door to the room were open, there was a breeze. In spite of the bugs (no repellent allowed), Maggie really loved her job.

After spending about four years as a fish biologist studying Atlantic Salmon, Maggie moved to Moosehorn NWR near Calais, ME. At Moosehorn she spent two years in the field studying woodcock, an upland shore bird that feeds on worms, has a very elaborate yet precise mating dance and has an upside down brain.

More importantly, it's where she met Larry Anderson, her husband, who has a Park & Recreation degree and has worked for the US Forest Service and the USFWS. Larry was offered a job at Moosehorn and moved out east from Iowa. Shortly after they were married, Maggie and Larry moved back to Iowa where Larry worked with the Iowa Conservation Commission and Maggie was district manager for the Upper Mississippi River National Wildlife and Fish Refuge in Lansing, IA. At over 300 miles, it is the longest refuge in the U.S. She studied migratory waterfowl in a 40,000 acre block.

On Christmas eve 1983, their lives changed forever when Maggie gave birth to twin boys.

"I had never babysat or changed a diaper," said Maggie.

With two babies, Maggie and Larry couldn't put in all the 12 hours day that they had been working. In 1985, they moved to Seney, MI where things were a little quieter and worked primarily with sandhill cranes and waterfowl. Their sons Russ and Josh helped raise a crane who imprinted on humans. "Clyde" never quite got the hang of migrating, so they had to drive him to Florida. When he migrated north he kept landing on playgrounds, so eventually Clyde was given to the Minnesota Zoo.

When a job opened up in Montana, the Andersons were on the move again. This time Maggie was the manager at Lee Metcalf NWR in Stevensville and Larry started working as a firefighter. He was one of the first to help fight the infamous fires in California and Yellowstone. The move was a dramatic change in scenery and climate. Maggie said that in the upper peninsula of Michigan, there would be tomato-killing frosts in July. In contrast, it was 100° the day she arrived in Montana. From their home they overlooked 9,000 foot peaks. On a given day they would have 50 deer in the yard, and coyotes and osprey as well. It was a place of incredible beauty.

"Every place becomes hard to leave," said Maggie.

Montana will always be special to the Andersons because that is where their son Zach was born.

But another job opening came up, and the Anderson family, now at five, moved back to Maine. Maggie worked in the Petit Manan NWR focusing on seabird nesting and management. It was in many ways a journey back to her roots. Having grown up in New Jersey, her family roots were by the ocean. The roots of her career were in Maine. In fact, the Petit Manan was once part of the Moosehorn NWR where Maggie once worked. And the roots of official U.S. conservation were on the coast of Maine. The first refuge was created on Pelican Island in 1903 because the puffins, terns and gulls were nearly hunted to extintion because their feathers were used in ladies hats and quill pens.

It was hard to leave the ocean behind and come to Thief River Falls, but Maggie has never lived on the edge of the prairie and she is excited about it. Even though Agassiz is very different from other places she has lived, she finds some similarities. Much of the waterfowl is similar to that found in Seney, MI, and the community is very family oriented, much like the community in Stevensville, MT. She and Larry were very impressed with the school system and see Thief River Falls as a great place to raise kids. Maggie is also excited about working at a refuge that is known both by bird watchers and refuge managers as one of the top in the nation for its migratory birds and wildlife diversity.

Maggie said that field work is not always conducive to raising a family. She gives a lot of credit to her husband Larry, who has been very supportive and has been a primary care-giver to the children. She is glad that because of her job her sons have had the opportunity to grow up in such diverse areas. She enjoys bird watching with the boys because they have such keenly trained eyes. Her son Russ also enjoys star gazing with his mom. Larry and Maggie are currently looking for a house so they can move their sons to Thief River Falls and settle into their new home.

Maggie Anderson is the new manager out at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge. She has over 20 years experience in the field and is excited to get to know the wildlife and habitat of the refuge. She has worked in the woods of Maine, off the east coast, and in western Montana. She and her husband Larry have three sons and are currently looking for a house in Thief River Falls.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Thursday
Oakland Park Nursing Home board meeting at 5:30 p.m. at the home.

Friday
Class of 1975 Reunion at Elks Club at 7 p.m. Teachers are invited to join them for hors d'oeuvres and cocktails.

Saturday
Train Days at Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village from 1 to 5 p.m.
Immunization Clinic from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service.

Sunday
Train Days at Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village from 1 to 5 p.m. Dance from 2 to 4 p.m.

Monday
Praise Through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Expectant Parent Class at Northwest Medical Center meeting rooms B1-B2 at 7 p.m. Call 681-4240, extension 446 to register.
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Food is a favorite at Minnesota State Fair

Entertainment, midway rides, livestock and commercial exhibits at the Minnesota State Fair all rate high in fair visitor surveys, but the top spot on the list goes to food, according to Jerry Hammer, state fair marketing director.

The 1995 state fair August 24 through September 4 will feature nearly 300 food vendors, including nearly 50 offering ethnic foods. Two new items for 1995 are Mediterranean gazpacho and French scones.

More than 60 vendors will offer hundreds of dessert and snack items including ice cream, yogurt, pies, cookies, cakes, hand-made candy, flavored ices, cream puffs, elephant ears, custard, brownies and mini donuts.

Fruit and vegetable items include salads, fruit kabobs, veggie pies and fresh fruit. Many types of beverages are also available.

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Hermanson and Huot married in June

Leslie Hermanson and Mark Huot were united in marriage on June 10 at 2 p.m. at St. Bernards Catholic Church in Thief River Falls. Father Joe DeCrans officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Howard and Jean Hermanson of Williston, ND. The groom is the son of Bernard and Evie Huot of St. Hilaire.

Music was provided by vocalist Gayle Rhineberger and organist Polly Beyer. Selections were "Wedding Song" and "Friends". The procession music was "Season" and "Trumpet Voluntary." The recessional was "Joy."

The matron of honor was Lynette Derouin of St. Hilaire, sister of the groom. Bridesmaids were Kelly Hermanson of Farmington, sister-in-law of the bride, Patsy Huot of Thief River Falls and Marlys Schmitz of Red Lake Falls, both sisters of the groom, and Michelle Wentz of Watford City, ND, friend of the bride. The bride's personal attendant was Mary Mahon, friend of the bride.

The best man was Steve Wentz of Watford, ND, friend of the couple. Groomsman were Noel Hermanson of Farmington, MN, brother of the bride, Dave Hanson of Watford City, ND, friend of the couple, Ray Derouin of St. Hilaire, brother-in-law of the groom, and Craig Huot of St. Hilaire, brother of the groom. Ushers were Bob Huot of Thief River Falls, brother of the groom, Paul Radcliffe of Lisbon, ND, uncle of the bride, and Paul Drees of Grand Forks, ND, friend of the groom.

Special guest was James Radcliffe, grandfather of the bride.

Hosts and hostesses of the reception were David and Audrey Hermanson, aunt and uncle of the bride and Al And Diane Shervold, cousins of the groom. Guest book attendant was Kelly Sutton, cousin of the bride. Cake cutters were Lynn Nord, friend of the bride, and Lorraine Wentz, friend of the couple.

Coffee was served by Anne Pepple, aunt of the bride and Arlene Huot, aunt of the groom. Punch was served by LeAnn Peterson, friend of the couple. The flower hostess was Barb Drees.

Gift table attendants were Matt Pepple, cousin of the bride, and Jeremy Wentz. Waitresses were Stephanie, Amanda Radcliffe, cousins of the bride, and Connie Radcliffe, aunt of the bride.

The couple lives in Bemidji where the bride is employed at first National Bank of Bemidji and the groom is employed by the City of Bemidji Park District. The bride is a 1987 graduate of Williston High School and the groom is a 1979 graduate of Licoln High School.

Feiock and Dalager exchange vows at July 1st ceremony

[illegible] Feiock and Nathan Dalager were united in marriage on July 1 at Covenant Church in Bemidji with Reverend Kenneth Carlson presiding at the 4 p.m. double ring ceremony.

[illegible] is the daughter of Arlo and Ginger Feiock of Bemidji. Nathan is the son of Jim and Phyllis Dalager of St. Hilaire.

The couple honeymooned in Florida. The bride is a 1991 graduate of Bemidji High School and a 1995 graduate of Bemidji State University. She will be teaching first grade in Fort Worth, TX. The groom is a 1986 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1991 graduate of UND. He was working with the Minnesota DNR as a civil engineer and is moving to Fort Worth to start a new job.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times.

• On July 31, a baby boy was born to Robert Swenson and Melissa Carlson of Thief River Falls. He has been named Cody Glen Swenson.

• On August 2, a baby girl was born to Raymond and Tammy Swick of Thief River Falls. She has been named Bailey Ann.

• On August 3, a baby girl was born to Chad and Tiffany Frazer of Thief River Falls. She has been named Shelby Dianne.

• On August 6, a baby boy was born to James and Cheryl Kindrick of Thief River Falls. He has been named Tristan John.

• On August 5, a baby girl was born to Mark and Jodi Lehrer of Thief River Falls. She has been named Kylie Joy.

Birthday party for Leola Gunderson

There will be an open house celebration in honor of Leola Gunderson's 80th birthday on August 13 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Heritage Center in Thief River Falls. All friends and family are invited to attend. Cards only, please.

Bridal shower for Lora Wagner

A bridal shower for Lora Wagner will be held Sunday, August 13 at Zion Lutheran Church fellowship hall from 2-4 p.m. Please bring a recipe to share. No invitations are being sent.

Sean Patrick Farris baptized

Sean Patrick, infant son of CSM Harry and Deb Farris of Fort Belvoir, VA, was baptized Sunday morning, July 30 at Faith Lutheran Church at Goodridge, by Pastor Robert Dahlen. Tim and Mark Panek, Darrin and Kim Panek served as sponsors. Special music was provided by Wendy Blazejewski. Following the ceremony, an open house was held at the home of his grandparents the George Paneks.

ON MY MIND
Kim Chadwick-Quade

Would You Rather Eat Your Vegetables Or Take A Vacation?

There are many kids who would rather eat their vegetables every night than go on a long car trip with their parents. So stated a recent USA Today newspaper article.

In addition, the story reported that one-fourth of the parents the newspaper surveyed said they would choose other alternatives to driving a long distance on a family vacation.

Eight percent of the adults surveyed said they'd rather interview for a job; five percent would prefer to do their own taxes; four percent said that moving would be more pleasant than undertaking a cross-country car trip.

After my recent excursion, I might have to agree with those who answered the survey.

My husband was scheduled to be in Illinois with work for two weeks. I decided it would be "fun" for my 4-year-old son and me to drive down to meet my husband for a short vacation. Our vacations usually consist of weekends at the lake, so I thought this trip would be an enlightening experience for our son. He could see and do things he wouldn't normally see or do.

Our itinerary included overnight stops in Detroit Lakes and Minneapolis. And while in Bloomington, IL, we planned to visit a zoo and a children's museum. A day-long trip to Chicago was going to be the highlight.

Now, more than 1,600 miles and a week later, I'm not so sure it was a good idea. I know that it will be some time before we attempt another vacation.

Sure it was fun. But with the benefit of hindsight, the biggest detractor was that the parents' and child's expectations differed. We weren't on the same wavelength.

For instance, as we neared Chicago and saw the skyline, my husband and I excitedly pointed out the large buildings. "Look at those skyscrapers. Aren't they big?"

Our son nonchalantly replied, "I've seen them before. They aren't that big."

A few miles farther down the highway, he pointed and exclaimed, "Look at those broken down buildings." Out his window our son was attracted to the large construction equipment razing old warehouses.

I guess we just didn't agree on what was worth looking at.

We had a similar experience at the Bloomington zoo. We saw wallabies up close; we petted goats and sheep; we got to see wolves, owls, otters, seals, boa constrictors and tigers.

As we walked away I asked him how he liked it. "It was OK, but I didn't get to see any zebras or giraffes," he said disappointedly.

I don't remember promising those animals, but that's a child's concept of a zoo. My son's favorite part of visiting that zoo was playing on the jungle gym equipment in the nearby park.

Each time we discussed meal plans, our son would say, "I know, we could eat at (insert name of favorite fast-food restaurant here)." The parents had hoped to try some of the unique local establishments.

We also discovered that children aren't impressed by walking tours of big cities. We had to quash our stroll down Michigan Avenue in Chicago because we'heard only four sentences: "I'm hungry. I'm tired. I'm thirsty. I have to go to the bathroom."

I guess he didn't appreciate that this was the biggest city he'd ever visited, teeming with a mecca of shopping and eating opportunities.

If you asked our son what he liked most about the vacation, he'd probably say that it was swimming in the motel pool. We certainly didn't need to drive 1,600 round-trip miles to swim in a pool.

Driving that far with a child is a challenge and an experience. Between the precious moments of discovering a new scene, there were the times I'd want to scream when he asked, again, when we'd be there.

Now that the trip is over, I think mom needs a vacation.

Golden Years club picnic August 15

Trinity Golden Years Club will picnic at 12 noon on Tuesday, August 15 in the church fellowship hall. Lillian Rux will cater the noon meal. Pastor John Wollenzien will lead the group meditation.

After the meal, the group will travel via church bus to St. Hilaire where they will view Phyliss Gaven's lovely flower garden.

Members and guests are encouraged to attend. Please note the change of meeting time. For rides, call the church office at 681-1310.

Retired Educators meeting Aug. 16

Northland Retired Educators will meet on Wednesday, August 16 at Room A at the Best Western in Thief River Falls. The 1995 Retirees will be honored. Winners of the "Favorite Grandparent" essay will be presented and their essays read.

Musical number will be by Reid Froiland and Laura Williams, students of Mrs. Phyllis Dalager.

Class of 1975 to hold reunion with LHS faculty

The class of 1975 would like to extend an invitation to Lincoln High School faculty teachers to join them for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres on Friday night, August 11 at 7 p.m. at the Elks Club in Thief River Falls.

Skaters pass USFSA tests

Three members of the Thief River Falls Skating Club passed testing sanctioned by the United States Figure Skating Association at sessions conducted during July.

At the Border Blades test session at the Eagles arena in Grand Forks, ND, July 14-16, Becky Mooney passed the third figure test and Novice Moves in the Field. Kim Schneider passed the Juvenile Moves in the Field and Juvenile Freestyle tests.

At the Bemidji Skating Club test session in Nielson Reise arena in Bemidji July 28-30, Elizabeth Odette passed the European Waltz completing the Pre-Silver Dances.

Women's program on August 15th

All women of the Thief River Falls area are invited to a luncheon Tuesday, August 15, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the American Legion club. Cost is $4.50.

Program theme is "Home on the Range." Robyn Purath the NW Stockman's Association beef princess will present outdoor cooking tips. "Prairie Serenade" will be by Darla Huot. "Best in the Midwest" will be the speech by Maryel Scott of New Richmond.

Reservations should be made by August 11, cancellations by Monday, August 14. Call Clarice Rooker at 964-5357 or Lorraine Dallmann at 681-1086. Reservations must be kept, cancelled, or paid for.

Free nursery is provided at United Methodist church by reservation only.

After Five Club dinner August 15th

The Christian Business and Professional Women's "After 5 Club," cordially invites area women to a dinner Tuesday, August 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn. Cost will be $6.

Theme for the program is "Trash or Treasure, so bring an item purchased at a rummage sale and join the fun. The feature will be "Bargains Galore" by Evadell Tarnquist. "Shared Notes" will be the musical presentation by Newfolden Trio, Kathy Rokke, Vernette Stokke and Delores Bakke. Maryel Scott will speak on "Thoughts to be Saved."

Reservations must be made by Friday, August 11, and cancelled by Monday noon, August 14. For reservations call Anna Marie Hestad 681-2135 or Evelyn Myrum at 681-2924.

42nd annual Wold family reunion

The Jonas Wold family reunion will hold their 42nd annual family reunion on Sunday, August 13 at Vidhall Hall, rural Thief River Falls. Rev. Kevin and Grace (Hanson) Meyers from Minneapolis will share in the 11 a.m. service. Everyone is welcome.

Rachel Stromberg on Dean's list at University of MN

Rachel Stromberg, daughter of John and Barb Stromberg, Thief River Falls, was named to the University of Minnesota College of Liberal Arts Dean's list for the spring quarter.

Students named to the CLA Dean's list have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by earning a quarterly grade point average of 3.66 or higher while completing 12 or more credits. Stromberg is a 1991 graduate of Lincoln high school. She is majoring in speech-communication at the university.

Jennifer Paggen receives reunion scholarship

Jennifer Paggen, daughter of Al and Sharon Paggen of Thief River Falls, is a recipient of a Reunion Scholarship for the amount of $500 for the 1995-96 academic year. This scholarship is funded by the alumnae of the College of Saint Benedict. Paggen is a junior accounting major at the college.

Mike and Cindy Skinner have a new baby boy

Mike and Cindy Skinner of Thief River Falls are proud to announce the birth of their son, Nicholas Ryan. He was born June 18 at United Hospital in grand Forks, ND at 5:40 a.m. weighing seven pounds, five ounces and measuring 21 and one half inches in length.

He was welcomed home by his brother Michael. Grandparents are David and Pat Honstine of Thief River Falls.

Oakland Park nursing home board meeting

The Oakland Park Nursing Home Executive Board will be meeting on Thursday, August 10 at 5:30 p.m. at the Home.

Retirement party for Howard Nelson

The family of Howard Nelson will host an open house retirement and birthday party in his honor on Saturday, August 12 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Heritage Center.

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Thief River Falls couple married in Las Vegas

Linda D. Smith and Robert L. Schelin were married on June 2 in Las Vegas, NV, at the Little Church of the West. The bride's parents are Don and Shirley Lindeman of Thief River Falls, and the groom's parents are Irene Schelin of Phoenix, AZ and the late Leslie Schelin.

The maid of honor was Jaime Dawn Smith of Thief River Falls, daughter of the bride. Matron of honor was Deb Erickson of Las Vegas, NV, sister of the bride.

The bestman and groomsman was Joel Johnson of Wahpeton, ND, cousin of the groom.

Giving away the bride, were Cody and Cory Johnson, nephews of the bride. Special guests were Tammy and Joel Johnson, friends of Thief River Falls and Orion and Judy Schelin of Bullhead City, AZ, brother and sister-in-law of the groom.

The reception was at JDs Saloon, Las Vegas. The couple took a wedding trip to Arizona and were settled in Mesa, Arizona.

The bride is employed at Glenmoor and the groom is employed at Schelin Trucking. Both are graduates of Lincoln High School.

Train Days this weekend at the Pioneer Village

Warren Jaklke will display his model Train exhibit bus and other train rides for children as part of the fun at Train Days at Peders Engelstad Pioneer Village, on Saturday and Sunday, August 12 and 13.

The Pioneer Village will also offer guided tours on Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m. Gourmet guides will show people through the Soo Line Railroad Station, the one-room schoolhouse, Sons of Norway cabin, Giving museum, Engelstad building (farm machinery), Burlington Northern clothing exhibit, general store, Nupo and Berg pioneer cabins.

There will also be an Old Time Dance with Cathy Erickson on Sunday, August 13, from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Engelstad Building. Free rides in a 1931 Chevy will be given as well.

Admission to the event is $3 for adults, children and Historical Society members are free.

Support for those who are grieving

It is not unusual for people to begin to experience symptoms of mourning around six months after a death. In some rare cases it may show up years later because the grief was not adequately addressed early on.

We can learn and support one another during the difficult times of adjustment after the loss of a loved one. The Grief Support Group will begin again on Tuesday, September 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls.

The six-week group is open to all adults who are experiencing grief due to a death. The meetings are free. Group leaders are trained and experienced in the area. The meetings are weekly except the months of January and August.

Anyone interested in more information can call Martha Wussman at Northland Community Hospice, 681-6189.

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Mutnansky and Olsen plan September 9th wedding

Paula Mutnansky and Todd Olsen are pleased to announce their engagement. Paula is the daughter of Theresia Mutnansky of Grandridge and the late Paul Mutnansky. Todd is the son of Jim and Autumn Olsen of Roseau.

The bride-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Grygla High School and a 1989 graduate of Bemidji State University and Northland Community College. She is a registered nurse. Her fiance is a 1981 graduate of Roseau High School. He served in the US Army from 1982 to 1990 and is now employed at Bryllgaden Trucking of Roseau.

A September 9 wedding is planned for St. Ann's Catholic Church in Goodridge.

Commission OKs zoning change

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adversely affect the value of adjacent property. She said other areas closer to Arctic and Digi-Key should have been considered. She added that if the proposal was approved the city should address traffic flow, safety issues, and the creation of a large buffer zone.

Jim Mellman, property owner, testified that property values of the neighborhood would not be adversely affected, just as they are at other industrial locations in the community.

Rohl said they had looked at several sites, but the property was the most suitable for building. He said there were other problems with those sites, as well.

Rohl explained that technology has changed and that current manufactured homes are not trailers, which most people are familiar with.

Larry Baker of Housmark, a manufactured home manufacturer, said sales of manufactured homes represented 25 per cent of the market last year in the United States. The manufactured home built today, he said, is vastly different from trailers in the past. He cited rigid HUD guidelines, which make manufactured homes very energy efficient, cost efficient, and look like site-built homes.

Gary Eibel, an adjacent property owner, said he currently stores his photos with the processing lab when he heard about the manufactured home park he set up all night deciding where to move. High density residential areas lends itself to greater problems, such as crime and traffic, and to more high-density residential property. He cited the major impact on his property as value, and quoted a Johnny Cash tune in saying "I hear a freight train coming."

Curt Shaetzen, attorney for Rohl and Sonning, noted that a lot of comments had been made about valuation. He explained that the commission must take into account whether the proposed development will have an "unreasonable" affect on the valuation, and whether it will have an "unreasonable" affect on the health and safety of adjacent property owners, according to Minnesota law.

City Attorney Paul Hultgren said, "It does in abundance that by law the commission cannot meet manufactured home parks any differently than any other residential development. He listed the eight criteria the commission should follow in making its decision. He said the commission could look at the eight criteria and/or add to it.

Following a period of discussion, the City Councilman and Commissioner Don Barron proposed that the project be approved by the commission on grounds that it met seven of the eight criteria. Rick Reierson seconded the motion. On a roll-call vote, the motion to recommend approval of the proposed rezoning to the city council was approved. There was one vote in opposition.

Brooks

Jason and Bobby Blotsky, Brian and Byron of Elk River arrived on Thursday and visited with Richard with hat hunt and uncle Del and Cindy Dahlman.

Gavin Grose of Olcan, Sherbin and Evangeline Grose and Brice Grose were Saturday guest of Mrs. Lillian Grose.

On Monday, Mrs. Jeanne Grandpre of Chokeman and Mrs. Lorraine Barber of Angus visited with Carol and Marc Finnegan home.

Inglis, Ortloff recognized for USDA program

Judeh Inglis and Irene Ortloff of Thief River Falls have been recognized by Providers Choice, Inc., for more than 10 years of participation on the USDA child and adult care food program.

During the 10 years the caregivers have attended nutrition education classes, prepared and served USDA approved meals to children in their care and provided nutrition education to the families for whom they provide child care services.

Amy Erickson earns degree at U of M Morris

Amy Erickson of Thief River Falls was one of 330 graduates to receive bachelor of arts degrees at the University Minnesota, Morris. Erickson earned a bachelor of arts degree major in management, and a minor in speech.

Erickson also was listed on the Dean's list for spring quarter at the school. To be eligible, students must have a grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale, be registered for a minimum of 12 credits, complete all of the credits for which he or she is registered, and carry at least two-thirds of those credits on the grading system.

Neil Rondorf promoted to rank of Capt.

Navy Capt. Neil E. Rondorf, son of Eugene L. and Edna M. Rondorf of Thief River Falls, recently was promoted to his present rank while serving at the office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Washington, D.C.

Sailors and Marines like Rondorf are promoted based on job performance and proficiency in military requirements among other things.

The 1970 graduate of Lincoln high school joined the Navy June 1974. Rondorf is a 1974 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD, with a bachelor of science degree.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories:

- **Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.**
- **Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.**
- **Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and when couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.**

Rena & Steve Doebler to celebrate 25th anniversary

Rena and Steve Doebler, along with their family, are hosting an open house in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. The event will take place on Sunday, August 20 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Warroad town hall, four miles west of Warroad on Highway 11. In case of change of date, time and place, I'll go into mourning.

SPEAKING OF
Sherry LaCourniere

... What Happened to Being Polite?

Didn't people used to be more "mannerly" than they are today? It seems as though having good manners or being courteous has stopped being important.

When I was young, good manners were a sign of proper upbringing. It didn't matter whether people were rich or poor — they were taught how to behave in a social manner from the time they were very small. "Please" and "thank you" were drilled into all of us. One of my little cousins used both words every time she asked for something, probably because she couldn't remember which word was proper for the getting and which word was proper for after she had gotten.

Children were taught to respect people older than themselves (which was almost everybody, since I'm 31). We were taught that people older than ourselves deserved to be treated considerately. I remember helping Daisy Erickson, who lived across the street from us, when she was asked, and calling them "Sir" or "Ma'am" or "Mr. So-and-So" or "Mrs. So-and-So." It was just not proper to talk back to an older person or make fun of them. Things like that were just not done.

But small children are not the ones who have lost their manners nowadays. It seems that the older children become, the less well-mannered children seem to be very polite and considerate in their day and age.

It is some adults and young people who have either forgotten how to conduct themselves in a proper, polite manner, or, perhaps, never learned etiquette in the first place.

Last weekend my daughter came home from shopping and mentioned the reaction she had gotten from an older lady when she held the door for the lady. She told the lady glared at her and stomped off as if my daughter had done something unpopulaire to her. What kind of manners is that? Did she think my daughter was going to slug her and snatch her purse, or what?

How we all become so frightened and insular that we can't even appreciate a common courtesy any more? Whatever happened to gracious, genuine, considerate act not saying thank you? Why not a smile to go with the thanks?

Whatever happened to the cordial acts that people should do — like holding doors — saying "excuse me" when walking in front of someone, or, for that matter, letting in other people crowded ahead — excusing oneself when belching — not interrupting when others are talking — saying "thank you" — feeling a people for no reason at all — covering one's nose and mouth when sneezing — and on, and on, and on.

Whatever the reason for the loss of manners, it is a very sad thing to see. I think we will have lost something very important when people lose the ability to be polite to one another. After all, courtesy is just one part of our culture that makes us a bit better than animals. What a shame that we no longer see the refining acts that make us human beings instead of apes.

Klegstad and Stewart to marry on September 2nd

James Stewart and Heidi Klegstad announce their engagement. She is a 1993 graduate of Hallock High School and a 1995 graduate of Northland Community College. He is a 1989 graduate of Lancaster High School and a 1994 graduate of Bemidji State University. Both are currently employed in Thief River Falls.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Michelle Klegstad of Hallock and Mike Klegstad of White Bear Lake. The groom-to-be is the son of Donald Stewart of Lancaster.

A September 2 wedding is planned for Grace Lutheran Church in Hallock.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Pudding Paint

The following activity is another way of using and mixing edible paint for art galleries. Before beginning the activity, be sure your little artists wash their hands. Use clean paper or trays.

You will need:

a six-ounce package of chocolate pudding

two cups of milk and

a large clean sheet of paper or a tray.

Pour pudding mix and milk into a bowl. Beat with rotary egg beater until mixture is thick. Spoon the pudding onto paper and use as finger paint. Another way for children to mix this is to place the pudding mix with milk in a jar, cover the jar with a tight-fitting lid and shake it until the mixture is thick.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need large pieces of white paper or newsprint, scissors and non-toxic tempera paint.

HOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Hoakes, Kevin, The Biggest Bug. Billy's mother tells him how much he is growing and is more him thinking about being big, maybe the biggest bug in the world.

Andreoli, Camillo, Humphrey Thud. Heroin, a small stuffed rabbit, jumps into a large sock and disappears. Laughter abounds when his friend the elephant, Humphrey Thud, attempts the same trick.

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PARENTING TIPS

Play in Child's Work

Through play children learn many things, such as how to get along with others, how to interact, how the world around them works and how to solve problems. They also have the opportunity to expand their language, straighten their muscles, build their self-esteem, try out different roles and more!

As parents it is our task to listen to children as they play and listen for cues that will tell us what they need. Sometimes children have difficulty in finding their friends when you can and then how out. Be ready to check in from time to time. Participate when invited (and when appropriate) but make sure that the play belongs to the child.

Give children of opportunity awaits every child. Play earn attention not to give the impression that you are joining in, but rather continuing to gain the child's attention. Everything is not a lesson in fun.

Offer a variety of toys to stimulate social, emotional, physical and cognitive development. Allow time to check for play. A flexible schedule that allows plenty of personal play to expand without interruption can be a precious gift in a busy, often highly scheduled family life.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Give children the opportunity to resolve problems themselves with words.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

Alex Morken selected for All-State orchestra

Alex Morken, son of David and Mary Morken and a student in Lincoln High School, has been selected for membership in the Minnesota Music Educators Association All-State Orchestra for the 1995-96 school year, according to Brian Cole, orchestra instructor at Lincoln.

Alex is one of 500 students selected from more than 2,400 who auditioned this spring for a position in one of the six MMEA All-State musical groups. He will attend a summer camp at Winona State University August 7-12 and have the opportunity to work with some of the finest musicians and music educators in the country as well as performing outstanding orchestra music. The performance Homecoming Concert will end with a concert on August 12.

In addition, the students will further again in February in Minneapolis where they will be a major performing group at Orchestra Hall during the MMEA clinic.

The All-State program is an ongoing activity of the MMEA which works to promote music education throughout the state as an educational break.

Immunizations August 12

An immunization clinic will be held August 12 from 9 to 10 a.m. The immunizations will be available at the Inter-County Nursing Service office in the southwest corner of the Pennington County Courthouse. All seventh and twelfth grade students should receive their second MMR. These students must provide proof of their MMR to remain in school. Adults in need of a booster for tetanus diphtheria are encouraged to attend.

The cost of immunizations are $5 each. No one will be denied an immunization for lack of payment. Please call 683-7510 for an appointment. Immunizations available are DTP, DT, OPV, MMR, HIB and Hepatitis B vaccine for children and toddlers.

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Alma Lull, 79

Thief River Falls — Alma Lull [illegible] Tuesday, August 1 at [illegible] Cemetery in Warren.

Funeral services were held on Friday, August 4 at Zion Lutheran Church [illegible] Thief River Falls [illegible] officiating. Special music was provided by organist [illegible] and [illegible]. Selections were "On Eagle's Wings" and "One Day at a Time." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "I'll Take My Hand and Lead Me."

Casketbearers were Mike H[illegible], Ron Fulton, Paul Halverson, Michael M[illegible], Marvin Olsen and Charles Meyers. Honorary casketbearers were all Alma's grandchildren and great grandchildren. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Alma Holten was born October 2, 1915 in Rosewood to Thom and Annie (Haugen) Holten. She attended Columbus rural school and [illegible] Rosewood.

She was united in marriage to Frank [illegible] 1937 in Warren. The couple lived in Thief River Falls and Alma was employed [illegible] housekeeping department at Northwest Medical Center [illegible] years until her retirement. Frank died March [illegible] 1972.

She married Arthur Lull on [illegible] and the couple continued living in Thief River Falls. Arthur "Bill" died October 31, 199[illegible].

Alma was a member of Zion Lutheran Church. She loved baking, quilting, gardening and flowers.

She is survived by three daughters, Karol Sevre of Isanti, Vonnie Hagle of Thief River Falls, Sandy W[illegible] of Thief River Falls; one step daughter, Myrtle Casavan of Duluth; 14 grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren and two sisters, Inga Holten of Thief River Falls and Else Mickelson of Cyrus.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, Frank and Arthur; an infant son; her parents; grandson, Terry Berggren; son-in-law, Duane Sevre; step daughter, Jeanette Heller; sister Bertha Holten and four brothers, Albin, Ted, Goodwin and Eldin Holten.

Joseph J. Blawat, 68

Viking — Joseph J. Blawat, 68, died at his home in Foldahl township, Marshall county, on August 4 at the age of 68.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 8 at 10:30 a.m. at the Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Warren. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery in Warren.

Joseph Blawat was born on March 16, 1927 at Drayton, ND, the son of Leonard and Frances Blawat. He spent his early years in the rural Drayton area.

He was united in marriage to Stella Byzewski on September 5, 1950 at Drayton, ND. They moved to the Viking area in 1951 where they farmed. Joseph enjoyed hunting and fishing and working with horses.

He is survived by his wife Stella; daughters, Bernadette Hendrickson of Grand Forks, ND, Beverly Bergland of Chicago, IL, Barbara Skadsem of Warroad and Betty Wood of Arlington, TX and sons, Bradley and Bernard of Viking, 10 grandchildren; four sisters, Effie Kroll of Argyle, Lillian Mozinski of East Grand Forks, Lucille Passa of Drayton, ND and Josephine Kruczwnski of Oak Creek, WI and three brother, Alfred of Drayton, ND, Dick of Stephen and Harry of Milwaukee, WI.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one sister and one brother.

Willard Sletten, 63

Thief River Falls — Willard Sletten, 63, died Wednesday, August 2 at United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were held at Our Saviour's Free Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Pastor Todd Peterson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Wanda Vigness and soloist Jan Nyflot. Selections were "Under His Wings" and "One Day at a Time." Congregational hymns are "Just as I Am" and Beyond the Sunset."

Casketbearers were Bob Wold, Harlan Halvorson, Dennis Brinkman, Stewart Sisitad, Walt Morehouse and Roger Kezar. Honorary casketbearers were all of Willard's friends and family in attendance. Military honors were by the American Legion and VFW of Thief River Falls. Interment was in the Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Willard Mentley Sletten was born on September 1, 1931 in Beltrami county, east of Grygla, the son of Oluf and Mable (Thronson) Sletten. Willard attended school in Grygla.

He served in the United States Air Force from 1951 to 1955.

Willard was united in marriage to Adeline Sistad on June 24, 1953 in Grygla. At his discharge in 1955, they moved to Thief River Falls where Willard worked for Pepsi Cola until 1979. He was employed at Northland Community College until he retired in 1994. Willard was presently working at Our Saviour's Free Lutheran Church and Green Funeral Home.

He was a member of Our Saviour's Free Lutheran Church where he served as a church trustee.

He is survived by his wife Adeline, two sons, Larry of Minneapolis and Rodney of Thief River Falls; six grandchildren; three great grandchildren; six brothers, Marvin, Howard, Orvis and Wilford, all of Thief River Falls, Clarence of Plummer and William of Stacy; three sisters, Ardith Stenen of Minneapolis, Florence Maidment of Thief River Falls and Bernice Sistad of Grygla; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers, Orin, Harvey and Melford; three sisters-in-law, Marion, Inga and Mabel Sletten; two brothers-in-law; Joe Stenen and Orville Maidment; one niece and several nephews.

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Clarence Ellingson, 89

Goodridge — Clarence [illegible] died on Tuesday [illegible] Oakland Park Nursing [illegible] Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held [illegible] August 4 at 3 p.m. at the [illegible] Lutheran Church, Goodridge, with Reverend Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music was provided by organist and vocalist Grace Hammer. Selections were "Den Store Hvide Flok" and "King of Love My Shepard Is." Congregational hymns were "When Peace Like a River" and "Children of the Heavenly Father."

Casketbearers were Ernest Swanson, Lynn Josephson, Monte M[illegible], Lynn Nad, Matt Josephson and Orin Hanson. Honorary casketbearers were Herman Ruud, Carl E[illegible], Albert Johnson, Palmer Paulson and Alvin Kompen.

Clarence Ellingson was born on November 11, 1905 in Highlanding township, Red Lake county to the late Andrew and Signe (Sigurdson) Ellingson. He was baptized in the Christian faith at Lund's farm house in Highlanding and confirmed on [illegible] by Reverend [illegible]. Clarence attended [illegible] Township Elementary [illegible] and grew to adulthood [illegible]. Following his [illegible] he farmed on the family [illegible] years and worked for [illegible] in the Erie Mining [illegible] in the Iron Range. He [illegible] farming in 1974.

[illegible] a member of the Faith [illegible] Church in Goodridge and [illegible] as the Highlanding [illegible] clerk and the township [illegible].

[illegible] survived by one brother, [illegible] of Superior, WI [illegible] Almira Joanis of [illegible] TX as well as [illegible] nieces, nephews and [illegible] nieces and nephews. He is [illegible] survived by sister-in-law Irene [illegible] of Thief River Falls and [illegible]-in-law Olaf Bratland of [illegible] WI.

He was preceded in death by his [illegible] two brothers, Leo and [illegible] and sisters, Myrtle [illegible] and Alice Bratland.

Art Schiefert, 79

Plummer — Art Schiefert, 79, of rural Plummer died at his home on Friday, August 4.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Monday, August 7 at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in Brooks with Father Joe Richards presiding. Special music was provided by organist Janet Vanick, soloist Vicky Yaggie and trumpeter James Schmitz.

Casketbearers were Kent Swanson, Rob Swanson, Bruce Swanson, Dan Osbjornson, Paul Schiefert and Mark Theis. Interment was at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Cemetery.

Art Schiefert was born on July 25, 1916 at Fairfax to Andrew and Anna (Gitter) Schiefert. He moved with his parents to the Plummer area in 1919. He was raised and attended schoool in the Plummer area. Art was baptized at Fairfax and confirmed at St. Vincent de Paul Church in Plummer.

On November 21, 1940, Art was united in marriage to Frances Knott at St. Mary's Catholic in Red Lake Falls. The couple lived in the Plummer area, the Red Lake Falls area and the Dorothy area until selling his home farm near Plummer in 1945. The couple farmed until 1967 when he began working at Detroiter Mobile home in Red Lake Falls and worked there until retirement in 1977.

Art was an active member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, as an usher and Eucharistic minister. He was an avid sportsman and loving husband and father.

He is survived by his wife Frances of Plummer; seven children, Marie Swanson of Thief River Falls, Sidney of Bloomington, Sandy Osbjornson of Oklee, Victor of Plummer, Harley of West Fargo, ND, Jim of Plummer and Connie Suk of Plummer; 17 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; one sister, Margaret Russell of Madison, WI and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by five brothers, Joe, Andrew, Tony, Leo and Bennie and two sisters, Anna Kern and Angela Schmidt.

Margaret Schmidt, 70

Red Lake Falls — Margaret Marie Schmidt, 72, of Red Lake Falls died at her apartment in Red Lake Falls on Monday, July 31.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Friday, August 4 at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Red Lake Falls with Father Gary LaMoine presiding. Special music was provided by Polly Beyer, organist, and the St. Joseph Church Choir.

Casketbearers were Kenneth Hagl, Mike Schmidt, Dennis Erickson, Charles Schmidt Jr., Neil Prencvost, John Bendel and David Dufault. Interment was in the St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery.

Margaret was born on January 15, 1923, the daughter of Harry and Genevieve (Prencvost) LaRoche. She was raised and attended school in the area.

She was united in marriage to Anton Schmidt on July 25, 1944 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Red Lake Falls. For a few years, the couple lived on the farm and then in the late 1940's, they moved into Red Lake Falls and have resided there since. Anton passed away on February 21, 1986.

She is survived by three daughters, June Tatex of Fitchburg, MA, Marie Arneson of Red Lake Falls and Theresa Sands of Cloves, NM; one son Gerald of St. Paul; nine grandchildren; three sisters, Annie Bendal of Red Lake Falls, Arline VonWald of Biwabik and Clara Murphy of Milwaukee, WI and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Tony; half sister Fedelise Strom and two half brothers, Joe and Phillip LeBlanc.

Doris Jevne, 78

Strathcona — Doris Wallin Jevne, 78, died unexpectedly at her home on Monday morning, July 31.

Funeral services were held Saturday, August 5 at the Collins Funeral Chapel in Greenbush with Pastor John Jorgenson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Lois Peterson and vocalist Beth Geer. Selections were "How Great Thou Art" and "Under His Wings."

Casketbearers were Ronnie, Rory and Greg Hamness, Ray Hanson, Oswald Wahl and Milo Collom. Intermemnt was in Greenwood Cemetery, Strathcona.

Doris Wallin Jevne was born on March 18, 1917 near Strathcona in Huss township, Roseau County, the daughter of Oscar and Emma (Dokken) Wallin. She attended school and grew to womanhood in the Middle River community and was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

In 1936, Doris was united in marriage to Bertram Jevne at Roseau. The couple made their home in Hunly township, Marshall county, just outside of Strathcona, for many years. Bertram passed away March 16, 1991 and Doris continued to make her home near Strathcona.

She is survived by four sisters, Elaine Olson of Los Angeles, CA; Alice Gasch of Atascedro, CA; Eunice Kovach of San Francisco, CA and Rosalyn Mazzaferri of Rohnart Park, CA; one brother Gordon of Magalia, CA; three grandsons; 10 great-grandchildren; one aunt Esther Kezar of Middle River; her special friends, the Hamness family and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one daughter Darlene; three brothers, Walter, Clayton and James, and two sisters, Irene and Rose Marie.

David Kurowski, 48

Karlstad — David John Kurowski, 48, died Tuesday, August 1 at Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center.

Funeral services were held Friday, August 4 at St. Edward's Catholic Church in Strandquist with Father Bob Schreiner officiating. Special music was provided by organist Pat Larson.

Casketbearers were Mark Prosser, Keith Finney, Gary Kostrzewski, Francis Kuznia, Scott Kuznia and James Sollund. Interment was in St. Edward's Catholic Cemetery in Strandquist.

David John Kurowski was born November 25, 1946 in Marshall county, near Florian, the son of Rose (Borowicz) and August Kurowski. He attended school and grew to adulthood in Karlstad, graduating from Karlstad High School in 1966. He was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith.

David was employed for a short time by Dale Grandstrand Farms, in 1969, he entered the Kittson Memorial Nursing Center.. Since November of 1974, he has resided at the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center.

He is survived by his mother Rose Olson of Lake Bronson; four sisters, Mary, Delores and Dorothy, all of the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center, and Sandra Hodge of Lake Bronson; four brothers, August and Robert, also of Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center; Paul of Lake Bronson and James of Hillsboro, ND; four nieces and one nephew and several aunts, uncles, cousins, and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1970; his stepfather Willie Olson and his grandparents.

Jim Schouten, 53

Karlstad — Jim Schouten, 53, [illegible] unexpectedly at his home on Monday, August 7.

Services are pending with Collins Funeral Home of Karlstad in charge of arrangements.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Inez Gjovik, 75

Minneapolis — Inez Gjovik, 75, of Roseau, formerly of Strathcona, died Monday evening, August 7 at Fairview Riverside Care Center, Minneapolis.

Services are pending with Collins Funeral Home of Greenbush in charge of arrangements.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Albin Grebowski, 76

Inver Grove Heights — Albin Grebowski, 76, died at Wedgewood Health Care Center in Inver Grove Heights on Sunday morning, August 6.

Services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, August 9 at Assumption Catholic Church in Florian with Father Luke Odor presiding. Interment will be in Assumption Catholic Cemetery, Florian.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Henry A. Redinger, 101

Lakewood — Henry A. Redinger, 101, died July 22 at Woodland Village Nursing Home in Sunng.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 24 at the church. Interment was in Lakewood Cemetery.

He was born June 26, 1894 to Henry A. and Anna (Fieek) Redinger in Rosenheim, Germany, which was known as White Russia at that time.

Henry went to school and studied Latin and German. He came to America in 1910 at the age of 14 to live in a German settlement on the northwest side of Chicago. Here he continued his studies and as a young man became active in church, youth work, teaching youth, and in the church band. He had many skills and many jobs, but his main job was as a life insurance agent and manager for Western Southern Life Insurance Co. of Cincinnati, OH. After retirement in the early 1940's he moved to the Lakewood area where he dabbled in real estate.

He married Dorathea Seng in Chicago on April 16, 1915. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in Lakewood and she died March 25, 1967.

He attended the Northwoods Bible Fellowship Church in Lakewood. He enjoyed fishing and folks say he had a green thumb because his yard contained so many varieties of flowers. He also traveled to his winter home in Florida.

His son Walter, a teacher at Washington Elementary School in Thief River Falls used to tell his students about his father and how old Henry was.

Henry is survived by his daughters, Leola Mills of Lakewood and Lydia Sreeves of Floral City, FL; four sons, Henry of Carrollton, TX, David of Lakewood, Robert of Wilmington, NC and Walter of Thief River Falls; 15 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife Dorathea, Christ and Dorothy Redinger; son-in-law, Lew Mills; four brothers, Christ, Alex, Fred and Charlie; two sisters, Anna and Christina.

Violet C. Johnson, 82

Seattle, WA — Violet C. Johnson, 82, died July 7, 1995 at Seattle, WA.

Memorial services were held July 11 at Our Saviors Lutheran Church with Reverend Blair officiating.

Violet Anderson was born April 17, 1913 at Warren to Charles and Anna (Farsberg) Anderson. She was baptized into the faith on July 3, 1913 and confirmed May 29, 1927.

She attended elementary school high school and teachers training at Warren. She taught in various schools for eight years.

On July 20, 1940, she married Clifford Johnson. The Lord blessed them with two children.

In 1961 she began teaching at St. Matthew in Edmonds, WA and taught there for 14 years. In 1975 she began teaching at Concordia Lutheran school where in 1978 she became the first teacher to retire from Concordia.

She and her late husband Clifford were charter members of Our Saviors Congregation. She taught Sunday school for many years and held several offices in the women's guild.

She is survived by two children, Lynette Stewart of Reno, NV and Kent Johnson of Seattle, WA; two grandsons, Mike Stewart of Reno, NV and Martin Stewart of Truckee, CA; one great-granddaughter and sister Fern Wiseth of Lake Forest Park, WA.

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Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Roisland were visitors and lunch guests at the Mark Larson home in Middle River.

Shirley Johnsrud attended a yard wedding for David Hofstad and Nancy Tampbell in Red Lake Falls on Saturday.

Elva Fiedler was among other retired teachers that attended a picnic on Wednesday at the Carl and Polly Reed home in Thief River Falls.

Monday morning, Leslie Iverson and Norma Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Tuesday evening a birthday party for Joanna Johnson was held at the Gary Johnson home her guests were her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy, grandfather Albert Johnson of Goodridge, also Mrs. Ron Philipp, Mildred Hovet of Thief River Falls, her brother Jeremy Johnson, along with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson and Joanna's little sister Kylie. Lunch was served with an ice cream cake from the Dairy Queen in Thief River Falls. Joanna also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Joanna!

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie went to Hibbing to visit with Tillie Eliason their aunt. Then later in the afternoon they all went out for supper at a restaurant in Hibbing.

Sunday night, Elva Fiedler and Joel and Brady Fiedler had supper at the China King restaurant in Thief River Falls.

Supper guest's at the Clarence Johnson home on Wednesday afternoon were Gilmer Manderud, Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Olel Steloes of River Valley and Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests on Monday at the Vernon Iverson's home.

Marlin Kotrba was a visitor and coffee guest at the Ronnie Kotrba home on Monday afternoon.

Jenny Hawk was a visitor and supper guest at the Jaan Johnson home. Jenny also was an overnight at the Joan Johnson home that night.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Odetto took Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba out to supper at the Casino in Mahnomen in honor of their anniversary.

On Monday, Joey Rubischko spent the day at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa had supper at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel went to Roseau to watch Matthew and Alisha Verbout and Oasten and Gannon Kriel play football. Then later Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel were visitors at the John and Lisa Verbout home in Wannaska.

Visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at the Norman Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Adams, Dawn and Steven of Reynolds, ND.

Randy Johnsrud was a member of the wedding party for Dena Prestebak and Michael Helsa at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge on Saturday afternoon. Congratulations Dana and Michael.

Thursday, Vernon Iverson and Orlin Hanson entertained at the Oklee Meal sight for the Senior Citizens supper meeting.

Callers at the Gand Marquis on Saturday afternoon were Dick and Marion Marquis of Oklee.

Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Obert Hovet home.

Mrs. Kelly Dahlen, Casey and Cole were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Wednesday, Jodi Adams left for Alamoda, CA Coast Guard Base after spending some time with her parents the Norman Adams.

Merle Neeseth was a visitor and lunch guest at the Lowell Neeseth home in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sistad of Grygla were visitors and coffee guests at the Ronnie Kotrba home. The Sistad's also brought anniversary greetings to Ronnie and Gail Kotrba that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Jessica Johnson had supper in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Those who gathered at the Bonita Fulton apartment in Thief River Falls on Sunday for a family gathering were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud, Robert and Corn Fulton and son Scott of Pennsylvania. Also other family and friends.

Friday, Gilmor Manderud was a visitor and lunch guest at the Varner Arveson home.

Corps of Engineers announces changes in Clean Water Act

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has announced two changes to the Clean Water Act wetlands program which it says are "designed to reduce regulatory burdens on landowners."

The Corps said that the two initiatives are part of a comprehensive 40-point wetlands plan issued by the Clinton administration in August of last year and that the plan "has made wetlands programs fairer and more flexible for landowners and more effective in protecting these important aquatic resources.

On July 19 the Corps issued a new general permit for the construction or expansion of single-family homes on wetlands. The permit would allow landowners to affect up to one-half acre of non-tidal wetlands for the home and attendant structures such as a driveway or garage.

"Landowners will no longer have to go through the more lengthy individual permit process which typically takes over 120 days. Under Corps general permits, landowners receive decisions on their applications in an average of 16 days.

Also on July 19, the Corps proposed for public comment a new process that, for the first time, will allow landowners the opportunity to appeal a Corps wetlands jurisdiction decision or permit denial. Individuals dissatisfied with such decisions will have an administrative review process and will not have to automatically challenge the Corps in court, which can be expensive and time-consuming.

In addition to these changes, the Corps is committed to improving the performance of the wetlands regulatory program. In 1994 the average time to get a permit decision was 27 days, a spokesperson for the Corps said. Less than one per cent of all applications were denied. While a few old cases are still pending, the Corps has reduced the backlog of cases over two years old by 70 per cent—down to 62 applications out of several thousand pending.

Mid-July Index of Prices in Minn. up four points

The mid-July Index of Prices received by Minnesota farmers was 128, up four points from last month and up one point from a year ago, according to the Minnesota Agricultural Statistics Service. Milk cows sold for dairy herd replacement averaged $1,070 per hundred weight. For the month of July compared with $1,110 per hundred weight last year.

The crops index increased five points to 122 during the month. This was three points above the index a year earlier. The mid-July prices and the changes from last month are: all wheat, $4.08 per bushel, up 37 cents from the June estimate; corn, $2.47 per bushel, up 11 cents; oats, $1.42 per bushel, up 8 cents; barley, $2.04 per bushel, up 5 cents; soybeans; $5.71 per bushel, up 23 cents. All hay was down $2 per ton to $70 per ton; alfalfa hay at $76 per ton was down $2; and other hay at $44 per ton was down $2. All dry edible beans were down 90 cents to $21.60 per hundred weight; navy beans averaged $27.40 per hundred weight, up $1.50 from last month; pinto beans at $16.30 per hundred weight were down $1.40; and kidney beans at $21.40 per hundred weight were down $1.50. The all sunflower price at $11.40 per hundred weight was up 50 cents from the June price.

The meat animal index at 142 was up 5 points from last month and up 4 points for a year ago. All hogs at $48 per hundred weight were up $4.20 from the month earlier; sows were $29.30 per hundred weight, down 30 cents; barrows and gilts at $49 per hundred weight were up $4.50 from the June price. Beef cattle averaged $54.10 per hundred weight, down 90 cents; calves were up $1 to $75.20 per hundred weight, cows were down 50 cents to $37.90 per hundred weight; steers and heifers were down $1 to $55.70 per hundred weight. Sheep brought $25.30 per hundred weight, up $1.20. Lambs were down $3 to $86.40 per hundred weight.

The dairy index increased 1 point during the month to 137. This was 2 points below the index last year. The preliminary milk price at $12.10 per hundred weight was up 10 cents from the June price.

The poultry and egg index at 101 was 9 points above last month but unchanged from a year ago. Turkeys were 34 cents per pound live weight, 2 cents above a month earlier. Table market eggs brought 40 cents per dozen for all grades in mid-July, up 8 cents from June.

FEMA to decide soon on need for disaster relief

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), which administers disaster relief programs, could decide as early as next week whether federal assistance will be received for crop damage in this area, according to State Rep. Jim Tunheim of Kennedy.

"For the third consecutive year," he said, "we have experienced heavy rains that have had a devastating effect on communities throughout the northwest portion of the state.

"After three years, we are all aware of the damage to crops and the ripple effect that will have on the rest of the local economy. I am concerned about the long-term health of our area and families that have been directly hurt by the weather.

"Fortunately," he added, "the federal government provides financial relief for areas that have been hit hard by nature. I have been in contact with Congressman Collin Peterson's office and state officials about federal assistance."

Tunheim said that state and local officials have already taken the action necessary to apply for help. The process that needs to be followed requires that each county must first make its own preliminary damage assessment. The county board then passes a resolution asking the governor to declare a disaster area. The governor asks the President of the United States to declare the area a disaster area.

Just as FEMA is the federal agency responsible for disaster assistance, the Division of Emergency Management in the Department of Public Safety handles the duties for the state.

FEMA sent several teams to Minnesota last week to make its own damage assessment, and the staff members are still reviewing their findings. The Department of Public Safety sent its final letter to FEMA August 4, outlining a damage assessment and estimate of need based on all available information. FEMA is expected to act on the request soon.

According to officials in the Department of Public Safety, it is not certain at this time whether the state will receive federal funding to compensate those who were harmed by our bad weather, Rep. Tunheim said.

"Our community has clearly been adversely affected, and I am pleased local and state officials took the steps necessary to apply for these funds," Rep. Tunheim added.

Persons who have questions about the process may call Tunheim at 218-674-4480 or write to him at Box 66, Kennedy, MN 56733.

Gil Breuer promoted

Woodland Container Corporation announces the promotion of Gil Breuer to director of manufacturing. He joined Woodland in 1992 as plant manager when Woodland decided to locate a facility in Roseau. He oversaw the start up of the Roseau operation and its growth to over 50 employees. In this new position, he will be responsible for the manufacturing operations for all of Woodland's 10 locations.

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LeRoy Stumpf
State Senator, District 2

Lawmakers debated while protesters yelled about it during the 1995 legislative session. In the end, a major welfare reform bill survived and should save state taxpayers $13.6 million over the next two years.

The legislature increased incentives to get people off welfare and back to work. The idea is simple: in exchange for benefits, recipients have to work toward becoming self-sufficient.

Some of the changes will require federal approval. For example, the state will ask to waive some rules for Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC).

The state will need approval to increase the allowable value of an automobile for AFDC recipients. This is meant to make it easier for them to get transportation to and from work.

Another waiver request would affect new Minnesota residents. The state would like to base their benefit levels on the amount they received in their previous state of residence.

Families with children who are old enough to work would be affected by a waiver request. The state plans to exempt minor children's income from AFDC guidelines.

Minors who are parents will be affected by another change. From now on, they will have to live at home or in a supervised setting in order to receive AFDC payments.

Parents who are in the STRIDE employment and training program will also face new requirements. They will have stricter time lines for completing training, with required work hours for part-time students.

To keep better track of what the state spends on all of these programs, fraud prevention programs, will be expanded. The programs include efforts to investigate fraud complaints.

These are just a few of the changes the legislature adopted in the 1995 session. We will probably see more in the next few years as part of other government program reform efforts.

Wherever you drive in Minnesota this time of year, you see orange highway repair signs. The work on the other side of those signs is expensive, and the legislature has been debating how to pay the bill. The debate could affect all of us who use the state's roads.

In May, state lawmakers approved a transportation funding bill covering the next two years. The hottest issue was something that did not get into the final bill — a gas tax increase.

The last state gas tax hike was in 1988. Inflation in the seven years since has cut into the construction budget, and many road projects have been delayed. Supporters of an increase says it is needed to properly maintain roads, while some opponents say Minnesota's gas tax is too high already.

In recent years, proposals to increase the tax have been caught in a game of urban-rural political football. Rural lawmakers want the increase applied to highway improvements, while their urban colleagues want an increased tied to more mass transit funding.

The 1995 debate came down to the final hours of a five-month session. On the last day, Governor Arne Carlson said he would support a two-cent-per-gallon increase in each of the next two years. Because it came at the last minute, the Governor's support did not have much impact.

The Governor's proposal is fueling speculation about what could happen next year. The "no new taxes" approach that dominated the 1994 election might stop a gas tax increase in 1996. However, it is interesting to remember that the last increase happened in an election year (1988).

In northwestern Minnesota we have several road projects going on this summer such as on Highways 75, 32, and 59. I would like to give credit to our local and regional staff of the Minnesota Department of Transportation. These folks work hard to keep our roads in good shape in spite of tight budgets.

If you would like to share your opinions on this or any other issue facing state government, my address is G-25 Capitol Buildings, 75 Constitution Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota 56155.

If you're a parent, you know how much effort (and worry) it takes to keep children safe and healthy. The legislature worked on this same issue in the 1995 session by strengthening Minnesota's child protection laws.

In the 1995 session, lawmakers included several child protection measures as part of an anti-crime bill. These changes should help law enforcement officers share information quickly, and provide better assistance for victims of child sexual abuse.

The new criminal alert network (established last year) will be expanded to include a rural pilot project. The electronic system distributes information about missing children to law enforcement and state agencies. In the future, this program will be expanded statewide.

The "information superhighway" will also be used to help in this effort. A new project will be started to connect law enforcement databases on the Internet.

In addition to computer programs and fax networks, the bill sets up a toll-free phone "help line". The 24-hour service would help everyone from parents to social workers in dealing with abuse.

Because handling sexual abuse cases is difficult, complicated, and sensitive, the bill enhances efforts to help train people in how to interview children. Mishandled interviews have been a big concern, and the new law should help prevent those problems.

After abuse occurs, and the accused abuser has been arrested, the suspect can still cause problems before the trial. The legislation tackles this problem by requiring officials to let other local agencies know when and where the person will be released while awaiting trial.

During that same pre-trial period, courts must also notify the victim's family that the suspect may soon be released, and that a bail hearing is scheduled.

While no one expects these changes to end child sexual abuse, everyone who has worked on them hopes that they will help assist victims and prevent more crimes.

Strandquist

Rudy and Norean Lindstrom of Travor, WI left for home last Monday from the Grand Forks airport after spending two weeks with Morris and Marcelyn Lindstrom, visitors the past 2 weeks at the Lindstroms are Jaft, Paggy and Jarad Lindstrom of Akeloy, Elaine Grovum of Thief River Falls, Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom, Wally Lindstrom of Robin, Pat Lindstrom and children and Tad and Lori Johnson and family of Hallock.

Tad, Lori and Andy Johnson returned home from Minneapolis University Hospital last Monday evening. Andy's heart surgery lasted 10 hours and he is doing well. Marcelyn Lindstrom spent a few days at Hallock helping out with the packing as the Johnson family moved to Park Rapids.

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Open house at Chellenger scheduled for August 31

Challenger Elementary school staff and P.T.S.P. in Thief River Falls will welcome students and parents to the 1995-96 school year with an all-school open house, Thursday, August 31 from 5 to 8 p.m. Challenger elementary, and pre-school classrooms will be open with tours and a chance to meet teachers and staff.

Principal Glenn Espe says the evening will begin with a concert by "Kids Kollectibles", a performing company specializing in children's entertainment, featuring original music and colorful costumes. The concert is sponsored by the Early Childhood Resource Center at Challenger, and will be followed by an all-school open house and a chance for students to look at their classrooms and meet their teachers. Espe says classroom tours are fun and a great way to calm "first-day-of-school anxiety".

"A classroom and new friends, a new teacher, those are things students look forward to, but not without a little anxiety. We've found a chance to scope out the classroom ahead of time makes such a difference in a child's comfort level." Espe says.

Espe says his staff is still working on classroom assignments.

"We've been held up because our computers have been down. We hope to let families know who their teacher is going to be and which classrooms they've been assigned to by the middle of the month."

Espe is also urging new families who have not registered for fall to come in as soon as possible. "We want to know about any children still to be enrolled so we can get them registered and get their classroom assigned before the open house." The Challenger office is open weekdays in August, from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The first day of classes for all students in Thief River Falls School District 564 is Tuesday, September 5.

RLF student accepts BSU scholarship

Susan Wetenkamp of Red Lake Falls has accepted a scholarship to continue studies at Bemidji State University.

Wetenkamp, a junior enrolled in the German program, will receive a $500 alumni scholarship from the university.

Keith Anderson in final 20 for Select 17 hockey

Keith Anderson, son of Rory and Helen Anderson and a member of the Lincoln high school Prowler hockey team, was among the final 20 players named to the Select 17 hockey team at Colorado Springs, CO, last week.

The team will remain in Colorado Springs this week for a series of games against the Select 16 team.

A total of seven Minnesota players are on the final team, including northern Minnesota players Justin Paul of Crookston, Trevor Hammer of Roseau and Troy Bagne of Moorhead in addition to Anderson.

Keith led the Prowler hockey team in scoring as a junior last year with 25 goals and 25 assists in 24 games. He was first named to the USA Hockey National 17 Camp at Lake Placid, NY, then was one of 68 players invited to the festival camp at Colorado Springs.

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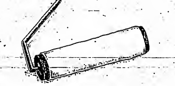

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Main Street award entry forms

Entry forms are now being accepted for the 1996 Great American Main Street Awards Contest, announced Regan A. Rohl, Edward D. Jones and Co. representative in Thief River Falls. For the second consecutive year, the financial services firm is sponsoring the contest in conjunction with the National Trust for Historic Preservation's National Main Street Center. The goal is to recognize exceptional accomplishments in revitalizing America's historic and traditional downtowns and neighborhood commercial districts.

At the conclusion of this year's contest, five communities will be awarded the distinction of having the best of the Great American Main Streets, each receiving $5,000 to use toward further revitalization efforts, along with plaques, road signs and certificates to mark the achievement.

Official entry forms and more information about the awards program is available from the Edward D. Jones and Co. office in Thief River Falls, or call 1-800-441-2018.

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4-H NEWS

Highlanding 4-H club tour was held on July 7, starting at the Norman Stenvik home where members viewed Arlen's horse and pony. The next stop was the Tim Kassa home where Adam showed his new hunting dog. Next we stopped at the Dale Hanson home where Ben, Clifton, Andrew and Brittany showed some of their projects. The last stop was at the Lion's park where Aaron Swanson showed his exhibits and a potluck supper was enjoyed by all. There were 11 members, eight parents and six guests, including Van Swanson, Extension educator, who participated in the tour. Our next meeting will be held on August 3 at the Goodridge Senior Citizen Center.

Nina Smith
reporter

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Robyn and Adam were among those who attended a birthday party at the Gene Marquis home. Lunch was served with two decorated birthday cakes. The birthday guests also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday!

Joanna Johnson and Andrea Cullen visited with Jessica Johnson on Sunday afternoon.

Lonnie Walno was a visitor and coffee guest at the Vernon Iverson home Monday afternoon.

Andrea Cullen was an overnight guest of Joanna's at the Gary Johnson home on Sunday night.

Sunday, Tim Lundeen's farewell was held in Warren at the Pastor Dick Luedtka home in Warren. Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon also attended the farewell for Tim.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor on Saturday at the Arnold Haugen home.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon went to Lake Sara where they joined Mr. and Mrs. Kory Chervestad and family.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gene, Amie and Malinda visited at the Gilmer Manderud home on Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hofel, Nick Hofel, Elizabeth and Rebecca Cornwell house guests at the Gilmer Manderud home. Then later Elizabeth and Rebecca were overnight guests at the Larry Kotrba home.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam were visitors and coffee guests at the Darwin Eidelbes home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Monica Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Monday. Then later the Johnson's enjoyed dinner at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Eddy Stucy was a visitor and coffee guest on Sunday afternoon at the Gary Johnson home.

Visitors and supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home on Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Greg Holgmen, Francis, Sylvia and Scott, Shirley Johnsrud, Jared Haugen, Jeff Lundeen, Abbie Chervestad of rural Oklee, Betsy Hanks, Kelsey Lundeen, Tian Mattson and John Kimball.

Jill Radniecki of rural Oklee was a visitor and overnight guest on Sunday at her grandparents home the Vernon Iverson's. Then on Monday, Jill Radniecki and Mrs. Vernon Iverson met Sara Rosendahl and they all enjoyed lunch at a restaurant in Thief River Falls. Then later that evening Jill Radniecki left for her home in Oklee.

One day during the week in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Norman Knol visited with June Johnson.

Monday evening visitors at the Tim Lundeen home were Shirley Johnsrud, Jared Haugen, Chris and Brent Nelson, Tian Mattson, Danny Nelson, Lucas Hanks, Abbie Chervestad of rural Oklee, John Kimball, Jeff Lundeen and Jared Haugen and Steven Weber.

Sunday afternoon and evening visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Anderson, Leslie Iverson and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Haugen of rural Oklee.

Mrs. Hank Hermenson, Mrs. Rodney Hoffman, Alissa and Kacey were visitors and coffee guests on Monday at the Gilmer Manderud home. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hofel and family houseguests at the Gilmer Manderud home.

Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hofel, Nick Hofel, Elizabeth and Rebecca Cornwell of Dubuque, IA came to the Gilmer Manderud home to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Sunsdahl were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday night at the Gary Johnson home.

Tuesday night, Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam were visitors and coffee guests at the Kevin Tharaldson home.

Jean Johnson and Mrs. Merle Naeseth attended the twins baseball game in Minneapolis on Saturday. Then later that evening Jean and Mrs. Naeseth were overnight guests at the JoAnn Naeseth home in Motley. They also spent Sunday with JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachary. Jean Johnson and Mrs. Merle Naeseth returned home on Sunday evening.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Arveson were visitors and lunch guests at the Gilmer Manderud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa visited at the Jim Fotz home near Angus on Tuesday evening.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Knol home.

Brief callers on Monday at the Larry Kotrba home were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hofel, Nick Hofel, Elizabeth and Rebecca Cornwell came and picked up Amie Kotrba and they went to visit at the Vance Wiseth home. Then later Amie Kotrba, Elizabeth and Rebecca Cornwell remained as overnight guests at the Vance Wiseth home.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba was a brief caller on Monday at the Norman Adams home.

Tuesday, Shannon Lundeen enjoyed supper with his grandmother Shirley Johnsrud.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Michelle and Monica Johnson were visitors and coffee guests on Monday afternoon at the Merle Naeseth home.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors at the Orlin Hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hofel of Dubuque, IA were visitors at the Tim Lundeen home.

Our sincere sympathy to the Sonny Vezina family. May his memory be blessed!

Those who enjoyed supper at OW's on Friday evening were Joan Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson in honor of Joan Johnson's birthday.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gene, Amie, Nicky and Malinda, Mrs. Vance Wiseth, Dana, DaNae and Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hofel, Nick Hofel, Elizabeth and Rebecca Cornwell of Dubuque, IA and Gilmer Manderud all enjoyed a potluck supper at the Gilmer Manderud home. Later Vance Wiseth joined them for supper.

Weekago Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa attended the wedding for David Holstad and Nancy Campbell in Red Lake Falls.

Joanna Johnson was a brief visitor at the Joan Johnson home on Thursday evening. Then later Jessica Johnson and Jenny Hawk went home with Joanne to visit at the Gary Johnson home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Visitors at the Clarence Johnson home on Thursday night were Jessica and Monica Johnson and Jenny Hawk.

On Friday afternoon Alissa Lundeen spent the day at the Korydon Chervestad home visiting with Abbie Chervestad.

Archie Wilson of California was a visitor at the Shirley Johnsrud home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zeidlick of Missoula and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zeidlick of Roseau were visitors and lunch guests on Friday afternoon at the Clarence Johnson home. Albert and Charles are cousins of Clarence's. Later Michelle and Monica Johnson had cake and strawberries with their grandmother Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Sunday, Don Moen and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie were visitors at the Gene Marquis home.

Mrs. Vernon Ivarson was a visitor and coffee guest on Saturday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors at the Betty Ford Center in Gonvick on Saturday morning.

Tuesday, Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at her grandparents home the Clarence Johnson's.

A belated birthday supper was served at the Gene Marquis home Friday night for Ciara Peterson, Jami Bjerklie and Mandy Sjulestad. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marquis of Oklee, Mrs. Ricky Bjerklie, Kelly and Emily, Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Robyn and Adam, Mrs. Rodney Bjerklie and Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie and Bryan, also Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea and Donald Moen. Later birthday cake was served to all. The birthday guests also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Clara, Jami and Mandy!

Adeline Hanson and grandson Reed Hanson were visitors and coffee guests Saturday forenoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Golen Englund home of rural Grygla were Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland.

Leon Peterson of Gully and June Johnson were visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Gene Marquis home.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Watne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland went on Monday night to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Hanson of Fosston along with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rolf of McIntosh.

Bryon Bjerklie was an overnight guest at the Gene Marquis home on Saturday.

Thursday evening, Joan Johnson was a visitor at the Allen Hawk home.

Sunday visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Watne home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hanson and Luane and Terry and Lori Hanson.

Curtis Johnson of Ostrell Lakes spent the weekend with his parents the Leonard Johnson's.

Tuesday evening, those who celebrated their birthdays together were Elizabeth and Christine Johnson at the Jim Johnson home. A supper was served in their honor. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Anderson, Todd and Kacey, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Downs, Heather, Alisha, Tyler and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Jessica Johnson along with their parents Jim and Lois and sister Katie. Later cake and ice cream was served to all. Happy Birthday Christine and Elizabeth.

Sunday, visitors at the Alfred Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson.

Visitors at the Henford Roisland home during the week were Lesley Iverson and Alfred Iverson and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Larson and Allan of Middle River.

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Tri-Valley bus fleet schedule announced

Tri-Valley Heartland Express Fleet Schedule for the week of August 14-18 is as follows. All riders are welcome to ride on the fully accessible buses. For the nearest coordinator call 1-800-584-7020.

Monday, August 14

Departs Beltrami at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Fertile at 8:40 a.m., Winger at 9 a.m., Erskine at 9:20 a.m., Mentor at 9:35 a.m., Crookston at 10:10 a.m., Fisher at 10:40 a.m., East Grand Forks at 11:15 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Twin Valley at 8 a.m. with stops in Ada at 8:30 a.m., Shelly at 9:05 a.m., Halstad at 9:15 a.m., Hendrum at 9:30 a.m., and Perley at 9:45 a.m., and arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, August 15

City-wide transportation is available in Crookston.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly at 9:05 a.m., Halstad at 9:15 a.m., Hendrum at 9:30 a.m., and Perley at 9:45 a.m. and arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden at 8:15 a.m., Viking at 8:45 a.m., Warren at 9 a.m., Oslo at 9:20 a.m., Angus at 9:30 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, August 16

Departs Lengby at 9 a.m. with stops in Fosston at 9:20 a.m., McIntosh at 9:40 a.m., Oklee at 10:05 a.m., Brooks at 10:15 a.m., Plummer at 10:40 a.m., and arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Bus service is available at the Ada Nursing home.

A bus departs Oslo at 9:30 a.m., and stops in Alvarado at 9:45 a.m., and arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

Thursday, August 17

City-wide transportation is available in Crookston.

City-wide transportation is available in Fertile from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A bus departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden at 8:15 a.m., Holt at 8:40 a.m., and arrives in Thief River Falls at 9 a.m.

Friday, August 18

A bus departs Mentor at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Erskine at 8:45 a.m., Brooks at 9:05 a.m., Oklee at 9:25 a.m., Plummer at 9:45 a.m., Red Lake Falls at 10:15 a.m., and Crookston at 10:30 a.m. It arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

City-wide transportation is available in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A bus departs Stephen at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Argyle at 8:45 a.m., Warren at 9 a.m., and Viking at 9:30 a.m. It arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Between August 14 and 18, city-wide transportation through the accessible Dial-a-Ride services is available Monday through Friday in Thief River Falls. For information and reservations call 681-6760.

All routes on the schedule return the same day.

Please call ahead to reserve space on the bus.

Roseau county quilt festival to be held August 12-13

Over 200 quilts will be on display at the Roseau Elementary School gymnasium on Saturday and Sunday, August 12 and 13. The display is in honor of Roseau county's centennial celebration.

The exhibits will be on display from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, with demonstrations from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. On Sunday, exhibits and demonstrations will be from 1 to 5 p.m.

Admission is free.

LETTERS

To The Times' News Staff:

Thank you so much for the terrific coverage of 4-H at the Pennington County Fair. We had many parents and 4-Hers comment on how exciting it is to see their names and pictures in print.

We know that it takes additional time to come out and get photographs of all the champion exhibitors and their projects. We do appreciate the effort and your flexibility.

Sincerely,
Pennington County
Extension Staff

Darla Miller on Mayville State Univ. summer Dean's list

Darla Miller of St. Hilaire has been named to Mayville State University's Dean's list for the summer semester of 1995. To be named to this list a student must have attained a 3.50 grade point average on a 4.0 scale.

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Sunday evening, Aug. 13: Roast pork with gravy, whipped potatoes, corn, bread, pie, milk.

Monday, Aug. 14: Salisbury steak, boiled potatoes, green beans, bread, pumpkin bars, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 15: Meatballs, mashed potatoes, California blend, bread, baked custard, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 16: Hamburger hotdish, lettuce salad, corn, bread, applesauce, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 17: Ham, potato dumpling, carrots, bread, lemon dessert, milk.

Friday, Aug. 18: Tuna macaroni hotdish, coleslaw, peas, bread, pudding, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Aug. 14: Poor Man's steak, boiled potato with margarine, creamed cabbage, orange wedge, bread and margarine, cherry crisp, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 15: Chicken chow mein, rice, peas, strawberry gelatin, bread and margarine, lemon snow, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 16: Meatloaf, cheesey hashbrowns, waxed beans, cranberry muffin with margarine, butterscotch pudding, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 17: Pork chop, baked potato, sauerkraut, apple ring, bread and margarine, raisin bread pudding, milk.

Friday, Aug. 18: Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, bread and margarine, orange sherbet, milk.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Aug. 14: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned broccoli cuts, orange ambrosia, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 15: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, corn O'Brien, creamy coleslaw, carrot cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 16: Roast beef, oven browned potatoes, parslied carrots, three beans salad, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Aug. 17: Sliced turkey with gravy, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, carrot raisin salad, apple crisp with topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Aug. 18: Baked fish almondine, O'Brien potatoes, tiny whole carrots, frosted angel food cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

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Wednesday, Aug. 16: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, Aug. 17: Milk, apple juice, corn Chex, toast with peanut butter.

Friday, Aug. 18: Milk, orange juice, scrambled eggs, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Aug. 14: Dakota hotdish, lettuce salad, boiled eggs, bread and butter, applesauce, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 15: Cream of chicken, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, jellied cranberry, lemon jello with vegetable, vanilla pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 16: Cream of tomato soup, grilled cheese, pickles, soltines, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 17: Tuna macaroni casserole, buttered peas, lime jello with pineapple, milk.

Friday, Aug. 18: Barbecued hamburgers, French fries, pickles, fruit cocktail, milk.

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AUG. 14 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	AUG. 15 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "CHICK GUST"	AUG. 16	AUG. 17 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	AUG. 18 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	AUG. 19 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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AUG. 14 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 POST & AUX. MEETING 8:00	AUG. 15 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 16 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 17 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 18 DANCE 9-1 "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"	AUG. 19 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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6 Senior Citizen Discount $5.00 off Bingo	7 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 18 a.m.	8 Sea Food Buffet	9 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast Ladies Night Out At Bingo	10 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 18 a.m.	11 Yah-Hoo Bingo!!!	12 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
13 "Super Bingo" $4,500 Coverall	14 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 15 a.m.	15 Sea Food Buffet	16 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	17 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 15 a.m.	18 Nite Out "Red Eye Bingo" Session	19 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
20 2 For 1 On All Levels At Bingo	21 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 15 a.m.	22 Sea Food Buffet	23 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast Guy's Night Out At Bingo	24 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 15 a.m.	25 Try The Noon Buffet	26 August Birthdays $5.00 off Bingo
27 Prime Rib & Walleye Special	28 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 15 a.m.	29 Sea Food Buffet	30 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	31 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 15 a.m.		

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Alma Larson has SWCD award for beautification

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The Larson farm is 360 acres in size and Roy at first attempted to farm the 180 acres that were open while working at his carpentry trade. For the most part the effort was unsuccessful. Part of the open land is now in the government's Conservation Reserve Program and gravel is being sold from some of the remainder. Alma says she wishes Roy would have lived long enough to enjoy some of that "easy money" after working so hard to make a living for so many years.

Mowing Takes Five Hours

After wearing out her old mower, Alma bought a new riding mower a year ago. She said it takes her about five hours to mow the large farm yard, but admits it is too rough to go very fast and she takes a break every couple of hours.

The three flower beds are her labor of love, especially the large area in front of her house. She has a favorite rose bush there, as well as begonias, petunias, pansies, marigolds and a number of others. Only a few of the flowers are perennials, necessitating planting of annuals every spring.

Alma gives her flowers special care, watering them every day and fertilizing once a week. A garden hose reaches all the flower beds so she doesn't have to carry water.

Knits, Crochets, Makes Quilts

She has only a few house plants in the winter and no longer starts any garden plants in the house. Most of her winter days are spent doing ceramics (she has her own kiln for firing greenware) which she paints and sells through senior craft shops in Thief River Falls, Red Lake Falls and Mentor. A number of her ceramic figures add interest to her flower beds.

She also knits and crochets and works on quilts for missions with her group at the Black River Lutheran Church. It's her intention to live on the farm as long as she continues in good health and can use her car. A former granary on the farm has been converted to a garage and her neighbors do a much appreciated job of keeping her driveway and yard blown clear of snow.

Alma will be recognized as the rural beautification winner at the Pennington SWCD banquet next spring.

In addition to tending her yard and flowers, Alma Larson enjoys indoor activities as well. Currently she is knitting sweaters for mission projects at the Black River Lutheran Church. She also does crocheting and quilting in church projects and enjoys ceramic firing and painting during the winter months. She sells some of her ceramic work at senior craft shops in Thief River Falls, Red Lake Falls and Mentor.

Roy Larson built this house for his wife Alma and their family of six children in 1948 on their farm located about eight miles west of St. Hilaire and two miles south. It replaced an older house with one room downstairs (later partitioned into two rooms) and a single room upstairs that served their family for eight years. Roy died in 1991 and this year Alma was recognized by the Pennington County Soil and Water Conservation District with its rural beautification award. She will receive the award at next spring's annual banquet.

Part of the large farm yard maintained by Alma Larson in Polk Centre township is shown in this photo. Alma, 82, is the winner of the 1995 rural beautification award presented by the Pennington County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Waste haulers to tell where garbage hauled

A new law that went into effect August 1, requires solid waste haulers to give residents and businesses detailed information about where their garbage is being disposed of, and whether an inadequate disposal facility could haunt those—customers with future cleanup liabilities, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency announced.

The Solid Waste Disclosure Notice law will require haulers in Minnesota to provide specific, detailed information in an oral or written statement to customers. This notice will tell residents and businesses that they could face future cleanup liabilities if a garbage hauler takes their waste to a landfill, including an out-of-state landfill, that does not have adequate environmental safeguards, the MPCA said. Haulers' are required under the new law to notify residents and businesses at least once a year between January and March.

This new law expands on a 1994 law requiring haulers to provide customers with a notification that simply told them the disposal locations that might have been used for their garbage.

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Pearl Laniel
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Darrell and Audrey Carpenter of Aurora arrived on Thursday to enjoy a weekend holiday with her mother Mrs. Dorothy Myhre.

Thursday afternoon guest of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Joann Bronken, Rosie Mandt, Dorothy Lambert, Eva Mae Bergeron, Shirley Christopherson and Iona Berry all of Oklee and Mrs. Audrey Benchand.

On Sunday, Arlean Hyland of Thief River Falls, Russell Hince and Mrs. Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Miss Janet Berberich of Thief River Falls visited her mother Mrs. Mayme Berberich over the weekend.

Clare and Patti Jo Thompson, Steve and Vicky Parenteau of Grand Forks, Joe and Carol Parenteau and all boys of Vancouver, WA arrived Friday and were weekend guests of Aurel and Gloria Parenteau.

Mrs. Lucille Christenson and Irene Hince of Oklee, Joy Torkelson and daughters, Evangeline Grove and Micheal Hagger were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mike and Sharon Riendeau were the honored guests on Sunday with many relatives and friends to wish them Happy 25th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday held in the St. Joseph church fellowship hall. "Happy Anniversary Mike and Sharon!"

Mrs. Margo Miller and Jana, Marlin Harbott and Amy all of Thief River Falls visited with Mrs. Mayme Berberich on Sunday.

Mrs. Diane Plante visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Friday afternoon guest of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Audrey Carpenter of Aurora, Mrs. Dorothy Myhre, Martha Gagner and Myrtle Hamrum.

Dr. Pat and Betty Howe of Denver, CO arrived on Friday to visit at the homes of Aurel and Gloria Parenteau, Marc and Connie Parenteau, and Mrs. Jeannie Grammer of Crookston, over the weekend they all spent a few days at Hayes Park.

Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday.

Fred and Delores Berberich, Joe and Laurel Noyes, Leonard and Veronica Boucher, Harriet Perreault and cousin, Mrs. Margaret (Rossongnol) Seerly of Oregon, Mrs. Mayme Berberich and Pearl Laniel attended the 60th Birthday Party in honor of Roben Borrow of Thief River Falls, in Erskine on Sunday afternoon. "Happy 60th Birthday Robert."

Greg and Donna Parenteau and boys were Friday and Saturday guests of Marc and Connie Parenteau.

On Friday, Renie Grove of Mentor and Shawn Hince visited with their grandmother Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Emile and Anna Cardinal visited their son, Bob and Anita Cardinal in Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Wayne and Robin Kerbs and Alysse of Grand Forks visited with her mother Mrs. Joann Delage on Friday.

Sunday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Russell and Shawn Hince, Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove.

Dick and Grace Rock attended the 60th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Romberg held at the LePalge House in Mentor on Sunday afternoon.

The St. Anthony Catholic church of Terrebonne held their annual picnic on Sunday with a large group in attendance from the past years enjoying old acquaintance.

Mrs. Jeanie Grammer hosted a dinner party on Friday evening with Aurel and Gloria Parenteau, Marc and Connie Parenteau, Joe and Carol Parenteau and boys of Vancouver, WA, Clare and Patti Jo Thompson of Grand Forks, Bob and Kathy Grammer of Fargo, as guest.

Thursday evening dinner guest of Del and Cindy Daterman were Mike and Cathy DeMers, Ann and Jeff of Red Lake Falls, Jason and Becky Barsody and boys of Elk River.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Proulx of St. Paul recently moved into St. Anthony Parish home in Terrebonne on Sunday.

Dick and Grace Rock visited with Don and Merle Gagner of Mentor Sunday evening.

Steve and Melody Novak and family of Angus visited with their uncle and aunt Walter Sr. and Monica Novak on Monday.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre and daughter Audrey Carpenter visited with an aunt Mrs. Mable Nelson a resident of Memorial Park Nursing Home and a sister-in-law Mrs. Eileen Olson in the United Rehab Unit in Grand Forks in Saturday.

Little Oak News

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Visitors at the Edwin Halvorson home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lee of Bothell, WA, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Wollgram and Donna Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peterson of Grand Forks, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Halvorson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Halvorson, Chad and Rachel, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gustafson of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Danny Finseth, Kristi and Bethany of Stephen and Raymond Halvorson of McIntosh Manor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson, Raymond Halvorson, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gustafson visited with Selmer Halvorson at Walker on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited at the Audrey Bergerson home in Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wilson of Blythe, CA had spent about 10 days visiting relatives in the area. They left for there home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawk of Issaquah, WA, Dan and Michelle Mahoney, Ty and Logan and Keenen Mahoney of Seattle, WA, spent one week at the Hawk farm here. They came to visit there grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Haugen and other relatives in the area. Also so we could make the acquaintance of the little twin girls Ty and Logan. They returned to there homes last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Fast, Derrick and Melissa of Monticello spent the weekend at the Clara Peterson home. They also helped paint Clara's house on Saturday. They went up to Warroad on Sunday to visit his parents and other relatives there. They stopped by the Arnold Haugen home on Sunday morning to visit with Arnold.

Linda Homme has spent the week at the Arnold Haugen home taking care of her dad, cause he is sick.

Betty Burrack is a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. We all send get well wishes to Betty and we wish her a complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Haugen of Hibbing spent the week at the Arnold Haugen home. Others who called there over the weekend were Ernest and Lorraine Mostrom, Willie Good, Bud and Linda Homme, Pastor Faugstad, Gary and Sharron Johnson, Lois and Bob Burstad, Renee Marquis, Ardith Kloth and Janet Riffle.

Phyllis Mostrom and granddaughter of St. Paul spent the weekend at the Ernest Mostrom home and she also visited other relatives in the area. They returned home on Sunday afternoon.

Renae Marquis and Ida Haugen called briefly at the Clara Peterson home Sunday evening.

Those who have called at the Haugen home recently to visit with Arnold were Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Mostrom, Marie Mostrom, Ella Dahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson, Clara Peterson, Joni Bjorklia, Kelly and Matthew, Deva and Mishawn Sheski, Lois Bursted.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawk, Ardith Kloth, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mahoney and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Johnson and boys of Jamestown, ND visited at the Gary Johnson home a week ago Sunday.

Brian Johnson went to Jamestown, ND on Thursday to spend a few days helping his brother Bradley with some carpenter work.

MARKETS

as of Monday, August 7

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.20
New Crop 95	4.20
Spring Wheat #2	3.70
Spring Wheat #3	3.50
Spring Wheat #4	3.90
Winter Wheat	4.30
Durum	4.75
Top Malting Barley	2.30
Feed Barley	2.00
Top Milling Oats	1.55
Ordinary Oats	1.40
Oil Sunflowers	10.85
New Crop 95	10.90
Corn	2.35
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.25
Soybeans	5.40
Buckwheat	10.00
Confectionery Sunflowers	12.00
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Results of two of Alma Larson's interests are combined in this photo. She loves flowers and this large flower bed is located in front of her house. She also enjoys working on ceramics (she has her own kiln for firing greenware) and the little boy with his puppy is one of her projects. Alma is the Pennington County SWCD rural beautification winner for 1995.

Flowers of many varieties, carefully planted and tended by Alma Johnson, adorn the front of her home in Polk Centre township. Alma, 82, mows the large yard with the new riding mower she purchased last year (it takes her about five hours), waters the flowers every day and gives them fertilizer once a week. She is the Pennington County Soil and Water Conservation District's rural beautification award winner for 1995.

This is one of several flower beds on the Alma Larson farm west of St. Hilaire which is given careful attention, receiving water on a daily basis and fertilizer once a week. Alma is the winner of the Pennington SWCD rural beautification award for 1995.

Funds available for farm ownership

Additional funds for the Beginning Farmer Downpayment Farm Ownership loan program have recently been made available for Minnesota, according to Janice Daly, acting state director of Rural Economic and Community Development (RECD).

"This late program allocation increase offers a good opportunity for beginning farmers," Daley said. "For anyone thinking about purchasing land for their operation, the downpayment program is one good option to consider. The agricultural community needs programs like this more than ever to stem the diminishing ranks of our farmers."

To date President Clinton and Congress have been supportive of all the beginning farmer programs, Daley notes.

"I am encouraging interested persons to apply," she said. "There has been a relatively short waiting period for applicants even though the funding allocation is limited each year, as it is in all areas."

The increased allocation for Minnesota is a result of a pooling of program funds from across the nation.

"We are getting a chance to use funds that went unused in other states and other loan programs," stated Charles S. Phillips, county supervisor of the RECD office in Thief River Falls. The original allocation for the downpayment program was exhausted early in the fiscal year.

"After providing 10 per cent of the purchase price," Phillips said "a beginning farmer can use the downpayment loan funds for 30 per cent of the purchase price or appraisal value, whichever is lower. With an interest rate of four per cent, this allows the applicant to feasibly finance the balance with a local lender."

Anyone interested in learning more about the downpayment farm ownership loan program is encouraged to contact their local county RECD office.

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Highlanding News

Margie Coan
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Alan and Deb Swanson entertained family members on Sunday for their daughter Kari Ann's 12th birthday.

Birthday guests on August 1st were the Eldon and Dawn Neuschwander family of Gryglo for Kari Swanson's birthday.

Wednesday, Ernie and Lois Swanson went to Ruttgers Resort on Bay Lake and attended a three day Mid-America Mutual Insurance Quarterly meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Parsch of Wausau, WI accompanied Ernie Swansons on a tour of the Croft Mine at Crosby on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson visited their granddaughter Kimberly Pietila in Brainard on Friday.

Lowell and Nancy Swanson returned home on Monday from New Jersey where they attended the wedding of Nancy's son William Benedict to Judith O'Neal at the Saint Catharines church at Holmdel, NJ.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman were coffee guests at the Ernest Swanson home Sunday evening.

Alan and Deb Swanson accompanied Darrel and Sandra Tougas to the three day "We Fest" in Detroit Lakes on Thursday.

Kari, Aaron and Michael Swanson spent the weekend with relatives in Oklee while their parents were at the "We Fest".

Lois Swanson received a phone call from her sister Gail Brunston telling her that a younger sister, Lucille Griebel of Centreville, VA is seriously ill.

Habitat conservation aids duck population

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[illegible] reached all time ... canvasback were up 47 percent ... redheads rose ... and gadwall ... percent to 2.8 million.

After a decade of low duck populations caused by drought and habitat loss, there is finally water in the prairies and good news for ducks," Beattie said. "This recovery would not have been possible without the support of America's conservation-minded people and the millions of acres of waterfowl habitat restored and conserved in the past decade.

"Many conservationists had a hand in bringing about this great success, but I especially congratulate the nation's hunters for their vital role," Beattie said. "They were the vanguard who opened the way for this recovery, who continued to buy licenses and duck stamps even when seasons were shortened and bag limits lowered, and who contributed their time and money to protect and restore waterfowl habitat. They kept the faith and kept their federal and state governments working to protect vital habitat.

Heavy rain and snow created the wettest conditions in 20 years in many parts of the prairie, the survey revealed.

Seven of the 10 principal species surveyed are now above the goals set in the North American Plan for duck populations in years of average habitat conditions. Only scaup, Northern pintail and American widgeon are below the goals.

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service administers or participates in a number of programs to conserve and restore waterfowl habitat. For example, the North American Waterfowl Management Plan, an international partnership effort, has protected, restored, or enhanced more than 2 million acres of wetland habitat since 1986.

In addition, other government programs such as the Conservation Reserve Program and the Wetland Reserve Program have conserved millions of acres of wildlife habitat in recent years. And sportsmen and conservation organizations such as Ducks Unlimited have conserved and restored millions of acres of prime habitat. In addition, laws such as the Swampbuster provisions of the Farm Bill and the wetland protection provisions of the Clean Water Act also have helped conserve key waterfowl habitat.

"With these great conservation programs in place, we literally laid the foundation, all we needed to do was watch and Mother Nature has finally come through," Beattie said. "If we had not saved the habitat, the rains of the past two years would not have helped waterfowl very much. This proves what we have known for a long time: habitat is the key to wildlife and fisheries conservation.

"The temptation may be to rest on our laurels, but the drought taught us we cannot always depend on good weather. If the recovery of duck populations is to continue, we must rededicate ourselves to additional habitat conservation efforts in the years to come. Waterfowl must have a reserve of habitat that is available every year regardless of weather.

Opening dates, time announced for 1995 TRF football squads

First day of high school football for Thief River Falls Monday, Aug. 14, will include the issuing of equipment for players in grades 9-12 and the Iron Man conditioning tests for grades 10-12, it was announced by head coach Jeff Mumm.

Seniors are to report at 8 a.m., juniors at 10:30 a.m., sophomores 1 p.m., and freshmen at 3:30 p.m.

A team meeting for all players in grades 9-12 will be held that night.

Dates were also announced for the issuing of equipment to football players at Franklin Middle School.

Eighth graders will receive their equipment between 3 and 5 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 23, or Thursday, Aug. 24.

Equipment will be issued to sixth and seventh graders between 3 and 5 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 6, and Thursday, Sept. 7.

Middle school football equipment will be issued in the Franklin gym.

Sports editor on vacation

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Attending the July 16-22 Advanced Forkhorn Camp at Deep Portage Conservation Reserve near Hackensack were Luke (left) and Nick Miller of Thief River Falls.

Millers attend Forkhorn Camp

Nick and Luke Miller of Thief River Falls attended the Advanced Forkhorn Camp July 16-22 at Deep Portage Conservation Reserve near Hackensack. They were sponsored by the Thief River Falls Chapter of the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association.

While participating in the week-long camp, they studied various concepts in relationship to the whitetail deer. Special emphases were placed on wildlife management, deer habitat, population dynamics, and ethics. Skills were also introduced in the areas of map and compass, canoeing, safety, first aid, woodcraft, and survival. Advanced Forkhorn Camp has an emphasis in archery, with each camper receiving enough training to become certified as an International Bowhunter.

Campers attending the Advanced Forkhorn Camp are in their second summer of training. Last year they participated in the Forkhorn Level One camp at Deep Portage. The students tested their newly acquired skills during a canoeing overnight, a survival camp, and the Forkhorn Woodcraft Olympics. In addition, each student practiced marksmanship and range safety. All were given the opportunity to practice extensively with rifles and bows. At the end of the week, a firing range competition was held.

Each student who completes the Advanced Forkhorn Camp this summer can return to Deep Portage next summer for the Compeat Hunting Camp – where all areas of hunting are studied, with emphasis on Advanced Hunter Education.

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City softball playoffs open

Playoffs were scheduled to begin last night (Tuesday) in the Thief River Falls city softball leagues with games in the Class E division. Playoffs in Class D will start on Thursday, August 10.

Game time for first round games in both divisions will be 6:20 p.m. with winners of first round games to play winners and losers to play losers at 7:30 p.m.

State Class C men's tournament will be held Saturday and Sunday, August 12 and 13, in Crookston with Thief River Falls to be represented by the Pepsi and Busch teams.

Eight Thief River Falls teams are entered in the Class D men's tournament to be held August 19 and 20 in Fosston and seven local teams will play in the Class E men's tournament the same weekend in Clearbrook.

On Monday night Phillips Iron and Metal defeated the Elks team 13-10 in a playoff to break a tie in the standings and determine tournament placing in Class E. As a result, the schedule for Tuesday night was arranged as follows:

Field 1—Forsberg's vs. United Methodist Church; Field 2—Keystone Lite vs. Black Magic; Field 3—Phillips Iron and Metal vs. VFW; and Field 4—Elk's vs. Rick's Appliance.

Class D schedule for Thursday night is as follows:

Field 1—St. Hilaire Bears vs. Miller Lite; Field 2—Northwest Eye Center vs. Thygeson Construction; Field 3—Budget Electronics vs. Best Western; and Field 4—DWV/Anderson Bros. vs. R.C. Cola.

Women's softball meeting is tonight

Thief River Falls Women's Slow Pitch Softball League meeting will be held tonight (Wednesday) at 7:30 p.m. in room 134 at Northland Community and Technical College.

All team captains are asked to attend the meeting.

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Several accidents investigated by law enforcement

CORRECTION:

On July 25 of Pelican Rapids received a report of vandalism at the Dieter Hotel on Main. It's had been trying to do with Wilson's Chapel's Grant Car Wash, rather than it's located behind the car wash. The Times regrets any confusion or embarrassment that might have been created by the earlier report.

Law enforcement officials investigated several accidents during the past week.

Accidents. On August 1 at 12:21 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Third and Main. Kelvin Marie Tuckel, International Falls, was driving a car east on Third Street and turning north onto Main. Robert Wayne Rendahl, Thief River Falls, was driving a motorcycle west on Third Street and was struck by the Tuckel vehicle. There was $200 damage to the motorcycle. Rendahl complained of a sore left ankle. Tuckel was charged with failure to yield right of way. There was no damage to the Tuckel vehicle.

On August 4 at 7:24 p.m. police received a report of a accident at State Aid and Columbus Avenue. According to the officer's report, Kelly Marie Mattinson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on County road 15 and attempted to cross State Aid 1. Because of sunlight, she didn't see an eastbound vehicle driven by Julie Renee Schroeder, Grand Forks. The vehicles collided in the southbound lane. Mattinson and two of her passengers were taken to Sanford Medical Center with hip and possibly other injuries. The Mattinson vehicle was considered a total loss. Damage to the Schroeder vehicle was estimated at $3,000.

On August 7 at 5:20 p.m. police responded to an accident at 18th and Arnold. According to the LaCroe, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on 18th Street when it collided with Bonnie Jean Kaczmarczyk, Thief River Falls, who was driving a car north on Arnold. Bonnie Kaczmarczyk complained of an injury in the head and was cited for failure to yield. Damages were estimated at $1,500 to the Kaczmarczyk vehicle. Damages to the LaCroe vehicle were "unspecified."

Burglary. On August 1 a residence living on the 500 block of North Duluth reported that an air conditioner and push lawn mower had been taken from their garage. The theft loss was estimated at $500.

On August 7 at 6:03 p.m. police received a report from Kingsway Clean Car Wash of a break-in. Someone kicked in a door and broke into the change machines. Damage loss was estimated at around $300. Theft loss was estimated at $50.

Theft. On July 31 at 3:20 a.m. a resident at the 500 block of Duluth Cooley reported that someone had broken in and gained access to the car keys from the vehicle, including Westo equipment. The theft loss was estimated at $1,853.10. Damage loss was estimated at $650.

On August 7 at noon police received a request from Thrifty Drugs for an officer to report theft. Charged with theft is Michelle Rosin Neeley, 34, Red Lake Falls. Restitution of $54.50 is being sought.

Assault. On July 27 at 3:45 p.m. the law enforcement center received a report that a woman had been assaulted at local motel. Zane Rae Carter, 21, and Tern Jean Simpson, 27, were cited for felth degree assault. The victim had minor injuries including a chopped tooth.

Criminal sexual conduct. On August 5 at 4:47 p.m. Kevin Andreas Dixon, 35, Thief River Falls, was arrested on a warrant for criminal sexual conduct.

Warrants. On July 27 at 4:30 p.m. Jeffrey Dixon appeared in court on bench warrants.

Disorderly conduct. On August 1 at 8:59 a.m. the sheriff's department received a complaint that there was a subject at Apache trailer court, swinging an axe handle at someone. It started as an argument over two neighbors. Michael Allen Johnson, 32, Brooklyn Center, is being held in Pennington county jail on charges of disorderly conduct.

On August 7 at 6:33 p.m. police were called to the local bowling alley parking lot where Lonzon Ann Hand, 34, St. Hilaire, was arrested for disorderly conduct. She had been asked to leave the bowling alley because she was arguing and disturbing others. When officers arrived she was involved in an argument, and she was told to leave several times, but would not.

Thief River Falls warrants. Jabrae Lee Burgess, Crookston, on charges of Criminal Vehicular Operation. Burgess, 25, of Thief River Falls, faces a charge of possession of a small amount of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia following an investigation by the Thief River Falls Police Department on Aug. 1.

Shane Carl Parsons, Thief River Falls, 27, unpaid fines for violation of Green Lake Township Thief River Falls, 22, fifth degree assault, 45 days in jail, Nicole Ann Marie Emmons, Thief River Falls, 22, misdemeanor theft, 90 days in jail, 30 days in work program, 5300; Steven Herbert Hingers, Mitchell, River, 41, failure to yield right of way, $125; Eduardo Fabiel Barra, Thief River Falls, 19, no current registration, no insurance on vehicle, driving after revocation, $562.50, 30 days in jail; Kevin Jason Lonstad, Thief River Falls, 20, sale of tobacco to child, 20 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation; Pamela Ann Pappe, Crookston, open bottle/driver, $180; Daniel Ray Ortiz, Thief River Falls, 18, $100, $50 fine; Jon Shelby Sole, Lake Bronson, 19, $100, $50 fine; Ryan Jones, $122.50; Robert Dale Johnson, Thief River Falls, driving under the influence, $562.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, and two years unsupervised probation.

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Agassiz Wildlife Refuge, located 20 miles northeast of Thief River Falls, is nationally known among bird watchers as a hot spot for a variety of waterfowl and birds. Over 280 species have been observed in the refuge in recent years. The public is welcome to visit the area. The new visitor center is open, construction and plans are underway to develop new information displays. The refuge also has an auto tour route.

Thefts and speeding violations listed in county court reports

Court cases in the Pennington County Courthouse in Crookston have been slow in the past week included several thefts, speeding, and an assaultive order.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Mark Troy Boerstein, Thief River Falls, 25, domestic driving, $64.50; Joseph Lee Benton, South St. Marie, MI, 18, theft under $200, $120 restitution, 90 days in jail stayed for one year; Jason Howard Rue, Thief River Falls, 19, theft under $200, $64.50; Wilson Bullman, Thief River Falls, 55, disorderly conduct, $195; Lori Ann Wood, Wannaska, 19, 40/30, $64.50; Christopher Gary Eaton, Thief River Falls, 19, 42/30, $87.50; Brett Allen Jacobson, Thief River Falls, 25, disorderly conduct, $175.50; Julie Marie Oberstadt, Crookston, Thief River Falls, consumption, 90 days in jail stayed for one year, $300; Steven Michael Johnson, Thief River Falls, 20, disorderly conduct, $137.50, $15 restitution; Gregory Paul Juker, Fort Myers, Mills, 20, consumption under 21, $77.50; Alane Emmanuel Martinez, Thief River Falls, 19, disorderly conduct, $75.50; 10 days in jail stayed for one year.

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Sticker threat or hoax causes TRF police concern

Police are concerned about a message that was placed on downtown businesses last Friday night. They don't know whether to take the message as a threat or off-beat promotion or prank.

At 6:30 a.m. Saturday, the law enforcement center in Thief River Falls received a report that stickers had been placed on a door of a downtown businesses. Police later found the sticker on 70 downtown businesses.

Police are concerned because they don't know who or why the message was placed on downtown businesses. The message read, "Thief River Falls, the only small town ... Hewett Packard 1995 when it all goes down!" The message was printed on small address labels.

In addition to the stickers, police received a report from Pizza Hut at 11:30 a.m. A ceramic calf with a sticker on it was found on the roof of the building. The calf weighed about 35 pounds and had been stolen from a residence in the 600 block of North Hoover.

A police officer who has studied cult activity said August 11 does have special meaning to known cult celebrations or events.

Police are asking that anyone who observed any unusual activity or has any knowledge of the activities to contact the law enforcement center at 681-6161.

Representatives of Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce had no idea where the sticker originated or why.

Advertising representatives of The Times, KKAQ-1460 AM, KKQQ-99.3 FM, KZNR 100.1 FM, and KTRF 1230 AM, report no unusual promotions that would explain the sticker.

Representatives of the City of Thief River Falls had no idea why or who could be putting up the stickers. A representative of the Thief River Falls Area Ministerial Association also had no idea who could be putting up the stickers and didn't know of any significance to the date of August 11.

Police Chief Ron Freyholtzer said patrols will be beefed up on Thursday and Friday night. Officers are again asked to report anything suspicious; and take precautions such as lock up homes and property.

Abandoned well demonstration near Grygla

An abandoned well-sealing demonstration will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, August 17, one half mile west of the intersection of Highway 89 and County road 56 in the City of Grygla.

The demonstration is being hosted by the Marshall County Water Plan and the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water conservation District. The Marshall County Water Plan and the Marshall County Abandoned Well Sealing program, Marshall County has received $8,000 and Beltrami county $9,000 in funding for the purpose of sealing abandoned wells.

Demonstrations will be served in the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District office after the demonstration.

Amy Eriksen receives Bemidji State scholarship

Amy Eriksen of Thief River Falls has received a scholarship to continue studies at Bemidji State University.

Eriksen, a junior enrolled in the elementary education program, will receive a $200 alumni scholarship from the university.

Haima youth injured Sat. in accident

Fourteen-year-old Kerry Kennedy Haima of Halma was injured Saturday when he was struck by a car. Haima and a friend were riding a bicycle on Highway 32 when Haima was struck by a car driven by Danny Lee Gotz, of Middle River.

According to a report prepared by the Minnesota State Patrol, when the officer arrived at the scene of the accident one mile south of Greenbush, he could not locate the bike or the bike rider. They later learned that one of the bike riders, who was not struck in the accident, had ridden his bike to Greenbush to report the accident. State Patrol located Kluguad and the driver of the vehicle at his residence in Middle River. Kluguad was taken to United Hospital in Grand Forks where he is listed in satisfactory condition. Kluguad is the son of Todd and Lesley Kluguad of Haima.

The state patrol believes both vehicles were southbound on Highway 32 at the time of the accident.

Charges are pending in the accident, which is still under investigation.

Support group for the mentally ill and their families

All area for the mentally ill and their families will meet Thursday, August 16 at 7 p.m. at Bethany Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

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CRP land not released for haying and grazing

Philip Berglund, acting county executive director for the USDA office in Pennington county, has reported that unless the county experiences a severe loss to the soy and cutting and to pastures, CRP will not authorize the release of the Conservation Reserve Program for either haying or grazing in Pennington county.

In a letter to producers August 7, Berglund said, "At this time, CRP or haying and grazing. Berglund said the county CRP won't be released."

Berglund explained that CRP would be considered as a feed source only if there are certified disaster conditions within the county. Before it can be considered for release, the county committee has to prove (with documentation) that the county has suffered a 40 per cent or more loss of hay and pasture.

Berglund said that in an effort to gain county-wide data quickly and accurately, 28 local livestock producers were asked to report the number of hay bales they had cut, and are in accordance as approximate feed and pasture supplies, Berglund said.

Berglund said these producers report the first cutting yields are approximately 75 per cent of a normal first crop. "Very little had been done on the second cutting, but most of it was reported as looking very good at this time. We had the same generally favorable report on the pasture conditions.

"When asked if they would buy CRP hay if it were released, these producers gave a definite 'yes' answer, four producers said 'maybe' or 'probably' would, and the remaining 21 said no. It should be noted that a large majority of those producers who would not buy CRP hay expressed as their objection, 'It's too late.'

"This information was provided to the county committee on July 27, and much of it was in response to those who are going to come up short, they cannot document the losses necessary in even apply for a release.

"So unless we have a severe loss to the second cutting and to the pastures, we will not be authorizing the release of the Conservation Reserve Program for either haying or grazing in Pennington county.

"For those producers who do face a big loss on their livestock feed, we will have an Emergency Livestock Feed Program in the county again this year. This program allows the producer to buy feed hay and other feed for those individual producers who can show a feed loss. Keep this in mind after you have finished your feed harvest this fall," Berglund said.

First quarter results for Arctco reported

Arctco Inc. has reported results for the first quarter of fiscal 1995.

Net sales increased to $61,799,000 for the quarter ended June 30, 1995, from $56,007,000 for the same period last year. Net loss for the quarter was $4,268,000, or $0.14 per share, compared to net earnings of $5,383,000 or $0.12 per share, for the first quarter of fiscal 1995.

Impacting the quarter were favorable weather conditions, announced in mid-June, as well as continuing costs related to the company's personal watercraft line. The quarter was further affected by current economic conditions in the recreational vehicle industry and by the company's personal watercraft and all-terrain vehicle product line.

Christopher A. Twomey, president and chief executive officer, commented, "While we are obviously disappointed by results for the quarter, we are taking steps to reduce inventory and expenses on continued strong sales among all product lines, and are managing to plan poised for additional sales growth in a market that is impeding entry into the $1.2 billion all-terrain vehicle market. In addition, based on the increased snowmobile orders already received from dealers and distributors, we remain optimistic about the coming retail snowmobile selling season."

Arctco, Inc., designs, engineers, manufactures and markets snowmobiles and personal watercraft under the Arctic Cat brand name. Arctco's snowmobiles are used for pleasure, transportation, as well as related sports, such as snowmobile racing and snowmobile racing to begin marketing its all-terrain vehicle (ATV) in the summer of 1995, with initial production scheduled for later in the year.

Christmas in August? This Christmas decoration caused quite a few second looks. It's not a display for a special promotion at Poppler's, but a decoration being considered by Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Christmas Lighting Committee. The decoration is one of several different decorations being considered. The decoration would be turned out toward the street during the Christmas holiday season. Anyone interested in commenting on the decoration should contact the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber is also trying to secure funding for the project.

Readathon achievers win tickets

Local winners of tickets to Valleyfair amusement park in the Twin Cities area have been: Jessica Jones and Laura Bailey of Our Redeemer's Christian Academy and Cody Frase of the Thief River Falls Development Academy.

They were among top achievers in the 1995 READATHON, a motivational reading program sponsored by the Minnesota Multiple Sclerosis Society. More than 12,000 Minnesota and western Wisconsin students read over 225,000 books this year while raising $330,000 for programs, services and research of the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Unemployment rates in region climb slightly

The state's economy remained on an upward path, with employment expanding and unemployment rates dropping in 16 Region 1, which includes Pennington county, unemployment rate increased from 3.5 to 3.6 per cent. Most of the region, however, saw lower than unemployment May and a year ago.

Seasonally, seasonally adjusted labor and salary employment grew by 215,000 in June reversing the June 1994 decline of 1,000. The June increase was accounted in service industries, mainly in amusements and recreation, health services and educational services. Construction added 7,2000 jobs. The seasonally adjusted, while manufacturing lost 10,000 jobs. Seasonally adjusted, June's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate of 5.6 per cent was down from 5.7 per cent in May.

In Minnesota, not seasonally adjusted non-agricultural wage and salary employment was up 21,200 from May. A total of 54,300 jobs were added on the past 12 months, exceeding the average yearly rise of the same level in the high 20 jobs in June. Construction added over 8,000 jobs, manufacturing employment grew by 6,600 and jobs in the financial and retail trade increased by 6,000. Housing construction, encouraged by lower interest rates, was a major factor in increased construction employment.

The Twin Cities metropolitan area added 28,100 jobs and added 30,600 jobs last year. Services added 12,000 jobs and trade added 7,000 jobs. Manufacturing, both durable and nondurable, added 4,600 jobs and construction employment increased by 3,500 or the year.

— Total wage and salary employment in Region 1 was down from the post year in the Fargo-Moorhead area, while the Grand Forks metropolitan statistical area experienced a 2.2 per cent increase in wages per cent to 5.9 per cent. Pennington County added 2 manufacturing positions in these communities.

Polaris buys Kroy Plant

Polaris Industries has completed the purchase of the Kroy, Inc. manufacturing facility in Dayton, MN.

The Kroy facility is adjacent to Polaris' Dayton plant, and will add to Polaris chairman and Chief Executive Officer Tom Tiller, Jr., the company plans to use it for additional manufacturing and assembly operations.

"We understand strong demand for snowmobiles, personal watercraft and all-terrain vehicles; we needed room to grow. We are thrilled to be able to have this expansion at Dayton next to our current Dayton facility," Wendel said.

The 6.3 acre Kroy facility has approximately 90,000 square feet of manufacturing space. Roby will lease back from Polaris a portion of the facility for a period of time following the sale.

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Newfolden Community News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
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Thursday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson, Marlys Aune, Elwin Ness and Kyle visited with Ray and Carol Ness.

Grandpa and Grandma Thompson ... Jeremy Wilson home last Friday afternoon, July 21st, he had spent a week helping grandpa with many jobs.

Valborg Huglen and her sister Cordelia Agrimson of Richfield took in the day of the Roseau County Fair last week.

Shirley Wagner visited with her mother Olga Thompson and enjoyed coffee with her on Sunday after attending services at Westaker church and also went to view the interior of the new Westaker church which is very nice.

Wednesday evening, Dennis and Beverly Moen, Douglas and Nicole visited with Hanna Moen.

Lester and Carolyn Larson visited with Roy and Laura Roppe on Tuesday evening.

Sharon Ahlert came up last Wednesday from Apache Junction to visit with her mother Alice Ellingson also with other relatives and friends.

Chuck and Sherry Olson visited with Lillie Olson on Tuesday evening.

Friday evening visitors at the Shirley Lefrooth home were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Marlys Aune and Bud Thompson.

Sunday evening the 23rd of July, Curt and Elaine Thompson enjoyed a visit and lunch with Floyd and Adeline Nelson.

Saturday, Vernice Larson went with Sybil Carlia to Thief River Falls and did some shopping.

Valborg Huglen and Cordelia Agrimson visited with Earlena Krogh at Argyle on a recent Sunday afternoon and Dorothy Vilen at Lake Bronson on the following Tuesday.

Thelma Janson of Greenbush attended the Nelson funeral an old acquaintance on Monday after which she came to visit Emma Kammen and Olga Thompson and enjoyed coffee and lunch at Olga Thompson.

Sunday forenoon, Kay Nelson visited with Hanna Moen.

Thursday, Frank and Harriet Kujava visited and enjoyed coffee with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Alice Ellingson and Sharon Ahlert were dinner guests at the Chuck Ellingson home on Sunday.

Friday, Lillie Olson visited with Brad and Mona Olson and Craig.

Sunday afternoon, Arnold and Vernice Larson and Marlys Aune visited with Todd and Kari Jesme and Colin.

Mark Thompson of Moorhead came home on Tuesday evening July 25th to spend a few days of his vacation with his parents Curt and Elaine Thompson and we also celebrated Curts birthday that evening as Mark had to leave on Thursday afternoon.

Sunday evening those that attended a surprise birthday party picnic in the park in honor of Marie Ness's birthday. Those that attended were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Marlys Aune, Brad and Marie Ness, Carol Ness, Elwin and DeDe Ness, Kyle and Kayla, DelRay and Barb Ness and Shane, Linda Anderson, Doyle Thompson and his aunt Vernice everybody enjoyed a very good meal and visiting with birthday cake. Birthday Blessings Marie!

Wednesday, July 26th, Curt and Elaine Thompson and Mark went to Thief River Falls where Elaine had her checkup then we picked up Jeremy and Jayme Wilson and the four men went to Lake of Woods to fish in the afternoon. They didn't have much luck but had a nice time anyway.

Raynard Huglen returned last Wednesday from a trip to Bella Coola and Vancouver, British Columbia.

Olga Thompson enjoyed supper with Curt and Elaine Thompson on Saturday evening. Later David Thompson, Beverly Hanson, Shirley and Bill Wagner came and brought birthday wishes and gifts to Curt. Later all enjoyed birthday cake, ice cream and coffee. Elaine made the cake which was very good!

Friday, Roy and Laura Roppe, Frank and Harriet Kujava, Delbert and Irene Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lee went up to Northwest Angle. They returned home on Sunday.

Arlene Jenson of Greenbush visited with her mom Alice Ellingson and her sister Sharon Ahlert who is home for a visit from Apache Junction, AZ on Saturday.

Late Sunday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson and Marlys Aune visited with Tom and Sue Dondelinger and family also enjoyed Rhubarb cake and coffee.

Amber Wilson is spending from July 26th to Sunday, July 30th with her uncle and aunt and cousins the Roger Mathsens family of Alvarado.

Valborg Huglen and her sister Cordelia Agrimson attended the Telemarken Ladies Aid meeting at the Maria Hafdahl home in Thief River Falls on July 26th.

Monday, Vernice Larson accompanied Sue Dondelinger and Evan to Grand Forks where we did some shopping. Evan also had a doctors appointment.

July 28th, Percy and Vernece Stokke walked over for a evening visit with Curt and Elaine Thompson later in the evening Floyd and Adeline Nelson came over with birthday greetings, gift and card and goodies to help Curt and Adeline celebrate their birthdays together. Curtis's is on the 29th and Adeline's is on the 31st. Elaine baked a layer cake which was served with ice cream and coffee then on Saturday the 29th Elaine invited Olga Thompson and Emma Kammen to have supper with them. Emma was unable to come.

Monday, Marlys Aune of Circle Pines and Jonette Weber visited with Betty Arnot and enjoyed lunch there. Also enjoyed a very nice day visiting.

Amber Wilson and Ronelle Mathsen are spending from Sunday, July 30th to Thursday, August 3rd with Grandpa and Grandma Curt and Elaine Thompson we canned peaches on Monday. They are lots of help and are also having a good time.

Tuesday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson, Donnie Carlson and Ronnie visited and enjoyed coffee with LaVoi Thun and her houseguests, her daughter Dawn and her husband Dick and daughter Christine from Arizona.

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Plummer

Effie Byer
465-4375

Ron and Kathy Juneau and some friends spent a recent Sunday in Manitoba and took in the Morris Stampede.

Vivian Olson of Grand Rapids visited with Lorena Westerlund from Sunday to Thursday last week.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson and Tricia Willett visited Erling Anderson at Pioneer Nursing Home of Erskine last Wednesday evening.

Pam and Joe Cangelosi of Wheeling, IL spent from Sunday to Thursday as houseguests of John and Clara Helley. They toured Itasca Park together and saw the devastation from the recent storm and also dined at Lakeview one night.

Floyd Frederickson of Pipestone was a recent visitor of Lorena Westerlund.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wahl and granddaughter Mallory of Richland, WA, cousins of Arlan Koskela, visited at the home of Arlan and Gerda on the weekend of July 23rd. Other visitors were Eunice and Carl Koskela, Ronnie Engesether, Eddy Eskelt, Deb and Carmen Walter and Dixie Koskela of Rapid City, SD.

Family Reunion

Hazel Ollie returned early in the week after attending the 5th Peterson Family Reunion, held north of Spokane, WA. Eightyfour members of the family came from New York, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, California, Washington and Oregon. Those from this area in attendance were Hazel Ollie, Rose and Bob Peterson of Mentor, Neil and Janet Peterson. A cousin, Mata Peterson of Stockholm, Sweden was an interesting and welcome addition.

Arne Kvasager of the Cities visited at the Arlan Koskela home recently and another day Arlan and Gerda visited with him, Helga and Gretchen Nissan at the Einar Kvasager home of rural Oklee. Later in the day Helga and Gerda visited with their mother Katherine Kvasager at Mac Manor, where she has been living for about a month following hip surgery.

Dorothy Myhre and Bunny DuChamp were dinner guests of Edna Hyde last week.

Jean Carpenter, Kathy Juneau, Bunny DuChamp and Edna Hyde were among a crowd of about 35 people who had a special tour of Bergeson Nursery of Fertile last week. Later they enjoyed a meal at the LePage House of Mentor.

Amelia Eskell, Bunny DuChamp and Avis Frolland visited Hillcrest last Thursday and assisted Pastor Johnson with a worship service.

John and Clara Helley, Barb Bjerke and children spent a week at "Veterans on the Lake" resort at Ely.

Barb Bjerke underwent minor surgery on July 27th. Another day she and the children visited her grandmother, Minnie Bjerke of rural Thief River Falls.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson were Thursday coffee guests of Janice and Earl Melvie of Thief River Falls.

Janyce Bakken, Karen Bakken, Kayley and Emily and Emilie Skjerven visited on Friday afternoon with Wavell Sorenson.

Pink and Blue Shower

Nancy Bray and infant son, Kevin Thomas were guests of honor at a baby shower on Friday evening at the American Legion Club rooms. Games were played and Cathy Zimpel read a poem. Nancy opened her gifts assisted by her mother Arlene Zimpel and Nancy's godmother, June Marie Mosbeck of St. Hilaire. All of Nancy's sisters were in attendance and Aunt Ivy Dola, 91 of Red Lake Falls, also friends from this area. Hostesses were Cathy Zimpel, Mary Torgerson, Lynelle Gellant, Susie Zimpel and Melody Brustad.

Wedding and Family Reunion

Kathy Pahlen, formerly of Plummer, was recently wed to Mike Barzgerl, both of St. Louis, at a private ceremony at the Overland Presbyterian church in St. Louis. A wedding party, in the form of a family reunion, was held for the newlyweds at Lake Carlos, Alexandria on July 27 thru the 30th. Attending were Jackie and Clayton Moen of Rochester; Nathan Moen and Jamie Smith of Rochester, Mike, Bonnie, Jason and Jamie Pahlen of Superior, WI; Penny, Steve, Whitney and Logan Reitzer of Fargo, ND, Scott, Carolyn, Bryan and Holly Pahlen of Roosevelt, Gary Hollus of Plummer, Janel Moen, Bob Scot and Asle Scot of Kellogg, Jerry St. Michael of Grand Rapids, Jeff, Seth, Gayle and Trent St. Michael of Detroit Lakes. The Pahlen family is well known in Plummer, having grown up here, children of the late Russell and Donna Pahlen, and the community extends hearty congratulations to Kathy and Mike and to the family in their reunion! Kathy is employed as Systems Analyst for Data Research in St. Louis, MO. Mike Barzgerl is a professor of Mathematics at Forest Park Community College in St. Louis. Kathy's address is 4972 Bottenicel Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63110.

John Helley and grandson Tommy Bjerke have enjoyed many fishing trips this summer. One day Tommy caught his first walleye in Pine Lake, which turned out to be one of a recent stocking of 2000 walleyes in the lake. A fin had been removed from each fish and these had to be thrown back, a disappointment for a 9-year-old boy!

Like bear stories? While we're on nature stories, let me tell you of a bear that came right up to the window of Jean Carpenter's home. Clara Hesse reports of her daughter Bonnie Nelson's experience at Gatzke. A bear had reached inside of a kitchen window and taken a whole crate of peaches, eating them on the front porch and leaving the seeds there. It also took a jar of cookies and cleaned them all out!

Howard and Margaret Greenwald, Harvey and Mary Ann Gagner went to St. Paul on Thursday to attend the prayer service and funeral for Pat Madden at St. Paul, a cousin. They were houseguests of Jim and Shirley Jaeger at St. Paul on Thursday and after the funeral on Friday they visited and were overnight guests of son John Greenwald and family. Enroute home on Saturday they had breakfast at the Rick Greenwald home of Stacy and also stopped at Perz to see Howard's birthplace.

Clarice Medchill of the Cities visited at the Art Frolland home on Saturday afternoon.

Helen and Loren LaFayette, Howard and Myrtle LaFayette drove to Barnesville on Saturday to help uncle Walter LaFayette celebrate his 90th birthday.

Clarence and Emma Buck of Arrowhead, IL spent the weekend at the home of Art and Gloria Fossum.

June and Jim Smith of Hugo came on Monday for a week's visit with her parents Herb and Esther Walter. Esther's brother Ernie Purath of Enumclaw, WA also visited that day.

Harold and Marian Vatthauer attended the wedding of friend Becky Arntt and Bruce Brown on Saturday at Murphy's Landing near Shakopee. They also visited at the Greg Schmidtke and David Vigstol homes before returning to Plummer on Sunday.

Corlen and Bob Kleinschmidt of Oklee, Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson went to Fargo on Saturday to visit Kermit Sorenson, who is in the hospital having suffered a broken hip in a fall at his home. Other visitors that day were Dennis Magnell and Daniella Stonehouse, Elmer Hanson and a son-in-law, all of Oklee.

Helen and Loren LaFayette attended the 25th Wedding Anniversary party honoring Mike and Sharon Riendeau of Brooks on Sunday.

Avis Frolland attended a baby shower for Peter Matthew infant son of Matt and Andrea Samuelson of Grand Forks, held at the home of Idelle and Charles Samuelson home in Thief River Falls.

Al and Lorraine Fisher accompanied Edna Hyde to North Dakota on Sunday and toured the Pembina, Necha and Walhalla area. They also enjoyed the Patton "Isle of Memories" which included the old school and church. They were dinner guests at the Walter Miller home and he had been their tour guide. Enroute home they enjoyed a meal at the Red Lobster in Grand Forks.

Effie Burnel Byer attended the Annual All-School Reunion and picnic held at the sight of the old school. It was good to meet and reacquaint with old friends as I had spent 3 years of high school there and had never been able to attend before. Later in the afternoon we drove on to Akeley and visited George and Meta Weters who are our neighbors in Texas during the winter. They live on Ham Lake and then lots of things to show us, besides taking us out on a pontoon to do a little fishing. We camped overnight in a friend's yard near Bemidji and on Monday explored Plantagenet and Frontenac Lakes, also visiting Leona Moemkin at the hospital in Bemidji.

Word had been received by George and Hazel Ollie of the death of Elner Sorenson, husband of Ann Ollie. He died on Sunday in Whittier, CA.

Ruth Wilkens visited at son Daryl's home in Langdon from Friday to Monday. His son was home for a visit, coming from an Air Force Base in Nebraska.

Emilie Skjerven was a Monday visitor of Margaret Greenwald.

Berthe Hughes, now living in Thief River Falls, hosted the HollyHock Homemakers Club meeting on Tuesday evening at her home. Attending were members Jean Carpenter, Dianne Gagner, Susan Hegge, Lorne Neilson, Rosemary Eskell, Kathy Juneau and Edna Hyde. Jean was in charge of the meeting with Sue calling the roll and giving the Secretary's minutes. Dianna gave the Treasurer's report. Planning was done for the Blast to Brooks, which will be held on September 9th. The club will have its annual bake sale and hopes to see you there.

DUNKING BOOTH

The Student Council of PHS held a fund-raiser on Monday evening at the Rec Center on Main Street. The Dunking Booth was loaned by the Erskine Community Club and was especially well attended when Supt. Lorenson volunteered his services. The young people also sold T-shirts, fire extinguishers, First Aid Kits and picture frames. They have been busy this summer painting the hallways of school. They want to express their thanks to Beryl for her fine leadership and to all who attended this event.

Lee Vigstol of Minot arrived on Tuesday at the Byer home to spend a few days visiting and looking after business interests here.

Vickie Melwitz was a Wednesday visitor of Sandy Greenwald.

Wanda and Clyde Opdahl and Brandon of Oklee were Wednesday evening visitors of Arlan and Gerda Koskela.

Wedding

Joe and Helen Fisher and all of their family except two attended the wedding of a granddaughter, Jessica, daughter of Dave and Sherry Fisher of Chisholm on July 22nd. Jessica was married to Paul Valento also of the same area. The family stayed in a motel so they could spend more time together.

Announcement

The Plummer Senior Citizens will meet on Wednesday, August 16th at noon with a potluck meal furnished by members A-L. There will be election of officers. For reminisce readers and others who have found the "Hitch" story interesting as they drove from Maine to California, be sure to come. The video of this trip will be shown and is an excellent video. Be sure to attend.

Cindy Stockwell (center) received a $500 nurses training scholarship from 40 et 8 Voiture Locale 737. Pictured from left are Alen Hylend, past Chef de Gare, Arlo Rude, Chef de Gare, Cindy Stockwell, and Merle Jesme, nurses training director.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klemar
459-3445

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Chesle Ruud attended funeral services for Clare Hawkins at the First Presbyterian church at Moorhead. They also visited with Terry Ruud.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson and Maria of Middle River have been recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace visited on Sunday evening at the Alan Severts home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sparby of Grygla visited at the Juel Aune home.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Engevik of Julian, CA visited at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Anderson and Jeanette Hoffman of Goodridge visited on Monday at the Chesle Ruud home.

Visitors at the Karyl Larson home have been Kim Kanaar and Drew and Kelly Marfield of Thief River Falls, Susan Kanaar, Adam Kanaar and a friend Tona of Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited with Myrtle Byklum at Grygla on Wednesday.

Weekend visitors at the Chesle Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Doug Dickhausen and boys of Anoka.

Charlie and Ann Winger of Drayton, ND, Florence Ruud of Kennedy and Evelyn Severts were dinner guests on Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordel Klemar, Mrs. Michael Tesarek, Timothy and Ashley of Roseau and Karla Klemar of Thief River Falls were dinner guests on Sunday at the Clifford Klemar home and they celebrated the birthday of Timothy Tesarek.

Visitors during the week at the Chesle Ruud home have been Mrs. Robert Ruud, Lolantha and Anna of Rochester and Walter Lunsetter.

Newfolden . . . .

Saturday later in the evening Bill and Shirley Wagner and Dave Thompson and Bev Hanson came over with cards, wishes and gifts for Curt Thompson we had birthday cake and ice cream. Curt opened his gifts then on Sunday the 30th, Roger and Robbin Mathsen, Ronelle, Ryan and Reanna, Lisa Wilson, Jeremy, Jayme and Amber and Harvey Skyberg came with gifts, wishes and Robbin brought a chocolate cake served with ice cream. Curt opened more gifts and cards. He had a very nice birthday. Birthday blessings, Curt!

Wednesday afternoon, Carol Ness visited and had lunch with Vernice Larson. Marlys Aune spent a very nice afternoon.

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A Week Of Vacation Was Greatly Appreciated

It was with a great deal of appreciation for having personal time available that this editor spent the past week vacationing away from the job and the community. Vacation provides a feeling of freedom which anyone who takes time away from the daily demands of employment or homemaking can appreciate. It is a period of self-indulgence when normal responsibilities can be set aside or put on hold without feelings of guilt because "this is time for me."

News reporting is one of few professions which necessarily is responsive to everyone else's schedule. It is simultaneously the least structured and the most structured of tasks, for it is dependent on meetings and events planned and arranged by others to meet their situation or convenience but requiring coverage regardless of date and time.

July was a particularly challenging month for local news coverage, especially on weekends. From An American Festival on the first weekend in July through the All Nations Cultural Festival in St. Hilaire the next weekend, and the Pennington County Fair the week and weekend after that, and Crazy Day on Saturday, July 29, there were seemingly endless hours at the events and processing photos in the darkroom. Since each photo is printed individually, the work is just beginning when the photos are taken. For example, we published about 160 photos from the Pennington County Fair alone.

And because other duties don't end just because there are weekend events to cover, seven-day weeks with late nights at work stretch end to end to end—seemingly without end. As a result, a vacation subject to no one else's schedule is cherished and appreciated.

When one of our news staff is away from the job, however, news events continue to take place and not all coverage can be placed on hold: This means added responsibilities and time commitment from those remaining on the job. Our thanks go to associate editor Dave Hill and community reporter Liz Reishus for doing extra duty to allow our vacation. We appreciate it.

recent editorial in *The Anoka Union*. His topic is the need—or lack thereof—for a Constitutional Amendment prohibiting burning of the American flag.

It is a topic that one would expect Americans to feel strongly about, and most of them do. It is an especially emotional topic for military personnel and military veterans who view their country's flag as something more than a banner. They consider it to be a focal point for what they devoted a part of their lives to protect and an emblem of the sacrifices of body, mind and life that others made in like pursuit.

We commend their patriotism and their attitude, but we disagree that there is a need for constitutional protection for the flag. We have editorially expressed this opinion before and received letters of objection and criticism, which we have published in our opinion column.

Following is Elmer L. Andersen's recent editorial viewpoint:

"A few incidents of burning the American flag as a political protest and a Supreme court decision that held such acts to be within our protected freedom of speech have so outraged Americans that some Congressmen feel led to propose a constitutional amendment prohibiting any desecration of our national emblem and providing penalties for doing so.

"There is no question that the burning of an American flag is deeply offensive. It is so offensive that, with all its attention getting, it injures rather than enhances any cause with which it is connected. It has happened only rarely and is a problem hardly worthy of a constitutional change. One wonders if proponents are not themselves seeking political advantage by capitalizing on an issue that captures some people's attention and emotion.

"Do we want to send a message to the world that it takes a special constitutional provision to protect our flag? There are better ways to solve that relatively minor problem.

"Two problems of enormous dimension that are growing worse need massive attention. They are crime and poverty. It should be clear that incarcerating the largest percentage of its people of any nation in the free world, building more and more prisons for punishment and release is a failed approach and yet we continue to pour more and more billions into it.

"We need new approaches of indefinite custody for repeat criminals in a self-supporting rehabilitative environment. We also need to get the mentally ill into treatment centers instead of wandering homeless, a threat to themselves and others.

"In this rich and wonderful country, the gap between the haves and have nots grows wider and the concentration of wealth gets more and more centered in the hands of a very few. That is not healthy for the nation, nor any of its people, rich or poor. some positive moves are being made in Minnesota and elsewhere to provide opportunity for escape from welfare through training and entry to the job market. Such efforts should not be coupled with threats or ultimatums and are but one small part of an enormous task.

"Crime and poverty can command the best talent of the Congress to innovate, concentrate and give priority to these twin threats to our daily well being. Meanwhile, the flag will continue to wave proudly."

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Viking Community News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad were guests at the David and Ardy Asp Camper to view the video of the boat "Hjemkomst" which was built by his brother Robert. This boat was eventually launched in Duluth Harbor. A few months after that, Robert Asp passed away. By May 1982 the ship and its crew sailed the Great Lakes and into New York Harbor and on to Norway. The boat was shipped back to the United State and is now at the Historical Museum in Moorhead. LeRoy and the Asp brothers were school mates at the Drotts school way back when.

Adella and Gordon Skjervon were Saturday night supper guests at the Corey Skjervon home of rural Thief River Falls.

Romana Muirhead from Bellville, IL and her sister Teresa Hazelrigg from Kansas City, MO and children, Megan, Shawn and Erika came last Thursday for dinner and spent the afternoon visiting at the Bert Kron home. They are daughters of Joyce Kron's brother.

Leonard Larson went to Bruces on Sunday for granddaughter Sarah's sixth birthday.

Bert and Joyce Kron drove to Walker and Sunday where they visited Glenn and Karen Odberg at their lake home. Also visiting there were Leonard and Michelle Kron, April Willemson and Jan Erik Lovolle of Cottage Grove, Trevor and Jill Wright of Wheaton and Orland and Laura Roppe and Gretchen of Moorhead. Bert and Joyce came home on Monday.

Leonard Larson had coffee at Vanderports on Tuesday afternoon.

Joyce Erickson's brother, Wayne Hanson of Williston, ND visited at the Earl Erickson home last weekend.

Annie Gustafson and Arlona Hanson visited with Alma Drotts of CNC on second floor at the Northwest Medical Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson visited with Ann Hanson and Glenn Halvorson on Sunday at Oakland Park Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand drove to Gull Lake on Sunday.

Etta Steinhauer visited at the Liz Swenson home on Tuesday afternoon.

Carrie Nicholson and Marlys Gillespie were noon lunch guests at the Liz Swenson home in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad called at the Mike Fayette home on Sunday evening.

Last Friday afternoon LeRoy and Ruth Sustad called on Alma Drotts at CNC at the Northwest Medical center in Thief River Falls.

Rev. and Mrs. Orville Sustad of Arvada, CO arrived on Monday to spend some time as houseguests at the LeRoy Sustad home and visit in the area.

Rev. and Mrs. Orville Sustad and Mrs. Olga Engevik of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Engevik of Julian, CA and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad enjoyed breakfast and fellowship at Best Western on Tuesday morning.

Last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. David Asp of Austin who were campers at the Thief River Falls campground, had as their guests, his brother Arthur and wife Lilly of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad.

Reiner

Sincere Sympathy!

Our sincere sympathy to the family of Paul Mutnansky who passed away at the age of 71 years on July 16, 1995. Funeral services were held on Friday at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge. Our thoughts and prayers are with Teresa and family and many friends during this sad time. Blessed be his memory!

Our sincere sympathy to the family of Jesse Vazina who passed away at his home in Goodridge on July 24, 1995 at the age of 72 years. Funeral services were held on July 28th at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge. Our thoughts and prayers are with Lois and family and many friends during this sad time. Blessed be his memory!

Family Reunion!

The Stenvik family held a reunion at the Community Center in Goodridge on Saturday and Sunday, July 22nd and 23rd. They report a very special weekend!

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stenvik and daughter-in-law, Aysen Stenvik visited Saturday evening at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller were among those who attended the Grygla Summer Dance Recital on July 23, 1995 at the gym at Grygla.

Laura Anderson, daughter of Mari Lou and Gary Anderson, performed at the recital.

Baby Shower!

A baby shower was held recently at the Reiner church in honor of Megan Olson, infant daughter of Steve and Julie Olson of Grygla.

Baptism!

Megan Olson was baptized at the Reiner Lutheran church on Sunday, July 23rd, her sponsors were her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rakoczy along with her parents, Steve and Julie Olson and sisters, Nicole and Kristy. Pastor Del Palmer performed the baptism! God's blessings to Megan and her family on this special day!

Helen Halvorson visited recently at the Otto and Hulda Sigarud home. Julie Olson, Nicole, Kristy and Megan of Grygla were also recent visitors at the Sigarud home.

Betty Coan, Judy Larson and Cola Schaaf visited on Saturday with Inga Coan at the Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Edgar Miller was a dinner guest at the Signe Miller home on Sunday.

Mari Lou Anderson and Eddie Sjulstad visited at the Signe Miller home on Friday afternoon.

Garrett and Laura Anderson visited at the home of their grandparents, Edgar and Dorothy Miller, later Mari Lou joined them for supper. Rose Needham and grandson Scott visited at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home also.

Happy Birthday!

James Walls celebrated his birthday on Tuesday, July 25th. Andy Walls brought greetings to his dad on Tuesday morning. Supper guests Tuesday evening at the Jim and Iva Walls home in honor of Jim's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sigerud, Eddie Sjulstad, Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Walls and Kenney Pamham. Jim received greetings from his daughters, Yvonne Pederson and Rita Pamham and also from grandchildren and other friends and family. Happy Birthday to you, Jim!

Pastor Del Palmer was a dinner guest on Thursday at the Helen and Selmer Holen home and later visited at the Jim and Iva Walls home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sigerud visited recently at the Steve and Julie Olson home at Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. David Asp of Austin visited briefly on Saturday at the Edgar Miller home and also at the James Walls home. David's dad was a school teacher at the Reiner school years ago and David's brother, James Asp was a pastor at the Reiner Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Walls visited and were dinner and supper guests at the home of their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Stimpfl at Baudette, on Sunday.

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—One of the Patrick and James Meehan drives of about three million feet of logs reached the pond on Sunday last enabling the mill to resume operations.

—The dahlias in front of the Ogahmah hotel present a very attractive appearance.

—Barley cutting has commenced on the ridge.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—A free exhibition to test the burglar alarm system of the Citizens state bank will be given today.

—T. I. Cash of the T. I. Cash Carnival, Balloon and Attraction company arrived in Thief River Falls Monday to prepare for the county fair.

—A special election will be held August 21 to vote bonds in the amount of $25,000 for a city water works system.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Representative Halvor Steenerson and E. V. Willard, state drainage engineer, attended a Red Lake river flood control meeting in this city.

—City Clerk E. J. Overland announced that the city treasury had more than $29,000 cash on hand.

—The first community picnic ever held in this region will take place August 22 at Squaw Point.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Thief River Falls has been dressed up for an anticipated record attendance at the state American Legion and auxiliary convention to be held here August 10-12, with a rodeo featuring famous cowboys being the number one item on the agenda.

—Jim Maruska is in charge of organizing a 40 et 8 voiture in this city, with 20 men being initiated at the coming convention.

—Randall Noper was awarded a Holstein bull at the county fair for exhibiting the best Holstein calf.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Mrs. Frances Larson was appointed to the local school board.

—The Legion auxiliary drum corps will perform in Albert Lea at the state convention.

—Robert J. Lund, secretary of the fair board, estimated that 44,000 persons attended the 1935 Pennington county fair.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—County fair attendance this year was estimated at 30,000.

—The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will hold a picnic August 12 at the Red Lake Falls tourist park.

—Gene Sjoberg, formerly of Middle River, opened Sjoberg's Appliance at 315 North Main avenue.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Charles Rodekuhr was named head of the local polio chapter.

—Philip Kays was named secretary of the Thief River Falls Community Chest, succeeding Mrs. M. R. Levorson.

—A new trailer court has been established next to the Thief river, north of Eighth street.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Fire destroyed the Allen Tonder home south of Thief River Falls July 27.

—Minnesota Junior College board announced the appointment of Charles E. White of Stillwater as dean of the new Thief River Falls state junior college.

—Dominic Kalinoski, owner and operator of Kal's Automotive Service on highway 59 east, announced the sale of his business to Eldor "Speed" Ornquist.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Wendy Noreen of the Black River 4-H club was crowned queen of the Pennington county 4-H dress revue at the county fair.

—James Engelstad was elected president of the board of trustees of Northwestern hospital association.

—Site preparation is underway for the new medical office building addition to Northwestern hospital services in Thief River Falls.

—Financing has been arranged, contracts awarded and construction is now underway on a new 81-unit Best Western motel and convention facility for Thief River Falls.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The Retail Business association asked the city council to restrict peddler and transient business licenses in Thief River Falls.

—Andrea Nord is the new 4-H club agent in the Pennington county extension office.

—Rodney Poissant, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poissant, attended a convention of Little People of America, Inc. in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

The cool spell, that the weather reporters have been talking about the past week when we have been sweltering in 90 degree plus heat, has arrived in N.W. Minnesota. Roy's indoor-outdoor thermometer was barely 50 degrees when I checked it this morning.

We have just returned from a trip to Springfield, MO where we attended the beautiful wedding of Jane Vagle, the only child of Royle and Marla Vagle and the thermometers were stuck on over 90 degrees every day. At Silver Dollar City and Branson my nose became sun burned while going between the exhibits. Each place was airconditioned but with the heavy traffic even inside it was hot.

The Strandquist Senior Citizens haven't been sitting in the shade all these days but ten members went to the Middle River Mealsite and enjoyed a good dinner on Wednesday. They visited with Rose Lofrooth Jevne at the site and later to Young's store where most of them found some articles to purchase.

On Thursday, 12 members and 3 guests met at the Center for Bingo Day. Alyce Anderson won the blackout and was also the hostess who furnished the lunch. Elsie Kimbrough won the door prize and the guests were Lillian Gormundson, Elsie Lofrooth and Merlen Pederson.

In Ozark, Mo a suburb of Springfield, I stopped to visit Barbara Stromlund Rulter who was born and lived with her parents, the Albert Stromlunds in Strandquist until she was 10-years-old. She has a thriving "Mail Box" business and sends greetings to all.

It is difficult to think of the passing away of Peter H. Thompson, "Cousin Pete" to us who had 4 Peter Thompsons in the family. He always had some funny story to tell, one which was published in the Life Magazine a couple of years ago. I also remember on a trip back home from Kalispell, MT, he came into the motel and told Genova and me that he thought he would quit delivering milk around town because the women were becoming too attentive to him. He said one woman who lived in the south part of town was so familiar that she actually sat on his lap and tweaked his ear. With that he left us and imagined how we laughed when Genova said that it was his wife Alyce.

Jenny Anderson left for Fairmont on Monday where she will be working as County Extension Educator for Martin County 4-H through December.

Ida Bruce and Lorraine Setten visited with Carl and Frances Peterson on Thursday.

Saturday those who came to wish Isaac Thompson a happy lucky 77th birthday were Nelson LaDoux of Thief River Falls, Peter and Pearl Thompson, Robert and Cathy, Lisa and Andrew, Richard and Carol Thompson of Red Lake Falls. Sunday guests at Peter and Pearl Thompson's for dinner were David and Phaele Thompson, LaVonne Johnson, Sherry, Steffanie and Scott Stuart and Becky and Jeremy Johnson. Later guests to help Peter celebrate his birthday were Lois Carrico, Mary and Donna Renstrom, Isaac and Betsy Thompson and Michelle, Mark and Jake.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's this week have been Karl Kasprowicz, Brian Nelson, Brittany and Matthew, Larina Berggren and Roberta Turnwall Chanhassen.

Jenny Anderson spent the weekend visiting David Jansson at the Morris and Naomi Janssen home in Ely.

Isaac and Betsy Thompson and their guest, Polly Stevenson, and Elsie Lofrooth had supper at Peter and Pearl Thompson on Monday.

Saturday evening Kristopher, Paul and Shirley Anderson attended the EMT-Firemen picnic at Moose Park at Karlstad.

Lavonne Johnson who has been visiting in Bloomington and Circle Pines with Sherry Stuart and Debbie Evans, returned home on Saturday with Sherry, Scott and Steffanie Stuart, who came to spend a week of vacation with Peter and Pearl Thompson.

Sunday afternoon, Frank and Judy Kleinvachter, Lois Kleinvachter and Lowell Lofrooth took a drive to Mountain and Inkster, ND and wherever they went the water was standing in the fields. In the evening Ellen Stromberg and Frank Grochowski and June Kleinvachter visited Frank and Judy.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County [illegible] August 9, 1945

From The Times Files [illegible] Years Ago

150 Sportsmen at Club Session Tuesday

"The August meeting of the Pennington County Sportsmen's club in the Civic and Commerce rooms was well attended, present being approximately 150 men from throughout this area. The principal speaker was W. E. Dahlquist, editor of the Times, who gave details of his recent trip to England and the U.S.-occupied zone in Germany.

"Game Warden William H. Borchert announced that four crates of nine-weeks-old pheasants and one crate of Hungarian partridges have been liberated recently in this area, in addition to sixty pheasants raised for the local club by D. S. Green of this city.

"Following the program, the group enjoyed a venison lunch, the meat having been procured from a deer killed when hit by an automobile Saturday night north of Plummer."

48 Girl Scouts Will Leave For Camp Sunday

"A large group of 48 Thief River Falls Girl Scouts will leave from the municipal auditorium on a school bus next Sunday afternoon, August 12, at one o'clock for Camp Trowbridge, near Detroit Lakes, where the girls will enjoy a week's outing, it was announced this week by Mrs. L. B. Hartz of the committee in charge."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
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Emergency Help Sought Here To Aid In Harvest

"The shortage of help during the harvest season on farms tributary to Thief River Falls will be even more acute this year than in recent war-time years, it was indicated at a meeting of the agriculture committee of the Civic and Commerce association held Tuesday afternoon in the Rex cafe.

"Stuart McLeod, chairman, pointed out that there are an estimated 50 to 75 fewer men on local farms this year than last, owing to the draft and other causes. The committee agreed on a wage scale of 75 cents per hour for emergency workers. Each business place is asked to appoint a foreman to cooperate with Charles Richards, farm manpower recruiter, in lining up crews."

Truck Tires Should Be Recapped As Needed

"The local war price and rationing board has been asked by the district office in Fargo to have all truck operators recap tires when necessary. Due to the acute shortage of truck tires, it is most important that all conservation methods be put forth in maintaining further operations. Any truck operator failing to have tires recapped when necessary will be refused tires on his next application, Waldie Christensch, board chairman, announced."

Christmas Seal Worker Confers In City

"Miss Mable Johnson, field worker for the Minnesota Public Health association, was in Thief River Falls Tuesday to make preliminary plans for the [illegible] Christmas seal campaign. She conferred with Dr. Baldwin Borreson, president, and Mrs. George Erickson, secretary of the Pennington County Public Health association, and with Mrs. G. L. Biddick, local Christmas seal chairman."

Motion Picture Film Is Delivered Here By Plane

"When the film, 'Song of Bernadette,' missed train and truck connections from Minneapolis, it looked for a while as though the initial showing scheduled Tuesday evening at the Avalon theatre would have to be cancelled. However, Manager Wallie Anderson revealed, the motion picture was loaded onto a chartered plane in Minneapolis at 4:45 Tuesday afternoon and arrived at the Thief River Falls airport at 7:30, so that it was possible to start showing the picture only a short time after the scheduled hour."

—In case you don't think it necessary to save tin cans, you might bear in mind the fact that Japan still controls 98 per cent of the world's tin supply.

—Times change: Back in the early 1930's a lot of folks didn't have the money to buy the food they wanted, while today they have the money, but not the points.

—Homesick American soldiers now stationed in Germany may be said to be suffering from an occupational disease.

—Simile: As welcome as a little extra help on the farm during the busy harvest season.

—The new gadget which will permit a man to telephone from his automobile will be useful for the lazy man who gets a flat tire.

—And now they tell about the helpless husband whose wife has to thread the needle for him when he darns his sox or sews on a button.

—U.S. bombers are now delivering scrap iron to Japan free of charge.

—It seems they were all wrong but Senator Shipstead. He was one of the two votes cast against the United Nations charter.

—Remember way back when no county fair was complete without its balloon ascension.

—In view of the late season, it looks as though the corn on the cob will be in the luxury class this year.

—The army has finally lost Pearl Harbor, reports the veracious Billy Noonan, who explains that Miss Pearl Harbor of the WACs was married recently.

—Random thought: Wonder what a Jap Kamikaze airman thinks about when he is making his suicide dive.

—The girl elevator operator in the Empire State building who lived through the experience of dropping 79 stories should have something to tell her grandchildren.

—One of the Jap islands is named O. It shouldn't take long for U.S. bombers to reduce that to zero.

—You youngsters had better have a good time while you can. The school bells will soon be ringing.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota, August 7, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

A Runaway

"A team driven by Dennis LeSarge of Thief River Falls indulged in a lively runaway today here. After running about a block one of the horses got its leg caught in the tongue and was thrown to the ground. The front wheels and the tongue of the carriage had to be taken off before the animals could be extricated. Nothing was damaged and the horse escaped with only a slight scratch."

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PART-TIME GERMAN TEACHER

LOCATION: Lincoln High School
EFFECTIVE: 1995-96 School Year (.4 FTE)
DUTIES: Teach German at the High School.
REQUIREMENTS: Must be Minnesota certified or certifiable.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 230 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Friday, August 18, 1995.

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The Goodridge Public Schools, ISD 561, will be accepting applications for the following part-time positions for the 1995-96 school year.
- EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY EDUCATION TEACHER •
- PARENT EDUCATION COORDINATOR •

Appropriate licensure required. Applications deadline – August 18, 1995.
APPLY TO: Salvinus Hoffert, Superintendent of Schools, Goodridge Public Schools, Box 195, Osmund Avenue, Goodridge, MN 56725

The following position may be available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION INSTRUCTOR (Long-Term Sub)

LOCATION: Lincoln High School
EFFECTIVE: 1995-96 School Year (one-year replacement)
DUTIES: Instruct varying levels of metals and machine trade skills.
REQUIREMENTS: Minnesota certified or certifiable - prefer vocational endorsement.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

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REQUIREMENTS: Must have a valid Minnesota Certified Driver's License with School Bus and Air Brake Endorsement and a good driving record.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

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Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Positions open for general construction work, call 218-681-5667. P4t64p

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- PARENT EDUCATION COORDINATOR •

Appropriate licenses will be required. Applications will be accepted until August 18, 1995.
APPLY TO
Salvinus Hoffert, Grygla Public School, Box 18, Grygla, MN 56727

The following extra-curricular positions are available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the 1995-96 school year:

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WRESTLING CHEERLEADING ADVISOR
H. S. HEAD GIRLS SOFTBALL COACH
H. S. ASSISTANT GIRLS GOLF COACH
7TH GRADE BOYS BASKETBALL COACH
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If interested please contact Jim Sims, Student Activities Director at the Lincoln High School Activities Office at 218-681-7140.

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WANTED: DIRECTOR OF NURSING
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Help Wanted

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1998 LIBERTY double wide, 28x44, 2-bedroom, 1-bath, starting at 29,500.00, 218-253-2936. 62dc

FOR SALE- 1972 Schultz mobile home, 14x68, 2-bedroom, front kitchen, 12x20 green treated deck, good condition, to be moved, $4,000.00, 218-698-4261. P4t65p

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FOR RENT- 2 bedroom downstairs apartment, available Sept. 1st, heat, water included, $265.00. Call 681-3422

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom trailer house, deposit and references required, no pets, call after 6 p.m. 681-6812. 63tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom apartment in ..., all utilities furnished, references and deposit required, no pets, $325.00 per month. Call Property Management 681-4478. 62tfc

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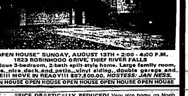

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Motorcycles-ATVs

1974 YAMAHA 250 MX, fair condition, call 681-7706 or 681-6262. P4t64p

FOR SALE- 1979 Yamaha 650, 1973 Honda 350, 314 S. Riverside Ave., 681-5462 or 681-7705. 4t65l

1991 DS 80 Suzuki motorcycle, call after 8 p.m., 681-8027. P4t66p

FOR SALE- 1994 Honda XR 650L, asking $3,500.00, call 463-9445. P4t63p

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FOR SALE- Fishing boat, 21' Browning, 168-h.p. Mercury, inboard/outboard, $2,900.00/o.b.o. Call 701-772-4131. P5t66p

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FOR SALE- 1995 Polaris XLT Special, with paddle track, 750 miles, $4,600.00, call 463-9445. P4t63p

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WANTED TO BUY- Cab for 4019 John Deere with wide doors, 218-745-5535. P4t63p

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Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE- Set., August 12, 7-6 p.m. Furniture, stereo, electric garage door opener, lots of good children's clothing and misc. items. 1236 Edgewood Drive, garage #1. 2t64c

GARAGE SALE- Large selection girls clothing, infant, adult, all in good condition. Lots of misc., Sat., 8/12, 8:00-4:00, 417 S. Crocker. 1t63p

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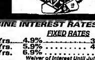

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GARAGE SALE- Saturday, Aug. 12th, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Johnson Drive Road, roads will be marked. Lots of infant clothes, girls sizes 2 to 6, teen clothing, adult clothing, lots of misc. 2t64p

GROUP GARAGE SALE- 225 B Spruce, Wed., Aug. 9, Thurs., Aug. 10, 7-6 p.m. Microwave, bikes, end tables, coffee table, 19" colored TV, trombone, young men's jeans, adult and children's clothing, Red Wing crocks, full size pick up topper, books, crafts, bedding, wall hangings, household, misc. 1t63p

GARAGE SALE- at 304 B Arnold, Thurs., Aug. 10th, 8-8 and Friday, Aug. 11th, 8-8. Dishes, cookware, some antiques, tools, portable screen house with toting bag, 1250 watt portable generator, roll-a-way bed, clothes. 1t63p

RUMMAGE SALE- Friday, Aug. 11, 8-2 p.m., south on 59, turn left by Sheldon's Auto Parts, road will be marked. Girls clothes, newborn to size 5 and misc. 1t63p

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, Aug. 12, 314 Cardinal Ave., 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Infant, boys', men's, and women's clothing, furniture, misc. 1t63p

RUMMAGE SALE- at 1211 N. Duluth, Friday and Saturday, Aug. 11th and 12th, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Cedar lined oak chest, roll-a-way bed, quilt hanger, TV stand, table, crochet things, some clothes and misc. 1t63p

HUGE 5-PARTY garage sale- Saturday, Aug. 12th, 7 a.m., 923 North LaBree, including large women's, sheet sets, comforter sets, lots of misc. items, including home decorating items, low prices, other sale in area. 2t64p

Public Notices

CARD OF THANKS
A special thank you to our children, sons and daughters-in-law, grandchildren and great-grandchildren for the wonderful party for our 65th. Also, the family picnic at Valhall. It was a fun time and thanks again for all the work you all put in it, and all the good food. Thanks to all neighbors and friends for coming to the center to wish us well. God bless you all.
Anna & Manuel Hanson
1t63p

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who aided and comforted us during the illness and death of our beloved mother, grandmother, and great grandmother Hazel Bakken. We especially wish to thank Pastor Neil Bonkoski, for his comforting words, Evodell Tangquist for her message of song, the Evangelical Covenant Women for the nice meal, and the pallbearers. We are grateful for the memorials, and the food brought to our home. Our heartfelt thanks to Dr. Bray, the Nursing Staff at Northwest Medical Center and Hospice. We thank you all.
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Doris & Kenneth Finstad
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Thank you for cards, letters, calls, visits and kindness shown in the loss of my son. You made it easier.
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Lydia Owen
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Thinking of you always
Love you, your family
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Legal Notices

August 9, 16, 23, 1995
County Ditch #39, Improvement
NOTICE TO DRAINAGE CONTRACTORS
NOTICE TO DRAINAGE CONTRACTORS-Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Middle River Snake River Watershed District at 453 North McKinley Street in Warren, Minnesota until 4:00 o'clock P.M., August 31, 1995, for the improvement of County Ditch #39, in Marshall County, Minnesota.

Said work involves quantities estimated as follows:

Excavation	7,300 CY
Seeding	30 acres
F & I Bedding Material	884 CY
F & 142" CSP 12 ga.	980 LF
F A 142" Waterman Flap Gate	1 Unit
F & I Rip Rap	46 CY

The total Engineer's estimate is $53,400.

No bids will be entertained in which the aggregate exceeds the estimated cost by more than 30 percent.

The items and quantities listed are for the total of the work involved in the improvement of County Ditch #39.

Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope and be on forms furnished by the Middle River Snake River Watershed District. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Middle River Snake River Watershed District for not less than ten percent of the amount bid as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract for the work as described in the proposal. The certified checks or bid bonds of the three lowest responsible bidders will be retained until a contract has been entered into but no longer than 90 calendar days from the date of the opening of the bids.

It is the intent of the District to award the contract for the work described to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders who will be required to furnish surety bonds to the District in the amount of 100% of the contract price and certificates of insurance for workman's compensation and liability insurance.

Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of the Secretary of the Middle River Snake River Watershed District, at 453 North McKinley Street, Warren, Minnesota 56762 upon payment of $10.00.

The right to adjourn the letting of the contract to a time and place other than noted herein, or to reject any and all bids, is reserved.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1995.
Richard Kuzel, Secretary MRSRWD

August 2, 9, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL COURT
Court File No. P8-95-470
In Re: Estate of John L. Wold also known as John Ludvig Wold, Jr., Deceased.
ORDER FOR HEARING PETITION FOR DESCENT OF PROPERTY

The petition of Linda Pain, dated July 10, 1995, having been filed in this Court representing that the above named decedent has been dead for more than three years leaving certain property therein described, and requesting the probate of the last will of each decedent, if any, and the descent of said property be determined and assigned by the Court to the persons entitled thereto.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that said petition be heard on the 21st day of August, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock, A.M., by the above named Court at Thief River Falls, State of Minnesota.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the petitioner give notice of said hearing in the manner prescribed by M.S.A. 524.1-401 to all persons entitled to notice pursuant to M.S.A. 524.3-403 and to all persons who have filed a demand for notice pursuant to M.S.A. 524.3-204.

Dated: July 21, 1995
-s- James R. Wilson
Judge of District Court
-s- Barbara Bello
Court Administrator
MYHRE, BRENCKHAHN & WILLIAMS, P.A.
Arthur A. Brenckhahn
P.O. Box 159
Warren, MN 56762
(218) 745-4321

August 2, 9, 1995
CONSTRUCTION OF RED LAKE WATERSHED DISTRICT GOOD LAKE PROJECT, NO. 57, STAGE 3D
BIDS CLOSE 9:30 A.M., August 24, 1995
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Board of Managers of the Red Lake Watershed District will received bids at the office of the Red Lake Watershed District, 102 North Main, P.O. Box 803, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 until 9:30 a.m., August 24, 1995, for the construction of the Good Lake Project Stage 3D, Red Lake Watershed District Project No. 57.

The job is located in the Red Lake Indian Reservation. The proposed work includes, but is not limited to the following major quantities:

Furnish and install steel wallways 220' @ 18" C.S. Pipe Culvert, 150 cu.yd. Random Riprap Class II, 62 cu.yd. Random Riprap Class III, 4 acres Seeding, mulch & fertilizer.

Bids will be received for the entire work as one job. Bid forms are furnished with the specifications and all bids will be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Bids for construction of the Good Lake Project Stage 3D, Red Lake Watershed Project No. 57," and accompanied by a certified check or bidder's bond for not less than 10% of the amount of the bid as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract and furnish bond as required by law.

Contractors should be aware that the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians require a Special Business License of all prime contractors. The fee for this license is $50.00 plus two percent (2%) of the project cost. Securing the license is the responsibility of the Contractor.

At the time and place specified, the bids will be publicly opened and read at the office of the Board of Managers. The job will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder subject to the requirements that a performance and payment bond be furnished to the District in the amount of 100% of the contract price. The District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to make the award in the best interest of the District. Plans and specifications are on file and can be obtained at the Watershed District Office at Thief River Falls, address above. Plans are $15.00 per set.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty (30) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Dated the 27th day of July, 1995.
Signed: Lowell C. Enerson, Administrator

August 9, 16, 23, 1995
GRADING AND AGGREGATE SURFACE BIDS CLOSE
10:00 AM, SEPTEMBER 12, 1995
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN 56701
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS: Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 AM Tuesday September 12, 1995 by the Pennington County Auditor at the Courthouse in Thief River Falls, MN on behalf of the Pennington County Board of Commissioners for the following:

SAP 57-629-04
Grading and Aggregate Surfacing on CSAH 29 at the City of Goodridge.
The major quantities of work are:

Geotextile Fabric	9,212 SQ.YD
Common Excavation	8,829 CU.YD
Aggregate Surfacing CL.5	2,000 Ton
Aggregate Class 3	7,020 Ton
15" C.S. Pipe Culvert	398 L.F.
18" C.S. Pipe Culvert	206 L.F.
24" C.S. Pipe Culvert	122 L.F.
24" C.P. Pipe Culvert (Smooth)	120 L.F.
Miscellaneous Items	

Proposal, Plans, and Specifications may be examined and obtained at the Office of the County Highway Engineer, 101 N. Main or by mail PO Box 618, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

The Counter price for a complete set of all required contract documents is $10.00 (non-refundable). Add $2.50 for shipping and handling, if requested to be mailed.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Pennington County Treasurer for not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any defects.
Kenneth Olson
County Auditor

August 9, 16, 30, 1995
NOTICE OF FILING DATES FOR ELECTION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564 THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 564 shall begin on August 29th, 1995 and shall close at 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12th, 1995.

The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7th, 1995. At that election, 3 members will be elected to the School Board for terms of three years each.

Affidavits of candidacy are available from the school district clerk and/or the School District Administrative Office at 230 South LaBree, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. The filing fee for this office is $2. A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for 30 days before the general election, and must have no other affidavit on file for any other office at the same election.

The affidavits of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the filing fee paid prior to 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12th, 1995.

Dated: 7/31/95
BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
-s- Darla Twomey, School District Clerk

August 9, 16, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 103D.911, notice is hereby given that the Board of Managers of the Red Lake Watershed District will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget for 1996 at 10:00 a.m. August 24, 1995, at the District Office, located at 102 North Main Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. The following is a summary:

Proposed 1996 Administrative Budget

Administrative Fund	
Managers Fees and Salary	512,000.00
Board of Managers Expense	9,000.00
Staff Salaries	15,000.00
Payroll Taxes	1,950.00
Employee Benefits	6,250.00
Travel and Meetings	3,000.00
Legal	7,300.00
Audit	2,300.00
Office Supplies	3,000.00
Office Equipment (computer and computer programs, computer updates, FAX machine)	12,000.00
Telephone	4,500.00
Dues and Subscriptions	1,000.00
Insurance and Bonds	18,000.00
Repairs and Maintenance	825.00
Utilities	4,000.00
Professional Services	1,000.00
Advertising and Publications	875.00
TOTAL 1996 ADMINISTRATIVE BUDGET	$100,000.00

Construction Fund
An ad valorem tax of .03627 percent of taxable market value for 1995, collectible for 1996, will be levied on all taxable property within the district. One-half of the levy will remain in the district for projects listed below; the other one-half will be sent to the Red River Watershed Management Board for projects within the Red River Basin.

Permitting System, Benchmarks, Flood Control Studies, Steam Gauging, Water Quality Studies, Watershed Hydrologic Analysis, Flood Control Projects, Rivers, Bank Stabilization, Lakes, Beaver Damage Control.

August 2, 9, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No.
In Re: Estate of Marie Arleigh Degen, aka Marie A. Degen, Deceased.
ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:
It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of August, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated February 26, 1990, and for appointment of Alice M. Degen, whose address is 225 [illegible] Street, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701 as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: July 28, 1995
(COURT SEAL)
James R. Wilson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bello
Court Administrator
Paul Ihle
IHLE & SPARBY, P.A.
318 North LaBree Ave
P.O. Box 574
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-7373
Att. Reg. No. 48732

August 9, 16, 1995
NOTICE OF BIDS
The City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, will accept sealed bids for the sale of a 24' X 48' Metal Garage presently located at 310 North Atlantic, City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

All bids must be received in the office of the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, located in the City Auditorium, 123 North Main Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before 2:00 p.m., August 21, 1995.

Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on August 21, 1995, in the Council Chambers, located in the City Auditorium, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Additional information concerning the bidding process is available from the City Clerk. All bids must be submitted on bid forms provided by the City Clerk and all bids must be accompanied by a 15% cashier's check or bid bond/performance bond made payable to the City of Thief River Falls. The City reserves the right to hold any bid for 30 days during which it may accept said bid.

It is required that the 24' X 48' metal garage be removed by October 20, 1995.

The City of Thief River Falls reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any irregularities, and to award the contract in a manner that they deem to be in the best interests of the City.

For the City Council
Roger DeLap, City Clerk
P.O. Box 528
Thief River Falls, MN 56701

August 9, 23, 1995
NOTICE TO FILE AFFIDAVIT OF CANDIDACY FOR CITY ELECTION
Notice is hereby given that the filing dates for the City of Thief River Falls Municipal Election are as follows:
From August 29, 1995, through September 13, 1995.
Positions to be filled by election on November 7, 1995, are as follows:

Mayor	2 year term
Council Member, 1st Ward	4 year term
Council Member, 3rd Ward	4 year term
Council Member, 5th Ward	4 year term
Council Member, At Large	4 year term

Affidavits of candidacy may be filed in the City Clerk's Office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, during the period of August 29, 1995, through September 13, 1995. [illegible] $2.00 fee [illegible] City Clerk.
Dated this 2nd day of August, 1995.
-s- Roger DeLap, City Clerk-Treasurer

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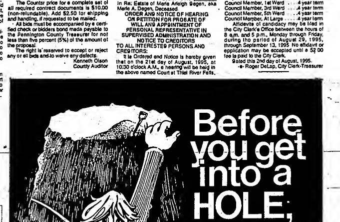

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Gatzke Community News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Wedding!

[illegible] Mark Bernstein [illegible] who were married [illegible] evening at St. Clements [illegible]

[illegible] Roger Bernat of [illegible] visited at the Howard Lunsetter home.

[illegible] Gene Peterson visited [illegible] evening at the [illegible] home.

[illegible] Juel Aune, Mrs. Greg [illegible] spent the weekend [illegible] wedding [illegible]

[illegible] visited [illegible] home.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clifford [illegible] visited at the Norris Hagen home [illegible]

[illegible] visited [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Saturday afternoon visitors at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and Todd [illegible] of [illegible].

[illegible] of Fargo is spending some time with his grandparents the [illegible]

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sparby visited at the Martin Sistad home.

Elisabeth and Gunnor Andsager of Brager, Denmark visited several days at the Eunice Hagen home. They were observing their 25th Silver Wedding Anniversary by a trip to the United States. They had toured the National Parks in Western United States and visited Salt Lake City, UT, Los Angeles and San Francisco, CA. Elisabeth Sorenson was an A.F.S. exchange student spending 1959-60 school year at the Hagen home and graduating from Middle River high school.

Supper guests of Eunice Hagen on Sunday were Elsabeth and Gunnor Andsager of Danmark, Harlene Overgaard of Roseville and Lon Englund, Larry and Lon Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter, Ashley, Andrea and Andrew of Wahpeton arrived on Friday night and Mrs. Dwight Scharmer, Houston and Layne of Drayton to spend the weekend and attend the Bernstein-Rindahl wedding.

Guests for dinner on Sunday at the Clifford Klamar home were Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar of Roseau, Connie Elseth of Fargo and Bront Elseth of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Bob Giffen of Hallock, Herman and Art Ruud of Goodridge and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Espo of Roseau have been recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited with Myrtle Byklum at Grygla.

Congratulations to Gene and Jackie Lunsetter who are proud parents of a daughter named Jenna Kay. They also have a son, Joel. Glenn and Grace Lunsetter are the grandparents.

Karyl Larson visited on Sunday at the Martin Sistad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Herms, Kayle and Nicholas spent the weekend in the Cities. They stayed at the Ed and Nadine Wold home. On Saturday they attended a Byklum Family Reunion at the home of Wallace and Ione Sparby. All of Hazel's brothers and sister attended. Also attending from Grygla were Mr. and Mrs. Wally Byklum and Darrin and Tammy Quam.

There have been many bears reported in the area due to lack of berries, so be ware of the the bear.

Recent visitors at the Clifford Klamar home have been Evelyn McDonagh of Everglades, FL, Bernard and Blanche Engavik of Julian, CA and Eunice Hagen.

Keith and Sharon Spandl of Long Prairie have been recent visitors at the Alan Severts home.

Seniors

The Senior Citizens had a big crowd for their annual dinner on Sunday at the Center. Bryce Abrahamson was the lucky winner of the quilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited on Thursday forenoon at the Jerry Linder home with Evelyn McDonagh of Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sistad and Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud attended the Prestebek-Helsa wedding at the Faith Lutheran church at Goodridge on Saturday evening.

A welcome party was held on Thursday evening at the Thief Lake church for Mrs. Dawn Lloyd and several ladies from United also attended.

Kayla Harne of Thief River Falls is spending a week at the Juel Aune home.

Karyl Larson and Mrs. Elroy Aune spent a week in the Cities. Karyl was at the Lowell Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited on Sunday forenoon at the Dale Rogers home.

Marcus Wallace spent the weekend with his grandparents the Alan Severts.

Birthday!

Helping Timothy Tesarek celebrate his fourth birthday at the Michael Tesarek home near Roseau on Friday evening were Karla Klemer of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Tesarek, Adam Tesarek, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tesarek and Tiara of Roseau and Great-grandma Alica Otto of Warroad.

Karyl Larson was a supper guest on Wednesday at the Ray McMillin home and also Kenny and Maxine Grondahl of Florida.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Bien visited at the Alan Severts home.

Art and Herman Ruud of Goodridge were dinner guests on Thursday at the Cheslie Ruud home.

Bridal Shower!

Several ladies attended a Bridal Shower on Sunday at the United Lutheran church for Tara Larson. Mrs. Leland Larson and Mrs. Wayne Larson presented the program and Tara opened her gifts.

Kayla Harne of Thief River Falls spent Thursday until Saturday with her grandparents the Juel Aunes.

Saturday, Mrs. Dwight Scharmer of Drayton, ND and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited at the Bill Bernstein home.

Monday evening Elisebeth and Gunnor Andsager were guests for their wedding anniversary at the home of Larry and Ila Hagen. Also visiting were Lon Englund, Paige Thunder of Cromwell and Regan Englund of Albertville and Eunice Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones visited on Saturday at the Alan Severts home.

Visitors on Sunday evening at the Cheslie Ruud home were Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylena and Kelsey.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the Bill Bernstein home were Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter, Ashley, Andrew and Andrea of Wahpeton, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Scharmer, Layne and Houston of Drayton, ND, Royden Bernstein and Holly of Williston, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter.

Wednesday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Kayle visited at the Jimmy Sparby home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Paetznick of Middle River and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts visited at the Evelyn Severts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Schermer, Layne and Houston of Drayton, ND were supper guests on Sunday at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Tuesday, Harlene Overgaard and Eunice Hagen and their guests Elsabeth and Gunnor Andsagor motored to Cable, WI where they were guests of Eldon and Penny Johnson of Eagan at their vacation home.

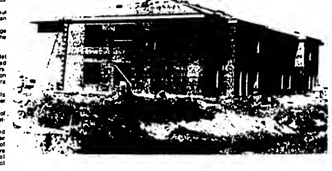
Harlene and Eunice returned to Gatzke Friday evening. Harlane returned to Roseville on Monday accompanied by Regan Englund of Albertville who had spent a week at the Larry Hagen home.

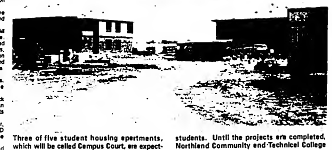
Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Kayla visited at the Steve Sparby home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited at the Harvey Ness home at Thief River Falls on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bernstein visited at the Howard Lunsetter home on Tuesday.

Eunice Larson was an afternoon visitor on Tuesday at the Alan Severts home and Gene Engen visited in the evening.





Three of five student housing apartments, which will be called Campus Court, are expected to be completed by October of this year. The remaining are scheduled to be completed by November. The $1.9 million project, being built by Wels Construction, could house 184 students. Until the projects are completed, Northland Community and Technical College will need sleeping rooms to house one or more students. A list of available rooms is being compiled at the school. For more information call 681-5424.

Gully Community News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Brian Carlson and Petra Eck of Gonvick had a birthday dinner at the Gully Cafe on Sunday. Brian also was the birthday cake winner at Fosston.

Soffie treated cake to relatives and friends.

Tuesday, Doris Wares daughter, Donna Rao, visited Irene Carlson with Doris son, Dicks children - Venessa, age 10 and Harley Richard 9 years from Can Cun, ME.

Carol Larson is the daughter of Howard and Tillie Larson, former folk of this area. Henrietta Knutson took them sight-seeing and Carol was busy taking pictures of many places including the old grocery store down town which she remembers as the Roalend store, and the Mall now, which then, was the school she went to as a child. Her folks lived just north of town, the place that Jeff Wagners live now. Henrietta said it was a wonderful and a memorable day for all of them. The Larson family moved to Gonvick and lived where Gilmen Dahls live now and Carol continued her education there.

Leslie Emerson and daughter, Callie Nelson from Vancouver, WA were Friday visitors at Effie Handy's.

Lyn Turenna came on Sunday and stayed overnight with her mom, Effie.

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Back To School
Students and parents are beginning to prepare for school. Back To School, a special supplement to The Times, appears in the Second Section of this edition.

MPCA samples wells Page 2
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency is conducting a sampling program of well water in northern Minnesota.

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• Fall Sports Seasons are under way
• Jennifer Olin collects diving medals

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TRF man pleads guilty to vehicular homicide charge

Randy Wayne Swenson, 35, Thief River Falls, pled guilty Monday to criminal vehicular homicide without reaching any plea agreement with the prosecutor. Judge James R. Wilson accepted the plea and ordered a pre-sentence investigation.

The charge against Swenson stems from an accident on May 3, 1994, which killed a passenger in his vehicle, Nathan Olson, and left Swenson badly injured.

According to the criminal complaint, a Minnesota State Patrol officer estimated that Swenson was driving a 1979 Chevette north on Highway 32 at speeds as high as 79 miles per hour at the time of the accident. The vehicle lost control, skidded sideways into the other driver's lane, hit a curb and entered a parking lot between the law enforcement center and American Legion where it hit a parked vehicle belonging to a police officer. Nathan Eugene Olson was found dead still wearing his seat belt in the passenger seat.

Swenson spent months recovering in a hospital. Test results, according to the criminal complaint, stated Swenson had a blood alcohol concentration of .19 at the time of the accident.

Monday morning, Swenson shuffled with great difficulty to the front of the courtroom with assistance from a companion in the audience, while Defense Attorney Donald Aandal explained that Swenson had agreed to plea guilty to the charge. Aandal said he plans to prepare a written statement asking the court to explore other alternatives to jail because of the severity of injuries and head injury to Swenson. The written statement would also include Swenson's statement and what he remembers of the accident. Under sentencing guidelines, he said, Swenson could be sentenced to 48 months in prison at Stillwater, which he said, is probably not equipped to handle someone in Swenson's condition.

Judge James R. Wilson asked Swenson some questions to which Swenson could only nod in the affirmative.

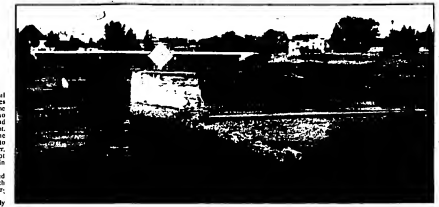
Aandal said that it was extremely difficult for Swenson to communicate, but that he could communicate with a letter board.

It was apparent in court Monday, however, that Swenson even has trouble moving his arms and hands.

If they were to go through the waiver of rights procedure, Aandal said, it could take all week. He promised the court to sit down and take a written statement from Swenson.

With a nod of his head in the affirmative, Swenson entered a plea of guilty to criminal vehicular homicide and withdrew a previous plea of not guilty. Judge Wilson accepted the plea and ordered a pre-sentence investigation. He noted the probability that there will be a request for a downward departure to the sentencing guidelines.

County Prosecutor Alan Rogalla said he plans to wait to see what is written in the pre-sentence investigation before offering any sentencing suggestions.



Thief River Falls is conducting a drawdown of the Red Lake River Reservoir. The drawdown began Monday in accordance with permits from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and Army Corps of Engineers. The drawdown will continue until October 15, but will depend upon the amount of upstream rainfall and success of the project. The purpose of the project is to attempt to consolidate river bottom sediments and control the future growth of aquatic weeds. Monday, the water level was reduced and the next step is to excavate a 30-foot wide channel in the river adjacent to the remnants of the old dam. This will allow possible reduction of upstream surface water levels to eight or nine feet below normal and three to four feet below the drawdown levels achieved in October of 1994, when an exploratory drawdown was conducted.

Nursing Home Association sues state for budget cuts

Local homes for the aging face financial difficulties from reduced reimbursement

Minnesota Association of Homes for the Aging (MAHA) on Monday brought suit in federal district court in St. Paul against the Minnesota Department of Human Services, alleging that the state violated federal law when it reduced funding to nursing homes by a cumulative $101 million over the next two years.

The cuts have major implications for three facilities in Thief River Falls serving the aging. Oakland Park Nursing Home and Northwest Medical Center, which operates a convalescent and nursing care unit, are both members of MAHA. Valley Home, which is one of 20 board and care homes in Minnesota, is not a member of the state association.

Elaine Anderson, administrator at Valley Home, said that the cuts could have a major impact on the facility she administers. Staff reductions have been made through attrition over a period of time and staffing is at a minimum, she said. The cuts made are in reimbursement for funds which have already been expended and rates charged are fixed by the legislature and can not be increased.

Sharon Hoglo, administrator of Oakland Park Nursing Home, said that members of the association were given an opportunity to vote on bringing suit against the state. More than three-fourths of the members voting favored taking the legal action. She said that Oakland Park is also faced with the necessity of finding ways to reduce costs but she declined comment on what those might be at this time.

Lack of reimbursement for funds already spent is one of the major problems, she said, since reimbursement typically is not received until 21 months later and is thus used for current operating expenses.

Dick Spyhalski, president of Northwest Medical Center, said that one of the frustrations is that decisions were made in the past on the basis of anticipated reimbursement which is now being reduced retroactively. He said Northwest Medical Center is anticipating receipt of $96,481 less than expected this year and an additional $130,064 next year.

Options are to subsidize the C&NC operation in some fashion or to reduce variable expense, which usually relates to personnel. Spyhalski said effect on all homes for the aged must be viewed as to how it will affect resident care.

Suit was brought under a section of the Medicaid law known as the Boren Amendment which requires states to pay nursing homes reimbursement rates which are "reasonable and adequate to meet the costs of efficiently and economically-operated facilities."

MAHA believes that the cuts were based overwhelmingly, if not exclusively, on the state's budgetary considerations with insufficient examination of quality of care and resident well-being—another violation of the Boren Amendment.

"We are taking this unusual step because we believe the state acted illegally and is jeopardizing the quality of life for 45,000 nursing home residents in Minnesota," stated Gayle Kvenvold, MAHA president. "This lawsuit is a wake-up call about the level of care Minnesota is willing to pay for in our nursing homes."

In total, the cuts are taking nearly $1 million a week from Minnesota's nursing homes, more than 450 of which are represented by the association. St. Lucas Care Center in Faribault is now running daily deficits, facing an operating shortfall of $300,000 this year and possible closure. A home in Albany has reduced hours in the nursing department by 13 per cent and a home in Menagha has frozen salaries for the coming year and cut staffing by 14 hours a day.

Half of Minnesota's nursing home residents are now 85 years of age or older and the majority of people (75 per cent) admitted to nursing homes are admitted from hospitals.

"The direct result of reduced reimbursement is that our staff is forced to rush residents through meal times and cannot answer resident call lights as quickly," noted Larry Schuette, administrator of Beltrami Nursing Home in Bemidji. "We are forced to reduce the one thing residents and their families tell us they value most—personal interaction."

On average, the cuts amount to a three per cent budget reduction. This is significant because most homes typically operate on an annual margin of less than one per cent, according to a recent Minnesota Legislative Auditor's report. Nearly 70 per cent of the average nursing home's budget goes for salaries and

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Workshop sessions planned for 21st fall aging conference

Many educational workshops are planned for the 21st annual Fall Conference on Aging to be held Wednesday, August 23, at the University of Minnesota in Crookston.

Registration deadline is today (Wednesday, August 16). Cost for the conference is $8 for seniors 60 years of age and older and $15 for persons under 60. Brochures on the event are available at senior centers throughout the area or by calling the Northwest Regional Development Commission's Area Agency on Aging in Warren at 745-6733 or 1-800-333-2433 (the Senior LinkAGE line).

Registration at the conference will take place from 8:15 to 9 a.m. with coffee and doughnuts served during that time in Brown Dining Room on the UMC campus.

Following the welcome and introductions, the keynote speaker will be Annabel Greseth of Dawson, speaking on "How to Retire Like a Millionaire—Without The Money." Entertainment after lunch will be presented by the group "Joyful Praise."

Titles of workshop sessions which will be presented during the day include the following:

"Antiques," "Senior Leadership and Intergenerational Programs," "Compulsive Gambling," "Homes Plus," "Medicare and Supplemental Insurance Policies," "Hearing Loss," "Volunteers and Volunteering," "Cultural Sensitivity," "Country Line Dancing," "Computers," "Is Your House in Order?—Planning Ahead," "Pets and Pet Therapy," "Vulnerable Adults" and "White House Conference on Aging Update."

A resource room with displays and information about regional services available to senior will be arranged in the Trojan Inn on the UMC campus.

The fun at Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village in Thief River Falls during Train Days Saturday and Sunday wasn't enjoyed only by local folks. Caleb Loewen, 3, and his big brother Nelson, 12, were visiting all the way from Fisher Branch, Manitoba, and stopped by the pioneer village for some family fun and a taste of history. More photos inside today's Times.

City council gives OK to manufactured home park

Thief River Falls City Council has approved a zoning amendment request that would allow for the development of a manufactured home site on Pennington Avenue across from Hickory road.

Attendance at the meeting was significantly less than at a Planning Commission hearing on the proposal the previous night. Nevertheless, many of the same arguments were reviewed.

Don Stewart, community development director, presented the council with a memo summarizing discussion from the previous night. He noted that several letters were received into the record including a letter from the city forester who indicated he was working with the developers to design a tree planting plan; a letter from Michael A. Phillips, adjacent property owner, expressing a number of concerns; and letters from Chris Twomey, chief executive officer of Arctco, which mentions the company's employment expansion and the need for additional adequate housing and his support for the project or any project that helps to expand the inventory of housing options; a letter from Mark A. Larson, president of Digi-Key Corporation, which made similar comments to Twomey's letter, and cites adequate housing as a key growth issue for the company and Thief River Falls.

The review also included a letter from Robert D. Flynn, Flynn Realty, Inc., indicating, with qualifications, that he would see minimal effect if any, on the market values of existing housing in the area if the development proceeded.

Suzanne M. Peterson, who was also in attendance at the city council meeting Tuesday, had expressed her opposition to the proposal. Monday night, she read a written statement, copies of which were distributed to the Planning Commission, citing the criteria for granting zoning amendments and the comprehensive plan in opposition to the project. Peterson also delivered a petition in opposition to the proposed rezoning signed by 46 residents of the area.

Stewart explained that a number of other persons spoke in opposition to the request and only one other person spoke in favor.

The planning commission recommendation presented to the council Tuesday night was that the request met criterias one through five, and seven and eight for granting amendments. In addition, the area to the north is of mixed housing and industrial and this will provide a transition to less dense residential, that there is a major road (Pennington Avenue) connecting the area, and that the future proposed bridge on Greenwood Street will benefit the area and the proposed development. "Further, that to deny the request by the property owner would, in effect, be a taking of the property owner's right to use and develop property he has owned for over 20 years."

It was further recommended that the council stipulate that the site plan be amended to temporarily provide a recreation area with equipment for the use of younger persons residing in the manufactured home park until such time as a neighborhood or regional park is developed in the area by the city.

Other issues were also discussed Tuesday night. Councilman Dale Wennberg suggested formation of a committee to iron out some of the concerns. The committee should consist of the developers and adjacent property owners.

City Attorney Paul Ihle and Don Stewart expressed their concern that the city has a planning commission which has been directed to handle such issues. Stewart said he was uncomfortable with the suggestion.

Regan Rohl, a project developer,

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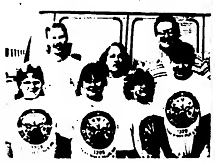

Four girls from the Thief River Falls community left Friday morning to attend the Elks youth camp. Left to right are Vicki Christianson, Amber Naadeau, Miranda Rominski and Amanda Naadeau. In the back row are Allen Morkrid, Elks Lodge 1308 youth camp chairman; Arlene Erickson, president of the Women of the Elks; and Dan Bylander, exalted ruler of Lodge 1308. The Woman of the Elks provided the campers with T-shirts and spending money for their camp experience.

A special plaque naming the dining room of the local Elks lodge in honor of Irv Wilson will be hung in the dining room of Lodge 1308 in Thief River Falls. Exalted Ruler Dan Bylander shows the plaque. Wilson, who died as the result of injuries sustained when the car he was driving was struck from the rear while stopped at a traffic light, was a past Exalted Ruler of Lodge 1308 and a past state president of the organization.

MPCA to sample wells in NW area

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) is conducting sampling of well water in northern Minnesota through its Ground Water Monitoring and Assessment Program (GWMAP). Marshall and Beltrami counties were both scheduled for sampling the second week in August.

MPCA staff collects and analyzes water samples from wells in the program about every five years. The success of the GWMAP program relies on private citizens who volunteer to have their wells sampled and analyzed. After the samples are analyzed, all participants receive a letter giving them the results of the water analysis.

More than two-thirds of all Minnesotans depend on ground water for their drinking water. Almost all of this water is pulled from 14 principal aquifers which lie from tens to hundreds of feet underground. Although far underground, these resources are vulnerable to pollution from activity on the surface such as urban development, agriculture and industry.

The first step in protecting ground water resources is to gauge their quality. That is the purpose of the GWMAP—to discover the basic quality of the ground water in the state's principal aquifers.

In developing an approach to randomly analyze the water in these aquifers, the MPCA created a grid map of the state which can be overlaid with geologic and public land survey maps. In this arrangement, the state is divided into more than 700 survey maps, each representing 121 square miles and each with nine-square-mile sampling regions.

Within these sampling areas, the MPCA looks for cased and grouted wells that have been drilled in aquifers of concern. As a tool in selecting wells, MPCA staff examine logs compiled by well drillers which give information about how a well is constructed and what aquifer it taps.

For more information on the GWMAP, its ground water quality data or to participate in the program, contact the MPCA's ground water unit toll-free at 1-800-657-3864.

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Expect fund cut in energy assistance

Loss of a third of federal funding in the new energy assistance program is being anticipated by Phil Wold, director of energy programs for Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Inc. Tri-Valley administers heating and weatherization assistance for families in Norman, West Polk and western Marshall counties.

Assistance is based on a sliding income scale and paid directly to vendors to assure heat in hundreds of low and fixed income homes throughout the three-county area. Assistance is also based on heating costs from the previous year.

Wold said he is concerned about the elderly, children in AFDC households and the handicapped.

He also said an important safety net will be lost with changes in the crisis program, which applies to households facing cut-off by a vendor or utility company because of non-payment. The program, which had allowed a maximum of $250 per family in emergency funding, has been replaced by a system of non-monetary negotiation.

"We have always used mediation as part of the program," Wold said, "and companies providing heating materials are very reluctant to cut off supplies. Although we are often able to come up with alternatives, the crisis funding has been an important safety net for many families."

Wold said Tri-Valley will intervene with mediation to resolve situations where a family's energy assistance has been exhausted and the need for home heating continues.

Reductions in the heating assistance program are disappointing, Wold said, but knowing about them early may help some families better plan for heating needs and alternatives before the cold weather arrives. People who have questions about heating assistance are encouraged to call him at 218-281-5832 or 1-800-584-7020.

PACER meet at Karlstad on August 22

A free workshop about the rights of students with disabilities in regular education will be presented by PACER Center Tuesday, August 22, from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Eagles Club on North Main in Karlstad.

The workshop will focus on how Section 504 of the U.S. Rehabilitation Act affects education. Discussion will include ways in which adaptations and modifications can be provided in a regular education classroom, as well as 504 plans and procedures that protect students and parents.

Parent Advocacy Coalition for Educational Rights (PACER) is a statewide, nonprofit training, information and advocacy center for children and young adults with disabilities and their families.

For more information, call PACER at 612-827-2966 or toll-free at 1-800-537-2237.

Celebration of Praise concert at Fosston church

Dave and Barb Anderson, Cary Dietsche and Gary Lohmeyer will lead a Celebration of Praise concert at Hope Lutheran church in Fosston on Monday, August 21, at 7:30 p.m.

The presentation uses an original script with a touch of drama and new arrangements of contemporary Christian music as well as hymns. According to Rev. Paul Magelssen, pastor of the church, a free will offering will be received.

The Andersons and Dietsche were among seven people rescued after their plane crashed into the Bering Sea in August of 1993 as they were returning from a ministry mission in the Russian Far East. For more information about the concert, contact the church at 218-435-6765.

104th Infantry Timberwolves plan reunion

Fifty-year reunion of the National Timberwolf Association, an organization of World War II veterans of the 104th Infantry Division, has been scheduled for August 29 through September 4 at the Radisson Hotel in Minneapolis.

Local men known to have been members of the 104th include Harlan Huseth and David Kringsberg of Thief River Falls. Huseth, who has attended eight of the 49 previous annual reunions, also plans attendance at the 50th.

Other men from this area who were members of the division and are interested in the association or the reunion may contact Huseth or association president Robert B. Waldoch, 10406 Harriet Ave. So., Bloomington, MN 55420, phone 612-881-8137.

The 104th was activated Sept. 15, 1942 at Camp Adair, OR. Strength on Dec. 15, 1942 was 840 officers and 15,112 enlisted men. The division left Camp Kilmer, NJ, to board ship August 25 and 26, 1944, and arrived in Normandy September 6.

The Timberwolves spend 195 consecutive days in combat in Europe with 1,447 killed, 4,776 wounded and 76 missing in action. Effect on the enemy was 51,724 prisoners taken and 18,000 casualties inflicted. Major campaigns were in Holland and Belgium, Siegfried Line from Aachen to the Roer River, defense of the Roer River area during the Battle of the Bulge, drive to Cologne, drive to Paderborn and encirclement of Ruhr Valley and the final drive to the Mulde and Elbe Rivers.

Returned to the United States in June of 1945, the division began re-equipping for shipment to the Pacific for the war with Japan. Dropping of two atomic bombs resulted in the surrender of Japan and made the planned invasion unnecessary. The division was deactivated on Dec. 20, 1945.

The National Timberwolf Association was formed in 1945 and has held a reunion every year. Some 4,200 veterans of the 104th are now paid members of the association.

Golf benefit at Erskine for Jan Stuhaug

Friends of Jon Stuhaug, who served as city clerk at Erskine for 14 years and was diagnosed with lung cancer in 1994, have organized a Friendship Golf Benefit for Sunday, September 10, at the Win-E-Mac golf course at the intersection of highways 2 and 59.

The shotgun scramble will begin at 10 a.m. and the fee for the day includes 18 holes of golf, morning coffee and rolls and noon lunch served at the club and an awards dinner at the Erskine community center. Advance registration deadline is August 28 and registration will begin at the club at 9 a.m. on September 10.

Stuhaug, who lives with her husband Keith on Union Lake, is now seeking help for her disease at the Bruzinski Clinic in Houston, TX, and reportedly is responding well to the new treatment. Many of these treatments are not covered by insurance.

Businesses, corporate farms and individuals are invited to participate as sponsors in the benefit and may golf themselves or designate a golfer in the company's name. Those who are not interested in participating but would like to contribute may send donations to Jan Stuhaug Golf Benefit, c/o Joe Sandberg, Box 280, Erskine, MN 56535.

Producers of canola vote on check-off

About 400 producers of canola in Minnesota were mailed ballots to be returned by August 21 regarding establishment of a non-refundable check-off program for their product. Funds from the one per cent of market value check-off would be used for research and promotion of canola and canola products.

Results of the election will be announced August 25. Producers who have not received a ballot and wish to vote may call Kathy Hochreiter of the Minnesota Department of Agriculture at 612-296-6883. Collect calls will be accepted.

David Severson of Wannaska chairs the Minnesota Canola Research and Promotion Council. Other members are Leo Orpen, Middle River, vice chairman; Emil Olson, Roosevelt; Glen Nelson, Clearbrook; Donny Howell, Lodge; Randy McMillin, Gryglar and Jim Rinde, Roseau.

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City council approves manufactured home park

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said that it has been presumed that the developers are going to do something shoddy. He said they were not obligated to do certain things, but they are investing hundreds of thousands of dollars to do it right.

Wennberg said he was only talking about communication. The neighbors and developers need to iron out some issues.

The council eventually approved the recommendation and preliminary plat from the planning commission. Also, the council went on record of supporting the formation of a committee consisting of the adjacent land owners and developers, hopefully to iron out some of the obstacles and misunderstandings.

■ The city council has approved action to remove two of the four stop signs on Edgewood Drive.

Don Barron announced that traffic counts were higher after the signs were put up. The traffic count was 1102 before the signs were put up, and is now 1240. He said he would not be unhappy if the issue were referred to the Pennington County Safety Council.

Police Chief Froschheiser, a member of the committee, said it probably wouldn't even be put on the committee's agenda.

Barron said they put the signs there in an effort to discourage traffic, but that didn't happen.

Chief Froschheiser explained that there could be a number of variables at work. He explained that there have been a number of rummage sales and auctions in the area.

When asked what should be done now, he said that after listening to many people, there would be more acceptance of two instead of four. He reminded the council that the original recommendation was for two stop signs.

The council approved the recommendation.

The council approved a variance request by Gerald and Wanda Schuster, 1232 Edgewood Drive, for the construction of a garage.

The council approved a Board of zoning appeals and planning commission recommendation to permit a variance request from Dennis and Naomi Raymond, 130 Eastwood Drive, for a 12-foot variance to the 25-foot front yard setback.

The council approved a rezoning request from David J. Colby, for property located at lots 7 and 8, block six, of Meehan's addition.

The council approved a recommendation to have Yeater and Associates prepare an expanded study on the city auditorium in connection with ADA and building code compliance.

The council approved a 15 year triple net lease with the Thief River Falls Golf Club that provides for an assessment of $40,000 for roadway and parking lot improvements payable over 10 years with no interest.

The council approved allocation of Christmas Eve Dinner excess funds to the Area Food Shelf, and Little Brother/Little Sister program. The city has acted as fiscal agent for the project, but this step takes it out of the Christmas dinner business.

Seventh Day Adventist school has been designated as the new Fourth Ward Polling place. It replaces Knox elementary school as the polling place. Notices will be sent to fourth ward residents.

In other business, the council: accepted plans and specifications for street and utility improvements to the Les Snetting manufactured home park and called for bids; approved an architectural agreement with Michael J. Burns covering the Depot renovation project; approved specific policies required for the downtown rental rehabilitation project, approved a change order for sandblasting at the east water tower, approved a change order for floor renovation at the arena, and approved an application for beer in Oakland Park for the Elks annual family picnic on August 13.

The council approved several items by approving a consent agenda. Items on the consent agenda included: an in kind contribution to the H-MURL grant for Housing rehab (estimated at $450) and letter of support for the grant application to rehabilitate five houses within the city, approved the auditorium master plan study by Yeater and Associates and approved a final payment, approved a temporary liquor license for the Ducks Unlimited banquet on August 21, approved a dance license for Jordan Lindquist on August 25 at the Armory, approved beer in the park permits for Arctco at Oakland Park on August 19, Dale Narlock at Oakland park on August 10, and Mandy Jacobson at Oakland park on August 17.

Nursing home association sues the state

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benefits.

Kvenvold said the cut over the biennium includes $31.5 million in direct state aid and a resulting reduction in federal matching funds and private pay revenues.

"These are retroactive cuts in reimbursement payments for the last two years," she said. "It's one thing to be asked to tighten your belt going forward into the future. It is quite another to be penalized for decisions already made in good faith.

"The irony is that on July 1 massive new federal regulations went into effect that focus on the quality of life (of residents), at the same time the state budget cuts affecting quality of life went into effect. If nursing homes are to receive less funding, it must go hand-in-hand with regulatory relief. It can't be both ways."

Voyageurs Park hearing set in International Falls

To consider access and management issues in Voyageurs National Park and the Boundary Waters Canoe Area, the U.S. Senate Subcommittee on Parks, Historic Preservation and Recreation and the House Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Lands will hold a joint oversight hearing Friday, August 18, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the gymnasium of International Falls high school.

The subcommittees have invited witnesses representing a cross-section of views and organizations to testify before the panel. Others wishing to make their views known to the panel should submit two copies of their written testimony to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Lands, House Committee on Resources, 812 Tip O'Neill House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515. Testimony mailed to that address and received up to two weeks after the hearing date will become part of the permanent record.

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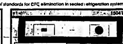
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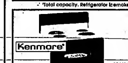
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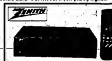
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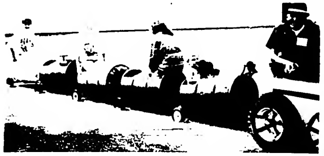
Local students receive scholarships to the College of St. Benedict

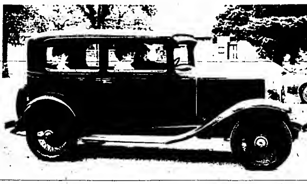
Community Focus

New program p. 7
A new program at Lincoln High, School will help students develop skills.

Many enjoyed Train Days at Pioneer Village



What could be better then a train ride? A train ride with a favorita teddy bear. Three-year-old Taylor Olson, of Thief River Falls, was lucky anough to have both on Sunday at Trains Days at Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village. The older riders ara Rachel Olson, Daniella Davis and Grady Griffin, all of Thief River Falls.



Danny Johnson gave rides in his brother Robert's 1931 Model A Chevy. It is one of the cars that was raffled off at the 1931 Pennington County Fair. In the front seat with Danny is Ethel Wiseth of Goodridge. Sha remembers her first date was in a car just like this onn. Seated in the back is Helen Chervestad of Oklee.

Train Days At Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village last Saturday and Saaday was a success. It evea drew attention from a regional television station.

Several hundred people came to learn about life in Thief River Falls at the turn of the century and the role that trains played in the western expansion of the United States. Some probably came just to visit with friends and neighbors.

In front of the Engelstad building, Warren Jadeke from Warren parked his bas which houses his model train sets. It is quite a collection of miniture trains, tractors, animals, people, fair rides...you name it! Warren says his display covers 100 years of history, from the oxcarts to the space shuttle. The backdrop for the set up depicts different eras of history. It was painted by Ethel Wiseth of Goodridge.

Jadeke has an eye for details. He even made tiny bridals out of string for a set of miniture horses. The ski lift on the mountain moves and the waterfall has real water. The windmill pump for the horse trough "pumps" real water too. The bus also includes a display of various old railroad spikes and a display of common model railroad scales. Most of Jadekes are HO, a size commonly made by Tyco and other model train manufacturers.

Jadeke also gave train rides to youngsters on a kid-size train. He hopes his trains help kids become interested in the importance of trains throughout history.

Visitors to the village got a chance to "See the U.S.A. in a Chevrolette." Danny Johnson gave rides arnund the park in a 1931 Model A Chevy. Costumed guides were stationed in the General Store, the school house and other places throughout the village. In the Engelstad Building, people visited with one another as they listened to the Cathy Erickson Band play old-time music. Some even got up and danced.

Many costumed volunteers helped make the day complete. Paul Halvorson showed people how to use a telegraph and Morse Code. Other volunteers were Ward Votavata, the fiddler, Mrs. and Mrs. Rolland Sande, In the General Store, Diane Marshall, at the school house, Bill Bee, Floyd Hesse, Dorothy and Kermit Hanson and Jim Dallager.

Visitors from all over seemed to be having a great time and hopefully gained a better understanding of the importance of trains.

Many danced to familiar waltzes on Sunday at Pedar Engalstad Pioneer Villaga.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening froro 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Support Group for the mentally ill and their families at 7 p.m. at Bethany Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls.
Northland Retired Educators meeting at the Best Western in Room A.
Sons of Norway meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Eagles.

Thursday

Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

Saturday

1986 Class Reunion meeting at 1 p.m. at the Evergreen Eating Emporium.

Sunday

Country Music Jam at the Heritage Center from 1 to 4 p.m.
Family Night at Silverton Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Heritage Center Meal will be a roast beef dinner at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Thief River Falls Quilter's Guild will meet at 7 p.m. at Northland Technical College room 114.

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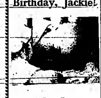

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Knutson and Bossman united in marriage on July 29th

Kristin (Lysne) Knutson and Christofer Bossman were united in marriage on July 29 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Warren.

Parents of the couple are Sherman and Dianna Lysne of Thief River Falls and William and Yvonne Bossman of Warren.

The Bossmans took a wedding trip to Fargo, ND. They are now back home in Warren. The bride is employed at Arctco in Thief River Falls, and the groom is employed at Evergreen Implement in Warren.

Country music jam at the Heritage Center

On Sunday, August 20, there will be a country music jam at the Heritage Center from 1 to 4 p.m. Coffee and cookies will be served. Any one interested in playing or listening is welcome. Prizes will be given

Dave and Bonnie Upham have new baby girl

Dave and Bonnie Upham of East Grand Forks are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Paige Emma, born August 9 at United Hospital in Grand Forks. She weighed 7 lbs. 7 oz. She is welcomed home by her big brother Jacob.

Grandparents are Harvey and Rose Delage and Stanley and Janice Upham of Thief River Falls.

25th anniversary reception for Mr. & Mrs. Gary Clow

There will be a 25th wedding anniversary reception for Gary and Peggy Clow on August 26 at 6:30 p.m. in the basement of the Eagles Club. All friends and family are invited to attend. No invitations are being sent.

Class of 1986 reunion meeting on August 19

The Class of 1986 reunion meeting will be held Saturday, August 19 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium at 1 p.m. Bring address books.

For more information, contact Nicki at 701-746-8672 or Stacy at 681-4549.

Heritage Center serving evening meal on Monday

The senior meal at the Heritage Center on Monday, August 21 will be a roast beef dinner at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Quilters guild to meet August 22

The Thief River Falls Quilter's Guild will meet on Tuesday, August 22 at 7 p.m. at the Northwest Technical College Room 114. All members and guests are welcome.

Senior citizen dance at Heritage Center Thursday

There will be a senior citizen dance at the Heritage Center on Thursday, August 17 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by the Happy Norwegians. All seniors are welcome.

Sons of Norway to meet Aug. 16

The Sons of Norway Lodge 70 will meet Wednesday, August 16 at 7:30 p.m. at the Eagles Club. They will celebrate 100 years of Sons of Norway. It is guest night, so members are encouraged to bring a friend. They are also encouraged to bring Norwegian articles for display. The potluck lunch is $5, and there will be door prizes.

CROSSROADS to present stress workshop

CROSSROADS Displaced Homemaker Program will present a workshop called "Dealing With Stress." Materials presented are designed to help better manage the stress in life.

The workshop will be at the Crossroads office, 403 N. LaBree Ave., Thief River Falls on Wednesday, August 23 from 2 to 4 p.m.

Enrollment is free to state eligible displace homemakers. Others may attend for a minimal fee. Child care and/or transportation funds may be provided for eligible participants. Call 681-8158 or 1-800-450-8158 for more information. Pre-registration is required as enrollment for sessions are limited. Everyone welcome.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Handprint Wrapping Paper

Handprint wrapping paper can be used to wrap a gift to give to a special friend or relative. You will need:

large pieces of white paper or newsprint,
scissors and
nontoxic tempera paint.

Spread a large sheet of white paper out on a table. Have your children take turns dipping their hands into tempera paint in a variety of colors and making handprints on the paper. When all the prints are dry, have the child wrap the present. If you are using a white box for the present, the children may put the prints on the outside of the box..

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need rice, rubbing alcohol and food coloring.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

McBratney, Sam. Guess How Much I Love You. Endearing watercolors capture a deep and tender bond between Little Nutbrown Hare and Big Nutbrown Hare with a love that stretches right up to the moon!

Hooper, Patricia. How the Sky's Housekeeper Wore Her Scarves. Each day the sky's housekeeper wears a different colored scarf as she performs her daily tasks. A delightful surprise is in store when the sky becomes dull and dusty and demands a polishing like never before.

VIDEO VARIETY

Families Are Special. Through games and songs, the children, along with Barney, Baby Bop and BJ, explore family values and the specialness of each individual.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

What About Spanking?

Parents use many definitions to describe what they think a spanking actually is. According to the Minnesota Committee for the Prevention of Child Abuse, it doesn't really matter how we define or describe a spanking. Research shows that by any definition, most parents have used spankings to try to control their children's behavior. Research also shows that spanking, by any definition, has serious detrimental effects on a child, effects that may not be evident until adulthood. A list of these effects includes:

- Spanking teaches children the moral correctness of hitting. It tells them that hitting is what you do when you are angry and how you solve problems.
- Spanking teaches children that those who love you are those who hit you.
- Spanking does not teach children self-control; rather, it teaches them not to get caught.
- Adults spanked as children show an increased tendency toward alcoholism, depression and thoughts of suicide.
- Spanking erodes the trust bond between parent and child.
- When spanking is used to control behavior, physical and verbal child abuse is more likely to occur.
- Contrary to conventional opinion, spanking is no more effective at controlling behavior than non-physical disciplinary measures and its effectiveness ebbs with repeated usage.

(Next week's topic is "What To Do Instead of Spanking.")

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk to children about what you expect of them. Young children do not know what is right or wrong unless we tell them.

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Open house for Virgil & Therese Radniecki

There will be an open house celebration in honr of Virgil and Therese Radniecki's 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, August 19 at 5 p.m. at the Oklee Community Hall. A dance will follow from 7 to 11 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Nelsons have a new baby boy

Brady Phillip was born to Brad and Darcy Nelsan of Lakeville, formerly of St. Hilaire. Brady was born August 6 weighing 9 lbs. 3 oz. He has two brothers, Tim, 11, and Travis, 6. His grandparents are Bob and Phyllis Miller of St. Hilaire and Orville and Doris Nelson of Thief River Falls. Great-grandmother is Evelyn Nelson of Thief River Falls.

Quin County board cancels meeting

The Quin county board and advisary committee will not meet in August.

50th wedding anniversary for Frederic & Delores Berberich

There will be a 50th anniversary open house honoring Frederic and Delores Berberich on Saturday, September 2. Mass starts at 4 p.m. at St. Francis Church, Oklee. A reception, hosted by the children and their sposes, will follow at the Oklee Community Hall. The couple requests no gifts please.

U.S. Railroad Board representative will be at the public library Aug. 17

A representative of the U. S. Railroad Retirement Board will be at the Thief River Falls Library, 101 East First Street, at 11 a.m. on Thursday, August 17.

The U.S. Railroad Retirement Board is a federal agency which administers the Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts. For information on railroad retirement, survivor, Medicare, unemployment or sickness benefits or to file an application for retirement, survivor, or Medicare benefits, contact the Railroad Retirement Board at 657 Second Avenue North, Room 343, P.O. Box 383, Fargo, ND 58107 or call (701) 239-5117.

Persons with appointments will be assisted first; persons without appointments will be assisted as time permits. Persons writing should be sure to include their name, address, social security number of the railroad employee, and the phone number where they can be contacted.

Bemidji State University schedules ITV teaching class in Thief River Falls

Center for extended learning at Bemidji State University has scheduled one course in Thief River Falls as part of its schedule in 13 northern Minnesota cities.

The course in Thief River Falls is entitled Teaching with Interactive Television (ITV) and is a three-credit course offered Mondays, beginning September 4, from 6 to 9 p.m. in the ITV room at Northland Community and Technical College. Instructor will be Leo Morgan.

For more information, contact the Center for Extended Learning, Bemidji State University, 1500 Birchmont Drive NE, Bemidji, MN 56601-2699 or call 218-755-2068.

Bridal shower for Danielle Roering

A bridal shower for Danielle Roering, bride-to-be of Wayne Garthus of Holt, will be held August 26 at 7 p.m. in the Holt Hall. All friends and relatives invited.

Baby shower for Elizabeth Kezar

A baby shower for Elizabeth Ann Kezar, daughter of Mary and Todd, will be held on August 20 at 2 p.m. at the Nazareth Lutheran Church in Holt. All friends and family are invited.

Lincoln grads to enroll at Concordia

Jana Johnson and Dan Bjerknes, 1995 graduates of Lincoln high school, have announced their decision to enroll at Concordia College in Moorhead.

Jana, the daughter of Curtis and Marlene Johnson, was active in the student senate, band, basketball, volleyball and softball and operated the video camera for football games at Lincoln.

Dan, the son of Ron and Pat Bjerknes, participated in basketball, cross country, track, Knowledge Bowl, band, student senate, Target and Project-4-Teens, was a class officer and member of the National Honor Society.

MEA members from area join in State Fair

Wally and Edith Etter of Thief River Falls and Scott and Ann Alger of Warroad will be among same 130 educators from throughout the state staffing the Minnesota Education Association booth in the education building at the Minnesota State Fair starting August 24.

MEA has teamed up with a Twin Cities architectural firm which designs school buildings to offer young fairgoers an opportunity to test their art skills on computer and create a colorful button. About 350,000 people are expected to visit the booth during the 12-day fair.

NW Private Industry Council plans meeting

Northwest Private Industry Council's board of director's meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 15; at 6:30 p.m. at the Job Service office in Thief River Falls. This meeting is open to the public.

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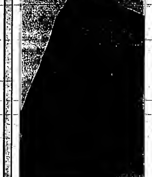

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Disrud to wed Carlson at Hope Lutheran Church in Fosston

Tracy Disrud and Travis Carlson, along with their parents, Tim Disrud and Dianne Disrud of Fosston and Glen and Crystal Bergerson of Gully, announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Tracy is a 1992 graduate of Fosston high School and is currently employed at Chalson, Marben and Jorgenson, P. A. in Thief River Falls. Travis is a 1989 graduate of Gonvick High School and is employed at Bridgeman Land O' Lakes in Thief River Falls.

A September 23 wedding is planned at Hope Lutheran Church in Fosston. All friends and relatives are welcome to attend.

Students receive scholarships to attend the College of St. Benedict

Jolene Gonsorowski, Jennifer Paggen, Gayle Rhineberger, and Theresa Giauque all of Thief River Falls have been named recipients of scholarships at the College of Saint Benedict in St. Joseph.

Gonsorowski, daughter of Conrad and Betty Gonsorowski of Thief River Falls has been named recipient of a President's Scholarship and an Alliss Scholarship. The President's scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship. She received a $1,000 award which is based on students' high school academic records, extra-curricular involvement and leadership skills. The Alliss Scholarship is part of a charitable trust funded under the wills of Charles and Ellora Alliss. Jolene received a scholarship in the amount of $1,500. She is a senior art major at the College of Saint Benedict.

Jennifer Paggen, daughter of Al and Sharon Paggen of Thief River Falls, has been awarded a Dean's Scholarship in the amount of $2,500. The Dean's Scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship. It is based on high school academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and leadership skills. Paggen is a junior accounting major at the College of Saint Benedict.

Gayle Rhineberger, daughter of Karen Rhineberger of Thief River Falls, and Stephen Rhineberger of Thief River Falls, is a recipient of a President's Scholarship. The President's Scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship, which is based on students' high school academic records, extracurricular involvement and leadership skills. She received a $1,000 award. Rhineberger will be a senior sociology major at the College of Saint Benedict.

Theresa Giauque, daughter of Robert and Myrna Giauque, is a recipient of a President's Scholarship in the amount of $4,500. The President's Scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship. Giauque will be a first-year international relations major at the College of Saint Benedict.

Family night at Silverton church

Family night will be held at the Silverton Lutheran Church (four miles east on Highway 1 and one mile north) on August 20 at 7:30 p.m. The Newfolden Area Gospel String Band will present the program. Lunch will be served.

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ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

To Be A Child Again

I know why people have children.

It's not because parents relish watching a baby mature into an adult. It's not because the adults know they'll experience a love for their child that's difficult to duplicate.

People have children so they can do all the things kids get to do as part of growing up. It's an excuse for parents to be a child again.

I love to watch parades, but I'd feel silly parking my lawn chair on the curb all by myself. Having a child on my lap lets me wave at the mayor and the most recent festival princess without feeling self-conscious. I usually don't scramble for the candy, but I'll beg for a piece from my son.

People have children so they have someone to attend the circus with. You almost do need a child by your side to be admitted to the circus. When I'm accompanied by my son, I don't feel conspicuous gorging myself on cotton candy, popcorn, peanuts and sno cones. It's a part of being at the circus with a pre-schooler.

I'm also thankful I have a child when the annual county fair arrives. Hand-in-hand with my son, it's easy to stroll the fairgrounds looking at those attractions that appealed to me when I was a kid.

It's especially important to have a child with when you want to pet the animals in the fair's petting zoo. All those animals and babies are so cute and soft to touch. If I didn't have my son beside me, I'd have to disguise myself as a zoo keeper or a reporter (they can go almost anywhere unchallenged) in order to get away with petting the animals.

But my all-time favorite part of the fair is playing the skee ball game, where you roll the ball up a ramp and try to sink it in a hole for points. If I give my son a quarter, I can play too. That way, it looks like I'm just playing because he wants to. Maybe we'd win a small stuffed animal.

Having kids gives adults a valid reason to visit an amusement park. We all know kids love the rides; the adults just chaperone.

If the parents are lucky, their kids will be too short for some of the rides and the parent will have to accompany them. Recently, at the Mall of America, I got to ride the kids' roller coaster, the train and the merry-go-round.

But if mom and dad have paid admission, they might as well get their money's worth and ride the roller coaster and a few of the other attractions.

Spending a day at an amusement park gives adults another reason to pig out on food: ice cream, mini donuts, hamburgers, hot dogs, cheese curds, popcorn and pretzels.

Another time I appreciate having a child is when it's hot outside and I feel like going to a swimming pool. Bringing a child gives me an excuse to cool off in the water and splash around, just like when I was a kid. We can serve pretend tea parties under the water and just have fun.

People might think it a little strange if I was splashing and laughing and playing in the pool if my son wasn't there.

It's kind of the same idea with running through the sprinkler in the back yard. It looks fun and refreshing, but a parent runs through it only as a favor to the child.

When you think about it, there are many activities that parents might not choose if children weren't around, like, swinging, winter sledding, water slides, carving pumpkins, riding go-carts, and playing miniature golf.

And, how else could a husband justify Saturday golf games, Friday night football games and Sunday fishing trips? It's all for the child. To be well-rounded, little Joey and little Jane need to be exposed to many of life's experiences. Who better to do this than mom and dad?

I know why people have children. It's fun.

Ira Johnson

Ira Johnson is cited for achievement

Marine Corporal Ira Johnson has been awarded the Navy Achievement Medal by the Secretary of the Navy for "professional achievement and superior performance of his duties" as fiscal and temporary additional duty clerk in Marine Air Control Group 28, 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, U.S. Marine Corps Forces, Atlantic from March 30, 1993 through June 30, 1995.

The citation states that Corporal Johnson "consistently demonstrated an exceptional degree of professional competence. His initiative, versatility and meticulous attention to detail led to the expeditious preparation of over 2,000 temporary additional duty orders valued at over $750,000.

"As a result of his close scrutiny and daily management of fiscal and temporary additional duty accounts, he was instrumental in the group receiving a ranking of excellent on the first fiscal inspection conducted by 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing Comptroller.

"His enthusiasm combined with his organizational skills provided Group 28 with a top notch fiscal clerk quite capable of working independently and producing quality results. His determination and selfless devotion to duty throughout reflected great credit upon himself and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the Marine Corps and the United States Naval Service."

Strandquist . . . .

This week in Northwest Minnesota we began the last half of summer 1995 and I imagine the north half of the whole earth did the same. We haven't done yet what we had planned to do this spring to say nothing about what we had thought we would be able to accomplish by this summer.

Trail . . . .

Sunday evening, Adelina Provost of Okloa and Rose Aaknas were brief callers on Wayne and Kathy Bakka of Gonvick.

Adelina Provost of Okloa, Lillian Tanam, Al and Vi Radniecki, Halge Lambart and Mrs. Larson all of Okloa attended the AAL meeting at V.F.W. Hall in Trail on Sunday. Mt. Olive Ladies Guild served the dinner.

Kathy Bakka of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes made a business trip to Bagley on Tuesday.

Schmidt and Brekke to marry at August 25th ceremony

Joyce Schmidt and Scott Brekke announce their engagement.

Joyce is a graduate of Hankinson, ND high school and is employed by two district representatives of Lutheran Brotherhood as an administrative assistant. She is the daughter of Myron and Louise Schmidt of Hankinson, ND.

Scott is a graduate of Warren high school and and graduate of UND. He is a second grade teacher, head boys' basketball coach and assistant football coach for the Thief River Falls school district. He is the son of Dennis and Louise Brekke of Warren.

An August 25 wedding is planned at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls.

Jim Blix, left, and Rick Hicks, right, represented the Chamber of Commerce as they welcomed Steven Olson to the Thief River Falls business community. Olson is a Certified Public Accountant and a native of Thief River Falls. He opened his office in the chamber building last winter.

Thief River Falls Golden K Kiwanis Club recently made a contribution of $150 to the MCRH Foundation in Grand Forks, ND, as part of the club's financial pledge to the Rehab 1, 2, 3 pediatric playground project. Pictured (left to right) are Nancy Nupdel, Lieutenant Governor for Division 12 of the Minnesota-Dakotas Kiwanis District; Ed Sisler, local club president; Quentin Jones, local club treasurer; and Marc Olson, executive director of the MCRH Foundation. The project represents a new approach to rehabilitation by interjecting play into the therapy process. One of only three in the United States, the project is scheduled for completion in September. The 11 Kiwanis clubs in the division have pledged $10,000 to the project.

John Brahosky's son deployed on carrier near Iraq

Navy Petty Officer 1st Class David J. Marshall, son of John L. Brahosky of Thief River Falls, is currently halfway through a six-month deployment with Strike Fighter Squadron 94 aboard the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln, which has included duty near Iraq in the Persian Gulf.

On the voyage to the Western Pacific, Indian Ocean and Persian Gulf and visits to Hong Kong, Singapore and the United Arab Emirates he has traveled nearly 28,000 miles in the first three months.

Marshall's squadron is part of a seven-ship battle group and flies the F/A-18c Hornet, a twin-engine supersonic strike fighter. The unit has received the Battle "E" for efficiency. Aircraft from the squadron have flown more than 800 missions over Southern Iraq, and the unit has conducted more than 3,800 aircraft launches and recoveries—half of them at night.

Marshall is a 1975 graduate of Greensburg-Salem senior high school of Greensburg, PA and joined the navy in June of 1975.

Newfolden

Floyd and Adelina Nelson came and took Clara Hanson to Thief River Falls and enjoyed dinner at the Best Western on Sunday.

Jane Schaumborg and Matt came and spent the weekend at the Milton Erickson home.

Friday, Marlys Aune, Brian Aune and Samantha came up to make funeral arrangements for Art Nelson, he was a cousin of Marlys they were house-guests of Arnold Larsons.

SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

. . . The Good Old Days

Remembering the good old days is fun, but extremely time consuming. In trying to find something interesting for this week's column, I decided to check out some of the 1947 Times issues. However, time passed and I suddenly realized I had spent the entire evening reading old newspapers without doing a bit of writing and without really coming up with anything to write about.

Anyway, I jotted down a few of the more interesting things I found and thought you might enjoy reading a hodge podge of what was going on in the area nearly 50 years ago.

Remember cod liver oil? Pure Norwegian cod liver oil cost 98 cents a pint at J&B Drug. It was available plain or flavored (whatever flavor could mask that unforgettable taste, anyway?)

Vicks Vapo Rub, the "best known home remedy you can use...rub throat, chest and back with Vicks." (My mother always wrapped a wool sock around my Vicks-ed throat and rubbed my feet with it too. A hot water bottle then accompanied me to bed. Oh, how nice it was!)

Other drugs and toiletries at local drug stores included Ipana toothpaste (39 cents), Toni creme cold wave kits ($1.25) (remember the smell!), Epsom salts (5 pounds for 25 cents) (but used for what?), Carter's (little liver?) pills (125 for 57 cents), Drene shampoo (79 cents), Vitalis hair tonic (39 cents) (for that "slicked-down look, I suppose), Doan's (or were these little liver?) pills (49 cents), Kuriko ($1.35) (whatever for?), Sal Hepatica (49 cents) (for upset tummies?) and Feenamint (19 cents) (ah-ha, I know what Feenamint was!). Even though I have very little idea what most of those things were for, no doubt, I was dosed with them at one time or another.

There were so many supermarkets in town that a person could hardly count them all. The Independent, Geo. Peter and Sons, L.B. Hartz, the Red Owl, Johnson's Food Market and Oen's were all selling groceries. One could certainly pick and choose back in those days.

You could buy a two pound box of American cheese for 99 cents (and feed the family all week), a half pound can of cocoa for 15 cents, a pound of coffee for 45 cents, hamburger for 38 cents a pound, 100 pounds of flour for $5.98, and two cans of baby food for 15 cents. Turkey was 58 cents a pound (hasn't changed much) and ham, 48 cents a pound.

Clothing was a lot cheaper in 1947, with ladies' sweaters at $2, polo shirts for 69 cents, jackets for $2.75, women's dresses for $9.98 or skirts for $2.50, and men's custom tailored suits at $45. Ole's Northern Supply was selling used government supply merchandise for next to nothing, no doubt left over from the war.

A local store was fitting shoes with its fancy new X-ray shoe fitting machine.

Furniture was another cheap item. You could buy a six piece bedroom set for $89.70, a sofa bed for $57.50, a wool rug for $58.50, a solid oak dinette set for $43.50, or an entire living room suite for $144.50 at Gambles.

The Fix-It Shop at 110 North LaBree had the newest appliance of all, a "Miracle Washer" which was a combination dishwasher and clothes washer. (I don't think it quite caught on, did it? One can't help but wonder how in the world it worked though.)

Homes were plentiful and cheap. One could buy a seven room "modern" house for $5,300, or a five room (perhaps not "modern") house for $1,900. Fifty-foot lots at Maple Bay were selling for $350 (don't you wish you had bought one then?).

The Pharmacy Fountain had fresh lime or lemonade for 10 cents a glass, a fresh raspberry sundae for 20 cents, and an extra heavy malted milk for 20 cents (oh, remember those malts that came in the tall glass, along with the extra malt served in the metal container along with it?).

Guys could buy their valentines a diamond engagement ring for $40 at Wangenstein's Jewelry.

Entertainment was alive and well in 1947 TRF. The Falls Theatre had movies at 7 and 9 p.m. all week, with Saturday matinees at 2 p.m. and continuous Sunday shows all afternoon. The Avalon Theatre featured three different movies during the week, including a Norwegian film, "Tonene Fra Norden."

Bob Sjulestad and his orchestra played at a Birthday Ball on January 31, with proceeds being donated to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Radio station KTRF began broadcasting from downtown TRF on January 30.

Evidently 1946 and 1947 were boom years. It was reported in the January, 1947 Times, that marriages and births increased in 1946 and deaths decreased. One hundred fifty-eight marriage licenses were issued, 503 births were registered, and deaths decreased to 130. The Pennington County Sheriff reported 67 arrests in 1946, and reported that most of the criminals either paid fines or were shipped off elsewhere to serve some time.

Parents and children were having some of the same problems in 1947 as they are today. The Minnesota Public Health Association reported that teenagers' health was being "injured" by the increasing practice of the 'teens skipping breakfast.

A blizzard struck TRF on the Saturday before Easter in early April, 1947, blocking streets with six or more inches of wet snow that was driven by high, gale-force winds, according to the Times.

Pennington county voted against prohibition with a near record turnout. The county became "wet" with 2,784 voting to end prohibition, and 2,145 voting to keep it.

And that's the way it was in 1947. The question is, would we want to go back if we could?

Dave Belto, Northern State Bank, and Jay Forney, Lincoln high school teacher, discuss a new program at Lincoln high school that will help students work toward skills needed to become good employees, citizens and family members.

Curt Naumann, First National Bank, and Terry Solna, Lincoln high school, discuss a new program that will be offered at Lincoln high school. The program will help narrow the gap between student skills and those desired by business and community.

New program at LHS to develop student skills

A new program will be offered at Lincoln high school this fall to a select group of volunteers that will narrow the gap between student skills and those desired by business and community.

Fourteen Lincoln high school staff members have been trained to help students work toward skills needed to become good employees, citizens and family members. These skills have been identified in a comprehensive study conducted by the United States Secretary of Labor. The study found that students needed to enhance basic skills, thinking skills, personal qualities, and workplace competencies for a successful transition from school to life.

Not only will students be able to gain skills from projects which originate in the classroom, but they will also be able to focus on skills which can be developed in life experiences outside the classroom. This unique learning opportunity will enable the school to collaborate with workplace, community, and parents in assessing the performance of the student.

Alison Wolbeck publishes poetry

Alison Marie Wolbeck, Thief River Falls] has just had original poetry published in Best Poems of 1995, compiled by the National Library of Poetry. The poem is entitled Gentle Is Thy Love, and the main subject is love.

Salmon & Nelson to exchange vows in September ceremony

Audrya Salmon and Shannon Nelson announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding. Audrya is the daughter of the late Lyla Salmon of St. Hilaire and the late Ronald Salmon. Shannon is the son of Bonnie Nelson of Gatzke and the late Duane Nelson.

The bride-to-be is a 1992 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed at the ODC/HTC in Roseau. The groom-to-be is a 1991 graduate of Grygla High School and is employed at Polaris in Roseau.

The wedding is planned for September 23 at 5 p.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church in St. Hilaire. All friends and family are invited to attend.

Melissa Carlson and Robert Swenson have a new baby boy

Cody Glen Swenson was born July 31 at 8:54 p.m. at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. He weighed 6 lbs. 9 and three quarter ounces and was 19 inches long.

Parents are Melissa Carlson and Robert Swenson. Grandparents are Sally Carlson and Lloyd Glen Carlson of Middle River and Gatzke and Corrine and Eldon Swenson of Middle River.

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Tuesday, Aug. 22: Chicken, baked potato, winter mix, bread, brownies, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 23: Riblet, boiled potatoes, green bean casserole, bread, apricots, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 24: Meat loaf, Au gratin potatoes, creamed corn, bread, fruit cup, milk.

Friday, Aug. 25: Lemon pepper pollock, boiled potatoes, carrots, bread, dessert, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Aug. 21: Pork cutlet, with gravy, seasoned noodles, French style green beans, mixed fruit, pound cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 22: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, strawberry gelatin with fruit cocktail and topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 23: Swedish meatballs with gravy, steamed potatoes, peas and carrots, apple cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Aug. 24: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned spinach, vanilla ice cream, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Aug. 25: Baked fish with lemon sauce, tator tots, seasoned peas and carrots, banana cream dessert, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

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Wednesday, Aug. 23: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

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Friday, Aug. 25: Milk, apple juice, Kix, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Aug. 21: Homemade chicken noodle soup, saltines, bologna sandwiches, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 22: Hot tuna buns, hashbrown potato, lettuce salad with peas and cheese, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 23: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 24: Hamburger noodle hotdish, beans, pear halves, milk.

Friday, Aug. 25: Hot dog on a bun, potato chips, pork and beans, pickles, apple crisp, milk.

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Scott and his wife Melanie lived in Grand Forks since 1989. They have two children—four-year-old Megan and two-year-old Alec—all are excited to be in Thief River Falls. The next time you are in the store, say hello to Scott. He is looking forward to meeting you.

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Beatrice Helgeland, 68

Thief River Falls — Beatrice "Betty" Helgeland, 68, died on Wednesday, August 9 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, August 12 at Bethany Lutheran Church, rural Thief River Falls with Reverend Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music was provided by Grace Hammer, organist and soloist. Selections were "On Eagles Wings" and "In the Garden." Congregational hymns were "Beautiful Savior" and "Children of the Heavenly Father."

Casketbearers were Mike Hemmestvedt, Vern Cleven, Don Omdahl, Marvin Hutchinson, Howard Hesse, Rick Stenseth. Honorary casketbearers were all of Betty's friends and relatives. Interment was in Bethany Cemetery, Smiley township, Pennington county.

Beatrice Swanson was born on November 2, 1926 in Thief River Falls, to Knute and Anna (Paczinick) Swanson. She was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith and attended school in the area. Betty worked at the Falls and Avalon Theatres in Thief River Falls for a few years.

She was united in marriage to Erwin Helgeland on November 2, 1944 in Thief River Falls. The couple farmed and raised dairy cattle and sheep in Smiley township, Pennington county for many years.

Betty enjoyed skating and swimming in her earlier years. She also loved baking and canning. She was an active member of Bethany Lutheran Church and was an active member of the Bethany Women's group.

She is survived by her husband, Erwin of Thief River Falls; children, James of Roseau, Robert "Bud" and Cindy Hesse, both of Thief River Falls, nine grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; one sister, Mae Johnson of Wichita, KS; one brother-in-law, Clifford Helgeland, sisters-in-law, Lucille Huotari of Oregon, Ardith Swanson of Fresno, CA, Martha, Sophia and Myrtle Helgeland, all of Thief River Falls; several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents: four brothers, Art, Harvey, Roy and Stanley; sister Alice; and seven brothers-in-law, Lloyd Johnson, Bennie, Edwin, Arnold, Leonard, Willie and Francis Helgeland.

Walter Panek, 72

Goodridge — Walter Edward Panek, 72, died Saturday, August 12 at Northwest Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held Friday, August 18 a 1 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church with Fr. Tim Bushy celebrating the Mass of Christian Burial. Music will be provided by St. Bernard's Resurrection Choir accompanied by Christi LaSalle, organist. The Cantor is Shelly Burkel.

Casketbearers are Steven Panek, Stanley Hruby, Obert Homme, Robert Bendickson, Harold Harder and Ray Austad. Interment is in Germantown Cemetery, rural Goodridge.

Walter Edward Panek was born in Silverton township of Pennington county on November 17, 1922, the son of Stanley and Frances (Kolski) Panek. He grew up in Silverton township where he farmed and lived his entire life.

He was married to Sharon Lee on June 18, 1964 in Sisseton, SD.

He was a member of the Eagles Club.

He is survived by his wife, Sharon; a son, Chad, at home; a daughter, Lori, Thief River Falls; step sons, Kenneth Matthew and Keith Matthew, both of Duluth; a grandson, Zarek Hutchinson of Thief River Falls; brothers, George, Henry and Stanley, all of Goodridge, Norman of New Mexico and Robert of Arizona and a sister, Delores Bendickson of Goodridge.

He was preceded in death by his parents and an infant son.

Gilmer Manderud, 75

Goodridge — Gilmer Manderud, 75, died on Friday, August 11 at his residence in rural Goodridge.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 15 at 11 a.m. in Eklund Lutheran Church, Goodridge with Reverend Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music was provided by Anne Manderud, organist, and vocalist Vernon Iverson. Selections were "Old Rugged Cross" and "How Great Thou Art." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Casketbearers were Leonard Johnson, Kelly Dahlen, David Dahlen, Robert Manderud, Richard Manderud, Verner Arveson, Rodney Hoffman, Paul Odette. Honorary casketbearers were Tom Lyons, Jr., Dallas Wiseth, Ronald Cornwell, Gene Kotrba, Melanie Wong, Dana Wiseth, Elizabeth Cornwell, Nicholas Kotrba, Melinda Kotrba, Stephanie Small, DaNae Wiseth, Rebecca Cornwell, Amie Kotrba, Nick Hefel.

Gilmer Manderud was born on May 21, 1920 in Hickory township, Pennington county, to Gilbert and Mary (Tollefson) Manderud. He was baptized and confirmed at Eklund Lutheran Church, Goodridge and attended school at Little Oak and Clovernook Schools.

Gilmer farmed the family farm in Star township, Pennington county his entire life until retiring in 1982. He also drove school bus for 38 years for both the Clovernook and Goodridge school Districts.

He was united in marriage to Mae Kolstrand on July 28, 1956 in Trail. The couple made their home in rural Goodridge.

He was a member of Eklund Lutheran Church and enjoyed visiting with family and friends.

He is survived by three children, Gilda Kotrba and Lori Wiseth, both of Goodridge and Delores Hefel of Dubuque, IA; 14 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; sister, Olga Burstad of Bremerton, WA; brothers, Clifford and George, both of St. Paul and Clarence of Fergus Falls; sisters-in-law, Ida Manderud of Goodridge, Lila Manderud of Proctor and Delores Manderud of Thief River Falls.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife Mae on June 1, 1991; brothers, Oscar, Albert and Rudolph and brother-in-law, Albert Burstad.

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Richard Nomeland, 32

Grygla — Richard Nomeland, 32, died on Thursday, August 10 at Clearwater County Memorial Hospital in Bagley due to a drowning accident.

Funeral services were held Monday, August 14 at Grace Lutheran Church, Grygla with Reverend Roberta Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist and soloist, Joy Nordby. Selections were "Beyond the Sunset" and "One Day at a Time." The congregational hymn was "In the Garden."

Casketbearers were Jason Schuster, Wayne Nomeland, Clarence Smith, Wes Smith, Ryan Cwikla and Brad Peterson. Honorary casketbearers were all of Richard's relatives and friends. Interment was in St. Olaf Cemetery, Valley township, Marshall county.

Richard Allen Nomeland was born on July 8, 1963 in Roseau Hospital, Roseau, the son of Jack C. and Elsa (Leskiw) Nomeland. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith and attended Grygla school. He lived his entire life in Grygla. Richard worked at various jobs as a carpenter, painter and landscaper.

He enjoyed helping people and spending time with his family and friends.

He is survived by his parents, Jack and Elsa Nomeland of Grygla; his brother Jack, Jr. of Colorado; two sisters, Barbara Efteland of Grygla and Carol Bray of Pitt; grandmother, Helen Nomeland of Thief River Falls; two nephews, Wes and Clarence Smith; two nieces, Shawna and Sara Bray; one great nephew, Jeremiah Smith; several aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Daniel and Mary Leskiw and Ole Nomeland.

Ethel Johnson, 87

Newfolden — Ethel Johnson, 87, died on Tuesday, August 8 at North Valley Health Center in Warren.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, August 12 at New Hope Lutheran Church, Newfolden with Rev. Raynard Huglen officiating. Special music was provided by organist Sandy Selstad and soloist Dolores Bakke. Selections were "How Great Thou Art" and "In the Garden." Congregational hymns were "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

Casketbearers were Wallace Hanson, Jon Hanson, James Tostrup, Bob Engen, Eldor Engen, Bruce Elseth. Honorary casketbearers were all of Ethel's family and friends.

Ethel Hansen was born on August 5, 1908 in Marsh Grove township, Marshall county, to Edward and Maggie (Olson) Hansen. She attended school and grew to adulthood in the Marsh Grove area.

She was united in marriage to Selmer Johnson on January 30, 1937 in Warren. The couple farmed near Newfolden for many years. Ethel moved to the Good Samaritan Home in Warren on July 1, 1993.

She was a member of New Hope Lutheran Church in Newfolden and enjoyed crocheting, fishing, gardening and flowers.

She is survived by two sons, Marvin and Darrell, both of Thief River Falls; two grandchildren, Michael of Warren and Bradley of West Virginia and three great-grandchildren, Tami, Ben and Anthony.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Selmer on September 16, 1993; daughter Lois Ann; two brothers, Ed and Hans and five sisters, Nora, Laura, Olga, Myrtle and Lydia.

Max Rossignol, 90

Red Lake Falls — Max J. Rossignol, 90, died on arrival at the Riverview Healthcare Association on Saturday, August 12.

Mass of Christian burial will be held on Wednesday, August 16 at St. Anthony Catholic Church in Terrebonne at 10:30 a.m. with Father Gary LaMoine officiating. Interment will be held in the church cemetery.

Maxcime J. Rossignol was born in Terrebonne township on September 16, 1904, the son of John and Celine (Cleg-Mars) Rossignol. He attended Prairie Queen School. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Anthony Catholic church.

On October 22, 1935, Max was united in marrige to Cora Asselin at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Oklee. The couple farmed in Terrebonne township until they moved into Sunset Court. Max continued to live there until he moved to Hillcrest Nursing Home in December of 1993.

Max is survived by four children, Marie Foster of Adams, WI, John of Pasco, WA, Eugene of Seattle, WA and Irene Giessinger of Winner, SD; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife Cora; his parents; four sisters and five brothers.

James Schouten, 53

Karlstad — James Warren Schouten, 53, died unexpectedly at his home in Karlstad on Monday, August 7.

Funeral services were Friday, August 11 at Tri-County School Auditorium, Karlstad with Fr. Bob Schreiner officiating. Special music was provided by Heidi Stusynski, organist.

Casketbearers were Jerry Berberich, Tim Andersen, Jason Bloomquist, Ben Kleinwachter, Ken Hanson and George Davis. Interment was at St. Edward's Catholic Cemetery, Strandquist, with military honors accorded by the Karlstad American Legion Post.

James Warren Schouten was born on July 24, 1942, at Baldwin, WI, the son of Neil and Agnes (Sitlow) Schouten. At age 11, he moved with his family to Bird Island and graduated from Bird Island High School in 1961. He was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith.

He graudated from Mankato State University in 1965. Jim served in the US Navy and following his discharge, attended Bemidji State University. He graduated in 1971 with a major in English and a minor in social studies.

He married Monica Hornung on July 6, 1976 at Grafton, ND.

He taught at Walhalla, ND until 1976, then began teaching at Strandquist. He continued to teach through during and after the consolidation of Strandquist and Karlstad. He retired in 1994 due to health problems.

He was a member of St. Edward's Catholic Church of Strandquist and was active in the Karlstad Education Association.

He is survived by two sons, Cory and Tony, both at home; two brothers, Roger of Bemidji and Steve of Olivia; one sister, Janet Lundquist of Eagan; special friend Monica Hornung, Moorhead; and several aunts, uncles, cousins, and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Pearl Miller, 101

Greenbush — Pearl Lillian Miller, 101, died Thursday, August 10 at Greenbush Nursing Home.

Funeral services were Tuesday, August 15 at Bethel Lutheran Church, Greenbush with Pastor Jim Gerth officiating.

Pallbearers were Paul and Mark Miller, Dale and Daryl Wicklund, Kendall and Kurt Minske. Interment was in Bethel Lutheran Cemetery, Greenbush.

Pearl was born July 13, 1894 at Emerado, ND, the daughter of Andrew and Martha (Johnson) Gorvin. She came with her parents to the Badger area when she was a young girl. Her father died when she was eight years old. She grew up and attended school in Nereson township, south of Badger.

She received teachers training at Roseau and taught in a one-room school until she was married.

On January 12, 1915, she was united in marriage to John H. Miller at Greenbush with Pastor Skogerboe officiating. They farmed in Barnett township, rural Greenbush for many years. They moved to Greenbush in 1968. Mr. Miller died on October 18, 1970.

Pearl lived in Elderbush Manor in Greenbush for 16 years. She then lived with Walter and Adell Miller on the farm for two and one-half years. She had been a resident of Greenbush Nursing Home since 1992.

Pearl is survived by four sons, Walter, Ernest and Myron, all of Greenbush and Donald of Sauk Rapids; three daughters, Doris Wicklund of Greenbush, Lillian Kriko of Brush Prairie, WA and Dorothy Minske of Pengilly; 21 grandchildren; 40 great-grandchildren and three great-great grandsons.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; son Harry, in infancy; one great-grandson; one great-great-grandson; two brothers and five sisters.

Florence Drotts, 91

Thief River Falls — Florence Drotts, 91, died Monday, August 14 at Northwest Medical Center.

Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home.

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Julia Makowsky, 101

McIntosh — Julia Makowsky, 101, formerly of Oklee, died on Thursday, August 10 at McIntosh Manor.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Monday, August 14 at the St. Francis of Xavier Catholic Church at 11 a.m. with Father Daana Pribula officiating.

Casketbearers were Jerry Croft, Mark Votova, Jim Votova, Charles R. Makowsky, John Macoskey and Dave Macoskey. Interment was at St. Charles Catholic Cemetery near Trail.

Julia Filar was born on May 7, 1894 in Lincoln, NE, the daughter of Stanislaus and Mary (Koziol) Filar. In 1896, she moved with her parents to a farm near Gully where she was raised and attended school.

In 1919 she was united in marriage to Frank B. Makowsky at Plummer. The couple moved to Detroit, MI. In 1970, she returned to the homestead near Gully. She later moved to Oklee and in January of 1987, entered the Manor in McIntosh.

Julia is survived by her son Charles of Charlevoix, MI; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; five great-great-granchildren; as well as several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Frank; four sisters and three brothers.

Glenn M. Olson, 71

Climax — Glenn M. Olson, 71, of rural Climax, died Wednesday evening, August 9 at the Riverview Hospital in Crookston.

Funeral services were held Monday, August 14 at 10 a.m. at the Stenshoel Funeral Chapel with visitation one hour prior. Interment was in the Grafton Lutheran Cemetery at Grafton, ND.

Glenn was born on December 4, 1923 at Grafton, ND, the son of Andrew and Margret (Carlson) Olson. He attended rural school.

He served in the U.S. Army during WWII and after his discharge, he returned to Grafton and worked for a local farmer. In 1951, he moved to the Climax area with his mother and farmed there until recently retiring.

He is survived by a sister, Elynne Greenwood of Grand Forks, ND; three nieces, Candy Greenwood of Grand Forks, ND, Sandy Quance of Northridge, CA and Kellie Olson of Crookston; three nephews, Larry Greenwood of Grand Forks, Robert Etienne of Minneapolis and Jay Etienne of Crookston; and several grand nieces and nephews, as well as other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brother, Gordon and Maurice.

Inez Gjovik, 75

Wannaska — Inez Vivian Gjovik, 75, died Monday evening, August 7, at Fairview-Riverside Rehabilitation Center in Minneapolis.

Funeral services were Friday, August 11 at Grace Evangelical Free Church, Strathcona, with Pastor Edsell Lindquist officiating. Special music was provided by the Gjovik family and organist Carol Selness.

Casketbearers were Ron Lorenson, Todd Gjovik, Jeremy Gjovik, Cameron Gjovik, Nate Gjovik and Jay Gjovik. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery, Strathcona.

Inez Vivian Gjovik was born on January 5, 1920, in Big Woods township, Marshall county, near Argyle, the daughter of Elling and Sophie (Melo) Erickson. She attended school and grew to womanhood there.

On March 24, 1938, she was united in marriage to Ivan "Kelly" Gjovik at St. Paul. The couple farmed near Huss township, Roseau county, near Strathcona. They also farmed near Greenbush for several years. In 1965 they moved to St. Paul. In 1978, they returned to Roseau county and the Wannaska community, where Inez has since resided. Kelly passed away on July 16, 1988.

She was a long-time member of the Grace Evangelical Free Church of Strathcona. She was also a member of the Wannaska WCTU and of the Roseau Senior Citizens Group.

Inez had been in failing health for the past several months.

She is survived by two sons, Merle "Mickey" of Fall Creek, WI and Wesley of Mankato; one daughter, LeAnn Lamirande of St. Paul; 11 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; three brothers, Delbert of Thief River Falls, Clarence and Roynell, both of Greenbush; two sisters, Bernice Carlson of Thief River Falls and Doris Hamness, Minneapolis and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; two sons, Terry and Ivan, Jr.; one daughter Eileen; three sisters, Evelyn, Bernice and Gladys and one brother Eldor.

Wallace Utzineger, 72

East Grand Forks — Wallace (Wally) Utzinger, 72, of East Grand Forks, died Friday, August 11 at the United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were Monday, August 14 at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church, East Grand Forks. Interment was at Resurrection Cemetery, East Grand Forks with the East Grand Forks American Legion providing military honors.

Wally Utzinger was born April 14, 1923 in East Grand Forks, the son of Walter and Annie (Hogan) Utzinger. He grew up and attended East Grand Forks schools. He joined the US Marines in World War II, serving in the Pacific Theater with the 4th Marines. He received a Purple Heart.

On May 21, 1947, he married Jean Rod in East Grand Forks. He worked as a carpet installer in the area for 40 years. He was a member of the East Grand Forks American Legion Post #157 and the EGF Eagles #350.

He is survived by his wife Jean of East Grand Forks; one son, Darrell of East Grand Forks; two daughters, Darla Twomey of Thief River Falls and Kerri Acheson of Moorhead; eight grandchildren; two sisters, Marge Winfrey of Phoenix, AZ and Anne Metzner of Torrence, CA.

He was preceded in death by his parents and five sisters.

Albin Grebowski, 76

Inver Grove Heights — Albin Timothy Grebowski, 76, died Sunday morning, August 6 at the Wedgewood Health Care Center in Inver Grove Heights.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 9 at Assumption Catholic Church in Florian with Father Luke Odor officiating. Special music was provided by organist Elizabeth Stusznski.

Casketbearers were Jerry Taylor, Todd Taylor, Troy Taylor, Teddy Wawrzyniak, Deon Wawrzyniak and Darrin Wawrzyniak. Interment was at Assumption Catholic Cemetery.

Albin was born on March 27, 1919 in Wright township, Marshall county, near Florian, the son of Frank and Mary Ann (Novacek) Grebowski. He attended school and grew to manhood there and was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith.

On June 12, 1945, Albin was untied in marriage to Pauline Rominski at Florian. The couple farmed in West Valley township, Marshall county, south of Strandquist. Pauline passed away May 25, 1958. Albin moved to Minneapolis in 1967 and was employed there for several years. For the past eight and one half years, he has resided in nursing homes.

He is survived by two daughters, Mary Ann Taylor of Rosemount and Theresa Lund of Columbia Heights; four grandchildren, Jerry, Todd, Troy and Pauline Taylor; one great-granddaughter; two brothers, Joseph and John, both of Minneapolis; one sister, Sophie Wawrzyniak of Strandquist and two nephews.

Theresa "Terry" Shields, 68

Longville — Theresa H. "Terry" Shields, 68, of Longville died on Monday, August 7 after a short illness.

Wake services were held at Thomas-Dennis Funeral home in Longville at 6 p.m., Wednesday, August 9. Mass of Christian burial was also held at Longville at St. Edward's Catholic Church. Visitation was held on Thursday, August 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. at Petterson Funeral Home in Red Lake Falls.

Pallbearers were her cousins, Emmitt Morinville, Ambrose Miller, Lawrence Kane and John (Jack) Miller and her nephews, Michael Freeman and Bill Stephenson.

Interment was Friday, August 11 at St. Joseph Cemetery with Fr. Jerome Felion presiding.

Theresa, the daughter of Arthur and Mussetta (Miller) Normandeau, was born and raised in Red Lake Fall. She attended St. Joseph school and graduated from LaFayette High School in 1944.

She married James T. Shields in 1951.

Terry was a long-time active member of St. Edward's Catholic Church in Longville.

She is survived by her brother, Allen of Backus and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents and brother Mark.

Two girls face charges for starting fire

Following an investigation, a 13- and 14-year-old female have been identified as having caused the fire which damaged the Satellite Drive In in Thief River Falls on July 31. The drive-in theatre has been closed for roughly eight years.

A Pennington county sheriff's deputy interviewed two juvenile females and they allegedly admitted to setting fire to some magazines and insulation. It got out of control and they left, he said.

The investigation is being turned over to the county attorney for prosecution. The sheriff's department was assisted in its investigation by the Thief River Falls Fire Department and State Fire Marshal's office.

High point champions in various divisions at the 13th District Horticultural Society annual show Saturday, August 5, in Warroad, included the exhibitors pictured above. Left to right are Helen Erickson, Gro-Rita Garden Club of Badger, flower arrangements (advanced); Yvonne Green, Gro-Rita Garden Club of Badger, flower arrangements (novice); Beatrice Wilson, Moccasin Garden Club of Goodridge, dahlias and corsages; Shirley Andol, Gro-Rita Garden Club of Badger, flower arrangements (age 65 and older) and gladiolas; Joan Baker, Moccasin Garden Club of Thief River Falls, potted plants, roses, annuals, perennials and new introductions in both annuals and perennials; and LaVonne Knudson, Green Thumb Garden Club of Warroad, vegetables and fruits. Andol had the most total points at the show (142) and Baker was second (135). Gro-Rita club of Badger won the club award with 521 points.

Brooks

Arthur and Martha Gagner attended the 100th birthday party in honor of Mrs. Elodia Gagner on Monday, who is a resident of the Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Eunice Champagne of South Milwaukee, WI and Lorraine Barber of Sun City, AZ were dinner guests of Pearl Laniel on Monday in the afternoon they attended the birthday party of Mrs. Elodia Gagner to help her celebrate her 100th year. "Happy Birthday Elodia!"

Renia Grove of Mentor and Mrs. Evangeline Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Monday.

Dan and Yvonne Kush of Aurora, Harvey and Rose Delage of Thief River Falls visited their mother Mrs. Nora Delage and Dick Delage enroute home from their holiday to Alaska.

Lowell Hamrum and Aunt Beatrice Hamrum of Minneapolis returned home from a holiday to Alaska on Monday where they visited his sister Susan Heller and family.

Mark and Kristin Brockberg of Fargo, ND, Carey and Stacy Berbench and Natashia of Lake Mills, IA were weekend guests of their parents, Robert and Eleanora Berberich and to attend the Lessard family reunion in Oklee on Saturday.

Mrs. Donna Josephson of Thief River Falls was a Sunday evening dinner guest of her parents Arthur and Martha Gagner.

Strandquist

Morris and Hazel Anderson spent last weekend with Jim, Cindy and Chrisy Watterlund in Grand Forks and went shopping on Monday.

Jeckie Berggren from South Dakota visited with Ida Bruce. She is a cousin of Ida's.

Brant and Carla Boen of Robbinsdale visited at Philip and Yvonne Boen's over the weekend.

Friday evening, Paul, Shirley, Jenny Anderson and David Janssen were supper guests of Virgil and Ruth Rasmussen and George Rasmussen in Karlstad.

Monday, June Kasprowicz and Karl and Ellen Stromberg visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter.

Grandpa and Grandma Lafrooth had birthday cake with Allison Lafrooth on Sunday afternoon.

Chena Chaffee of Grand Forks visited at the Paul Anderson home Saturday night.

Elphie Adlis, Kim Kraft and children visited Elsie Lafrooth on Sunday afternoon.

Claudia and Larina Berggren, Jessie and Kali, Pete Kastrezewski and Karl Kasprowicz visited the Frank Kleinvachter's.

Vance and Adrienne Lafrooth took in the fall festival at Strathcona on Sunday and in the evening they took Mary and Donna with them to Salem.

Sunday, Jenny Anderson returned to Fairmont and Paul, Shirley, Kristopher and Kenrick attended the Gospel Tabernacle Sunday school picnic at the Old Mill State Park.

Kaye Turnwall, Claudia, Kali and Jessie Berggren visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter this weekend.

On Sunday evening, Elsie Lafrooth showed kind hospitality toward Isaac and Betsy Thompson and Roy and Myrtle Vogle while they waited out the rain.

Anyone who missed the Strathcona Fall Festival surely missed something. More than a couple of thousands of people were there and the entertainment was great. The Wo Fast had nothing over on it and both professional and hometown music, etc. kept the crowd more satisfied. Don't miss it next year as I overheard them booking singers that far ahead.

Ida Bruce and Lorraine Setten visited with Robert and Ruth Strandberg of Radium on Sunday.

Jennifer Anderson of Fairmont and David Janson of Ely arrived at the Paul and Shirley home to attend the funeral services for Jim Schouten on Friday.

Tracy, Kim and children Kevin and Anika Kraft of Minot visited with Elphie Adlis this weekend while on a vacation. They visited Corey and Lori Wikstrom and family on Sunday and on Monday took off to the Cities.

Cory and Candie Boen of Bemidji spent the weekend with Philip and Yvonne Boen. They attended the funeral for Jim Schouten.

Lowell Lafrooth served a spaghetti supper to his little nieces and nephews Thursday evening. Those attending were Sara and Aleura Donaldson, Noelle and Zachary Pettis and Elliott Lafrooth. Sara told uncle Lowell "he was a good cooker."

Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Sunday evening, July 30th, Marlin and Jeanine Bjornrud, Mark, Seth, and Bren arrived at the Merle and Beulah Bjornrud home to spend part of their vacation. Other visitors Sunday evening were Floyd and Deetta Hanson, LueDen of Thief River Falls, Earl and Jan Henson and Carol Benitt from Holt, Rev. and Mrs. Bruce Von Wold and family from Michigan.

Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at LaVoi Thun were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Don and Gail Larson had a real nice visit.

Beverly Erickson and her grandson Matt Schaumberg visited at the Dean Anderson and Gary Leaders homes on Wednesday forenoon.

Merle Bjornrud and Merlin Bjornrud visited and enjoyed lunch with Harvey and Myrtle Dyrud, August 1st. Later Merle and Beulah, Marlin, and Jeanine and boys enjoyed a picnic dinner at the New Maine farm. The afternoon was spent swimming and picnicing at the Old Mill State Park. Phil Waterworth came in the evening for a visit and enjoyed supper with Merle and Beulah, Merlin and Jeanine.

Saturday, August 5th, Lloyd and Harryet Larson attended the Mud Lake reunion at the Holt Community Center.

Friday morning, Sharon Ahlert, Jana Schaumberg and Matt and Beverly Erickson visited at the Skip Bagnell.

August 2nd, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud together with Merlin and Jeanine Bjornrud, Mark, Seth and Brett from Emberrass drove to Winnipeg and spent the day at the Assiniboine Park enjoying picnicing at the park, the English Gardens, Zoo and a miniature Train rides a perfect day weatherwise. Merlin and Jeanine and family left for home Wednesday after spending some days with Merlins parents Merle and Beulah Bjornruds.

Tuesday evening visitors at the Karl Jesme home were Vernice Larson, Carol Jesme, Gail Larson, Carol Ness, Sybil Cwikla, Frances Cwikla, Sue Dondalinger, and Evan, Lona Jesme, Linda Flatland and Heidi, Cinde Loveto and Toni Beovar. Karl served a nice lunch and had a real nice visit.

Monday, Lloyd and Harryet Larson, grandson Jeremiah Coykendall of Denver, CO came to spend some time with his grandparents.

Merle and Beulah Bjornrud attended the wedding of Daniel Kujava and DeDe Nelson at the St. Bernards Catholic church in Thief River Falls on Friday evening, July 21.

Wednesday afternoon Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Hanna Moan.

Recent visitors at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson home were Jeanette Relerson, Doris Augustine, Janet Garthus, Wanda Melvie, Clifford and Marjorie Steinhauer all of Holt, Mathew and Natalie O'Sell of Thief River Falls, Mabel Sansko of Crookston, Julia Kleinvachter and Stacey, Kent Kleinvachter, and his two friends Paul and Phillip of Strandquist. They were supper guests there.

July 22nd, Saturday evening, Earl and Jan Hanson, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud presented a program at the Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski were among many to attend the funeral for Joseph Blawat at the St. Peter church in Warren on Tuesday forenoon the 8th.

Saturday evening Anita Skadsem visited with Hanna Moan.

Sharon Ahlert left on Monday for Grand Forks after spending some time with her mom Alice Ellingson she was a houseguest of Milton and Beverly Erickson. On Wednesday she left Grand Forks for her home at Apache Junction.

Over the week visitors at the Aaron Waterworth home were Michael and Debbie Waterworth; Joel and Lori Waterworth and family and Gene Waterworth. They also brought Aaron birthday wishes.

July 9th, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud spent the weekend at the Steve Hanson home in Bemidji the occasion was a potluck birthday dinner Sunday for granddaughter Amber Hanson on her 10th birthday. Amber had many of her relatives there to help celebrate the big occasion. The afternoon was spent boating, swimming and water skiing in the lake near Oak Hills Bible College. Monday morning Merle and Beulah together with Steve and Bonnie picked strawberries on a Berry Farm not far from Blackduck. They went to visit with Charles and Linda Glanzer from there they went to celebrate Joseph's 9th birthday. Leaving for home later Monday afternoon.

Sunday evening Helen Soranson and Ethel Hyatt of Thief River Falls visited with Lillie Olson.

Thursday visitors and coffee guests at the Clara Hanson home were Bertha Blackberg, Morris Blackberg and Blanche Lofstrom all of Karlstad.

Lloyd Larson, Delores Benitt, Carol Benitt attended the Senior Citizen Day at the Old Mill on Tuesday, July 25th.

Sharon Ahlert of Apache Junction spent a week and a half visiting at the Milton and Beverly Erickson home.

Friday evening, LaVoi Thun visited and had lunch with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Sunday, July 16th, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud, Floyd and Deetta Hanson and Lowell and Donna Mae Hogberg represented the Evangelical Free church of Newfolden at a potluck supper given by the Ada Evangelical Free church group at Maple Lake. The church there is only 1 year old. The Newfolden EFC was a mother church in helping this church get its start there were about 60 people there. After the program there was a baptism at the lake where three young people from the Ada church were baptized.

Wednesday forenoon Verne Myhrer visited with Clara Henson.

Doris Augustine went with Harryet Larson to Fargo on July 25th. They visited with Roger and Ronda Nelson and Heather in Fargo returning home on July 27th.

Visitors the past week at the Milton Erickson home were Adam and Bonnie Ahlert, Kira of Thief River Falls, Arlene Jenson and her grandson Trevor Jenson of Greenbush, Geraldine Gillund, Brian Gillund, Ernie Johnson and Luke, Desire Ahlert, Shelly Steibler, Jason Erickson, Alice Ellingson, Jana Schaumberg and Matt and Dean Anderson.

Sunday, August 6th, Todd and Kari Jesme hosted a birthday party in honor of their son Collin's 1st birthday those present were his grandparents Carol Jesme, Arnold and Vernice Larson, Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh, Sybil Cwikla, Sue Dondalinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Lona Jesme, Paul Miller, Shirley Lafrooth, Stanley Larson, Richard Larson. They served a very good lunch with birthday cake afterwards Collin opened up his many nice gifts and cards. Collin also had a birthday party on Friday with his friends. Birthday blessing Collin!

July 23rd, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud visited with Adella Hanson and others at the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Home after enjoying the 2 o'clock services. There they took Adella out for a ride in the evening, they went to Sanford and Doris Bagaas home near Argyle for Bible care meeting and fellowship. Monday morning early they enjoyed raspberry picking there with coffee, goodies and fellowship.

Sunday, July 30th, Lloyd and Harryet Larson attended the farewell party for Clarence and Jayce Ness at the Nazareth Lutheran church. In the evening, Lloyd and Harryet went to the Heritage Center in Thief River Falls where Hee Haw put on the program.

Tuesday afternoon, July 25th, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud left for Lakeland to spend some time with Mike and Janay Simonson. Janey and Mike took Wednesday off from work so they could all enjoy a day off boating and picnicing on the St. Croix River next to their home. There was a beautiful day to be on the river they left for home Thursday morning driving most of the way in rain. We were happy to get out of the rain and traffic and home again.

Monday forenoon visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Alton and Helen Nelson of Seattle, WA. They also found out that Alton and Vernice were distant relatives. They had a very nice visit with them.

Earl Henson, Floyd Hanson, Beulah Bjornrud, Eunice Waterworth and Gordon Bring presented a program of Gospel Music at 1 o'clock at the Old Mill Creamery picnic on July 30th.

Wednesday, August 7th, Lloyd and Harryet Larson visited with Julia Kleinvachter and Stacy and enjoyed supper with them.

Thursday, Martys Aune and Vernice Larson went to Thief River Falls where they were coffee guests of Sue Dondalinger.

Last Sunday, July 30th, the Roger Mathsans family and Lisa Wilson and children came with birthday wishes in the afternoon for Grandpa. Amber and Ronelle baked a chocolate cake with chocolate frosting grandpa's favorite which was served with ice cream. Ronelle and Amber stayed with Grandpa and Grandma until Thursday, August 3rd when Robbin came and got Ronelle and brought Jayme and Amber to Grandpa's place. We invited Lisa to come for supper and all the children went back home with her it was a very lonely night after the girls left.

MARKETS

as of Monday, August 14

(The listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat at	4.20
New Crop 95	4.20
Spring Wheat #2	3.90
Spring Wheat #3	3.50
Spring Wheat #4	3.90
Winter Wheat	4.00
Durum	4.75
Top Malting Barley	2.30
Feed Barley	1.75
Top Milling Oats	1.55
Ordinary Oats	1.40
Oil Sunflowers	10.90
New Crop 95	10.90
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13 "Super Bingo" $4,500 Coverall	14 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	15 Sea Food Buffet	16 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	17 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	18 Nite Out "Red Eye Bingo" Session	19 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
20 2 For 1 On All Levels At Bingo	21 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	22 Sea Food Buffet	23 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast Guy's Night Out At Bingo	24 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	25 Try The Noon Buffet	26 August Birthdays $5.00 off Bingo
27 Prime Rib & Walleye Special	28 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	29 Sea Food Buffet	30 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	31 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	BINGO	

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Warren Jadaka's model trains span 100 years of history, from the oxcart to the space shuttle, he says. One of the ferris wheels moves, but very slowly. Jadeka explained that it represents the first ferris wheel at the World's Fair which took 20 minutes to make a complete circle. Can you find Santa in this picture?

For those who may have missed the Pennington County Historical Society display at the fair, it was set up for viewing in the Engelstad building. The wedding dress display featured dresses from the early part of the century up to the 1970's. Many more wedding photos were on display as well.

The heart of Train Land Entertainment, Warren Jadake, believes in the importance of keeping history alive for kids. He feels young people today don't realize the important role that trains played in western expansion of the United States. "Even today it is the cheapest way to move things or people," Jadeke says.

Kristi Numedahl and Darrell Mager of Industrial Machine Services were presented with a recognition of More Progress. To accommodate their need for more space, they moved the office into the Chamber building last May. Representing the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce are Jim Blix and Rick Hicks.

North Border Wholesale is a rapidly growing wholesale distributor of sodas, candy and other snacks. The Chamber recently recognized the company with a More Progress sign. From left to right are Jim Blix, Chamber representative, Mark Cardinal, Judd McKinnon, Jane Vacure, Todd Woods, Diana Hermreck, Mitch Borneman and Rick Hicks, Chamber Representative.

Goodridge News

Sheri Liedberg 681-4446

Mrs. Rosella Schioler of Thief River Falls visited at the Clarence Dahlen home on Thursday and brought Mrs. Dahlen birthday greetings. Others stopping over and sending birthday greetings to Mrs. Clarence Dahlen during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg, Roger Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Vagle, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dahlen, Carol Barros, Evelyn Schwartz, Audrey Bruggeman, Molly Ose, Brian Olson, Debbie Grorud and father Clifford Fjeld, Debbie Hornbeak, Glady's Johnson, Lucille Hams, Lucelle Yonke, Myrtle Lofgren and Jodi Gustafson. Clara received many nice cards and gifts.

Saturday, Joyce Sand of Grand Forks visited at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg were visitors and supper guests at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Tuesday late afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls visited at the Justin Dahlen home and brought birthday greetings to Justin. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. David Dahlen, Racheel, Travis and a friend from Thief River Falls and Jim Dahlen brought Justin birthday greetings and had birthday lunch with Justin.

Wednesday dinner guests at the Justin Dahlen home were Leonard and Harold Rindahl of rural Trail. In the afternoon Glady's Rindahl, Corrine Rolstend of Thief River Falls, Dallas Rindahl of Minneapolis and Roger Rindahl of California visited and were lunch guests at the Justin Dahlen home along with Justin, Olga, Leonard and Harold.

Thursday morning Bea Hutchinson and Hilda Hoffman visited and were coffee guests at the Justin Dahlen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg spent Monday and Tuesday in Grand Forks on business. They also enjoyed supper in Grand Forks to celebrate Neil's birthday.

Monday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited and were coffee guests at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Norman Liedberg and Neil Liedberg homes in Thief River Falls during the week.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls were Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri, Roger Nelson and Jodi Gustafson all of Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Jodi Gustafson of Thief River Falls attended the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Peter Grosz at the Heritage Community Center in Thief River Falls. Congratulations to the couple. Much happiness to you Peter and Brandi.

Sincere sympathy to the families of Paul Mutnansky, Jesse Vazine and Clarence Ellingson. May their memories be blessed.

Monday evening supper guests at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Jodi Gustafson of Thief River Falls. Later in the evening Lee Heugen, Vickie Ripple and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls joined them and all helped Neil Liedberg celebrate his birthday. Neil also received birthday greetings from Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlen in Thief River Falls, Kay Wedul Steiger of Thief River Falls, Jim Liedberg of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Parade and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Parade, Bryan Parade, and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Parade and Amanda of Brooks.

Redlake girl killed Saturday in accident

Three-year-old Amy Lynn Raincloud, Redlake, was killed Saturday in a four-wheeler accident in Beltrami county.

According to a spokesperson with the Beltrami county sheriff's department, they received a report of an accident at 1:51 p.m. Amy Raincloud, 3, was a passenger on a four-wheeler driven by her mother Roxanne Raincloud when the vehicle rolled and Amy was crushed under the four-wheeler. Roxanne was taken to a hospital in Redlake and treated for minor injuries. The accident is still under investigation.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller 378-4269

Happy Birthday!

"Happy Birthday" to Kenny Coan who celebrated his birthday on August 5th! Edgar and Dorothy Miller brought Kenny greetings and birthday cake on Friday evening and enjoyed "supper out" together. Kenny received greetings and gifts from family and friends and we all wish him many more. "Happy Birthday!"

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gustafson of Thief River Falls visited Sunday afternoon at the Signe Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller of Greenbush were supper guests Sunday evening at the Signe Miller home.

Ethel Johnson visited at the Signe Miller home on Wednesday.

Sincere Sympathy!

Sincere sympathy to the family of Clarence Ellingson who passed away on Tuesday, August 1st, at the Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls at the age of 89 years. Funeral services were held on Saturday, August 5th at Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge with interment at the Highlanding cemetery. Clarence is missed by his many friends at Valley Home where he was a resident until July 25th. Blessed be his memory!

Judy Anderson and daughter, Jodi Kozan and daughters, Jaclyn and Jessica of Canada were visitors at the Signe Miller home on Friday.

Monday, Sharon Iverson visited at the Signe Miller home and also at the Richard Miller home.

Johnny Sigerud and friend Sylvia of Bemidji visited at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home on Saturday. Otto and Hulda and Johnny and Sylvia visited in the afternoon at the Harry and Larry Sigerud home.

Visitors at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home during the week were Joan Halvorson and Amy, Rose Needham and grandson Scott Needham and Glennis Iverson.

Jaclyn and Karl Miller of Ada were spending several weeks visiting family and friends in the area and also visited at the Marl Lou and Gary and Garrot and Laura Anderson home near Grygla.

Marl Lou Anderson, Garret and Laura and Jaclyn and Karl Miller visited at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home on Tuesday afternoon.

Congratulations to Kathl and Mark Jenkins who were honored on their 25th Wedding Anniversary on Saturday evening, August 5th at the Best Western in Thief River Falls. God Bless you with many more happy years together Kathi and Mark!

Gully News

Florence Berg 288-4236

Pam Ringstad of Dayton spent a few days here at her cabin. She brought Doloris Ringstad home. Doloris attended a surprise birthday party for her son, Corky and while there she visited with her son Kerry and family and Sandie Graff.

Pam Ringstads parents, Larry and Gladys Erie and some friends visited with Pam and Doloris on Wednesday night. They also treated them to dinner at Pine Lake.

Natella Haugen and Doloris Ringstad visited with Grace Nyland in Clearbrook on Saturday.

Ed and David Haugen, Mildred Sollen and Doloris Ringstad had coffee with Alma Sollen in Fosston on Monday.

Visitors at the Elmer Brovold home on Monday afternoon for a cup of Millies coffee and to help Elmer celebrate his birthday were Doris and Mervin Rindahl of Goodridge, Esther Rindahl, Luverne and Arlie Fore, Arnold and Sanna Brovold, Lloyd Brovold, Stacy Haugland and sons, Nolan and Nathan who were there to wish their great-grandpa Elmer a Happy Birthday. They all enjoyed a good lunch including a birthday cake made by Luverne.

Brenda Odegaard came from the Cities to take her folks, Elmer and Millie Brovold back to see their home, which was beautiful. David and [illegible] took the folks back home here to Gully.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Emerson from Washington stopped in to visit Effie Handy on Tuesday afternoon. Other visitors through the week were Marlen Handy of Fosston and her cousin Lois of California. Hazel Nelson, Emma Nyland, Effie Handy and Leona Brekke visited Mabel Schmit at the Leslie Schmit home in Thief River Falls on Friday.

Ed and Lyn Turonno, Emma Nyland and Walter Hendy were at Effies on Sunday afternoon.

Brooks

On Monday afternoon, Mrs. Pearl Laniel visited with Mrs. Paulone Hill of Madison, WI in Red Lake Falls.

Tuesday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Russell Hince, Evangeline Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee.

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AUG. 21 [illegible] DRAWING 4:00 P.M. AUXILIARY MTG. 8:00 P.M.	AUG. 22 AERIE MTG. 8:30 P.M.	AUG. 23	AUG. 24 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	AUG. 25 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	AUG. 26 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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AUG. 14 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 POST & AUX. MEETING 8:00	AUG. 15 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 16 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 17 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 18 DANCE #1 "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"	AUG. 19 BAR BINGO 5-6:30
AUG. 21 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 COOTIE SCRATCH	AUG. 22 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 23 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 24 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 25	AUG. 26 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 WEDO. DANCE DAVIDSON & STOWE

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Sports Section

Golf Club finals to be played Sunday

Finals of the 1995 Thief River Golf Club tournament, featuring a 1 p.m. tee-off for the 18-hole championship match, will be held Sunday, Aug. 20.

Flight finals are scheduled to start at 9 a.m.

Championship flight semifinals, scheduled to be played sometime this week, matched Stan Sjoberg against Jeff Wiltse and Jeff Hendrickson vs. Tim Delmore. Hendrickson is the defending champion.

Semifinals in the president's flight – a consolation round for golfers eliminated in early championship flight matches – included Adam Nordin vs. Rick Nikunen and Larry Coltom vs. Tom Williams. The president's flight final will precede the championship flight match Sunday afternoon.

Past Club Champions

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Annual TRF Pigskin Preview scheduled Saturday, Aug. 26

High school football will make its 1995 Thief River Falls debut with the 23rd annual Sports Boosters Pigskin Preview Saturday, Aug. 26, at Prowler Field.

Scrimmages, featuring varsity and junior varsity teams from Thief River Falls, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, Bemidji, Cass Lake-Bena, Devils Lake, East Grand Forks, Fargo North, Fertile-Beltrami, Roseau, and Red Lake Falls will begin at 12-noon.

Picnic-style supper served by the Sports Boosters will include hamburger on the grill, beans, chips, cookies and a soft drink.

Admission price, which includes the meal, is $4 for adults and $3 for students. Proceeds are used by the Sports Boosters to aid and promote Thief River Falls activities.

Three trophy winners in various divisions of the 44th annual Thief River Falls Archery Club broadhead tournament took a moment to admire a good scoring group of arrows on one of the 3-D foam animal targets. The trio included, left to right, Thief River Falls Archery Club president Darrel Janisch, Brandon Narlock and Dale Narlock. The tournament attracted 286 shooters. (Submitted photo).

Archery tournament draws 286 shooters

There were 286 shooters on hand for the 44th annual broadhead tournament hosted recently by the Thief River Falls Archery Club.

Competition featured 42 foam 3-D animal targets set up in the woods along the banks of the Red River.

Club officials expressed thanks to all of the archers and area business leaders who helped support the event. They also reminded shooters that the outdoor range, located south and west of the Thief River Falls Regional Airport, will be open for public use Wednesday evenings until the start of the archery hunting season. The 3-D foam targets are set up for broadhead practice.

Those interested in the club and its activities are invited to Darrel Janisch at 681-2106 for additional information.

42-Target 3-D Round Field Points

Male bowhunter freestyle (release aided) - 1. Jay Bruce, Buxton, ND; 2. Bob Neuschwander, Grygla; 3. Tad Glsonowski, Hallock; 4. Wayne Johaneson, TRF; 5. Marv Carlson, TRF.

Male bowhunter freestyle (fingers) - 1. Barnerd Bjorgaard, Lancaster; 2. Jim Pederson, Newfolden; 3. Tom Molskness, St. Hilaire.

Female bowhunter freestyle (release aided) - 1. Audrey Burda, TRF; 2. Vea Diebal, St. Paul.

Female bowhunter freestyle (fingers) - 1. Colleen Kukowski, Hallock.

Young adult bowhunter freestyle (release aided) - 1. Dewey Kostrzewski, Stephen.

Youth bowhunter freestyle (release aided) - 1. Tim Schmenberger, Grand Forks, ND; 2. Ryan Sabo, Grand Forks, ND.

Youth bowhunter freestyle (fingers) - 1. Jeremy Hostrup, Lancaster.

Traditional (recurve) - 1. Tim Hunter, Grand Forks, ND; 2. David Mugaas, TRF.

Barebow (compound) - 1. Dale Gunnerson, Grafton, ND; 2. Hank Hallstrom, St. Hilaire.

Cubs - 1. Daniel Hostrup, Lancaster; 2. Brandon Narlock, TRF; 3. Jennifer Hostrup, Lancaster; 4. Colter Dulault, Grand Forks, ND.

42-Target 3-D Round Broadheads

Male bowhunter freestyle (release aided) - 1. Randy Duleult, Grand Forks, ND; 2. Paul Hahn, Grand Forks, ND; 3. Darrel Janisch, TRF; 4. Brian Betterman, Winnipeg; 5. Dana Klos, TRF.

Male bowhunter freestyle (fingers) - 1. Dolton Seeverson, Warroad; 2. Chris Dahlin, TRF; 3. Larry Fallan, Boudette; 4. Barrat Germundson, Karlstad.

14-Target Dakota Round

Men's bowhunter (release) - 1. Dale Narlock, TRF; 2. Wayne Ivarson, Argyle; 3. Raynold Nelson, Argyle.

Men's bowhunter (fingers) - 1. Bernard Bjorgaard, Lancaster; 2. Tony Hoglo, TRF.

Men's freestyle (release) - 1. Chris Ury, Grand Forks, ND; 2. Jay Bushee, Grand Forks ND.

Female bowhunter (release) - 1. Mary Jo Mugaas, TRF.

Youth bowhunter - 1. Chad Borneman, TRF.

Youth freestyle (release) - 1. Jeremy Hostrup, Lancaster.

Cubs freestyle - 1. Brandon Narlock, TRF; 2. Daniel Hostrup, Lancaster; 3. Jennifer Hostrup, Lancaster.

TRF fills coaching vacancies...

High school teams begin 1995 season

Preseason practice for high school football, boys and girls cross country, girls tennis, and girls swimming began state-wide Monday.

High school volleyball practice will begin Monday, Aug. 21.

Three of the five Thief River Falls fall sports programs feature new head coaches – assignments that were announced recently School District 564 director of student activities Jim Sims. Pending board approval, Scott Hetherington was named girls swimming coach; Caara Holmstrom was selected boys and girls cross country coach; and Sylvia Sjoberg was appointed girls tennis coach.

Jeff Mumm and Helen Anderson return as the Prowlers' head football and head volleyball coach, respectively.

Other positions that were filled recently, included Gayle Borchert, assistant girls swimming coach; Mark Bieganek, sixth and seventh grade football coach; and Gary Laidley, head boys tennis coach (spring).

1995 TRF Football

Thursday, Aug. 31 - Detroit Lakes, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 8 - at Fergus Falls, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 15 - Wadena-Deer Creek, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 22 - Staples Area, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 29 - Park Rapids Area, 6 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 6 - at Crookston, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 13 - Woodbury (at the Fargodome), 8 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 18 - at East Grand Forks, 7:30 p.m.

1995 TRF Girls Swimming

Thursday, Aug. 31 - at Fergus Falls, 5 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 5 - Crookston and Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 7 - Park Rapids Area, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 9 - Bemidji Invitational, 12-noon; Saturday, Sept. 16 - Park Rapids Invitational, 12-noon; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - Grand Forks, 5 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - at Crookston, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 30 - Fergus Falls Invitational, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, Oct. 5 - Moorhead, 5 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 13 - Fergus Falls and Bemidji, 5 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 17 - Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 27 - Crookston Invitational, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Nov. 2 - Crookston, 5 p.m.

1995 TRF Girls Tennis

Wednesday, Aug. 23 - Grand Rapids, 4 p.m.; Thursday, Aug. 24 - Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational, 9 a.m.; Wednesday, Aug. 30 - East Grand Forks, 12-noon; Friday/Saturday, Sept. 29 - Lake Hubert Invitational, 3 p.m./9 a.m.; Monday, Sept. 11 - Crookston Triangular, 3:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 2 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 22 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Brainerd Invitational, 9 a.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - Bemidji Northwest Tournament, 12-noon; Thursday, Sept. 28 - Prowler Invitational, 12 noon; Saturday, Sept. 30 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 11:30 a.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 3 - at Roseau, 4 p.m.

1995 TRF Volleyball

Tuesday, Sept. 5 - Crookston, 6/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 7 - at Stephen, 5:16/7 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 9 - Roseau Invitational, 9 a.m.; Monday, Sept. 11 - at Red Lake County Central, 6/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 14 - at Bemidji, 6/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - East Grand Forks, 6/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 21 - Detroit Lakes, 6/7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational, 8 a.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - Roseau, 6/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 28 - Fosston, 6/7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 30 - TRF Northern Lites Invitational, 9 a.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 3 - Moorhead, 6/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 5 - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, 6/7:30 p.m.; Monday, Oct. 9 - Win-E-Mac, 6/7:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 13 - at East Grand Forks, 6/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 17 - at Fergus Falls, 6:30/7 p.m.

1995 TRF Cross Country

Thursday, Sept. 7 - at Roseau, 4:30 p.m.; Monday, Sept. 11 - at Warroad, 4:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 14 - at Crookston, 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - at Bagley, 4:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 21 - at Detroit Lakes, 4:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 28 - at East Grand Forks, 4 p.m.; Monday, Oct. 2 - Thief River Falls Invitational, 4:15 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 7 - at Alexandria, 10 a.m.; Thursday, Oct. 12 - at Hawley, 4:30 p.m.; Monday, Oct. 16 - at Park Rapids, 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 17 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.

Pioneers scheduled to report on Aug. 25

Fall sports programs at Northland Community and Technical College will get underway Friday, Aug. 25.

Northland volleyball and football players are to report that day for orientation, when they will receive an athletic physical, fill out health history forms, complete insurance forms that are required by the National Junior College Athletic Association, and pay fees.

Volleyball players are to report to the Northland gym at 8 a.m. Football players will receive reporting times in the mail. Anyone not contacted by Aug. 18 is encouraged to call football coach Gene Klinke at 681-0866.

First practice sessions for Klinke's football squad and the Shari Olson-coached volleyball team will be held Saturday, Aug. 26.

Athletic trainer George Judd, along with Dr. James Langeland and physical therapist/head of sports medicine Bonnie Davidson, will again be providing services for the Northland teams.

"We are very excited about the beginning of the 1995-96 season for the Pioneer athletic teams," said Northland athletic director Rick Nelson. "We also proud of the fact that we have continued our working relationships with Northwest Medical Center and Dakota Clinic, Thief River Falls branch, in providing the sports medicine team to our program. These individuals are quality people who will help ensure that our athletes are getting the proper coverage to prevent injuries and to help rehabilitate those who have been injured in competition."

1995 Northland Football

Saturday, Sept. 9 - Worthington, 12-noon; Saturday, Sept. 16 - Fergus Falls, 1:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - at Willmar, 1:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 30 - at Mesabi, 1:30 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 5 - at Itasca, 7 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 12 - Vermilion, 8 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 19 - Hibbing, 1:30 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 28 - at Central Lakes, 1:30 p.m.

1995 Northland Volleyball

Friday, Sept. 8 - Northland Triangular, 4:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Sept. 13 - Itasca, 6:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 15 - at Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 16 - at Mesabi, 12-noon; Wednesday, Sept. 20 - at Concordia JV, 6:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 22 - Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Rainy River, 12-noon; Monday, Sept. 25 - at UND-Lake Region, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, Sept. 27 - at Central Lakes, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 4 - at Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 6 - at Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 7 - at Rainy River, 12-noon; Friday, Oct. 13 - Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 14 - Mesabi, 12-noon; Tuesday, 17 - at Itasca, 6:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 24 - Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 26 - Central Lakes, 3 p.m.

Jennifer Olin collects medals at state meet

Jennifer Olin, who will be a senior at Lincoln High School this year, received four medals at the Minnesota State Diving Meet Aug. 4-6 in St. Louis Park.

Medals were presented to the top eight places in each event, with about 25 divers competing in each of those events. The meet attracted divers from throughout Minnesota and a few from North Dakota.

Olin finished third in the 16-18-year-old age group on the 3-meter board with 269.6 points, seventh in the 3-meter open division with 268.2 points, fifth in the 16-18-year-old age group on the 1-meter board with 286.3 points, and eighth in the open-1-meter competition with 262.35 points.

She dives for the Northwest Diving Club, working with University of North Dakota diving coach Brian Strom.

Meanwhile, four Thief River Falls Swim Club members took part in the North Dakota USS Long Course Championships Aug. 4-6 at UND.

Andrea Olin, part of the girls 13-14 age group, was 36th in the 100 breaststroke in 1:45.41.

Zach Olson, boys ages 13-14, was sixth in the 200 freestyle in 2:30.19; eighth in the 50 freestyle, 31.44; eighth in the 200 I.M., 3:01.97; ninth in the 100 freestyle, 1:04.44; and fourth in the 400 freestyle, 5.18.87.

Nate Keller, boys ages 15-over, was 11th in the 200 freestyle 2:36.54; and 15th in the 50 freestyle, 31.31.

Chris Pribula, boys ages 15-over, was fourth in the 200 freestyle, 2:22.12; ninth in the 200 I.M., 2:58.37; seventh in the 100 freestyle, 1:05.65; and sixth in the 400 freestyle, 5:09.39.

Franklin 7th, 8th grade volleyball starts August 28

Franklin Middle School girls in grades 7 and 8 who are planning to play volleyball this fall should report for the start of practice Monday, Aug. 28.

Practice sessions in the Franklin gym will feature the seventh graders from 3 to 4:30 p.m. and the eighth graders from 5 to 6:30 p.m.

Players should pick up and return the necessary forms at the School District 564 activities office at Lincoln High School and then bring the white card to the first practice.

Michelle Erickson, telephone 681-4291, is the seventh grade volleyball coach. Amy Roche, telephone 681-8804, will coach the eighth graders.

Tootsie Rollers meet on Tuesday, Aug. 22

Women who will be participating in the Tuesday Tootsie Rollers bowling league for 1995-96 are encouraged to attend the league's annual fall organizational meeting Tuesday, August 22, at 7 p.m. at the Family Bowl.

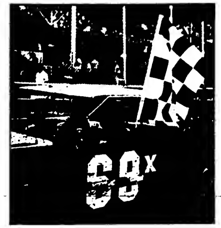
Football equipment issued to 8th grade players Aug. 23, 24

Football equipment for Franklin Middle School eighth graders will be issued Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 23 and 24.

The equipment will be issued from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Franklin skating rink warming house, located on the south side of the school, not in the school gym as announced earlier.

Sportsmen's Club to meet Thursday

Pennington County Sportsmen's Club monthly meeting will be held Thursday, Aug. 17, at 7:30 p.m. at the club house.



Stan Olson of Thief River Falls won the Sportsman's Feature at the Warren Race Track Sunday. Pictured above Olson holds the checkered flag. Rod Peterson of Thief River Falls finished second in the 10-lap event.

Minnesota deer hunting licenses made available

The 1995 Minnesota regulations, deer hunting licenses, and applications for antlerless permits and special hunts are now available from county auditor offices, license vendors, and the Department of Natural Resources License Bureau in St. Paul. The application deadline for antlerless permits and special hunts is Thursday, Sept. 7, except that applications for the Camp Ripley archery hunt must be received by Aug. 18.

The firearms deer season will open Nov. 4, archery deer season Sept. 16, and muzzleloader deer season Nov. 25.

A total of 201,525 antlerless permits are being offered, an increase of 1 percent from last year, and the third highest total ever. Compared to 1994, permit numbers are down 2 percent in Zone 1 (northeastern Minnesota), down 1 percent in Zone 2 (northwestern to east-central transition areas), up 6 percent in Zone 3 (southeastern Minnesota), and up 3 percent in Zone 4 (southern and western Minnesota). In addition, there are 39 special hunts being offered to archery, firearms, and muzzleloader hunters in parks and refuges that are not normally open to hunting and where hunter numbers must be limited.

Hunters who applied for either an antlerless permit or firearms special hunt in 1994 have been mailed a DNR postcard with a peel-off label for use on the permit application form. Hunters are encouraged to use the labels to minimize the possibility of errors and reduce data entry costs. Hunters are also encouraged to mail their permits early to avoid the last minute rush, and to reduce the chances of applications being lost or misplaced in the mail. A preference system will be used to draw successful applicants for both antlerless and special hunt permits.

The most significant regulation changes for deer hunters this fall:

- Shooting hours for all firearms and archery deer hunting have been extended to one-half hour after sunset.
- A new $5 firearms deer license, without a tag, is available for youth under age 16 that allows the youth to hunt when accompanied by a hunter at least 18 years of age who possesses a valid tag.
- The archery deer season has been extended through the end of December throughout most of the state, with the exception of several registration blocks in the extreme northeastern corner of the state.
- Archery bows no longer need to be cased or unstrung while in the field during closed hours.
- Registration procedures have been simplified and standardized for both archery and firearms hunting.

THANK YOU

The 1995 MinnAqua Fishing Clinic, which was held on August 9th at Red Robe Park Fishing Pier, was a great success. The MinnAqua Fishing Clinic is a program designed to teach angling recreation as well as ecology, conservation and the ethics of fishing. This was proven by the 160 excited kids who turned out for a great day of learning and fishing. The City of Thief River Falls Parks and Recreation Department would like to give a special thanks to the following individuals and businesses who made this day possible:

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TRF Sports Boosters start season Aug. 24

A list of weekly Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club guest speakers has been announced for the first half of the 1995-96 season.

Club president John Michael Anderson encouraged those interested in Thief River Falls, Lincoln High School and Northland Community and Technical College activities to become involved in Sports Boosters activities and attend the Thursday 12-noon luncheon meetings at the Elks Club.

"We need to support our youth and the coaches who give their time to work with team," said Anderson.

The first Sports Boosters meeting of the season will be held Aug. 24 when School District 564 director of student activities Jim Sims and Northland athletic director Rick Nelson will be the guest speakers.

All fall coaches have been invited to attend the meeting to meet with members of the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club, said Anderson. "We hope to have a good delegation of athletic and academic boosters from our community in attendance as well," he added.

Sports Boosters Guest Speakers

Aug. 24 - School District 564 director of student activities Jim Sims; Northland Community and Technical College athletic director Rick Nelson.

Aug. 31 - Lincoln High School football coach Jeff Mumm; Lincoln cross country coach Caara Holmstrom.

Sept 7 - Northland Community and Technical College football coach Gene Klinke; Northland volleyball coach Shari Olson.

Sept. 14 - Lincoln High School volleyball coach Helen Anderson; Lincoln girls swimming coach Scott Hetherington; Lincoln girls tennis coach Sylvia Sjoberg.

Sept. 21 - Northland Community and Technical College president Dr. Orley Gunderson.

Sept. 28 - media day.

Oct. 5 - School District 564 superintendent Mark Hinkley.

Oct. 12 - special guest speaker.

Oct. 19 - tournament/playoff update from all fall coaches.

Oct. 26 - Janet Haak Aarness, Northland Community and Technical College theatre department; Les Torgerson, Northland music department.

Nov. 2 - School District 564 director of student activities Jim Sims; Northland Community and Technical College athletic director Rick Nelson.

Nov 9 - Bruce Falt, Lincoln High School board; Darcey Reese, Lincoln choir; Connie Stock, Lincoln theatre.

Nov 16 - Lincoln High School hockey coach Pat Cullen.

TRF Park and Rec tennis tournament results are posted

Nine classes of competition in the recently-completed Thief River Falls Park and Recreation Department tennis tournament drew 91 entries, ranging from beginners ages 7-9 to advanced beginners at the high school level.

Scott Grand served as director of the 1995 Park and Recreation tennis program, with Grand, Corey Thorson and Derek Dahlstrom working as coaches.

Tournament Results

Beginners ages 7-9 - 1. Josh Swenson; 2. Kalla Seed; consolation - Chasity Johnson def. McKenzie Comalock.

Beginners ages 10-12 - 1. Sam Harger; 2. Josh Frazier; consolation - Brenda Wood def. Kylie Brazier.

Advanced beginners ages 8-10 - 1. Lona Lopac; 2. Eryn Clow; consolation - Paul Sjoberg def. Katie Schommer.

Advanced beginners ages 11-over - 1. Amber Gerardy; 2. Heather Fellman; consolation - Senja Lopac def. David Fellman.

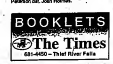
Intermediate girls - 1. Beth Pedilla; 2. Heather Hanson; consolation - Nicole Wiseth def. Carl Harbott.

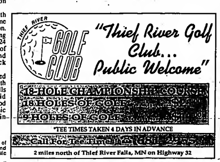
Intermediate boys - 1. Michael Kimball; 2. Matthew Dimich; consolation - Kevin Odetta.

Advanced intermediate girls singles - 1. Elizabeth Odetta; 2. Leslie Ihle; consolation - Ann Gustafson def. Deirdre Dally.

Advanced intermediate girls doubles - 1. Kate Ihle-Elizabeth Odetta; 2. Kathie Harbott-Ann Gustafson; consolation - Kim Kirkeide-Jennifer Gonsorowski def. Jennifer Kimball-Deirdre Dally.

Advanced intermediate boys - 1. Tom Fogarty; 2. Bally Nordin; consolation - Shane Peterson def. Josh Holmes.





Speeding citations listed in Pennington county court bulletin

Several speeding citations were listed in the Pennington County citation Disposition Bulletin for the previous week.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Kathryn Ann Hedlund, Erskine, 41, seat belt usage, $47.25; Conley Dale Larson, Thief River Falls, 32, 65/55, $64.50; Ray Fields, Thief River Falls, 40, 65/55, $64.50; Stacy Kay Hahn, Thief River Falls, 23, 65/55, $64.50; Elroy William Jones, Thief River Falls, 24, open beer in motor vehicle/passenger, $137.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Patrick James O'Brien, St. Hilaire, 21, 65/55, $64.50; Michael Jon Skjerven, Plummer, 35, 69/55, $76; Kathryn Dawn Twito, Gully, 33, seat belt usage, $47.25.

Loren Allen Adolphson, Fridley, 73, 65/55, $64.50; Duane Alan Anderson, Thief River Falls, 24, 65/55, $64.50; Ronald Dewayne Arnold, Carson City, NV, 53, 65/55, $64.50; Maureen D. Esslinger, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 33, 65/55, $64.50; Danny Lee Geer, Middle River, 47, 65/55, $64.50; Jedediah Roy Geer, Middle River, 16, 65/55, $64.50; Ned Edward Larsen, Thief River Falls, 25, failure to wear seat belt, $47.25; Wesley Charles Rogert, Grand Forks, ND, 44, 69/55, $76; Duane Peter Sahr, Grand Rapids, 28, 65/55, $64.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Shari Elizabeth Holmes, Thief River Falls, 33, 40/30, $64.50; Jill Marie Lorenson, Karlstad, 19, no seat belt, $91.52; Veronica Kay Borthwick, Thief River Falls, 22, leaving the scene of an accident, $3,428 restitution, 90 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for one year; Jason Morel Edin, Stephen, 25, open bottle/driver, $180; Curtis Robert Jourdain, Thief River Falls, 24, driving while intoxicated, $467.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Kayla Marie Trickel, International Falls, 21, failure to yield right of way, $122.50.

Agnes Mary Post, Thief River Falls, 85, leaving the scene of an accident, $7.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Chad Calmer Rud, Thief River Falls, 22, 42/30, $76; Shelly Jean Stenberg, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21, $87.50; Mark James Stengrim, Warren, 19, failure to yield right of way, $122.50; Brian Jerome Adelman, Crookston, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Dustin Jacob Black, Warroad, 18, small amount of marijuana, $258.50; Andrew Bray Hogan, Red Lake Falls, 19, 44/30, $64.50; Glennie Johannes Iverson, Thief River Falls, 75, driving after cancellation, 20 days in jail stayed for one year; Kristi Diane Jorstad, Newfolden, 28, no seat belt, $47.25; Lee Alan Osterloh, Thief River Falls, 29, trespassing, $117.50, 20 days in jail.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Ray Fields, Thief River Falls, 40, 69/55, and driving after suspension, $198.50; Penny Jo Whitcomb, Leonard, 34, issue dishonored checks, $12.50, and $26.07 restitution; John George Garcia, Strandquist, 19, open bottle/passenger, $180; Royce Marlon Pederson, Edinburg, TX, 41, open bottle/driver, $180; Joshua Lee Suhr, Red Lake Falls, 18, 69/55, $76; Lennie Ray Thode, Red Lake Falls, 17, aggravated driving while intoxicated, $1,057.50, one year in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years.

Burglary, thefts from businesses in TRF solved

Joshua Goulet of Thief River Falls is in custody facing charges of burglary and escape following an investigation into burglaries at several businesses in Thief River Falls.

According to a police detective, a local man was caught coming out of a downtown office between 12 and 1 a.m. on August 4. The man asked directions to apartment 13 in a downtown building. He was told that there was no such room and he left. The owner of the building went into his office and discovered that someone had gone through the office. The same day the same individual was caught in the office and this time he thanked the property owner for directions the previous night and left.

On August 12 at 8:05 p.m. officers on patrol spotted the individual and arrested him. As he was let out of the squad car at the law enforcement center the individual began to run away. A pursuit ensued and the man, now identified as Joshua Marvin Goulet, 19, Thief River Falls, was found hiding in a yard on South Knight. The man now faces an additional charge for escape.

Upon further investigation, police believe the individual was responsible for burglaries at five businesses. He also is supposed to have entered several other downtown businesses without getting any money. The total amount of money believed to have been taken in the thefts was estimated at over $3,000 in cash and checks.

Goulet is in custody pending formal charges.

Criminal damage to property. On August 8 the police department announced they are charging a 13-year-old, and 11-year-old male, and a 16-year-old female with burglary in the third degree and criminal damage to property following an investigation into vandalism at Ehrenstrom Shop on Highway 59 South. The incident was reported on July 27. Damage loss was estimated at $2,500.

Theft. On August 8 at 3:28 p.m. Joyce Adele Waale, 35, Karlstad, was arrested and is being held on charges of felony theft in connection with a shoplifting incident at Kmart. According to a law enforcement center spokesperson, store personnel caught a woman taking items from the store without paying for them. An officer also found items in the person's car. The total theft loss was $741.47. Waale and two juvenile females were arrested and taken into custody. A 13-year-old female and 15-year-old female from Karlstad also face charges.

Disorderly conduct. On August 8 at 10:50 p.m. police were called to St. Bernard's church in regard to a man sleeping in the entryway. While talking with the individual he became abusive and disorderly. He was asked to pack his items and he was taken to the law enforcement center and charged with disorderly conduct. The man was identified as Walter August Wolberg, 81, no address.

Arrested. On August 8 at 10:03 p.m. police were dispatched to the 100 block of South Conley in regards to a disturbance call. Subject had been warned to stay away from the residence so he was arrested and taken into custody: Timothy Charles Holmseth, 26, Thief River Falls.

Accidents. On August 9 at 4:10 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Eighth and Atlantic. Gerhart Christian Haugen, Thief River Falls, was driving a car north on Atlantic, and Rollie Van Boldt, Roseau, driving a car west on Eighth Street. The vehicles collided in the intersection. Boldt complained of a bump to the head. Damages were estimated at $400 to the Haugen vehicle and $3,000 to the Boldt vehicle.

On August 9 at 5:10 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of First and Merriam. Jared Ryan Alby, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on fourth when it collided with a car driven by Tara Jo Ellingson, Thief River Falls, which was stopped in traffic. Damages were estimated at $2,000 to the Alby vehicle, and $1,000 to the Ellingson vehicle.

On August 11 at 4:56 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 100 block of West Third. A pickup driven by Regan Rohl, Thief River Falls, was stopped in traffic waiting for a stop light when his pickup was struck from behind by a car driven by Craig Allen Blilie, Thief River Falls. Blilie was cited for inattentive driving. Damages were estimated at $400 to the Rohl vehicle and $600 to the Blilie vehicle. Blilie had a cut to his forehead and his passenger hit his head on the windshield.

On August 14 at 4:30 p.m. the police department received a report of an accident at Conley and Nora. According to the police report, Rebecca Lynn Alford, Thief River Falls, was driving east on Nora when a car driven by Toni Lynn Zornes, Thief River Falls, failed to stop at a stop sign and entered the intersection going south on Conley where the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $2,000 to the Alford vehicle and $400 to the Zornes vehicle. Zornes was cited for failure to yield.

Driving while intoxicated. On August 12 at 2:18 a.m. law enforcement officials stopped a vehicle. Jerry Wayne Breiland, 42, Bozeman, MT, was charged with driving while intoxicated and possession of a small amount of marijuana in the vehicle. Debra DeHaan-Breiland, Bozeman, MT, was cited for possession of a small amount of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Consumption under age. On August 11 at 1:57 p.m. police cited a 15-year-old juvenile male with consumption under age after receiving a complaint of a disturbance at the Third Street boat landing.

On August 11 at 10:51 p.m. police received a complaint of underage kids drinking alcohol at a hotel on Third Street. Upon investigation a 17-year-old male was cited for consumption under age.

Assault. On August 12 at 2:35 a.m. police received a request for assistance. The individual reported that a woman had been struck. Richard Erling Lian, 39, Thief River Falls, faces a charge of gross misdemeanor fifth degree assault.

Vandalism. On August 12 at 7:55 a.m. a man came to the law enforcement center and reported that someone had kicked his pickup several times while it was parked in a downtown parking lot. Damage to the pickup was estimated at $1,000.

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Mark Hinckley joins staff as superintendent

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

"I'm excited," that sums up how Mark Hinckley feelings about his new job. Hinckley, a former administrator at Nicollet, was recently hired as superintendent of Thief River Falls schools. He arrived in town a few short days ago and had his first official board meeting on Monday, August 14.

Mark and his wife Heidi have two children, Eric and Tina. Eric has a career in the Army and will be starting Officer Candidate school in the months ahead. He and his wife Julie have two sons, Grant and Garrett. Tina is a graduate assistant in Michigan working on her Masters degree in student personnel and housing.

Mark is an active man who enjoys the outdoors, especially canoeing, fishing and hunting. He also likes lifting weights and working on cars. He finished putting his Corvette back together just last week. Mark is also an avid reader, he enjoys books and educational material, as well as magazines. Mark reads Discovery magazine frequently which helps him track the technology available to schools. He also enjoys attending plays and concerts which vary from classical to easy listening to rock and roll.

Goals for the coming year

Mark says that his first goal as superintendent is to pass a referendum in November. He says he hopes the community will say "yes" to educating kids. His second goal is to get to know the location of every single house in the school district. His third is to get to know the names and faces of adults and kids in the district.

He also hopes to sit down with the board and other community members and develop a strategic plan. He wants to learn what the community's hope and desires are for kids and work with families and community leaders to accomplish these goals. Mark said that moving to a district that is in such good shape will be an unusal experience for him. When he moved to Nicollet, the district was one of the worst in the state. He worked in Nicollet for 19 years and in that time, the school system has improved dramatically. It is one of the few small schools left in the state that has not had to consolidate or be swallowed up by a bigger school.

By January or February Mark hopes to be in the classrooms, visiting and observing the teachers and students, really, becoming aware of what is going on in each class. When Mark was in Thief River Falls for his interview, he got the sense that his attitude is similar to the community's attitude.

"We want to take care of the kids," he said. "Let's get it done."

Thoughts on education

A lot of people are critical of the U. S. system of education, says Mark, but he feels we can have world-class education here in Thief River Falls. The Hinckleys have family all over the world, so they know quite a lot about the education systems of Canada, Germany and other countries. After studying other systems and the US system, Mark believes the critics are wrong. We can compete on a world level, but it takes a commitment from everyone. Education is the only thing we have to pass on to the next generation, so it's important to make a commitment to superior education.

"The kids we educate today will do the adults' heart surgery (in the future)," explains Mark. "We need to make sure each person develops to his of her fullest potential and recognize that potential is different in everyone.

Mark also feels that families are critical to education.

"Kids need to grow up where they know they are loved and with good discipline."

Mark knows his job is a big one. Sometimes people expect him to walk on water than turn it into wine.

"I think people expect a superintendent to be all things to all people."

He stresses that he too is only human with the same hopes and dreams that most people have. He points out that an educational leader is different from other leaders because, aside from his concerns for kids, he also has to run the business end of things such as managing the building and the budget. He needs to recognize what things are necessary educational tools and improvements and what are fads. He is also a liaison between the public and the school board. He is looked at as someone who will set the direction for education. He is expected to be approachable and a good listener.

Mark says one thing people have to remember is that the whole system runs on money, if there is no money, there is no new equipment, there is no staff training, there are no improvements or change. What is taught today isn't really different from what the generations before learned. However, how it is taught has changed dramatically, both the style and the equipment.

Sometimes, though, things don't need to be changed and Mark agrees with the old saying, "If it ain't broke don't fix it."

A sense of belonging

Mark fills the critia he listed for a superintendent. He is soft spoken and describes himself as quiet. Although some may expect a leader to be more outspoken, and not so quiet, perhaps it is his ability to be quiet and listen that allows him to sort through all the information he receives and decide what works and what doesn't.

Most of all Mark is excited to start his new job because he loves kids and he is dedicated to helping them reach their potential. He got that same feeling from the board and from one end of town to the other. He said that 10 minutes into the interview he felt he belonged here.

"Everything I have heard says to me I want to be part of the team," said Mark. "I'm really excited about joining a community that cares about their kids."

Mark says that 19 churches in one town says something positive about the priorities of a town. Priorities should be God, family, and friends, and everything else will take care of itself, he says.

He hopes that when he starts here, people will introduce themselves and give their names the first few times he meets them, so he can get to know folks' names.

"Kids who graduate from Thief River Falls can graduate with heads held high," said Mark. Every kid needs to be loved and be brought along as fast as they can go in a safe, loving environment. Together communities can accomplish this.

"I am just one blade of grass in that yard, it takes all of us to make that yard look good...and maybe plant a few flowers."

Jim Sims is new district activities director

By Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

He's back. After nearly 20 years at the University of Minnesota Crookston, Jim Sims is returning to Thief River Falls. The former Lincoln High School physical education teacher is the new activities director for Thief River Falls public schools.

Sims has come full circle in his career. He left the district to achieve a goal and he returned to the district to achieve a goal. Sims began teaching and coaching football and track at LHS in 1966. In 1976, he left the district to fulfill his dream to be a college instructor and coach. He worked as an instructor in health, physical education, and recreation and was a head football coach and head track coach for 19 years. When the position of activities director opened up at Thief River Falls, Sims said he took a step back and thought about what was right for him. He knew that being an activities director was one of his career goals. He knew that August is a bad time to leave a football program. He also knew that if he waited a few more years, the opportunity may not arise. After weighing all the pros and cons, he decided that it was time for him to move on.

He admits the move hasn't been easy. He is still commuting from Crookston because he and his wife haven't been able to sell their house. And there is an awful lot of work to be done before the fall sports seasons start. He credits Nancy Harbott, Terry Soine and Tom Hunt with helping him get settled and get things done. In his two weeks at school, Sims hired nine people from coachs to stage managers.

Sims' immediate goals are to get coaches in place, find keys, arrange for buses, and in short, take care of all the priliminary things that are necessary to have in place when the fall season starts. Once things have settled down a bit, Sims will have a chance to evaluate the overall activities program and define its strengths and weaknesses.

"I don't think we have problems in 564, we have some concerns," says Sims. He believes in circumventing weaknesses and building on strengths.

Sims has very definite expectations for coaches and participants. First of all, he expects coaches to be happy, if they are not happy, no one is. He stresses that being happy doesn't mean, that life doesn't take hard work. It does. But hard work leads to satifaction and happiness.

Second, Sims expects commitment from players and participants. Students need commitment to themselves, to the program and to the coach. They need to come to practice with determination to make each practice the best they have had.

He also wants students to have a sense that the community has given them something special in the form of a strong activities program. And he wants students to give something back to the people of Thief River Falls through community service.

Sims describes extra-curricular activities as "an intrigal part of the total education process at 564." It is an open arena where no one has to wonder what is happening. People can see what students and coaches are doing and trying to do.

"We have an outstanding program (which is) constantly committed to excellence."

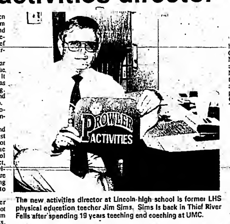
Students are told and understand that they must first and foremost get good grades. If they do not uphold the standards set by the Minnesota State High School League and by the school district, they will not participate in activities. Every student is made aware of these stardards at the beginning of the season and is expected to perform accordingly.

Now that Sims is no longer teaching or coaching, he says a lot of his enjoyment will come from watching the success of others. Seeing the students in a variety of activities strive for and often achieve their goals can be a rewarding experience. Sims may be too busy to even miss coaching.

"College coaching is seven days a week," he said. "This might be close."

Sims does not mind the hard work, adding that he likes to be busy. He takes his job seriously and believes if you are going to do something, do it right. He is hoping to get a little time to indulge in his hobbies though. He bought a gun 20 years ago when he lived in Thief River Falls, and has yet to use it. Maybe this fall he will get a chance.

In any event, Sims is dedicated to helping kids develop into well-rounded, multi-faceted people. He wants students in Thief River Falls to be prepared to face the challeges of an ever-changing future.



The new activities director at Lincoln high school is former LHS physical education teacher Jim Sims. Sims is back in Thief River Falls after spending 19 years teaching and coaching at UMC.

Changes in Farm Business staff at NCTC

With the advent of the new state system, the eight Farm Business Management program located at northwestern Minnesota high schools were required to transfer to Northland Community and Technical College at Thief River Falls at Thief River Falls, according to Tom Risdal, Regional Dean of Management Education. The eight transfer programs and instructors are:

Barnesville — Ron Salber
Fergus Falls — Lance Brower
Fosston — Doug Fjerstad
Hawley — Dennis Olsen
Lake of the Woods,
Baudette — Gerald Ausmus
Mahnomen/Ulen - Mike Lockhart
Red Lake Falls - Greg Kalinoski
Roseau — Duane Jaenicke

At the same time, when Northland Community and Technical College removed itself from Northwest Technical College, an agreement was reached with Northwest Technical College that their Farm Business Management and Specialty Crops Management programs also transfer to Northland Community and Technical College. Those instructors and locations are:

NTC, Bemidji
Jim Sackett, FBM Instructor
Steve Ziegler, FBM Instructor
NTC, Detroit Lakes
Mark Berg, FBM Instructor
Paul Ramsey, FBM Instructor
Cindy Jo Bailly, SCM Instructor
Dell Christianson, SCM Instructor
NTC, Moorhead
Rick Morgan, FBM Instructor
Greg Tullis, FBM Instructor

Lloyd Bohnsack, former Small Business Management instructor at Northwest Technical College, was hired by Northland Community and Technical College as a Small Business Management instructor who will work in the Detroit Lakes area.

The Management Center now has a total of 23 instructors — two in Specialty Crops Management, two in Small Business Management and 19 in Farm Business Management — located throughout northwestern Minnesota.

Beth Jackson joins the faculty at Our Saviour's Christian Academy

Beth Jackson is the newest staff member at Our Saviour's Christian Academy.

She is a May 1995 graduate of Northwestern College in Roseville with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education. She has also studied at Northern Michigan University and the American Lutheran Bible School in Plymouth.

Her student plac ement was with second grade students at Messiah Lutheran Academy in St. Paul. She has also had several pre-student teaching and observation experiences with students in grades one through six.

Beth says she is looking forward to her first year of teaching at Our Saviour's Academy and living in the community of Thief River Falls.

Alice Holstad, media specialist at LHS, and Terry Soline discuss plane before they begin shooting the video they will use for ninth grade orientation at Lincoln. This is the second year they will use the video format for orientation.

Principals excited for new school year

Summer vacation is almost over, but for some, there is no summer vacation. The principals of Lincoln High School, Franklin Middle School, and Challenger Elementary School working hard this summer to prepare for the 1995-96 school year. Each faces different challenges and changes in the upcoming year.

Lincoln High School

There will be some new faces at LHS this fall in administration, science, English and music. Mark Hinckley joins the staff as superintendent. Jan Sina is the new activities director. Scott Steinberg will be a new science teacher. Derek Druse is the new orchestra instructor.

The new science teachers are a result of adding new science classes. The school has added a global studies program which studies science and environmental issues on state, national and world-wide levels. New science classes like environmental studies and astronomy are becoming popular classes at LHS and they give students a chance to apply basic science principles.

Aside from the dynamics of new people, principal Terry Soine is interested in a new approach to learning through SCANS assessment. SCANS is an experience in which Karlstad, Fosston, Pelican Rapids and Lincoln are participating. It is designed to help students apply what they are learning in the classroom to real life situations and careers. The participating schools are pilots for the nation, says Soine. If the program works, it could give a whole new meaning to a high school diploma.

Lincoln will have some aesthetic improvements this fall. The school will be a little brighter this fall with a fresh coat of paint on the walls of the second floor. Painting on the second floor started this week. There is some landscaping being done on the west side of Lincoln. New wall and tile will improve the looks of the school lunch room.

Enrollment is higher this year than last year, in part from the increase of students coming in from the middle school. Some also foresee more packages arriving from other countries.

Franklin Middle School

"A lot of kids." That's how principal Bill Hanes sums up his thoughts on the coming school year. Projected enrollment is 200 sixth graders, 186 seventh graders and 192 eighth graders. That' s a total of 578 students, more than last year or the year before. Budget restrictions resulted in staff cuts, so there will be a shortage of teachers to divide the students among. Classes are divided into sections of 27 students this year, they are in sections of 33 kids. There is also a shortage of text books for the sixth grade.

Other than the student teacher ratio, things are going well. Many of the classrooms at FMS received a fresh coat of paint this summer. Although the building is not completely finished, Hanes projects that everything will be ready on time.

A positive change is that the Buffalo Leadership Team will have a bigger role in site place decision-making. The BLT consists of six teachers, one non-certified person, one administrator and two parents. In cases were the decisions involve rules or other policies affecting the students, two students are included. The team put together a five-year strategic plan and a building decision-making matrix. They will also plan how to spend their staff development.

Some of the new faces at Franklin are not new to the district, but are new to the building. They include Pat Collins, seventh grade physical education/health, Val Austad, returning Counselor/School Psychologist, Nancy Hendrickson, media center aide, Heidi Sletten, part aide, Gabe Hanson, EMH and Donna Knott EBD. Vicky Jensen will be the new school nurse. The new orchestra instructor Derek Druse will also be teaching at FMS.

Plans are underway for Franklin's Back-to-School Open House on August 29 at 7 p.m. Students and parents will have a chance to meet teachers and get to 'know students' schedules.

"I'm excited about the new year, kids and staff," said Hanes.

Challenger Elementary School

Principal Glenn Espe said things are going to go at Challenger. Unlike last year, they will be able to start the school year.

New equipment includes Palm Pilots, one fifth grade teacher, Rita Jensen, half-time Title I teacher, Beverly Dickkers, half-time classroom teacher and Marsha Knutlis, half-time music teacher.

"We're looking forward to a really good year," said Espe. "We fun to see everyone back the first day."

Espe said is looking forward to meeting with different expectations. Each principal faces different challenges and different solutions. But they all have one thing in common. They are all dedicated to helping kids be their best and have a successful school year.

Glenn Espe and Faye Rouland are looking forward to another great year at Challenger Elementary school. The staff is ready: the building is ready, and best of all, the playground is ready!!

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New parents' library at St. Bernard's

St. Bernard's, like most schools, is looking forward to fall and the new school year. As with many schools, there will be some changes and new programs.

The parents library will now be located in the administrative office this year. On the tables and shelves will be books, pamphlets and video tapes on parenting, marriage and family, relationships and spirituality. Parents are welcome to stop in and have a cup of coffee with the principal and take time to look over the materials available. All materials may be checked out.

Returning staff members are Jennifer Hocking, Patty Brekkestran, Shelly Burkel, Pat Kyntonen, Laura Hiland, Laura Erickson, Pauline Schmaltz, Kyomi Nagahashi, Judy Dupree and Dr. Dixie Klein.

St. Bernard's Catholic School follows Thief River Falls District #564 schools as closely as possible. This cooperative agreement between schools is necessary because District #564 is responsible for providing transportation for students attending St. Bernard's. There are special occasions, however, when the schedules differ.

All school prayer services will be held three days a week, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Students and faculty members will meet in the gathering space at 8:35 a.m. Parents and parishioners are always welcome to join in prayer. This year, children who attend St. Bernard's School, but are members of another church, will have the opportunity to invite the pastors from their own parishes to hold a prayer service. Classroom prayer is held on Fridays to provide a special time for teachers and students to pray together. Faculty prayer is at 8:05 a.m. in the principal's office. Parents are invited to join the faculty at prayer time or call the school with special intentions.

All school Mass is held at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday. The grades will nurture planning and preparing the liturgies to include commentators, readers, cantors and the presenting of the gifts. This year, more parents involvement will be stressed and parents are asked to join their children for liturgies.

In early June, St. Pat Murphy came to St. Bernard's Catholic School and met with men and women of the parish who were interested in serving on the school committee. The discernment process was used to facilitate the meeting with Deb Wiegum discerning as the newest school committee member. Since that time, Joann Paravento came forth and expressed a sincere desire to also be on the school committee.

The faculty of St. Bernard's is invited to attend the Minnesota Catholic Education Convention in St. Cloud on August 24 and 25. The NCEA is a growing part of the largest professional association of Catholic Elementary and Secondary Education Associations. Dr. Dixie Klein has been invited to serve as Chair for the upcoming NCEA Convention to be held in Philadelphia, Pa in April. Klein, along with 30 other principals were selected to participate in NCEA Principals Academy at the NCEA headquarters in Washington, DC this summer, one must to choose one area of expertise in Chair. Dr. Kline chose the area of Multicultural education.

Kyomi Nagahashi will return to Thief River Falls this month to teach Conversational Japanese and Culture to students at St. Bernard's. She is the fourth teacher who has facilitated the language and culture program at St. Bernard's. Kyomi will reside as a guest in the home of Darryl and Patty Breitkopf throughout her assistantship. The program is made possible through a cooperative agreement between St. Bernard's school and the International Japanese Intern Program in Tokyo, Japan. Dr. Klein is the local contact person and coordinates the program at the school.

The school has added a Hands on Science focus to its science curriculum. Students at the school will actually be doing science instead of reading about it and answering questions about it.

In keeping with the school's curriculum plan, FOSS Science will be integrated onto the current science curriculum and correlated with the Instructional Guidelines set forth by the Diocesan Education Office. FOSS consists of science manipulatives and focuses on developing the following critical thinking skills: observing, formulating questions, generating a hypothesis, manipulating, selecting variables, comparing/contrasting, predicting, measuring, organizing, inferring, predicting, communicating, and defining operationally and experimenting. The program is three through five this year. Next year, grades one through six. Kits will be purchased for the primary grades.

(Contributed by Dr. Dixie Klein, principal)

Early Childhood teachers from Head Start, Learning Readiness, ECFE and Early Childhood special education met to discuss the Challenger open houses on August 31 and other plans for the upcoming school year. From left to right are Cindy Clow, Karen Odegard (back of her head), Ruth Brunkhort and Lisa Berg.

Tips for parents on handling homework

Agree with your child on homework rules, such as when homework must be done, where it should be done and what will happen if it is not completed. Insist that homework be finished before the child can watch TV.

Set up a place for your child to do homework. Provide a desk or kitchen table, provide good light and less distractions. Provide necessary supplies, including paper, pencils and dictionary.

Expect your child to do homework each night. Ask about homework assignments and emphasize that you think doing homework is an important activity.

Help with homework when you are at home so you can supervise and help. If this is not possible, be sure to check on homework assignments each evening. Ask your child to note any problems that will require your assistance.

Be sure your child understands all homework assignments. Work out an example beforehand.

Don't do your child's homework. Instead, work with and encourage your child to complete it. If you do a homework, it is finished for a teacher and not your child's backpack or book bag before bedtime. Neither parents nor teachers benefit from a mad scramble to complete a forgotten assignment or a hunt through the house for missed homework.

Keep track of your child's homework assignments and ask to see them.

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Getting help with homework at the library

The Thief River Falls Public Library offers students a head start on assignments this year. Here are a few tips.

1. Before visiting the public library, check the school library for information. School library materials are based on the curriculum, so the school library purchases materials to help students who are researching classroom assignments. The public library fills the needs of people in the area from birth to death and is no substitute for the school library, it is, however, a great resource for additional information once the resources of the school library have been exhausted.

2. Bring all necessary materials to the library including pencils, paper, assignment sheets, library card and change for the photocopier (10 cents).

3. Make sure of what the assignment is. Also be sure of the date it is due and how much information is needed. (For example, one does not need as much information for a one-page paper as for a 10-page paper.)

4. Start early. The more time one has to gather information, the better one's chances of finding the information needed. Waiting too long may mean there may be no time to get information from another library.

5. Ask for help. The public library assistants are trained to help locate information and are happy to help.

6. The World Book Encyclopedia is not the only place to find information. Use all the resources available in the library. That includes books, magazines, videocassettes, audiocassettes, computer software and pamphlets. Plan information that is not in the library may be available from another library through interlibrary loan books.

7. Jot down where information was found. Include the author, title, publisher, date, volume, and number of the pages used.

8. For simple information, like library hours, a definition or word, or the availability of a book, call the library at 681-4325. For more involved questions and answers, go to the library and ask for help.

9. The library hours for September through May are as follows:

Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Friday - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday - 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday (October-April) 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

10. The library's catalog is on the Internet. Through the library, will open the catalog for the public to use on individuals' home computers, provided they are connected to the Internet. Requests may then be entered online. Watch The Times for more details later this fall.

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NCTC reorganizes to serve students for the future

Dr. Orley Gunderson, president of the newly merged Northland Community and Technical College (NCTC) has outlined three main goals for the 1995-96 academic year and into the future. The college is a merger of Northland Community College and the Thief River Falls campus of Northwest Technical College.

The first goal is to develop new programs and services on the campus while striving to create a new vision and image.

"We must be flexible, high-tech, and provide programs that are both short term and long term," he said. "The key is to provide the type of training needed, whether it be one hour, one day, one month or one year."

The second goal outlined by Dr. Gunderson is in the area of staff development.

"We have good, dedicated employees working at the college," he said. "Many of them are in new roles as a result of the merger. We must provide workshops and seminars in order to keep productivity and morale high."

The administrative team has been busy troubleshooting and brainstorming to anticipate possible problems that might occur once classes begin in an effort to make corrections. Dr. Gunderson is the first to admit that there are bound to be some "glitches" in the system and asks students to be patient and understanding during this time of transition.

"We will do our best to solve any problems that might arise in a quick convenient manner," he said.

Third goal includes developing new partnerships with area high school, universities, businesses and industries. By creating stronger ties, Dr. Gunderson is convinced that the opportunity for NCTC students to succeed will be greater no matter which path they choose to follow once they leave Northland.

"Dr. Gunderson has already begun actively working on this goal. Examples are locating of the Minnesota Job Services Office on campus this fall and expansion of the farm management program to serve a number of communities in the region.

"We will have a much closer relationship with business, industry and agriculture as a result of these changes," he said.

Dr. Gunderson's challenge lies not only in accomplishing the stated goals but in trying to accomplish them with a reduction in available funding. Gov. Arne Carlson made it clear in a letter to colleges and universities under the new MnSCU organization that they will have to learn to live with less funding in the future.

Despite the challenges that lie ahead, Dr. Gunderson remains optimistic and excited about the upcoming school year. The president said he plans to remain focused on the students, the college and the employees in that order as the combined college moves to meet the educational needs of today and the future.

Under the reorganization, a number of people have been moved into various supervisory roles. A list of these and a brief description of their duties includes the following:

Dr. Orley Gunderson, President —He will serve as chief executive officer of the college and provide leadership and direction to all components and publics of the college in carrying out the mission statement at a quality level.

Sue Minnick, Vice President—She will be the officer of the college for all instructional, student services and administrative services matters, working with the president in a second level position.

Tom Rindal, Regional Dean of Management Education—Tom will manage these programs and staff by planning, developing, evaluating, executing and monitoring policies, procedures and programs to assure the most economical, efficient and successful delivery of management education.

Roger Peterson, Director of Research and Technology—It will be Roger's duty to provide administrative leadership to the college in instructional planning and program development, grant applications for program development and enhancement, make computer purchases and supervise ITS and telecommunications in the classroom and assessment.

Cindy Cedergren, Administrative Assistant—Cindy will manage the operations of the president's office and coordinate activities of the advisory committees.

Becky Holthusen, Director of Human Resources—Becky will direct the classified and unclassified personnel management program of the college.

Rick Nelson, Coordinator of Student Activities—It will be Rick's job to manage and coordinate the efforts of the student life program, serve as athletic director for all inter-collegiate athletics and coordinate intramurals. He will serve as advisor to the student senate, serve as special events coordinator and as the contact for the multi-events cultural center which is now in the planning stages.

Dennis Bendickson, Registrar—Dennis will direct and manage the admissions, registration and records operations of the college.

Gene Klinke, Director of Minority Student Services—Gene is responsible for recruitment and retention of minority students on campus and for promotion and cultural awareness on campus by sponsoring various activities. He serves as an advisor and liaison for minority students.

Kelsy Blowers, Director of Financial Aid—Kelsy plans, organizes and administers financial aid programs at the college. It is her duty to develop and implement financial aid policies and procedures in compliance with federal and state regulations.

KSRQ Station Manager (to be filled)—The manager will expand and improve the facilities, equipment and on-air quality of the federally licensed broadcast station and expand and develop programs and techniques that will add students and funding through underwriting achievements. He or she will recruit students to the broadcasting program and place students.

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Reorganizing staff at NCTC

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Don Howe, Director of Enrollment Management—Don is responsible to direct and implement an enrollment management/recruitment plan for the college which includes all recruitment activities. He conducts, evaluates and interprets research and research data to determine the effectiveness of the college in serving students.

Shari Olson, Director of Custom Training—Shari will provide leadership and direction to custom training and development, represent the college customized training program and serve as a link with citizens, organizations, businesses and industry in the service area of the college.

Katy Henke, Director of College Relations—Katy will provide direction and administration of the college relations and marketing division, develop and maintain internal and external communication with all appropriate publics, assume responsibility for college publications, alumni relations and supervise the college foundation.

Karla Selk, Business Manager—Karla has responsibility for planning, organizing, staffing, directing and controlling the fiscal and auxiliary services of the college. Fiscal services include budget planning and accounting for federal, state and local funds.

Earl Frazer, Building Maintenance Foreman—Earl supervises the custodial and maintenance staff and all custodial functions to ensure cleanliness, safety, security and efficiency of the buildings and grounds and mechanical operations.

Deb Filer, Director of AD Nursing—It is Deb's responsibility to direct, plan, administer and evaluate the college AD nursing program.

Second grader Tyler Holen and his sister Kaley, who will be in first grade this fall, enjoy a visit with grandmother Colleen Holen in her Aid Association for Lutherans office. They have only a couple more weeks to visit before classes begin for the 1995-96 school year.

15 ways to help children improve self-esteem

Critical decisions in children's lives, such as whether or not to use drugs or to stay in school or drop out, are affected by their sense of self-worth — their self esteem.

Helping youngster develop self-esteem is probably the most important thing parents can do for their children, because self-esteem is the foundation on which children can build the rest of their lives.

• People with high self-esteem are capable of making good decisions, proud of their accomplishments, willing to take responsibility and able to cope with frustration.

• Self-esteem is closely tied to family and environment. When children feel that they are listened to, taken seriously and genuinely cared for, their self-esteem is high.

Here are some tips for improving self-esteem.

1. Reward children. Give praise, recognition, a special privilege or increased responsiblity for a job well done. Emphasize the good *things they do, not the bad.*

2. Take their idea, emotions and feelings seriously. Don't belittle them by saying, "You'll grow out of it" or "It's not as bad as you think."

3. Define limits and rules clearly, and enforce them. But do allow leeway for your children within these limits.

4. Be a good role model. Let your children know that you feel good about yourself. Also let them see that you too can make mistakes and can learn from them.

5. Teach your children how to deal with time and money. Help them spend wisely and budget their money carefully.

6. Have reasonable expectations for your children. Help them to set reasonable goals so they can achieve success.

7. Help your children develop tolerance toward those with different values, backgrounds and norms. Point out other people's strengths.

8. Give your children responsibility. They will feel useful and valued.

9. Be reasonable. Give support when children need it.

10. Show them that what they do is important to you. Talk with them about their activities. Go to their games, parent's day at school, drama presentations and award presentations.

11. Express your values, but go beyond "do this" or "I want you to do that." Describe the experiences that determined your values. The decisions you made to accept certain beliefs, the reasons behind your feelings.

12. Spend time together. Share favorite activities.

13. Discuss problems without placing blame or commenting on a child's character. If children know that there is a problem but don't feel attacked, they are more likely to help look for a solution.

14. Use phrases that build self-esteem, such as "Thank you for helping" or "That was an excellent idea!" Avoid phrases that hurt self-esteem, such as "Why are you so stupid?" or "How many times have I told you?"

15. Share how much you care about them. Hug them. Tell them they are terrific and that you love them.

(From MSBA Journal, June 1995)

Immunizations are an important part of going back to school

New clothes, new shoes, book bags, pencils, color crayons and immunizations are all part of going back to school.

Immunizations are all an important part of a child's life and getting ready for school. The vaccines promote wellness for all children and prevent disease.

The diseases that are prevented by vaccine are diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, measles, mumps, rubella, Haemophilus B Influenza, Hepatitis B and, just recently released, chicken pox.

Vaccines are known by their initials sometimes, and this may be confusing. The common initials are:

DTP — Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis
Td — tetanus and diphtheria
OPV — oral polio vaccine
Hib — haemophilus B influenza
MMR — measles, mumps and rubella
Hep B — hepatitis B.

It is important that your child has these vaccines on the schedule recommended by the Minnesota Department of Health. The recommended schedule is as follows:

- 2 months — DTP, OPV, Hib
- 4 months — DTP, OPV, Hib
- 6 months — DTP, Hib
- 15 months — MMR, Hib
- 18 months DTP, OPV
- 4 to 6 years — DTP, OPV
- 12 years — MMR
- 14 to 16 years — Td

Currently all seventh and twelveth grade students should have a second MMR to return to school this fall.

All incoming kindergarten students should have the last dose of DTP and OPV. Most children of this age will have five DTP and four OPV. The exception to this is when the fourth does of DTP and the third dose of OPV were given after the fourth birthday. Questions about a child's immunization status should be directed to Inter County Nursing Service in Pennington county at 681-5950 and in Red Lake county at 253-4378.

These vaccines are available at a reduced rate of $5 each at the county public health offices. The immunization clinic are held at various clinic sites throughout both Red Lake and Pennington counties each month.

Summer is a good time to get your child's immunizations up to date. If a fever should devlope following an immunization, the child should be given a non-aspirin product such as Tylenol. Use such products under the direction of a physician.

Advice to this year's kindergarteners

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

Kindergarten can be a great experience with lots of new things to learn everyday. One of the most important things people learn in kindergarten is *what the rules are.* I recently chatted with some students at Discovery Center. They were in kindergarten last year and had some good advice for this year's kindergarten students. Pay attention.

Trevor said, "You shouldn't fight, you shouldn't kick and you shouldn't punch."

If you do, he says you'll get in trouble and you have to sit on time out or go to the office. Trevor knows, too. He was in a fight, he admits, and he had to go talk to the principal. He says he does not remember what the principal told him, however.

Garrett said that the worst thing you can do in kindergarten is be naughty. You can't interrupt the teacher or she'll get mad and send you to the pricipal. You can't be loud in the hall, he explained, or other students can't hear their teachers.

"This one boy," he explained, "he was really naughty. The teacher kept saying 'don't,' but he kept doing it and he went to the principal."

He also said you should not hit or kick. "If you be mean to somebody, the teacher sends you to the principal's office.

He also warned that the report card says if you've been good or not, if you've been bad, they won't give you a pass.

"You shouldn't goof around when the teacher is talking," explains Alicia. "When other people talk, don't talk."

Cory agrees. "Don't talk back, listen to your teacher. If they tell you to do something, you should do it. Don't say bad words, like swearing."

Chelsey says she was never in trouble in school, but that's not the case with her brother.

"My brother did (get in trouble) like six times. He's eight. He's never good."

Kindergarten isn't all bad, though. You get to have lots of fun too. Chelsey says that you get to watch movies and play in the doll house.

"Sometimes we play freeze tag," she explains.

Cory says he likes school better than summer. "Because when you play bingo in school, you get a treat when you win."

You also get to have a treat if it's someone's birthday. You make friends, too. Cory met his friend Zachary on his first day of school.

Trevor said the funnest thing about school is recess. He likes to go on the playground and slide and go across the monkey bars. In the classroom he likes to play with puzzles, trucks and cars and in the house.

Garrett likes school because there are "real lot of cool toys."

Alicia likes to make stuff, like a paper Santa Clause, and she likes to color.

"Don't be really loud when you're going through the hall because other kids can't hear the teacher."
— Garrett

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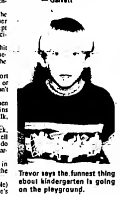


Trevor says the funnest thing about kindergarten is going on the playground.

"You shouldn't goof around when the teacher is talking."
— Alicie

Now you know what to expect at kindergarten. You know the good, the bad and the really naughty! Don't say we didn't warn you.

Homework tips for parents and kids

(Continued from Page 3)

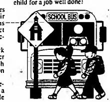
see work that teachers have returned. Pay close attention to teachers' comments and look for any recurring problems.

• Contact your child's teachers if you don't understand their assignments or if your child has special problems. Also, contact teachers if they never assign homework.

• Discuss teachers' homework expectations during parent-teacher conferences and ask how much time your child should spend on homework each night.

• See if your school has a homework policy. (If there seems to be a problem with homework—too little or too much—be sure to discuss it with your child's teacher.)

• Don't forget to praise your child for a job well done!



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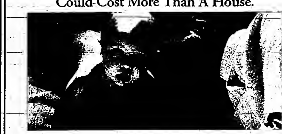

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Preparation helps beat "first day" jitters

by Stephanie Wallin

We all remember the butterflies we felt on the first day of new school year. Anyone who has ever taught knows what "back-to-school" means. Could you remember your teacher's name from the previous year? Did you bring the right supplies?

The best way to send your child off to school is to be well prepared yourself. It helps to have confident teachers, says Judy Schaubach, president of the Minnesota Educational Association/MEA. "Students who feel secure about surroundings and confident about what they know adjust more easily to the changes a new school year brings."

Brian Larson agrees. The veteran Minnesota Valley teacher says students in her second grade class do well if their parents and other adults talk positively about school before classes begin. She encourages parents and students to attend "Meet the Teacher Night" or similar activities that provide opportunities for students to familiarize themselves with their new teachers and classrooms.

"Take time to read with children before school starts, and help them review math and spelling lessons," Larson counsels. That way, they see that they remember what they've learned previously and will be less afraid."

She also suggests that parents include a "time note" with a child's lunch "It lets them know you're thinking of them and makes them feel special."

Other students also benefit from time to look at their new surroundings. Bonnie Schmitt, a junior high science teacher in Eagle Bend, and an English teacher at Menahga Junior High School, is a visit on school helps them feel more at ease, he says.

"Some parents may worry more than their junior high school-age children do," Ingersoll notes. "Parents have to learn to let go."

Ingersoll recommends that parents make sure their children have the right supplies, such as pencils, notebooks and pens. "The more prepared they are, the better their will feel."

MEA's Schaubach believes that helping students adjust to a new school year is an ongoing process.

"Even after getting over the hurdles of the first day of school, students need reassurance that they're doing well," she says. Schaubach offers the following suggestions to help children adjust:

- Set aside time for talking about how the day went. Ask questions about teachers, your child's friends and the new things they've learned that day.
- Offer to help younger children practice spelling, reading or math facts.
- Provide a quiet well-lit place where your children can study.
- Remember to praise your kid's efforts to do their best.
- Ask their teachers how you can help reinforce what they teach at home.

Learning is a partnership between the home and the school, Schaubach notes. "Making sure that we can give students the best possible start on the road to lifelong learning."

Stephanie Wallin is a community affairs specialist in the communications department of the Minnesota Special Education Association.

Ed Mooney and his staff at the Radio Shack store in Thief River Falls are ready to assist students with their back to school needs. Left to right are Ed Mooney, Keri Lokstad, Steve Krist, Collin Mooney and Joey Holthusen.

Suggestions on how adults can get involved with child's learning

By Cynthia Hanson

Research and common sense tell us that parents are their children's first and most influential teachers. As your child heads off to school this fall, take time to reflect on how you can make this a positive experience.

Parents can do much to encourage children to succeed in school. Perhaps most important, they can take time to learn about and reinforce what their children are studying in school. Here are some ideas to help get this process:

- Read to your child every day, and listen to him/her.
- Hang up your child's paper-work on the fridge.
- Take time to check that homework is finished. Children can keep a list of homework in a special notebook for ease.
- Attend teacher conferences and school programs.
- Review report cards thoroughly. Call the school if you have questions.

Parents can further support their child's education by becoming involved at the school level. Check with your local school district to find out how you can help.

By taking an active role, parents become indispensable partners in their child's education. In an environment that makes learning a priority, children can't help but do their best. With that in mind, make sure you take advantage of opportunities that are sent to come along! Have a good school year!

Cynthia Hanson is a public information officer with the Minnesota Department of Education

Parent-teacher conferences can be a time to learn

By Stephanie Wallin

For many students, each parent-teacher conference mark the first time they've visited a school since their own high school graduation. Chances are, they haven't thought much about what goes on in a classroom lately, and are they not alone. Many parents don't know what their child is doing in school.

Parent-teacher conferences offer many opportunities to build bridges between home and school. Ann Schister of Burnsville encourages parents to make the most of visits with their child's teachers. Schister, Minnesota's acting commissioner of education and the mother of two sons, says periodic meetings between parents and teachers can help students be more successful in school.

"Conferences give parents and teachers time to talk about a child's strengths and areas in which the child needs improvement," she notes. "Parents may be surprised to learn about some of the good things their child does in school, how well he or she socializes with other students, and special interests and talents they are developing. Conferences provide a learning experience for parents."

Schister says teachers can learn from parents, too.

"Difficulties at home—such as the illness of a close relative or a move to a new neighborhood—may be affecting a child's performance in school," she says. "Parents inform teachers about such events so they can work together to make the time easier for children to handle."

Schister suggests the following to prepare parents for a conference with their child's teacher

- Talk with your child about what you want to learn about your child's needs in school.
- Ask questions you may have about how your child behaves at home.
- Come well prepared with questions about how your child is doing academically and socially and how you can expect your child to have homework.
- Take notes on suggestions the teacher has for helping your child learn at home. Work with the teacher to develop activities that will reinforce at home what your child is learning in school.
- If you don't understand something the teacher says or you need more information, ask questions.
- Tell the teacher about any upcoming vacations or holidays your child has. The better the teacher knows your child, the more he or she can help.
- If you share custody of your child and cannot attend the conference with your former spouse, schedule another time to meet with your child's teacher.
- Talk with your child before you attend the conference. Let your child know how much you are looking forward to the meeting and discuss why it is important for you to know what goes on in school.
- Afterward, discuss the conference with your child. Share the good things the teacher had to say and talk about the areas in which your child can improve. Let your child know that schoolwork is important and that you are there to help.

"Working together," says Schister, "parents and teachers can help all students be successful in school."

Students striving toward new graduation standards

by Amber Brennan

This time of year, many students are thinking about returning to old familiar things such as classes, homework, and ball games. Other students instead are making new friends, learning new things and finding their way around. Some eighth graders and those behind them—whether at one day rather than a—are one year closer to benefiting from some major innovations in Minnesota public schools.

—Today's eighth-graders—the students who will enter ninth grade in fall, 1996—are the first group who must meet new requirements for high school graduation in Minnesota. These students will be required to prove competency in math and English before they can receive their high school diploma.

For the first time, instead of saying how many hours students should spend in class, the state is defining what students should know, understand and be able to do when they graduate.

Math and reading are just two areas covered by a set of new, challenging standards currently under development by the Minnesota Department of Education. The proposed new Graduation Standards are among the most innovative in the nation. They cover what a student needs to know to be prepared for the challenges ahead, beyond VCR. In addition to geometry and algebra, students will learn the kind of math that computer systems use.

And students will learn geography. But the world is changing very rapidly since 1995. Maps can't keep up with national boundaries that are constantly being redrawn. Students will learn how to evaluate new information and how to interpret significant world events so they can rely on what they see information than on a map which may be outdated.

Perhaps the biggest part of the new standards are the necessary credit for each standard, schools will require students to show they can apply what they've learned in real life.

There are two sets to the new Graduation Standards: the Required Profile of Learning and the Basic Requirements. The Required Profile of Learning is the heart of the new program. It establishes high standards in every subject area and ways for teachers to measure how well students have achieved those standards. Students must show they worked toward achieving a certain number of those high standards. Each student will achieve different levels of proficiency when working toward those high standards, but all students must gain at least basic knowledge of critical areas. That's where the Basic Requirements come in. To make sure students have learned—at the very basic skills such as how to read, write, and make change—before they graduate, they must pass competency tests in seven areas before they graduate. The high standards and the basic competency tests will be phased in according to the following schedule:

Ninth grade class of 1996-97 must meet state basic requirements in reading and mathematics in order to graduate.

Ninth grade class of 1997-98 must meet state basic requirements in reading, mathematics, writing and science in order to graduate.

Ninth grade class of 1998-99 must meet all state basic (and other) requirements and make progress toward achieving the high standards established in the Profile of Learning.

If your child will graduate under the new standards, you can expect him or her to benefit from a system marked by clearer expectations, higher standards, reliable measures of achievements, and greater accountability for schools. The proposed Graduation Standards follow Minnesota's tradition of excellence in education and will equip your child for success!

Amber Brennan is a public information officer with the Minnesota Department of Education.

Active students need extra energy

The start of the school year means changes for everyone...new teachers, new classes, new routines. In all the excitement of school, kids don't always take time to eat right and studies show that hungry kids don't perform as well as those working on a full stomach. Often if kids do grab a quick snack, they grab a sugary snack for a candy bar. How can busy parents help ensure that kids are getting proper nutrition and enough energy to get through the school day? Here's a quick list of healthy snacks that are easy to fill a re-sealable container with milk or juice, and whole fruit or sliced fruit, a pita stuffed with cheese for a quick breakfast that can be eaten on the bus or on the walk to school.

Many kids have activities after school and need a chance to refuel, especially if they aren't going to home for dinner until 6 or 7 p.m. Try to prefer a small consumer of low-fat snacks that they can eat before flying off to practice or rehearsal. Some healthy suggestions are cut-up fruit, raisins, dry cereal or low-fat granola. The American Institute for Cancer Research also promotes raisins, graham crackers, cereal, low-fat or fat-free yogurt, or bread sticks as healthy snacks.

The American Institute for Cancer Research suggests this recipe for tropical muffins which can be eaten for breakfast or a snack.

2 cups whole wheat flour
1 tbsp baking powder
2-2/3 tsp cinnamon
2 tsp grind orange peel
1 tsp grind cloves
2 eggs
1/2 cup orange or pineapple juice
3/4 cup skim milk
1/4 cup unsweetened applesauce
1/4 cup honey
1/2 cup mashed banana
8 oz can crushed pineapple in juice (or bits), drained (just over 1/2 cup)

Heat oven to 400 degrees. Lightly oil the muffin pans.

Combine the flour, baking powder, spices and orange peel in a large bowl. In a separate bowl, mix the egg, juice, milk, applesauce and honey. Add the mashed banana and drained pineapple. Add the liquid ingredients to the dry ingredients and mix with a few strokes as possible.

Spoon the batter into muffin cups. Bake until the muffins are golden brown and a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean, about 20-25 minutes.

Each of the 12 muffins contains less than one gram of fat and 125 calories.

Remember, student athletes require about 200 to 450 extra calories a day. Be sure they take a couple!

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Pembina Trail Ass'n. conference

"Building Rural Prosperity. A Regional Focus" is the theme of a summer conference to be sponsored at Thief River Falls August 29 and 30 by the Pembina Trail Resource Conservation and Development Association.

The conference is designed to bring together community leaders, volunteers, professionals, agency personnel and others seeking strategies and ideas for rural revitalization. Participants will be from the region as a whole, for people to live, work and play according to Al Gustafson of the Pembina Trail Resource Conservation and Development Association.

The two-day event will begin Tuesday, August 29, when two tour buses will leave the Rural Services Inn at 12:45 p.m., headed for tours of community revitalization and business ventures in northwestern Minnesota. The day will end with a barbecue at the Thief River Falls regional airport.

Tours will resume on August 30, will features operation from Fourth Dakota, Minnesota and Manitoba, ending with a noon buffet luncheon.

The Pembina Trail Resource Conservation and Development Association is one of eight RC&D councils in Minnesota. Other sponsors of the August 29 and 30 conference are the Minnesota Rural Financial, Minnesota Office of Tourism, Minnesota Wheat Council, Northland Community and Technical College's extension center, Thief River Falls Area Chamber and Business Center and the Wanda Gates Conservation Service.

For additional information on the conference, call the Pembina Trail office in Red Lake Falls at 218-253-2646.

Deputy Police Chief Ouasa Holland provided boat roads on a pontoon boat to children and volunteers participating in the Minnesoka fishing clinic held in Thief River Falls on Wednesday. About 175 children signed up for the event.

Tracy Wold, park and recreation department director, helps a young participant in a catch fish during the MinnAqua clinic in Thief River Falls last Wednesday. Several activities were held for the 175 students who participated in the clinic. One of the events involved painting fish and pressing paper over them. Other activities included fish identification, games, boat safety, learning about bugs, water, and of course, fishing.

AFRAN Chautauqua set August 26-27

Tom and Jeanne O'Neil of East Grand Forks will lead French dancers at the 19th Annual Fête L'Association des Francais du Nord (AFRAN) August 26 and 27 at the Old Crossing Treaty park west of Red Lake Falls.

The two where the performances will be held will be raised on the banks of the Red Lake river at the site where the Old Crossing Treaty was signed in 1863. The park is located at Huot near the junction of highway 17 and County Road 3.

The O'Neils met at an Appalachian clogging workshop held by the Onion Creek Cloggers of Ames, IA, in 1977. They became members of the group as dancers and musicians and were married in 1981. In 1986 they moved to the Grand Forks area when Tom accepted a job in computer science at the University of North Dakota.

"They have combined their interest in folk music and dancing, learning the French routines and French Canadian jigging through interaction with musicians and dancers from Canada. They have performed as many events and festivals under the name of North Country Music and Dance.

French dance steps, they say, are similar to clogging steps but with increasing differences." Steps and style differ from area to area and must be learned. Tom and Jeanne promote traditional music of America, Canada and the British Isles and involve date four children —Daniel, Shawn, Alan and Erin—in their programs.

Singers for the annual chautauqua to be presented by L'Association des Francais du Nord (AFRAN) include (left to right) Rose Cerriere, Darle L. Huot, Suzanne Tupa, Mere Lunde, Jean O'Neil, Tom O'Neil, Curt Huot and Virgil Beaudo. The chautauqua will take place at Old Crossing Treaty park west Huot August 26 and 27.

Ag Experiment Station has top cow in DHIA

Northwest Agricultural Experiment Station at Crookston had the top producing cow in terms of dollar value of product in the Red Lake County Dairy Herd Improvement Association for the month of June.

The four-year-old in its third lactation produced 27,584 pounds of milk, 876 pounds of butterfat and 915 pounds of protein.

Second place cow was from the Johnsons Farms herd and produced 27,572 pounds of milk, 880 pounds of butterfat and 827 pounds of protein.

The Ag Experiment Station also had the top producing herd, which produced 23,002 pounds of milk, 910 pounds of butterfat and 18 pounds of protein.

Other cows in the top 10 in the association came from the following herds with pounds of butterfat and pounds of protein listed respectively:

Tom and Diane Gaines, 25,217, 876 and 822; Northwest Ag Experiment Station, 24,831, 790 and 765; Don and Karen Konickson, 23,703, 822 and 739; Richard Dummer, 23,359, 734 and 771; David Ostland, 23,306, 705 and 724; Don and Karen Konickson, 22,790, 802 and 723, and John and Marie Mitalski, 24,770, 637 and 723.

Other individual herd records which were produced were: Johnsons, 23,000 pounds of milk, 750 pounds of butterfat and 700 pounds of protein; Gaines from the following herds: Bayer Farms, Don and Karen Konickson, Richard Dummer, Northwest Ag Experiment Station (2) and Donald E. Tuss.

Youth Firearms Safety Training course planned

Annual fall session of the Youth Firearms Safety Training program will be held Wednesday, September 6, beginning at Allan Paulson, coordinator, reports.

Additional information on the program will be published in a later edition of the *Northern Times*. To register or receive answers to questions, call Paulson at 683-2109.

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Wednesday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson made a business trip to Erskine. Then later the Johnsons were shoppers in Thief River Falls and later the Johnsons had dinner at a restaurant in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud spent from Friday until Sunday at We Fest in Detroit Lakes.

Katie Anderson helped Kari Swenson celebrate her birthday on Wednesday. Happy Birthday Kari!

Tuesday visitors and dinner guests at the Eddy Stucy home were Mildred Haver of Thief River Falls and Mae Hemmestvedt.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorvald Kjelgren of Shows, IL came on Friday and spent till Monday visiting at the Leonard Johnson home. The Thorvald Kjelgrens also visited with Orville Kjelgren on Monday.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Dustin and Deanna attended prayer service for Willard Sletten held at the Green funeral home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nieven of Crick stopped on their way home to visit briefly at the Clayton Johnsrud home on Monday.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors at the Orlin Hanson home and they also wished "Orlin a Happy Birthday. Happy Birthday Orlin!"

Mrs. Jim Slater of Butler, PA called on Thursday forenoon and visited with her aunt Mayme Johnson. Mrs. Slater said that her father Ernest Zavoral had turned for the worst.

Gilmer Manderud was a visitor and lunch guest at the Palmer Lovly home during the week.

Monday night Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi and Jared Haugen were supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Eddy Stucy visited with Leola Cullen at the Good Samaritan home in Warren.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Clarence Johnson called and let her sister Helen Messerschmidt of International Falls know that Ernest Zavoral of Butler, PA passed away that afternoon. May his memory be blessed!

Mrs. Ricky Bienkle was a visitor and coffee guest at the David Sjulestad home Monday evening.

Sunday evening Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson received the sad news that Ernest Zavoral of Butler, PA passed away that afternoon. Ernest was married to Mayme Johnson's sister, Betty. Our sympathy to the Zavoral family. May his memory be blessed.

One day during the week visitors at the Gilmer Manderud home were Mrs. Rodney Hoffman, Alissa and Lacey, Mrs. Jeff Bakken and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Hermanson and Mrs. Dave Naasath. They also visited with Gilmer's houseguests Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hefel of Dubuque, IA. The Hefel's left for their home on Thursday.

Joanna Johnson visited with Jessica at the Jean Johnson home on Sunday. Joanna was also a supper guest the evening at the Jean Johnson home.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Mrs. Vance Weeth, Dana and DaNae visited at the Gilmer Manderud on Thursday.

Leslie Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Hanford Roisland home on Monday afternoon.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were coffee guests at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Alfred Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Hanford Roisland home.

Randy Cullums was a visitor and coffee guest at the Hanford Roisland home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Monica Johnson were brief callers at the Allen Hawk home on Thursday.

Megan and Andrea Marquis were overnight guests at the June Johnson home Sunday night.

Joey Andrew and Otto Rubischko were visitors at the Elva Fiedler home to play with Brady Fiedler on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba visited with her aunt Florence Maidment in Thief River Falls one day during the week.

Gilmer Manderud was a visitor and coffee guest at the Leonard Johnson home Monday afternoon.

Elva Fiedler and June Johnson visited with Marion Marquis in Oklee on Thursday.

Wednesday, Mrs. Leonard Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gladys Langwost home in Thief River Falls.

Clara Peterson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dana Marquis home on Monday.

Monica Johnson visited by phone with Sally Philipp on Monday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson enjoyed coffee with Adeline Hanson.

Michelle Johnson visited by phone with Mary Jensen on Sunday afternoon.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Judy Weleski of Thief River Falls and Mary Weleski of Viking along with the Walaski children, Tony, Beth, Megan and Kelsey drove to Lakeside, MT to attend the wedding reception of Deve and Arnold's niece, Tamra Sauer and Tim Andrews. They also spent a few days visiting at the home of Phil and Shirley Sauer. The kids enjoyed sailing and swimming in Flathead Lake and Monday was spent sightseeing and shopping at Big Fork and later boating to Wild Horse Island and hiking. Tuesday was spent at Glacier National Park.

Arnold and Evelyn Skjerven visited and had coffee at the Gordon Skjerven home on Tuesday afternoon.

LeRoy and Ruth Sustad stopped at the Liz Swenson home Monday afternoon and took her to lunch at Hardee's.

Leonard Larson was a guest at grandson's first birthday party on Saturday night at Bruce Larson's.

Church Directory

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Missouri Synod
121 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Ronchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4486
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1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
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Wes Mathre, Pastor
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Wednesday-Friday, Aug. 16-18— VBS continues at Black River.
Sunday, Aug. 20— Pastor Wes's last Sunday.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Sundays at 10 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Pastor; Henry Moyer, Pastor
Gary Johnson, Associate
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
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Curtis D. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sich, Associate
Edsel Lindquist, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-3 • 681-3855
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 6:30 p.m.

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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Wednesday-Friday, Aug. 16-18— Boundary Waters Canoe trip continues.
Worship Services: This Sunday service is with Pat Dunning in the pulpit at 9 a.m.; Fellowship time in the Fireside room at 10 a.m.

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414 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Carroll Erickson, Senior Pastor
681-2477
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.

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Tarn Jo Skildum, Pastor
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401 South Saint Paul Avenue, Thief River Falls
Del Palmer, Pastor
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1024 Tindolph Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Robert Forbes, Pastor
681-7685 Office or 681-4606
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George Davis, Pastor
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Del Palmer, Pastor
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Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

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Box 98, Plummer
Clarence J. Johnson, Pastor
465-4525
Worship Services – Immanuel: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
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Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.

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Oklee
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

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Rt. 1 Box 132, Newfolden
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874-6611
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

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Gary Barrett, Pastor
874-8785
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:25 a.m.

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John Jorgensen, Pastor
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Gatzke-Thief Lake area
Arlen Lloyd, Pastor
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Worship Services – Our Savior's: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.

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Viking
Gerald Deppa, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-4 • 523-4735
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.

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P.O. Box 37, Viking
Paul A. Chell, Pastor
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:45 a.m.; Sunday church school at 9:30 a.m.

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Ernie the Angler (center) appeared to be having as much fun as the children who were participating in a MinnAque fishing clinic in Thief River Falls Wednesday. Ernie the Angler of WDAZ TV was one of the many individuals helping children learn more about fishing. Other instructors or assistants included Professional Fisherman Greg Hopps, park and recreation department employees, law enforcement and conservation officers, extension agents, members of the Agassiz Environmental Education Committee, area DNR representatives and many local residents.

Howard Thorson helps children participating in the MinnAque fishing clinic, with fish identification. About 175 children signed up for the clinic which was held in Red Robe park in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

MinnAqua Fishing Clinic held in Thief River Falls made learning fun for the 175 children participating in the event Wednesday — even in learning about water.

Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Sylvia Fisfeland visited with Rosa Aaknes on Sunday evening.

Halvor and Vivian Rikja of Gully were visitors with Rosa Aaknes on Tuesday forenoon.

Omar and Sylvia Oually of Las Vegas, NV were brief callers on Rose Aaknes on Thursday afternoon.

Monday, Rose Aaknes and Adeline Pravost of Oklee were dinner guests with Kathy Bakke at Gonvick. Adeline Pravost received birthday gifts from Rosa Aaknes, Wayne and Kathy Bakke, Kurt Bakke.

Sylvia Flateland and Leann Bakko were brief callers on Rosa Aaknes on Thursday forenoon.

Percy and Alvina Johnson of Fosston visited with Hazel Nelson on Sunday after the Mt. Olive Church dinner.

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson went to pick up Katie Anderson and Penny and Pamela Fredrick at Lake Bronson on Sunday.

Saturday night, Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gene, Amie and Melinda enjoyed supper at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi spent the weekend at the Bob Grass cabin near Deer River.

Tuesday, Mrs. Tim Lundeen enjoyed dinner with her grandmother Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams attended the class reunion of 1985 held at the Community Center in Goodridge on Saturday night.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson called and let the Vernon Holthusen family know that Ernest Zavoral passed away on Sunday afternoon.

Saturday night, Mr. Kurt Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Jean Johnson and Jessica made a business trip to Crookston on Friday afternoon and later Jean and Jessica were shoppers in Grand Forks.

Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes was a visitor and coffee guest at the David Sjulestad home one morning during the week.

Sunday afternoon, Fr. DeCrans of Thief River Falls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Wednesday Gilmer Manderud was a visitor at the Laura Nyland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home on Thursday.

Visitors and coffee guests at the Larry Kotrba home on Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams.

Delbert Sherry of Warren was a brief caller on Wednesday afternoon at the Larry Kotrba home.

Saturday, Tim Lundeen visited with his father Merle Lundeen.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the Gary Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie, Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba attended funeral services for Willard Sletten at the Our Saviors Lutheran church in Thief River Falls on Saturday. Our sympathy to the Sletten family. May his memory be blessed. Then after the funeral Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba visited at the Debbie Henson home in Thief River Falls.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel brought birthday greetings to Orlin Hanson.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gene, Amie and Melinda were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday evening at the Vance Wiseth home.

Gary Johnson was visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home on Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited by phone with Mrs. Swen Sjulestad of Phoenix, AZ on Sunday evening.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Mr. and Tim Radniecki went driving and sightseeing and ended up at the Lake View Resort restaurant at Maple Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors and coffee guests on Thursday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Monday evening Jim Olson of Trail was a visitor at the Vernon Iverson home.

Visitors during the week at the Gene Marquis home were Emily Bjorklie, Lucas and Aric Bjorklie and Matthew Bjorklie.

Sunday night, Mrs. Gene Marquis was a visitor at the Arnold Haugen home.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji spent Thursday afternoon visiting with his parents the Clayton Johnsrud's.

Saturday afternoon, Tony Rubischko was a visitor and coffee guest at the Vernon Iverson home.

Justin Ouoley was a visitor at the Elva Fiedler home to play with Brady Fiedler on Friday.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Con Moen was a visitor and supper guest Saturday night at the Gene Marquis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Iverson were visitors at the Alfred Iverson home on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen were visitors and coffee guests at the Kory Chervested home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Roisland were visitors and coffee guests at the Gaylen Englund home of rural Grygla on Sunday night.

Gilmer Manderud was a visitor and coffee guest at the Laura Nyland home on Monday afternoon.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy attended a birthday party for Darrow Lundeen.

Friday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Jessica Johnson were callers at the Merle Naeseth home. Later Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson made a business trip to Erskine and Jessica Johnson remained at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors and coffee guests at the Kory Chervested home on Saturday afternoon.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy visited and had coffee with their grandson Jeremy Johnson at his new home.

Lester Kolstrand was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gilmer Manderud home on Friday morning.

Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Hyland were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud spent the weekend in McCanna, ND at the Klien family reunion. Relatives came from South Dakota, Oregon, Minnesota and North Dakota. They all enjoyed a wonderful time. Mr. and Mrs. Ron Fullen, Jesse and Jen of Roseau spent Saturday at the Klien reunion.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lovly were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sorenson of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests at the Hanford Roisland home during the week.

Friday afternoon, Gilmer Manderud was a visitor and lunch guest at the Vernor and Mildred Arvorson home.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Lundeen, Robbie and Katie were visitors at the Gary Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday afternoon at the Gilmer Manderud home.

On Friday, Katie Anderson celebrated her birthday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson, Pamela Fredrick, Susie Vettleson, and Jennie Kotrba. Happy Birthday Katie!

Bryon Bjorklie was an overnight guest at the Gene Marquis home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes, and Agnes Eidelbes went to Fargo on a business trip on Monday.

Bob Johnson of Andover called and visited by phone with his mother Mayme Johnson on Sunday evening and Mayme also told Bob and his family that Ernest Zavoral had passed away that afternoon. Ernie is Bob's uncle.

Jean Johnson visited at the Merion Zavoral home in Goodridge on Wednesday night. Jean also visited with Merion's houseguests Merion's aunt Shirley Omlid of Ientlo and Merion's cousin Sherry Omlid of Neu

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Minnesotans are reading Minnesota newspapers.
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Ariana Thune of the Moccasin Garden Club in Thief River Falls won a grand championship in the novice division of the flower arrangement category at the 13th District Horticultural Society annual show in Warroad Saturday, August 5. Her vertical arrangement was entitled "North Star."

Lew Wallace of Middle River won championship awards in the perennials category with his entry of Monkshood (top photo) and in the flower arrangement (advanced division) category with an entry entitled "North Star" at the 13th District Horticultural Society annual show Saturday, August 5, in Warroad.

Cora Ravndalen of the Green Thumb Garden Club in Warroad won a grand championship in the potted plant division with this Chinese evergreen entry at the 13th District Horticultural Society annual show in Warroad Saturday, August 5.

Tammy Wallace of the Gro-Rite Garden Club of Middle River won a grand championship in the corsage division Saturday, August 5, at the 13th District Horticultural Society annual show held at the community center in Warroad.

Bernice Grandstrand of the Viking Town and Country Garden Club won the grand championship in the gladiolas division Saturday, August 5, at the 13th District Horticultural Society annual show at the Warroad community center.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Peter and Frances Garszewski were among many who attended the 50th Jubilee for Sister Daminicka Garszewski at the Dennis Garszewski place on Sunday, July 16th near Oslo.

Lillie Olson visited with Lyle and Becky Olson on Tuesday evening.

Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the Kenny and Sybil Cwikla home were Arnold and Vernica Larson and Marlys Auna.

Olga Thompson visited Monday afternoon with Emma Kamman and enjoyed coffee and lunch with her.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Stella Kothenbeutle of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Newton of Bakersfield, CA, Janis Vasend or Erskine and Effie Handy were Monday dinner guests at Emma Nylands. Maja Turanna and a friend from Thief River Falls stayed over Monday night at Gromma Ellies.

Polk County Nursing Service for August. Health Promotion Clinic Calendar is posted at the Gully Mall. The dates are August 8 from 1 to 3 p.m. at Community Center and again August 22 from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Gully Community Center.

Carol Larson and Nicholas from Battle Ground, WA were Wednesday visitors and dinner guests at the Henry Knutsons. Janet Knutson was a dinner guest there too.

Orlis, Louise and Alice Fossum from Duluth called at the Elmer Brovolde home and had lunch with them.

Christine and Mac Graham from Olympia, WA were on their way to Gully to visit at the Wendt Sangor home when they were involved in an accident in East Grand Forks, which sent them to the United Hospital in Grand Forks. Christine Graham has a broken collar bone. They were released the next day and rented a car to come to Gully. They spent several days with Cathy and Wendi. The Sengors took them to the airport in Grand Forks to fly back home to Washington.

Visitors at Elmer and Mary Bergs on Friday afternoon were Virgil and Mona Knudson, Howard and Adelyn Minnert visited there Sunday afternoon.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota August 16, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Airport Dedication Set For Sunday

"At a meeting of officers and directors of the local chapter of the National Aeronautics association Tuesday afternoon, the formal dedication of the Thief River Falls airport was scheduled for Sunday, September 9, Paul A. Lundgren, chapter president, announced today, adding that the local unit of the Civil Air Patrol will serve as co-sponsor.

"Mr. Lundgren stated that present for the occasion will be the largest assemblage of airplanes in the history of this section, approximately forty planes being expected to come for the occasion. Of outstanding interest will be one of the much-discussed helicopter planes.

"Features of the day's program as outlined to date will include a breakfast in the morning for the visiting airmen, followed at 2 o'clock by the dedication program and an air show presented by U.S. army flyers. Motion pictures also will be shown in the large new hangar now nearing completion."

Halt to Gasoline Rationing Comes With End of War

"Fill 'er up' came back into the American language Wednesday. Gasoline rationing ended throughout the nation. So did the rationing of fuel oil, oil stoves and all blue point foods, but rationing of meats, fats and oils, butter, sugar, shoes and tires will continue until lowered military requirements and increased production bring civilian supplies more nearly in balance with civilian demands."

Supt. Fjelsted Appeals for Rooms for Teachers

"Reporting that the last ten teachers who will join the public school faculty early in September have not yet been able to procure sleeping rooms in the city, Supt. Philip L. Fjelstad today issued an urgent appeal to householders having suitable rooms available to notify his office at once by calling Phone 695."

Saturday – Sunday – Monday
Walt Disney's "The Three Caballeros"
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From the Editorial Page

"Within less than three months following the surrender of Germany, Japan has come to terms. In far less time than most of us dared hope, total victory has been achieved and once again the world is at peace.

"The global war which now has ended followed the pattern predicted for it. It was fought not only on the land, in the air, and on the sea, but in the factories and on the farms as well, and in the laboratories. It was total war, a war in which civilians were slaughtered as well as soldiers. Great cities and masses of their population were destroyed.

"In these closing days of the war we have new weapons of destruction which were introduced and experimented with. Had they been perfected earlier the results would have been more terrible, and possibly the outcome different. We might have lost. Instead of celebrating victory as a free people, we might now have become the servants of a foreign tyrant.

"In these closing days of the war we have been shown a preview of the war that is to come. As the imperfect plane and tank of 1918 presaged the blitz of Hitler's early conquests, so the robot and the atom bomb have now demonstrated to us what we may expect if war comes again to the world.

"We have reason to be thankful in this present hour of victory. We also have reason to be thoughtful.

"Because we are the most powerful nation in the world today, the greatest responsibility for maintaining the peace rests upon our shoulders. It is both a responsibility and an opportunity. May the divine power that has guided us to victory now give us the wisdom, the strength and the courage to preserve the peace."

Topics of The Times

Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Holen, former Times Editor

—With the war situation as it is, the draft shouldn't blow quite so hard.

—The Montevideo News reminds us that a shoemaker saves a lot of soles, but also helps a lot of heels.

—It appears that Congress picked a poor time for a recess.

—Shocking things are beginning to happen in the grain fields hereabouts.

—Russia, it appears, went into the war against Japan, just under the wire.

—That atomic bomb doesn't make a bigger boom than will develop in the building industry, once restrictions are removed.

—Remember way back when the old bus had its engine thermometer on the radiator cap?

—The Mahnomen Pioneer reports seeing a couple of fellows leaving the hula show at the fair asking, "Was that strip necessary?"

—We will find out pretty quick just how far along the government is with its reconversation program.

—And have you had the first ripe tomato out of your garden?

—Owners of late seeded flax fields are holding their breath in fear of an early frost.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota August 14, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Ladies' Aid Society Activities

"The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church in St. Hilaire will give a social at the church next Thursday evening. Refreshments will be served consisting of ice cream, coffee and cake etc. and an enjoyable literary program rendered. All are cordially invited to attend.

"The ladies of the M.E. Church of Thief River Falls have engaged the steamer Viking for a pleasure trip up the Red Lake River next Friday. The steamer will make two trips and will leave for the first trip at 8:30 a.m. and for the second at 3 p.m. The ladies will serve dinner and supper on the grounds charging only 50 cents for dinner and 15 cents for supper. Children 15 cents for dinner and 10 cents for supper. Row boats, swings and croquet, etc. will be taken along and every effort made to assure a good time to those attending. The fare for the round trip is 25 cents, 10 cents for children. All are invited to attend."

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Arlis and Luvama Foro spent a few days last week in the Twin Cities. While there they attended the Babe Ruth State Baseball Championship Tournaments for the 13-year-old division. Their grandson, Mike Foro, Todds son was playing with the team from Red Lake Falls in the tournament. They also visited Luvarne's sister, Verna Gora, and were Saturday overnight guests at her home in St. Paul.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—About 500 "dead heads" (logs) were drawn from the pond last week.

—The first field of barley thrashed in the county is reported at 50 bushels to the acre.

—The ladies aid society of the M.E. church has chartered the steamer Viking for a pleasure trip up the river tomorrow.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Northern Minnesota swamplands are to be drained at a cost of $1 or less per acre.

—Par McLennan, a well-known Polk county farmer, was shot and seriously wounded in Thief River Falls last Wednesday by his neighbor, Frank Taus, in an angry dispute over some hay land.

—For the first time in Minnesota history, hunters who venture outside their home counties will be required to have hunting licenses. The license, which sells for $1, entitles the hunter to take one moose, two deer and a large number of game birds.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The Winton-Nicols Lumber company of Thief River Falls has purchased four lumber yards in Holt, Middle River, Radium and Hazel from Hanson and Barzen.

—The Hagenbeck-Wallace circus staged a performance here.

—More room is needed for the local post office, according to U.S. Postal Inspector H. W. Fleming.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Girl Scouts raised $250 to finance construction of a bandstand in this city.

—Officers of the Jefferson highway association visited here in the course of a tour to Winnipeg.

—Mrs. J. M. Bishop was elected vice president of the Minnesota American Legion auxiliary at its convention in this city.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—With 229 registered delegates, the state postal workers held a successful convention in this city.

—O. C. Paulson was elected treasurer of the Minnesota state Elks association.

—Cornerstone laying ceremonies were held at the site of the new local post office building.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Dr. Truman Hedemark joined the staff of the Bratrud clinic.

—Dr. Edward Bratrud was elected president of the Northwest Minnesota association of Conservation clubs, succeeding V. M. Healy of Red Lake Falls.

—Mercy Hospital association was considering plans for a new structure proposed at a cost of about $175,000.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Thief River Falls Jaycees, under the leadership of Ormond Johnson, will present a water show Sunday at the Tindolph Park pool.

—L. B. Hartz, Mrs. George Baken and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen have been selected as chairmen of the October community chest drive.

—State Women's Christian Temperance Union meeting attracted 325 persons with all state officers being reelected.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—G. A. Beito, Jr. was elected chairman of the board and president of Northern state bank, succeeding the late George A. Beito in both positions.

—Curtis E. Poppenhagen, 24, St. Louis Park, was a drowning victim at the power plant dam.

—Hope has brightened in recent weeks for the availability of natural gas in Thief River Falls this fall.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Walls are rising on the new Oakland Park Nursing Home.

—A Veterans Administration van will be in Thief River Falls Tuesday to provide information and assistance to veterans seeking benefits.

—Building permits totaling a record $6,775,898 have been issued for Thief River Falls through August 15, according to Robert Bregier, city building inspector, with a bulk of the permits for commercial construction.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—A latchkey after-school service will be offered for elementary students in School District 564.

—More than 100 Cub Scouts attended day camp this year at the Pennington county fairgrounds.

—The U.S. army corps of engineers is being blamed by area farmers for causing flooding of fields which might result in extensive crop losses.

Plummer

Charlotte Leining returned home on Wednesday afternoon from a trip to Austin. Her son Frances had taken her there on Saturday after an overnight stay at his home in Wadena. On Sunday they had attended church and the new daughter of Beth and Bruce Oelchanbruna, Erin Lindsay, was baptized. After a festive dinner at the home of Wayne and Barbara Leining, they went to a shower for the new baby. On Monday they went for a drive to see the sights close by and visited with Mary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Livermore. Charlotte was a houseguest of Lyndon and Mary Leining. On Tuesday, they went to Decorah and toured the Vesterheim Norwegian Heritage Center which was very interesting. Lyndon brought Charlotte home on Wednesday and they were supper guests of Jim and Carola Wright.

The Fisher sisters, Clare Everson, Bonnie Vidland, Linda Hamley and Diane Anderson spent this weekend at the Holiday Inn in Brainerd, golfing and enjoying time with each other.

Newfolden

Tuesday noon Clara Hanson, Lyle Vacura and Rosi Dvorak went to the Lantern for dinner.

Tuesday those that visited and helped Maymo Auno celebrate her birthday at her home in Thief River Falls were Vernica Larson, Marlys Auna of Circle Pines, Clayton and Marvel Carlson also enjoyed lunch with her birthday blessing Mayma.

Thursday evening Beverly Erickson visited at the Jerry Gillund home.

Sunday afternoon, Vi Moen and Alvine Stevens visited with Lillie Olson.

Monday, Beverly Erickson accompanied Dean Anderson and Jill to Fargo where Dean had a doctors appointment. They also visited with Kara Anderson and a friends of hers.

Shirley Wagner visited Tuesday late afternoon after work at Arctco and enjoyed coffee and goodies with her mom Olga Thompson.

Melanie Johnson

Melanie Johnson nominated for '95 "Who's Who"

Melanie Johnson, daughter of Paul and Geno Johnson of Thief River Falls and a junior this fall at Lincoln high school, has been nominated for honorary award recognition and have her biography published in the 1994-95 edition of "Who's Who Among American High School Students."

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The Times' Editorial Opinion

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Why Change Welfare System? Because It Doesn't Work

"After spending $5 trillion of your tax money on the welfare problem for more than three decades, what have we accomplished with your sizable investment?" asks Sen. Rod Grams of Minnesota.

The answer is apparently not very much. If eliminating poverty is the avowed goal. Federal, state and local governments are spending $350 billion annually on welfare benefits—20 per cent more than the nation spends on national defense — yet the poverty rate remains constant. The 79 different means-tested programs which have been part of the system have collectively failed.

"Instead of bringing families together, America's welfare system tears them apart," states Sen. Grams. "It encourages dependency. It subsidizes illegitimacy. The people who benefit most from the present system aren't the underprivileged Americans who need it, but the Washington bureaucrats who run it.

"...Of course, Congress has no intention of turning its back on the most needy in this country. We simply want to try a new approach—an approach that creates opportunity and offers a hand up, not a hand-out. Truth be told, the only people who will be turned out on the streets by welfare reform are the thousands of bureaucrats and lobbyists who administer and protect the welfare system's complex maze of benefits."

Sen. Grams claims that "entrenched bureaucrats," "liberal activists" and "special interest lobbyists for the welfare industry" have distorted the truth and misrepresented the intentions of Congress to bring about change.

"They cry that changing the welfare system is dangerous and cruel," the senator says. "But I believe that nothing could be more dangerous or cruel than letting it remain.

"The American taxpayers must look beyond the rhetoric and focus on the facts. Reducing bureaucracy, increasing flexibility and demanding work from those who are capable of working is an investment in our future—in their future—and both welfare recipients and taxpayers will be better off for it."

The senator correctly points out that welfare, as it was originally envisioned, was meant to be a temporary safety net for those who had fallen on hard times, not a permanent hammock that coddles them into life-long dependency. The American people, he said, are calling for a return to the original vision.

If the Senate's welfare reform proposal were signed into law today, the nation would still spend more than $1.185 trillion on welfare over the next five years. That is one whale of a lot of taxpayers' money.

The revisions place personal responsibility on the welfare recipient. They have tough work requirements, promote personal and family responsibility, give states the power to develop policies which make both parents responsible for illegitimate children and eliminate benefits for drug addicts and alcoholics. Block grants to states will permit states and local communities to determine how funds may best be expended.

"We can no longer measure compassion in this country by how many people are on welfare," states Rep. J. C. Watts of Oklahoma. "We need to measure compassion by how many people are not on welfare because we've helped them climb the ladder of success."

Want To Run For U.S. President? Can You Raise $120 Million?

Remember when the popular thought of American parents was that their child had the opportunity in this country to grow up to become President of the United States? That opportunity still exists, but it is much diminished and the qualities needed for such service may now be more those of a fund-raiser than a statesman.

Politics in Minnesota uses materials from Mike Berman's *Washington Political Watch* to point out what it costs candidates, taxpayers and political parties for an individual to make a run for President of the United States. The article follows:

To qualify for taxpayer matching funds in the primaries, a candidate must raise $5,000 in at least 20 states in contributions of $250 or less. No more than $250 from any one person can be matched. Candidates may not accept more than $1,000 from any individual or more than $5,000 from any Political Action Committee (PAC).

They can receive up to $15 million from tax monies if they can qualify and raise $15 million in those $250 contributions. Candidates accepting matching funds are prohibited from spending any more than $50,000 of their own money in the primary.

Excluding fundraising costs, a candidate accepting federal funds cannot spend more than $30 million on general campaign activity for the primaries. An additional $6 million can be spent on fundraising.

A candidate may spend an additional $6 million in 1996 for the sole purpose of complying with the federal campaign laws. That means a primary presidential candidate could spend $42 million, of which $15 million would be provided by the government.

The nominees of the two major parties receive a grant of federal money of $60 million the day after the nomination. In addition, each political party can spend $11.5 million directly for its candidate. Candidates may raise as much as $6 million to pay legal and accounting costs.

A fully financed candidate for nomination will spend upwards of $42 million in the primary and $77.5 million in the general election—a grand total of $119.5 million—of which as much as $75 million will come from the U.S. Treasury.

All of this, of course, doesn't take into account "soft" money—funds spent on behalf of candidates allegedly without their knowledge.

This compilation of figures from *Politics in Minnesota* and *Washington Political Watch* indicates how difficult it is or would be for anyone to seek the U.S. presidency.

Despite the difficulty, however, there always seem to be people willing to take the challenge and make the effort. Most often they are people born into families of wealth and/or prominence or have attained wealth through some unusual circumstances. Rarely is ability to govern a primary consideration in the selection of a candidate by either of the major political parties. Electability based on appearance and personal appeal come first, along with the ability to raise the funds needed for a campaign.

Scary, isn't it?

LETTERS

To The Editor:

Minnesota's Voyageurs National Park and Boundary Waters Canoe Area (BWCA) are beautiful, wild and historic places used by hundreds of thousands of people every year. In fact, the BWCA alone draws more people than any of the other wilderness areas in the whole United States.

Unfortunately, both Voyageurs National Park and the BWCA are heading for the chopping block—not financially, but in terms of protection. Our federal legislators are proposing laws that could eliminate Voyageurs as a National Park (Minnesota's only National Park), increase development in both areas and re-open much of the BWCA to motorized use, including snowmobiles.

Snowmobiling is an enjoyable sport and it's great to have good places to ride. Minnesota already has more than 15,000 miles of snowmobile trails. And more than 500 miles of trails surround Voyageurs National Park, which has about 100 miles of snowmobile trails right in the park.

Minnesota has a good mix right now of motorized and non-motorized places for people to go and enjoy a variety of outdoor recreation opportunities. It makes sense to divide up our recreational areas in this way. Everyone has something.

By keeping wilderness areas protected, we are leaving a heritage for future generations. A wilderness area, once disturbed, is very difficult to ever bring back. It's short-sighted to open up our national parks and wilderness areas for short-term benefits. Whatever we give away now we won't have to hand over to our children and their children. There is no more.

So far, the protections put in place for both Voyageurs National Park and the BWCA have served those areas well. They provide important recreational opportunities such as solitude that are not available elsewhere in the state. These beautiful areas also provide the local communities in the area with economic gains.

Please write or call Congressman Jim Oberstar at 218-727-7474, Sen. Rod Grams at 612-427-5921 and Sen. Paul Wellstone at 612-645-0323 and write Sen. Paul Murkowski, Chair, Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, United States Senate, Washington, DC 20510 as soon as possible to let them know that you oppose the Oberstar Bill (HR 1310) and that you want the BWCA and Voyageurs National Park protected.

Sincerely,
Linda and Tom Ronchetti
Keith and Shelly Steva
Thief River Falls
Charlene Crocker
Newfolden

To The Editor:

I had the opportunity to attend my first city council meeting on Tuesday, August 8th. I went as a concerned citizen about a proposed project taking place in my neighborhood.

I have always been under the impression that a private citizen has an opportunity to present concerns to the council related to the agenda items. After action taken the previous evening by the planning commission at its meeting, which I also attended, I wished to voice additional concerns to the council Tuesday evening.

I have to say that not only was I not given the opportunity to make my statement, I was also very disappointed at the obvious pressure that was placed on the council members to approve this project because tabling the issue would cause the developers an approximate five-week delay in their project, which would apparently result in not completing this year's planned phase.

As far as I am concerned, any delay in a project is a developer's concern, not the city council's concern. Anyone proposing a project of this magnitude, in all common sense, should prepare and plan early enough to allow for delays, whether they be caused by the city planner, engineering, council or the weather.

I would urge our council members to keep this in mind for future consideration of other projects. The council members should be allowed adequate time to review any project or proposal brought before them.

Respectfully,
Suzanne M. Peterson
Thief River Falls

To The Editor:

On July 3rd some special person left photo copies in my mailbox of the page of the 1923 Prowler yearbook that contained my husband's picture. Both my son and I are interested in anything from Rusty's school days.

I don't know who left the copies — although I would appreciate finding out—but whoever you are we want you to know that we appreciate very much your thoughtfulness. Thank you.

Sincerely,
DeLoris Anderson
Thief River Falls

To The Editor:

In regard to the article on the front page of the *Northern Watch*, could the Chief of Police please explain again to the citizens of Thief River Falls and Crookston and the surrounding area how this 19-year-old adult can get away with what many of us may look at as a "terroristic threat?" Then explain also what kind of a "cover-up" this is—who was so influential, political or money-wise?

We get a speeding ticket and our name is made public. We may write a bad check and again a name is printed for all to read.

As taxpayers we deserve better from our officials.

By the way, this letter will be signed—I noticed the letter to the City of Thief River Falls on the front page of the *Watch* was missing a signature.

A Concerned Citizen,
Shirley Ehrenstrom
Thief River Falls

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

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F. Myrtle Vegle
436-2133

Sunday afternoon Eva Bernard and Morris Anderson were guests at Paul and Shirley Anderson's in honor of Kristopher's birthday.

Merlin, Jim and Gary Madsen of Davenport, IA, joined by their niece Gladys Nelson of Minneapolis and by their uncle Orville Madsen who was visiting Gladys, came to Karlstad on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Peter H. Thompson. Merlin, Jim and Gary are the children of Peter's sister Esther Thompson and Edwin Madsen, both deceased. They enjoyed dinner at Elsie Lefrooth's home on Tuesday evening and they returned to their homes following the funeral on Wednesday morning.

The following have visited this week at LaVol Thun's home to visit with Dick, Dawn and Christina Higdon, Milo and Lois Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe, Wally and Phyllis Larson, Ed and Janice Carlson, Arnold and Vernica Larson, Don and Vangie Carlson and Ron, Kim Carlson, Todd and Cindy, Mork and boys, David and Don Carlson and Robbie Carlson.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's on Monday were Art Kleinvachter, Claudia Berggren, June Kasprowicz and Bud and Mario Staffen.

Paul Adlis and daughter Susan of Minneapolis visited with Elphie Adlis on Friday and together with George and Joyce Wikstram took in the corn feed in Karlstad and then to the ice cream social at the Nursing Home. Paul visited at the Nursing Home with his old hunting buddy, Gilman Stennes and with Alvin Erickson who is a patient there. On Saturday they went to Warroad and visited Betty Johnson and toured the area where Paul and Bud Harrison used to fish while on the Northwest Angle. On Sunday they all met and had dinner at Elphie's home and in the afternoon they went visiting to see the Rokke brothers and Hore Rokke. On Monday they went home to Minneapolis.

Shirley Lefrooth, Merlys Lefrooth and Roy and Myrtle Vegle had lunch at Elsie Lefrooth's home after attending the prayer service at the Collin's Funeral Home for Vernon Sjoblom.

Scott Thun and Debi Bruggeman and girls were weekend guests at LaVol Thun's home.

Guests on Thursday evening for a supper of potato dumplings at Peter and Pearl Thompson's were Sherrie, Scott and Steffenie Stewart, LaVonne Johnson, Becky and Jeromy Johnson, and Elsie Lefrooth.

Robert and Cathy Thompson, Hazel Anderson, Richard and Carol Thompson of Red Lake Falls and Isaac and Betsy Thompson were guests for a steak supper at Town Square in Warren Thursday evening.

Dawn, Dick and Christine Higdon of Arizona visited with Anne Hensen and Elle Thun in Thief River Falls. Dawn and Christina also visited Kore and Florence Myhrer one day last week.

Friday evening guests at Peter and Pearl Thompson's home were Becky Johnson, Sherrie, Scott and Steffenie Stewart. The Stewarts left for home on Saturday after being guests for a week at Peter and Pearl's guests.

All of nine of the Ole and Kristina Thompson children and their spouses attended the funeral for Peter H. Thompson together with a host of relatives, friends and neighbors on Wednesday. They were Mary and Donna Renstrom, Peter E. and Pearl Thompson, Elsie Lefrooth, Walter Thompson, Myrtle and Roy Vegle, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, M. Hazel and Morris Anderson, Gloria Renstrom and Geneva Hordin. Peter H. Thompson came to live with Ole and Kristina when his mother passed away in 1920 and considered it home until his father remarried in December of 1925 except for a short while that he worked in North Dakota in 25. Peter was a lot of fun and a good fishing partner to Peter E. Thompson and the late Leo Renstrom.

As for mosquitoes, I head they had set traps for them in Grand Forks and one day they had caught 52 or 3 and the next day 158 in the same trap. How if that is all they could catch in Grand Forks they would have more luck in our garden. As the old saying goes "We should make a better mouse trap" or in this case a better mosquito trap.

The Strandquist Senior Citizens met at the Center on Thursday with 11 members and three visitors, Elsie Lefrooth, Lillian Garmundson and Clara Helson. They worked on crafts and played games in the afternoon. Ida Bruce was the hostess and served a delicious lunch. The door prize was won by Unna Seltan.

Grace Engler of Westbrook and Lois Anderson of Windom spent a long weekend with Lorraine Seltan and out at Mary Johnson's home.

Dick, Dawn and Christina Higdon of Fountain Hills, AZ came two weeks ago for a visit at LaVol Thun's home. They have been busy painting and a lot of fixing for mom.

Roberta Turnwall stopped in again to see Grandpa and Grandma Kleinvachter before she left for home. Larine Berggren and Pete Kostrazewski also stopped by.

Karl Thompson of Red Lake Falls visited with Grandpa and Grandma Isaac and Betsy Thompson on Monday.

Peter and Pearl Thompson enjoyed supper with Danny and Becky Johnson and their guests, Sherrie, Scott and Steffenie Stuart.

Highlanding ...

Ernie and Lois were coffee guests at the Irene Ellingson home Saturday evening.

Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Peter and Frances Gorszewski were among many who attended the funeral for Frank Wald at the St. Barnards Catholic church Monday, July 17th in the forenoon in Thief River Falls.

Tillie Amundson visited with Hanne Moen on Sunday evening.

Sunday afternoon, Roy and Laura Roppe visited with Bert and Adelina Roppe.

Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Marlya Aune of Circle Pines, Brian Aune and Samantha of Lino Lakes, Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh.

Peter and Frances Gorszewski got on the Senior Bus at Holt on Saturday along with 26 other Seniors and went to Shevlin for Sawdust Days. Everyone had a nice time and a good day.

Monday evening, Wallace and Joan Roppe visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Sunday visitors at the Alice Ellingson home were Minnie Haugen, Tillie Amundson and Mabel Hanson.

Thursday afternoon, Sybil Peterson visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

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HELP WANTED- Somebody to help with the Falls harvest and tillage, some experience necessary, must have valid drivers license. Call 681-1620, call morning or evening 4t68t

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Dennis Brinkman
Delores Spina and family

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Thank you to Pastor Dahlen for his comforting words and friendship to Clarence through the years. To Dr. Langland and Dr. S. Patel, Valley Home and Oakland Park Nursing Home for their wonderful care while he was their patient. To Ernie and Lois Swanson for their many hours of care and support. To Green Funeral Home and their employees for their kind service and the pall bearers and the honorary pall bearers for their close friendship to Clarence. Also, thank you to Grace Hammer for her beautiful music, the Faith Lutheran Ladies Aid for the delicious lunch and the Highlanding 4-H Club for the care they give to the Highlanding Cemetery. Thank you to the friends and family who enjoyed Clarence's company.

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1978 BUICK, 4 door, 350 motor, some [illegible] $350.00, best offer. 218-[illegible]

1983 CHEV. Bel Air, 4 door, 283 engine [illegible] very little rust. $400.00 [illegible] $20.00 call [illegible]

FOR SALE: [illegible]

FOR SALE: 1985 Ford F-150 [illegible] automatic, $3,500.00 [illegible] Call [illegible] 681-2662 [illegible]

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FOR SALE: 1983 Chrysler [illegible] loaded [illegible] miles, new clutch, good rubber [illegible] $1,200.00. Call 681-1058 after [illegible] weekdays, anytime weekends.

Legal Notices

August 9, 16, 1995

NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 103D.911, notice is hereby given that the [illegible] of Managers of the Red Lake Watershed District will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget for 1996 at 10:00 a.m. [illegible] 24, 1995 at the District Office located at 102 North Main Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. The following is a summary:

Proposed 1996 Administrative Budget

Administrative Fund

Managers Fees and Salary	$12,000.00
Board of Managers Expense	9,000.00
Staff Salaries	15,000.00
Payroll Taxes	1,850.00
Employee Benefits	6,250.00
Travel and Meetings	3,000.00
Legal	7,300.00
Audit	2,300.00
Office Supplies	3,000.00
Office Equipment (computer and computer programs, computer updates, FAX machine)	12,000.00
Telephone	4,500.00
Dues and Subscriptions	1,000.00
Insurance and Bonds	16,000.00
Repairs and Maintenance	825.00
Utilities	4,000.00
Professional Services	1,000.00
Advertising and Publications	975.00
TOTAL 1996 ADMINISTRATIVE BUDGET	$100,000.00

Construction Fund

An ad valorem tax of .03627 percent of taxable market value for 1995, collectible for 1996, will be levied on all taxable property within the district. One-half of the levy will remain in the district for projects listed below, the other one-half will be sent to the Red River Watershed Management Board for projects within the Red River Basin.

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August 16, 23, 1995

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON

IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No. [illegible]

In Re: Estate of Adolph C. Stenhaug aka Adolph Carl Stenhaug, Deceased

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of September, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated November 8, 1982, and for appointment of Allen D. Stenhaug whose address is Route 2, Box 73, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: August 9, 1995

L.G. Jorgenson, Judge
-s- Barbara Berto
Court Administrator

Paul Ihle
IHLE & SPARBY, P.A.
318 North LaBree Ave.
P.O. Box 578
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-7373
Att. Reg. No. 48732

August 9, 16, 23, 1995

GRADING AND AGGREGATE SURFACE BIDS CLOSE
10:00 AM, SEPTEMBER 12, 1995
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN 56701

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS: Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 AM Tuesday, September 12, 1995 by the Pennington County Auditor at the Courthouse in Thief River Falls, MN on behalf of the Pennington County Board of Commissioners for the following:

SAP 57-629-04

Grading and Aggregate Surfacing on CSAH 29 at the City of Goodridge.

The major quantities of work are:

Geotextile Fabric	8,212 SQ.YD
Common Excavation	6,829 CU.YD
Aggregate Surfacing CL.5	2,900 Ton
Aggregate Class 3	7,020 Ton
15" C.S. Pipe Culvert	398 L.F.
18" C.S. Pipe Culvert	206 L.F.
24" C.S. Pipe Culvert	122 L.F.
24" C.P. Pipe Culvert (Smooth)	120 L.F.
Miscellaneous Items	

Proposal, Plans, and Specifications may be examined and obtained at the Office of the County Highway Engineer, 101 N. Main or by mail PO Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

The Counter price for a complete set of all required contract documents is $10.00 (non-refundable). Add $2.50 for shipping and handling, if requested to be mailed.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bidders bond made payable to the Pennington County Treasurer for not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any defects.

Kenneth Olson
County Auditor

August 9, 16, 23, 1995

County Ditch 639 Improvement

NOTICE TO DRAINAGE CONTRACTORS

NOTICE TO DRAINAGE CONTRACTORS Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Middle River Snake River Watershed District at 453 North McKinley Street in Warren, Minnesota until 4:00 o'clock P.M. August 31, 1995, for the improvement of County Ditch 639, in Marshall County Minnesota.

Said work involves quantities estimated as follows:

Excavation	7,300 CY
Seeding	3.0 acres
F & I Bedding Material	884 CY
F & I 42" CSP 12 ga.	880 LF
F & I 42" Waterman Flap Gate	1 Unit
F & I Rip Rap	46 CY

The total Engineer's estimate is $83,400.

No bids will be entertained in which the aggregate exceeds the estimated cost by more than 30 percent.

The items and quantities listed are for the total of the work involved in the improvement of County Ditch 639.

Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope and be on forms furnished by the Middle River Snake River Watershed District. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Middle River Snake River Watershed District for not less than ten percent of the amount bid as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract for the work as described in the proposal. The certified checks or bid bonds of the three lowest responsible bidders will be retained until a contract has been entered into but no longer than 90 calendar days from the date of the opening of the bids.

It is the intent of the District to award the contract for the work described to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders who will be required to furnish surety bonds to the District in the amount of 100% of the contract price and certificates of insurance for workman's compensation and liability insurance.

Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of the Secretary of the Middle River Snake River Watershed District, at 453 North McKinley Street, Warren, Minnesota 56762 upon payment of $10.00.

The right to adjourn the letting of the contract to a time and place other than noted herein, or to reject any and all bids, is reserved.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1995.
Richard Kuzel, Secretary MRSRWD

August 9, 16, 1995

NOTICE OF BIDS

The City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, will accept sealed bids for the sale of a 24' X 48' Metal Garage presently located at 310 North Atlantic, City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

All bids must be received in the office of the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, located in the City Auditorium, 123 North Main Avenue, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on or before 2:00 p.m., August 21, 1995.

Bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on August 21, 1995, in the Council Chambers, located in the City Auditorium, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Additional information concerning the bidding process is available from the City Clerk. All bids must be submitted on bid forms provided by the City Clerk and all bids must be accompanied by a 16% cashier's check or bid bond/performance bond made payable to the City of Thief River Falls. The City reserves the right to hold any bid for 30 days during which it may accept said bid.

It is required that the 24' X 48' metal garage be removed by October 20, 1995.

The City of Thief River Falls reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any irregularities, and to award the contract in a manner that they deem to be in the best interests of the City.

For the City Council,
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Legal Notices

August 16, 1995

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PENNINGTON COUNTY
JUNE 27TH, 1995 - 9:00 P.M.

Pursuant to adjournment the Pennington County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners room in the courthouse in Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Tuesday, June 27th, 1995 at 9:00 a.m. Members present: Jensen, Carlson and Naplin. Members absent: Swanson and Comstock.

It was noted that Commissioner Swanson was attending the annual meeting of the Northwest Regional Development Commission.

George Broadwell, assistant County Engineer met with the County Board concerning the following Highway Department items.

Mr. Broadwell informed the County Board that John Hanson has been selected from the applicants to fill the position of Maintenance Worker IV, (Motor Grader Operator). This now leaves an opening in the position of Maintenance Worker I. Commissioner Jensen moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson that the Highway Department be authorized to advertise to fill the vacancy in the Maintenance Worker I position. Motion unanimously carried.

Mr. Broadwell then updated the County Board on the status of the Construction Projects.

Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to approve the proposal request to provide material & labor to cover exposed face brick at south wall of vestibule in Northwest corner of courthouse for an additional cost of $913.00 and to give approval to the Chairman to sign change order #3. Motion unanimously carried.

Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to approve the installation of the metal pipe under County Road #54 in Red Lake Watershed Ditch Project #109 at a cost of $9,793.00. Motion unanimously carried.

George Broadwell then left the meeting.

The County Board then discussed the Joint Powers Agreement for the Multi-County Events Center. County Attorney Dave Olin reviewed the Joint Powers Agreement as it was written. A discussion was held on what was going to happen after the Northwest Technical College and Northland Community College becomes one, as the way the Joint Powers Agreement is written they both have a member on the Board. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to approve the Multi-Cultural Events Center Joint Powers Agreement and authorize the Chairman and Auditor to sign the agreements on behalf of the County. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Auditor then presented the Minnesota Statewide Voter Registration System Postal Verification Card Service Agreement. This agreement between the Inter Technologies Group of the Minnesota department of Administration through the Office of the Secretary of State provides for the state to produce a Postal Verification Card each time the County enters a new registrant on the Statewide Voter Registration System. The County is then billed quarterly 24 for each card sent. Commissioner Jensen moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the Postal Verification Card Service Agreement. Motion unanimously carried.

Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to write a letter requesting the Canadian Snowbird Flying Team to perform during the Thief River Falls Centennial in 1996. Motion unanimously carried.

Howard Person discussed with the County Board the used oil tanks. One has been installed next to the Goodridge Highway Shop and he is still looking for a location to put one in the City of Thief River Falls. The County Board noted that it could be placed at the Solid Waste Facility if another location is not found.

Howard informed the Board that he had been talking with John Erickson to see if he would like to get the demolition pit permitted for use of class II compost for cover. The County Board asked Howard to continue with the permitting of the demolition pit for use of class II compost. Rick Nordhagen then joined the meeting. Mr. Nordhagen stated that due to problems with getting a 60 HP starter for a motor, they would not be able to start operation on July 1, 1995 and officially requests an extension to August 1, 1995. If they should begin operation earlier than August 1, 1995 all cost would be prorated. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jenson to extend the management contract with Future Fuel, Inc. to August 1, 1995. Motion unanimously carried.

Rick Nordhagen then discussed the needed repairs on the mixing bin owned by the county that will be used by SWISCORP as part of the compost operation. After SWISCORP takes over, all maintenance costs will be theirs. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jenson to approve repairs to the mixing bin not to exceed $4,000. Motion unanimously carried.

Rick then produced a list of equipment owned by the County at the Solid Waste Facility. The items that were purchased as part of the Compost project will be needed by SWISCORP as they will operate the compost operation. Rick Nordhagen also indicated that they would like to use some of the other items and would like to know what kind of agreement they could come to on these items. The Board referred this to the Solid Waste Committee.

At this time the County Board discussed the surplus 1978 ambulance owned by the County. The City of St. Hilaire has indicated that they would like to use it as a rescue vehicle. The County Attorney would check into what kind of agreement is needed to lease or give this ambulance to another local unit of government.

Commissioner Jenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the minutes of June 13th, 1995 as written. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Board then discussed the request from Faye Dickon to go from a full-time position to part-time. Commissioner Jensen moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the request of Faye Dickon to go to a part-time position with the agreement that the County pay 3/5 of her single health insurance policy. Motion unanimously carried. No Holiday pay was granted.

Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jenson to adjourn to 10:00 a.m. July 11th, 1995. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Kenneth Olson, Auditor
Pennington County
Charles Naplin, Chairman
Board of Commissioners

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS PENNINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION (cont.)
JUNE 29TH, 1995 - 5:00 P.M.

Pursuant to Law, the Pennington County Board of Equalization met in the County Board room of the Pennington County Courthouse in Thief River Falls on Thursday, June 29th, 1995 at 5:00 p.m.

Members present: Commissioner Charles Naplin, Don Jensen, Oliver Swanson, Bob Carlson, & Arden Comstock and County Auditor Ken Olson.

Members absent: none.

Also present was County Assessor Adeline Olson.

Meeting with the Board of Equalization were Ken Berg, Ken Sanders and Bob Polkrabek regarding their initial request for a reduction of value made June 19th, 1995. Senator LeRoy Stumpf also joined the meeting at 5:15 p.m. The discussion mainly centered on changing a law passed in the 1995 legislative session that changed the class rate on class 4a rental properties from 3.4% to 2.3% in certain cities under 5,000 in population. It was requested that this be changed to cities 10,000 and under. The County Commissioners making up the County Board of Equalization stated they would take up a resolution supporting that change at their next County Board meeting.

No change in market value was made on this request as when the income approach was used the market value was not reduced.

Moved by Commissioner Jensen, seconded by Commissioner Carlson that the real estate and personal property values as returned by the Local Boards of Review and submitted by the County Assessor be accepted and approved. Motion unanimously carried.

Moved by Commissioner Carlson, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to adjourn. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Kenneth Olson, Auditor
Pennington County
Charles Naplin, Chairman
Board of Commissioners

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF COMMISSIONER PENNINGTON COUNTY
JULY 11TH, 1995 - 10:00 A.M.

Pursuant to adjournment the Pennington County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners room in the courthouse in Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Tuesday, July 11, 1995 at 10:00 a.m. Members present: Jensen, Comstock, Swanson, Naplin and Carlson. Members absent: none.

Heidi Hoks, representing the Thief River Falls Library, met with the County Board to review the 1994 annual report and the 1996 budget request. This also gave the County Board an opportunity to ask about the services provided by the Library. The 1996 operating budget request was for $38,374.00. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to take the Thief River Falls Library's request for appropriation of funds for 1996 under advisement. Motion unanimously carried.

Adeline Olson, Pennington County Assessor, presented a request for abatement of 1995 taxes for John Konickson on parcel #09.17.039.00 in Mayfield Township. The property owner had made application to the State of Minnesota for a special homestead classification that was approved but was then sent to the wrong County. The Pennington County Assessor was notified on 6-23-93. The special homestead classification would reduce the taxes due on parcel #09.17.039.00 by $292.00. Commissioner Jensen moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the abatement of 1995 real estate taxes on parcel #09.17.039.00 described as 1 acre in SE1/4SW1/4, Section 17, Township 152, Range 41 and owned by John Konickson. Motion unanimously carried.

County Engineer, Dalton Schulz, and Assistant Engineer, George Broadwell, then met with the County Board to discuss Highway Department matters.

The County Engineer stated that the County Board had previously approved the allocation of $2,400 for placement of a pipe in J.D. #13 Branch 4 Reiner Township. A used culvert has been found and installed in the ditch and Reiner Township is now requesting that the County pay for the culvert ($2,800.00) and the labor of $681.25 to the project. Commissioner Jenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Swanson to approve the cost participation of $3,481.25 for placement of a culvert in J.D. #13, Branch 4, in Reiner Township and to authorize the Auditor to pay Reiner Township by Auditor's Warrant. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Board was informed that the Bureau of Indian Affairs had submitted a letter of agreement indicating cost participation of $102,000 for repair of the River Valley Bridge #7040. The total estimate of the project is $360,000 with the remainder of the funds coming from State Bridge Bonding or the County State Aid Highway Funding. The Bureau of Indian Affairs have indicated that their funds are available to this project only if completed by 12-1-96.

The County Engineer reported that landowners along County Road #63 from S.A. #20 to the South 1/4 line of Section 19 Silverton Township would like to clean the ditch along C.R. #63 at their costs. Commissioner Jenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to authorize the County Engineer to coordinate the cleaning of the road ditch along C.R. #63 from S.A. #20 to the South 1/8 line of Section 10 Silverton Township with no cost to the County. Motion unanimously carried.

The Commissioners were appraised of the delay in project design of the Goodridge street projects due to the need to revise the plan for State Aid approval.

The County engineer then presented an agreement from Burlington Northern Railroad to install a rubberized crossing at the intersection of the proposed C.S.A.H. 16C. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to approve the agreement with Burlington Northern Railroad for rubberized crossing at the intersection of the proposed C.S.A.H. 16C and authorize the Chairman to sign such agreement. Motion unanimously carried.

At this time the County Board met individually with the County Treasurer, County Recorder, County Sheriff, County Attorney and County Auditor to discuss elected official salaries for the period of July 1, 1995 to June 30, 1996. The decision on the elected official salaries was held for later in the meeting.

County Sheriff, Gerald Moe also informed the County Board that he will be losing a dispatcher/jailor and will need to advertise for a part-time dispatcher/jailor. Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Swanson to authorize the County Sheriff to advertise for a part-time dispatcher/jailor. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Board then discussed the Scopaniak Claim with County Attorney, Dave Olin. Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to have the County Attorney file a 3rd Party Defendant claim against Nordon Township in regards to the claim filed against the county by Scopaniak. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Board also authorized the County Attorney to request a change of Venue on the Scopaniak claim to Pennington County District Court.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Carlson, seconded by Commissioner Comstock and upon vote was unanimously carried.

WHEREAS, the tax structure existing on rental properties makes it difficult for private persons to financially afford to provide adequate rental property for renters in communities 10,000 & under; and

WHEREAS, the 1995 Legislature made a reduction for class 4A property in communities under 5,000; and

WHEREAS, the same relief is needed in communities under 10,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Board of Pennington County urge the Legislature to pass legislation lowering the class 4A property tax to 2.3% of M.V. for communities under 10,000.

Commissioner Jonsen moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to transfer the title of the 1978 ambulance to the City of St. Hilaire. Motion unanimously carried.

Commissioner Swanson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jonson to write off as bad debt the amount of $2,330.00 which resulted from the premature payment of a NSF Check on 11.27.91 by the former Sheriff. Motion unanimously carried.

Commissioner Jensen moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the minutes of June 27th, 1995 and Board of Equalization minutes of June 29th, 1995. Motion carried.

Commissioner Swanson moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the Commissioners Warrants as follows. Motion unanimously carried.

WARRANTS

County Revenue	$53,733.46
Road & Bridge	$33,479.88
Solid Waste Facility	$40,967.58
Ace Hardware	301.09
Ace Rent-all	133.31
Acme Electric Motor Inc	137.90
Bidell Chemical	1,100.00
Norman Boucher	565.10
Bradeson Supply	182.73
Breezy Point	435.29
Bridgestone Firestone Stores	792.91
Kim J. Carlson	177.19
City of Thief River Falls	2,851.94
Commissioner of Transportation	903.90
Computer Run/Radio Shack	1,728.39
Contech Construction Products	3,002.77
D & J Radio Sales Service	228.94
Dan Larson & Associates	246.38
Direct Safety Co	127.11
Dunwoody Institute	125.00
Duro-test Corporation	2,061.01
Eleven Drug	190.53
John F. Ellison	146.72
Erickson Engineering Company	2,400.00
Evergreen Implement Company	112.83
Falls Diesel Service	195.70
Farmers Union Oil	7,678.67
Freedom Services	350.00
Gillund Enterprises	111.61
Grand Forks Utility Dept	17,451.03
Hancock Concrete	2,557.81
Holiday Inn - St. Cloud	109.28
Honeywell Inc.	1,278.80
Michael Hruby	160.00
Hubert Outdoor Power	701.40
IBM Corporation	521.85
Intoximeters Inc	236.40
James Jesme	150.00
Kapak Corp	118.52
Kelly Inn State Capitol	563.07
Dennis Kiesow	183.36
Kosmos	3,140.00
Ben Kuzina	150.00
Raymond D. Kuznia	150.00
Lawyers Coop Publishing	241.57
Les's Sanitation Service	15,402.07
Midwest Industrial Machinery	2,060.26
MN Counties Insurance Trust	212.00
MN County Attorneys Assn.	113.00
MN Department Public Safety	270.00
Model Laundry	118.00
NCTC-events Center	5,000.00
North Country Auto Parts	801.99
North Country Business Product	177.44
Northern Paving, Inc.	1,366.17
Northwest Medical Center	3,823.82
Northwest Power Systems	1,608.84
David Olin	597.00
Adeline Olson	243.87
Richard Olson	150.00
Paint & Glass Interiors Inc.	259.72
PDQ Sanitary Service	295.20
Pennington County Highway Dept	321.37
Pennington County Sheriff	4,123.37
Pennington County STS	1,510.63
Howard Parson	145.58
Quam Excavating	2,700.00
Radisson Hotel Metrodome	381.80
RAM Building Systems, Inc.	108.50
Alan O. Rogalla	182.84
Patrick Salentiny	150.00
Ken Schmaltz	100.00
Schmalz Industries	100.00
Dalton D. Schulz	909.82
Shepard's McGraw-Hill	742.46
Maria Smsky	112.00
St. Hilaire Elevator	228.06
St. Louis County Auditor	2,500.00
State of Minnesota CPV Program	350.00
Steiger Mfg. Co.	146.96
Stepp Mfg. Co. Inc.	298.23
Alan Swanson	4,452.21
The Times	745.73
Tony Dom, Inc.	505.23
Tri-Steel Mfg. Co	101.28
Tunberg Motor Co.	592.79
Universal Screenprint	252.00
University of Minnesota	8,392.81
Vatthauer Farm Supply, Inc.	4,997.40
Darin Wald	191.80
Warning Lites of MN Inc.	179.63
Wennberg's, Inc.	381.45
West Publishing	1,076.50
Widseth Smith Nolting & Assoc.	556.02
Wilson Brothers	293.25
Xerox Corporation	810.03
Deborah Matsro Zak	562.60
Zee Medical Service	101.44
68 Payments Less Than $100	3,033.33
Final Total	$128,130.96****

Also approve per diems and meal reimbursements in the amount of $1,396.39.

The County Board then discussed the Elected Officials salaries further.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Jensen, seconded by Commissioner Comstock and upon vote was unanimously carried.

BE IT RESOLVED, that effective July 1, 1995 the Elected Officials salaries be set as follows: Auditor - 46,000, Treasurer - $35,000, Recorder - $35,000, Sheriff/Civil Defense Director - $44,000 and County Attorney - $44,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that effective January 1, 1996 the County Commissioners salary will be $11,000 (the same as 1995) and the per diem rate set at $40 per meeting.

Howard Person then met with the County Board to discuss the location for the used oil tank in the City of Thief River Falls and change in rules for feedlot permits.

The County Board authorized the County Auditor to settle out the Surplus Auction proceeds to the various government departments by issuing Auditors Warrants.

The Board asked Howard Person to set up a tour of the new Solid Waste Processing Facility for 7-19-95 at 9:00 a.m.

Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Jenson to adjourn to 5:00 p.m. July 25th, 1995. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Kenneth Olson, Auditor
Pennington County
Charles Naplin, Chairman
Board of Commissioners

August 16, 23, 30, 1995

Notice Of Filing For City Election City Of St. Hilaire

Notice is hereby given that the general election for City of St. Hilaire will be held on Tuesday, November 7, 1995, at which time there will be elected two council members for four-year terms, one council member for two-year term, and a Mayor for two-year term. Affidavits of candidacy may be filed at City Hall from August 29th to September 12th during regular business hours 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., except last day closing time for filing is 5:00 p.m. Filing fee $2.00.

Jill Altendorf, City Clerk

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The Times
681-4450

Legal Notices

August 16, 1995

ORDINANCE NO. 281 2ND SERIES

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 11 ENTITLED "LAND USE REGULATIONS" BY AMENDING THE CITY ZONING DISTRICTS MAP, AND BY ADOPTING BY REFERENCE CITY CODE CHAPTER 1 AND SECTION 11.99, WHICH, AMONG OTHER THINGS, CONTAIN PENALTY PROVISIONS

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THIEF RIVER FALLS ORDAINS:

Section 1. The City Zoning Districts Map is hereby amended by changing the zoning designation of the following described real property from General Business District (C-2) to General Residential District (R-2):

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Six (6), Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Section 2. City Code Chapter 1 entitled "General Provisions and Definitions Applicable to the Entire City Code Including Penalty for Violations" and Section 11.99 entitled "Violation A Misdemeanor" are hereby adopted in their entirety, by reference, as though repeated verbatim herein.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication.

Passed by the City Council of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 8th day of August, 1995.

Voting Aye: Reeve, Burstad, Carlson, Hamerlinck, Heinrichs, Schmaltz, Wennberg and Barron

Voting No: None
Absent: None

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk-Treasurer

August 9, 16, 30, 1995

NOTICE OF FILING DATES FOR ELECTION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564 THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 564 shall begin on August 29th, 1995 and shall close at 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12th, 1995.

The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7th, 1995. At that election, 3 members will be elected to the School Board for terms of three years each.

Affidavits of candidacy are available from the school district clerk and/or the School District Administrative Office at 230 South LaBree, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. The filing fee for this office is $2. A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for 30 days before the general election, and must have no other affidavit on file for any other office at the same election.

The affidavits of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the filing fee paid prior to 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12th, 1995.

Dated: 7/31/95

BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
-s- Darla Twomey, School District Clerk

Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
465-4376

WELCA Meets

The Women of Immanuel met on Thursday afternoon in the church basement with President Lucille Kvasager conducting the business. Plans were finalized for the annual bazaar to be held on August 26th from 9:30 to 1 p.m. The Phoebe circle was in charge of the program and Effie Byer brought the story of the Rio Grande Children's Home at Mission, TX. She was assisted by Berthe Hughes, Bunny DuChamp, Gloria Fossum and Avis Frolland. Hostesses were Jean Matt, Jean Carpenter and Carole Wright.

New Arrival

A phone call from Anne Anderson of Santa Ana, CA told of the arrival of a new grandson, born to Ryan Anderson, her youngest son. Austin Ryan was born on August 3rd, weighing in at 9 pounds, 10 ounces. He is the first grandchild to bear the Anderson name. Great grandparents are Effie and Burnel Byer.

Lea Vigatol of Minot visited on Thursday at the Lloyd Sorenson home.

Tom and Wilma Huotari visited Ben Sordahl of Greenbush on Friday.

Karen and Nick Johnson of New York Mills spent Thursday and Friday with her mother Amelia Eskall. On Thursday they made a trip to Grand Forks accompanied by Eddy Eskall.

Judy Engesether and grandchildren Jessica, Beth and Josh visited Leonard and Bernice Peterson on Friday. Other visitors were Norman Versdahl, Keri and Erica of Winger.

Ernie Purath, brother of Esther Walter of Enumclaw, WA spent a few days in the area, visiting with Herb and Esther Walter, Bill and Pauline Purath of Red Lake Falls and other relatives. He came in his own plane and made a few side trips while here.

Duane and DeEtte Walter and sons, Kevin, Keith and Jason of Minot, ND were houseguests over the weekend. They had come to attend the wedding of Jennie Walter and Jason Yutrenzka on Saturday in Thief River Falls. Their hosts were Roger and Janet Walter.

Friday evening visitors of Ernie and Dorothy Pederson were Effie and Bunnie Byer, Duane Walter of Minot and Iona Meridey of Rockford.

June and Jim Smith of Hugo spent last week as houseguests of her parents Herb and Esther Walter. Iona Meridey also spent a night there. Members of the Walter family gathered from far and near for the wedding of Jennie Walter, daughter of Ray and Reinette Walter of rural Thief River Falls to Jason Yutrenzka on Saturday at the Catholic church in Thief River Falls. The reception was held at the Eagles Club.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended the Walter-Yutrenzka wedding as did a large number of Plummer friends.

Gertie Haugen of Goodridge visited on Sunday with her sister Bunny DuChamp.

Gladys and Gail Loing of Hatton, ND were Sunday visitors of Charlotte Leining. They were all dinner guests of Jim and Carole Wright.

Renata and Greg Semidtka of Lakeville and family arrived on Sunday to spend a week at the Harold and Marian Vatthauer home, also the Schmidtke home in Thief River Falls, and to attend the All Church Reunion of the Evangelical Free church in Thief River Falls on Sunday, the 13th. The congregation is soon to move to a new location and this will commemorate the years spent in the present building.

Sunday morning coffee guests at the Eugene Carpenter home following church services were Corey and Rose Carpenter and children, Kim and Minette Carpenter, Art and Gloria Fossum.

Edna Hyde, Berthe Hughes and Della Jenson accompanied Dwain and Garri Jenson of Erskine to Detroit Lakes on Sunday where they were dinner and supper guests of Lanis and Annabelle Karel.

Ruth Wilkens visited on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Olson of Red Lake Falls.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended the wake for Art Schiefert on Sunday evening at the Petterson Funeral home in Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patnode of Red Lake Falls were recent visitors of Idella Rewertz, Myrtle Patnode and Pat Larson.

Bobby Saibel of Grand Rapids brought his mother Nora Saibel to Plummer on Tuesday where she will visit at Lorena Westerlund's, Myrtle Patnode and Pat Larson and other relatives. Tuesday supper guests of Lorena were Bob and Nora Seibel and Rick Greenwald.

Don, Schar and David Fox returned home on Sunday evening from a trip to Park City, IL where they visited Don's aunt and uncle, Herbie and Arleen Anderson. Enroute going and coming they were visitors of Jane and Gerry Robbin's home in Pine City.

Milton Peterson was a Sunday morning guest of his father Leonard Peterson and his wife Jan visited Leonard and Bernice on Monday.

Funeral for Art Schiefert

Sincere sympathy is extended to Frances Schiefert and her family in the death of her husband Art. His funeral was on Monday morning at St. Joseph's church in Brooks, with lunch served at the Plummer Hall. Both the church and the hall were filled to overflowing as Art had many friends and relatives to mourn his death.

Circles Meet

The Phoebe circle was hosted by Dorothy Roese on Tuesday afternoon at her home. Jean Carpenter led the Bible study and Amelia Eskall the business. Main topic was the WELCA bazaar coming up on August 26th and the lunch to be served by the Phoebe circle.

The Joy circle met at the church on Wednesday afternoon with Bernice Peterson as hostess. Bible study was led by Pastor Johnson and Fern Eskell conducted the business.

Members of the Presbyterian Ladies and a couple of men journeyed to Detroit Lakes on Wednesday forenoon dinner and their meeting. Lanis and Annabelle Karel were the hosts, having been members of Plummer church many years and recently moved to Detroit Lakes. Going were Kern and Alice Trilmen, Harold and Marien Vatthauer, Ruth Wilkens, Lillie Halvorson, Esther Walter, Edna Hyde, Della Rewertz, and Lorena Westerlund.

Prayer Breakfast

The Wednesday morning prayer and fellowship meeting held weekly is very much alive and well. In August we are meeting in the Presbyterian church and have had good attendance. It is at 9 o'clock and we welcome any one to come and join us for this informal hour of prayer, praise and fellowship.

Correction

I neglected to put in the name of the school reunion that my husband Burnel and I attended a week ago Sunday. It was at Guthrie, which is south of Bemidji. We graduated from Bemidji high school.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Monday evening, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylene and Kelsey visited at the Cheslie Ruud home.

Wednesday, Mrs. Larry Dahl and granddaughter, Hilery visited at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Visitors about three weeks ago at the Arvin Dahl home were Linda, Danny and Janie Mikush of Isanti. They spent Saturday until Monday.

Keyla and Nicholas Harris of Thief River Falls spent a few days with their grandparents the Juel Aunes.

Visitors spending a week at the Larry and Ila Hagen home were Regan Englund of Minneapolis, Savannah Englund and Paige Thunder of Duluth.

Bob and Darla Jones of Warren visited on Sunday at the Bert Jones and Alan Severts homes.

Mrs. Cordell Klamar of Roseau visited briefly on Tuesday at the Clifford Klamar home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Grondahl of Florida have been recent visitors at the Karyl Larson home.

Senior News

The Seniors met on Wednesday at the Center, Denise Holthusen from Pine to Prairie came and took blood pressures. Howard Lunsetter served.

Laurie Canfield and Shannon Collins of Atkin spent a week at the Arvin Dahl home.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Auna, Glenn Aune, Nicholas and Keyla Harris visited at the Leverna Auna home at Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Engevik and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Engevik left for there homes at Julian, CA on Friday after spending sometime in the area. Tom Shipley of Denver, CO also accompanied them to Minnesota, he is Mrs. Russell Engevik's father.

Sunday, Mrs. Dean Anderson and Jill of Newfolden and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik attended a Droen family reunion at Clarkfield.

Mrs. Craig Swanson and Sabrina visited on Thursday at the Gene Peterson home and Sabrina is staying a few days with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rux of Vancouver, WA and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Grann of Middle River visited on Sunday at the Eunice Hagen home.

Visitors on Thursday at the Cheslie Ruud home were Chris Howard of Warren, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylene and Kelsey and Walter Lunsetter.

Circle Meets

On Tuesday morning the Salome Circle met at United Lutheran church with Mrs. Levarna Aune, Mrs. Alton Sperby, Mrs. Juel Aune, Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mrs. Reuben Engevik and Mrs. Reuben Brewley present. Alve gave the Bible study and Lilla served.

Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Bernstein and Malissa of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klamar, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bernstein were to Bottineau, ND on Sunday and attended the 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary for Glenn and Anne Rose Evans.

Patrick and Lindsey Wolle of Vancouver, WA spent Monday at the Juel Aune home.

Kim Kenaar and Drew, Kelly Barfield of Thief River Falls spent a couple of days at the Karyl Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones and Evelyn Severts visited on Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

Saturday, Eunice Hagen attended the Mud Lake Reunion and Picnic at Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Canfield, Greg and Laurie of Atkin spent Saturday until Monday at the Arvin Dahl home.

Lorantza and Anna Ruud of Rochester spent Tuesday until Friday at the Cheslie Ruud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nordvick and Mrs. Tim Rittenour and two of her children visited on Thursday evening at the Reuben Engevik home.

Recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home have been Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Engevik, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Engevik of Julian, CA, Tami Bratang, Jordan and Ashley of Grygla and Gary Peterson and Maria of Middle River.

Saturday evening visitors at the Arvin Dahl home were Mr. and Mrs. DelRay Monson, Amy and John of Pomona, CA, LeRoy Lian and Darlene Swagger of Thief River Falls.

Stacy Englund of Grygla visited on Monday afternoon at the Juel Auna home.

Kurt Englund of Duluth is spending a week at the Larry Hagen home.

Susan Kenaar of Grand Forks spent the weekend at the Karyl Larson home.

Afternoon visitors on Sunday at the Arvin Dahl home were Erling Lian, Rick Lien, Sheron, Jesse, Cassie and Stephanie, LeRoy Lian, Darlene Swagger, Mr. and Mrs. Brad McKee, Crystal and Melissa of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Canfield, Greg and Laurie of Atkin, Mr. and Mrs. DelRey Monson, Amy and John of Pomona, CA and Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Dahl. Later they all enjoyed supper at the Steak Knife.

Marcus Wallace spent Thursday and Friday with his grandparents the Alan Severts.

Mrs. Glenn Espe and Olga Engevik of Thief River Falls and Ronald Engelstad have been recent visitors at the Reuben Engevik home.

Sunday, Erling Lien, LeRoy Lien, Darlene Swegger of Thief River Falls, Linda, Danny and Janie Mikush of Isanti, Laurie Canfield and Shannon Collins of Atkin, Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Dahl and Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Klamer, Amber and Heather enjoyed a fish fry at the Arvin Dahl home.

Ethel Hyatt of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Duana Green of Middle River and Eunice Hagan were to the 90th birthday party for Eli Tuure at Oakland Park on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. DelRey Monson, Amy and John of Pomona visited at the log cabin of Darlene Swagger recently.

Visitors on Sunday at the Clifford Klamar home were Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar, Mrs. Michael Tesarek and Ashley of Roseau, Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Dahl were supper guests on Wednesday at the LeRoy Lian home at Thief River Falls.

Brooks

Joe and Carol Parenteau and boys returned to their home in Vancouver, WA after having a month holiday with his parents Aurel and Gloria Parenteau, Clare and Patti Jo Thompson in Grand Forks.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Willard and Shirley Hince and Betty Henson of Thief River Falls, LeRoy and Julie Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. George Burthwick, Derrin Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachary and Tiffany Walhen all of Oklee.

Mrs. Margaret Searly of Washington visited with her cousin Mrs. Harriet Parreault last week.

Erin and Mariah, children of Tracey and Kathie Woehl of Sioux Falls, SD arrived on Monday to enjoy a holiday with grandparents Ray and Ann Capp.

Mrs. Pearl Leniel and her family Lewis and Ruth Carriere of Spring Lake Park, Debbie Carriere, Jason and Nicole, Julie Hawkinson and Nathan all of Coon Rapids, Arnie and Alice Cakelfa of Hinckley, Alice, Andrea and Allen Cekalla of St. Paul, Mike and Diana Laniel, Chris and Denise Laniel and Elizabeth all of Minneapolis, Keith and Dena Leriel and Autumn of Buffalo, Bob and Ann Hince and Troy Meyer, Charlie and Lora Johnson, J.R. and Jerred of Oklee, Darryl and Delores Grimm of Brooks, Derrin Grimm of Salol, Jim and Barb Laniel, Tia and Beau of Prior Lake, Gary and Joan Carpenter, Grant and Tanya, Sean and Kim Carpenter all of Jamestown and Tracy Carpenter of Fargo, gathered together at Lake George for the weekend and helped Gary and Joan celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary, Jason's 16th birthday and grandmother Pearl's birthday. Happy Anniversary Gary and Joan! Happy Birthday Jason!

Jack and Anita Mattison and family of Minot, ND, Jack and Donna Johnson and family of Madison, WI arrived on Friday at the home of their parents Walter Sr. and Menice Nevek and all attended the wedding of a granddaughter and niece Jennifer Walter and Jason Yutrozenka held at the St. Bernard's Catholic church of Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon and reception held at the Eagles in the evening.

Mrs. Eunice Champagne, Lorraine Barber and Pearl Laniel were Monday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Hazel Porras of Red Lake Falls.

On Wednesday, Judy Champagne and Denise of Oklee, Mrs. Diane Planta, Evangeline Grove, Willard Hince, Racheal Carlson and Mrs. Elmer Plante of Erskine were visitors of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel was a Tuesday evening dinner guest of Bob and Ann Hince of Oklee.

Mrs. Vi Gegner, Sandra Gagner, Gena and Pat Proulx and Denny, Greg, Michelle Gegner and family all traveled to Morris to attend and enjoy a family reunion over the weekend.

Russell and Cheryl Hince, Evangeline Grove, Mable Sabourin and Kevin Longton of Terrebonne visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Saturday.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Debbie Opdahl, Kelly and Ashley, Dorothy Myhre, Joann Delage and Mamie Riendeau.

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Elizabeth Swenson
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Friday afternoon, Paul and Harriet Grandbois of rural St. Hilaire visited at the Liz Swenson home.

Wednesday evening dinner guests at the LeRoy Sustad home were Reverend and Mrs. Orville Sustad of Arvada, CO, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Peterson of Carlton, Mrs. Vernetta Stokke of Newfolden, Mrs. Gerald Peterson of Thief River Falls, Marvin Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sustad of Stephen and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Steinhauer and Liz Swenson enjoyed a picnic supper at the Bert Kron home.

Breakfast guests Thursday morning at the LeRoy Sustad home were Rev. and Mrs. Orville Sustad of Arvada, CO, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ostrom of Carlton, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjerven attended the wedding of Kristie Kennedy to Chad Sattler at Grace Baptist church in Grand Forks on Saturday. After the wedding they visited at the Randy Skjerven home in Grand Forks.

Friday afternoon, Ruth Tostrup of Newfolden was a visitor and coffee guest of Ruth Sustad.

On Sunday, Paulette Grindeland and Kay Maidment with daughter Kim visited with Leonard Larson.

Thursday evening, Rev. and Mrs. Orville Sustad, Mervin Andersen of Stephen and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Glauda in Warren.

On Saturday, afternoon Arlene Erickson took Liz Swenson to Warren to spend the weekend at the Glenn and Marion Halvorson home.

On Sunday, they and Dr. Lol and his wife drove west to Itasca State Park and on to the resort area of Lake Metagaske. It was a beautiful drive and a wind free day so we all enjoyed it very much.

On Saturday, Orville and Marion, LeRoy and Ruth Sustad called on Clifford Sustad and Alma Drotts who is a patient at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and an Aunt Florence Drotts at her home in Thief River Falls.

Leonard Larson attended a birthday party for Olger Foss at his home. Guests were LeRoy Gustafson, Ollie Urdahl and Melvin Grandstrand.

Lloyd Renum and Virgil Hjelle attended Joe Blawats funeral in Warren.

On Sunday, Melvin and Irene Grandstrand went to Dale Grandstrand west of Karlstad to celebrate his birthday. In the evening they went into Thief River Falls to visit at the Ward Sinn home.

Sunday morning breakfast guests at the LeRoy Sustad home were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sustad, Deron, Holly, Jennifer, Blake and Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Kraig Melvie and Alexis, Ceray Gustafson of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Sustad of Colorado.

Rev. and Mrs. Orville Sustad left Monday morning heading for Lincoln, NE and will arrive in Arvada, CO on Tuesday.

Irene Grandstrand attended the baby shower held at Zion by Rainbow circle for Patty Grandstrand. JoAnn Peters gave readings. Amy Hjelle gave devotions. Erika Halvorson sang several numbers. Patty received many beautiful gifts and responded with sincere thanks.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

The robin in the hedge next to the chokecherry tree hatched the second batch for this year and now has taken off for some place else. She picked all the chokeberries for the first batch and the apples had grown too large to cram down the beaks of batch #2. She should have learned how to catch mosquitoes like some birds do and with all the Scandinavian blood that I've lost to them this past week while in the garden, the mosquitoes would make better food for them than green chokecherries. But maybe she tried it and the baby birds began to talk with a different brogue or dialect and she was afraid they might take off for Norway or Sweden this fall instead of flying south.

Newfolden

Donald and Eleanore Thompson came Sunday afternoon for a visit with his mother, Olga Thompson and enjoyed coffee and lunch with her before going to Thief River Falls for shopping.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the Arnold Larson home were Marlys Aune of Circle Pines, Brian Aune and Samantha of Lino Lakes, Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin had a very enjoyable day. Later that day Brian and Samantha left for their home. Marlys remained to attend the funeral of her cousin Art Nelson.

Tuesday, Clara Henson spent the day visiting with Lyle Vecure in Thief River Falls.

Jena Scheumberg and Matt and Beverly Erickson went to Team Penning at Roseau on Saturday.

Vernice Larson and Marlys Aune visited and enjoyed coffee with Sue Dondelinger on Tuesday.

Clara Henson visited and enjoyed coffee and lunch with Olga Thompson on Tuesday afternoon.

Highlanding

Ernest Swenson family attended the Clarence Ellingson funeral on Saturday, August 5, at Faith Lutheran church, Goodridge.

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These girls and boys recently attended Legionville school patrol training camp under sponsorship of American Legion Post 117 and its auxiliary in Thief River Falls. They will be operating as a school bus patrol unit this school year, helping students cross streets to board and return from buses going to and from Challenger elementary school. Girls in the top photo are (left to right), front row, Laura Anderson, Kate Levinson and Ashlay Halbasch; back row, Ashley Harbott, Kelly Smeby, Katie Olson and Ashlay Olson. Boys in the bottom photo (left to right) are Rocky Altepeter, Mitchell Pribula, Sam Harger, Eric Leister, Ryan Fornay, Dana Kjono and Andy Rominski.

Tri-Valley Heartland bus services lists fleet schedule for week

Tri-Valley Heartland Express Fleet schedule for the week of August 21-25 has been released. All buses are fully accessible. For the nearest coordinator call 1-800-584-7020.

Monday, August 21

Departs Mentor at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Erskine at 8:45 a.m., Brooks at 9:05 a.m., Oklee at 9:25 a.m., Plummer at 9:45 a.m., Red Lake Falls at 10:15 a.m., Crookston at 10:30 a.m., East Grand Forks at 11:30 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly at 9:05 a.m., Halstad at 9:15 a.m., Hendrum at 9:30 a.m., Perley at 9:45 a.m., and arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Gatzke at 8:30 a.m., Grygla at 9 a.m., Goodridge at 9:20 a.m., and arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, August 22

Departs Winger at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Fertile at 8:45 a.m., Red Lake Falls at 9:20 a.m., Gentilly at 9:35 a.m., Crookston at 9:50 a.m., Fisher at 10:20 a.m., East Grand Forks at 11:15 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 10:45 a.m.

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Departs Middle River at 7:45 a.m. with stops in Holt at 8 a.m., Thief River Falls at 8:30 a.m., St. Hilaire at 9 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, August 23

Tri-Valley Heartland Express will be providing transportation for the Fall Aging Conference.

Thursday, August 24

City-wide transportation will be available in Crookston, in Twin Valley from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.; and in Halstad from 1:45 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Departs Middle River at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden at 8:15 a.m., Holt at 8:40 a.m., and arrives in Thief River Falls at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, August 25

Departs Winger at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Fertile at 8:45 a.m., Red Lake Falls at 9:20 a.m., Gentilly at 9:35 a.m., Crookston at 9:50 a.m., Fisher at 10:20 a.m., and arrives in Grand Forks at 10:45 a.m. It returns to East Grand Forks at 11:15 a.m.

City-wide transportation is available in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., and Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Between August 21 and 25, city-wide transportation is available through Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve space on the bus.

Wayne Brininger, graduate student from St. Cloud State University, will be presenting a program on his two year study of American bitterns being completed at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge. The program will begin at 3 p.m. in the five stall building behind the office at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge on Sunday, August 13.

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- September 21 - Strategies for Teaching Adults
- September 25 - Classroom Instruction
- October 10 - Genetics

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XATA reports record sales

XATA Corporation, a producer of onboard information systems for the truck fleet industry, has reported net sales for the third quarter ended June 30, 1995, of $1,962,967, compared with sales of $353,321 in the third quarter of last year. Net income for the third quarter ended June 30, 1995, was $230,071, an improvement of $602,578 over the net loss in the third quarter ended June 30, 1994, of $372,507. Net income per share was 2 cents in this year's third quarter, vs. a net loss of 4 cents per share in the third quarter of last year.

For the nine months ended June 30, 1995, sales were $5,047,699, an increase of $3,655,069 over net sales for the nine months ended June 30, 1994, of $1,392,630. Net income for the nine-month period was $540,678 or 5 cents per share, vs. a net loss of $991,800, or 10 cents per share, for the same period of last year.

Dennis R. Johnson, president and chief executive officer, said, "This is our fourth consecutive quarter of profitable operations and record net sales. We are very pleased with our continuing growth and progress toward achieving a profitable year for XATA and our share holders."

XATA Corporation, based in Burnsville, designs, manufactures and markets programmable onboard information systems for the truck fleet industry. XATA systems utilize touch-screen computers, accessories and related software components to capture and communicate driver and management information, including driver logs, state fuel tax reports, dispatch instructions, maintenance information and fuel economy management data.

Initiative Fund offers new business classes

Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund (NWMIF) is offering a class in Baudette for those who are thinking about starting a business. The NWMIF encourages economic self-sufficiency through the growth of small business and self-employment opportunities.

Turning an idea into a business is a process that requires time and "know-how". Through this business development training, individuals learn how to plan the start up of their business as well as manage it once it is operating.

This fall, a class will be held in Warren and will cover topics such as business plan development, idea assessment, business lifestyle, goal setting, marketing and market research and finance and bookkeeping.

The introductory session is scheduled for Tuesday, September 12 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. The remaining seven sessions will be held every Tuesday beginning September 19 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. All session will be held at the Warren high school in room 10.

The cost of the program is $125 but the Initiative Fund will provide each individual with a $60 scholarship making the cost of the program only $65. If someone would like to see what the class is about, they may attend the first session for $10. Reduced fees for income eligible individuals are also available. Interested individuals should contact Steve Schoeneck of the Initiative Fund at 1-800-659-7859 with any questions or to register for the class.

The training program is sponsored by the Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund and the Small Business Development Center.

Quin County Health prepares services plan

Quin County Community Health Services, a joint powers agency of Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Roseau counties is currently preparing a Community Health Services plan for 1996-99. The plan satisfies requirements for funding under the Local Public Health Act found in Minnesota Statutes.

The Quin County Community Health Services Board and Advisory Committee will make the 1996-99 plan available to the public on August 15. The plan will be available for review at the Quin CHS office in Newfolden. A summary of the plan is also available.

Public meetings for comment on the plan will be held during the first week in September. An announcement of dates, times and locations will be made at a later date. Further information on the CHS plan is available by calling Quin CHS, (218) 874-7845.

Members of the Quin CHS board are: Jim Wollin, Kittson county; Ben Kleinwachter, Marshall county; Charles Naplin, Pennington county; Art Seibel, Red Lake county; and Richard Jackson, Roseau county. Members of the advisory committee are: Kittson county, Kathleen Clark and Claudia Nyegaard; Marshall county, Delmy Larson and Eunice Waterworth; Pennington county, LaRue Johnson and Sam Honebrink; Red Lake county, Susan Olson and Karen Schirrick; Roseau county, MaryAnn Pelowski and a member to be named.

Solicitors not from American Cancer Society

Readers informed The Times recently that an organization is soliciting funds for cancer research. The organization is not the American Cancer Society.

Local representatives of the American Cancer Society remind residents that before you give to the fight against cancer, look for the sword, the symbol of hope and the symbol of the American Cancer Society.

There are many cancer organizations. Some good, some not so good, but only your American Cancer Society has the sword. Look for it before you give.

For more information call 1-800-ACS-2345.

LaVerendrye at Chautauqua

The LaVerendrye troop that accompanied the explorer Pierre LaVerendrye through the west and this territory in the 1730s will be at the '95 Chautauqua to be held at Huot Park on August 26-27. The troop, coming from Manitoba and dressed and armed in period attire, will present its program interpreting early Canadian military history as well as to examine the nature of LaVerendrye's explorations. They also present the nature of the first encounters in the west between the French, Canadians and Native Americans.

Troops entertained themselves in the 1730s while on such expeditions, these troops too will display their musical talents and abilities.

Through arrangements with AFRAN, the troop will be encamped with their families just to the north of the park road and right west of the big performance tent according to Pierre Uebe, Red Lake Falls, encampment bourgeois.

Admission to the park and the entire Chautauqua fare will be $3 for adults and $1 for children. A badge will be issued to each person attending, and the admission is good for both days August 26-27.

For more information contact Virgil Benoit at (218) 253-2270.

Essay Winners — Page 9

Award winning essay writers from the sixth grade at Franklin Middle school in Thief River Falls were recognized at a luncheon Wednesday, August 16.

Speed Monitor — Page 12

Minnesota State Patrol has set up a speed monitoring unit in northwestern Minnesota. Recently, the monitor was set up in Thief River Falls.

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Concert Ass'n. plans entertainment series

Thief River Falls Concert Association has adopted the title "entertainment series" instead of using the term "concert series" for the five musical performances to be presented this season, beginning with The Golden Strings on October 9.

Marie Hvidsten, president of the concert association board, said in a letter to benefactors and members that the board believes "the word entertainment describes the series of performances more comprehensively."

Five performances are included in the series this year. In addition to the Golden Strings, a group from the Twin Cities which plays a variety of music from "The Blue Danube" to "Fiddler on the Roof," the schedule includes the following:

Saturday, November 18—The Shoppe is a male quartet whose love of music and performance radiates to the audience;

Thursday, February 8—Helios is a group of four New York chamber musicians who have joined to perform a repertoire of masterpieces and explore the unexpected;

Tuesday, March 12—Colorado Children's Chorale is a choir of 32 children ages seven to 14 which sings classical works, folk songs and Broadway selections; and

Saturday, April 20—The Bourbon Street Boys are five versatile jazz musicians who play a fast-paced program beginning and ending with Dixieland and filled with a wide variety of music.

In its initial announcement of the entertainment series for 1995-96, the concert association encourages membership renewal and participation in its financial benefactor program. Donations beyond the cost of memberships enable the association to provide a larger number of high quality performances than would be possible with the proceeds from memberships alone, yet keep the membership cost low to allow the widest possible community and area participation.

Benefactor program is offered at four levels: Co-Sponsorship ($500), Patron ($250), Donor ($125) and Contributor ($75). Each of these programs provides benefits in relation to the amount of the contribution. Amounts given above the cost of memberships are tax deductible. Information on the benefactor program is available from the Thief River Falls Concert Association at P.O. Box 312 in Thief River Falls or by calling *Lorraine Seaverson at 681-7446.*

Following a brief effort for member renewal and enrollment of benefactors, a general membership campaign will be conducted. Annual membership, which provides admission to all five performances on the schedule, is $20 for adults, $9 for students or $50 for an entire family.

Memberships will be offered for sale at The Times, Kezar Music, Jubilee Foods and Hugo's, and directly from the association at the address or phone number listed above.

United Way of Thief River Falls elected officers and established goals for the 1995 fund-raising campaign at its meeting Monday night. This year, the United Way will attempt to raise over $143,000. David Hill was elected chairman and Jim Amundson, vice chairman. Pictured above, from left are: Doris VeVea, treasurer, Dayna Bruggaman, Tenye Saverinson, Pam Dallmann; (back row) Dave Onkka, Jim Amundson, Mary Anderson, executive director, and Jason Funk. Not pictured are Dave Hill, Kyle Anderson, Richard Sathar, Helen Anderson and Craig Mattson.

TRF United Way to seek $143,750 in '95 campaign

United Way of Thief River Falls has established its fund-raising goal for 1995 at $143,750. The local board met Monday night to establish goals for 1995, elect new board members, and make plans for the 1995 fund-raising campaign which will begin September 18.

After reviewing fund-raising figures for the past two years, the board established a goal of $143,750, roughly 10 per cent higher than the $130,870 raised last year. Although, the amount raised last year was significantly higher than any previous amount raised, the board members were optimistic about the outlook this year. This year's theme is "Paint a Brighter Tomorrow".

It is the mission of the local chapter of the United Way to provide a structure to organize and implement a local fund-raising program, which efficiently allocates financial support to local non-profit human care service organizations. In an effort to fulfill its mission, the board draws upon the talents of a large number of volunteers. Over 100 citizens assist the United Way in its efforts.

Last year, the local chapter of the United Way provided financial assistance to over 30 local agencies. Most of the money raised in Thief River Falls will remain in Thief River Falls. Less than one per cent of the funds raised are given to United Way of America.

Leading the local board this year will be Dave Hill. At the meeting Monday, Hill was elected chairman of the board, and Jim Amundson, vice chairman. Dory VeVea is the treasurer, and Mary Anderson is the executive director. Other board members this year include: Pam Dallmann, Kyle Anderson, Richard Sather, Jason Funk, Helen Anderson, Craig Mattson, Dayna Bruggeman, Dave Onkka, and Tanya Severinson.

Board members will soon begin contacting volunteers for their support. The 1995 fund-raising campaign is scheduled to begin September 18 and conclude on October 20.

In November, questionnaires will be sent to local agencies that have expressed an interest in receiving financial support from United Way.

The allocation process will conclude sometime in March.

Beautification award winners in TRF named

Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce has announced winners of the 1995 City Beautification Awards.

Duane and Diane Lillevold, 524 Red Lake Blvd., received the award for the residential category. Pennington Square received the award in the commercial category. Northern State Bank received honorable mention. The Thief River Falls Golf Club, L.B. Hartz corner, received the award in the public category. Maplewood residence, 728 Red Lake Blvd., received honorable mention.

An awards ceremony for the winner of each category will be held at the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce office on Friday, August 25 at 3 p.m.

Orderly at N.W. Medical Center stabbed Monday

Shane Skeim, an orderly at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls, was stabbed when an individual was being admitted to the Mental health division at the hospital Monday.

Twenty-year-old Michael Moreno, Thief River Falls, is in custody at the Pennington county law enforcement center. The law enforcement center received a request for assistance at 11:54 a.m. When officers arrived they found Moreno subdued by orderlies, and one orderly who had been stabbed.

The orderly, who had been stabbed, was taken to the emergency room and immediately into surgery. According to law enforcement personnel, the orderly received one stab wound which pierced his liver and just missed his heart.

Police have learned that Moreno was in the process of being admitted when he became unruly and stabbed the orderly with a two- to three-inch long pocket knife. The orderly then pushed Moreno to the ground where two other orderlies subdued and disarmed him.

Skeim is listed in stable condition. Chief Executive Officer Dick Spyhalski said they expect him to recover fully from his injury. Spyhalski said that he has worked for the hospital for some time, but was just offered an LPN position at the hospital.

Moreno is being charged with attempted second degree murder and assault in the first degree.

Sell your goods at Everybody's Market Saturday, Sept. 9 Contact the TRF Chamber of Commerce

Steve Tomac, a professional barrelman and clown in the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) since 1982 and a North Dakota State Senator, will perform at the TRF Stampede September 1, 2 and 3 in the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center. The PRCA rodeo will feature six professional rodeo events including bareback and saddle bronc riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, cowgirl barrel racing and bull riding.

Tomac to clown at TRF Stampede

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

If PRCA barrelman and clown Steve Tomac of St. Anthony, ND, doesn't enjoy every second of his rodeo performances, he is an even better actor than he is a clown. Folks in these parts will be able to judge for themselves September 1, 2 and 3 when he brings his considerable talents to the TRF Stampede.

The 41-year-old served two terms in the North Dakota House of Representatives, then was elected to the Senate in 1990 and reelected in 1994. He has been clowning at rodeos since he was 17 years old and has held his Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association (PRCA) card since 1982.

While Tomac insists he separates his funny and serious sides when he is in the rodeo arena or the political arena, he admits there are some parallels to the two professions. "The objective in both," he says, "is to stay ahead of the bull."

Although Tomac's acts are funny enough in themselves, the humor is all the more infectious because he seems to be having such a good time with it himself. Whether using his oversize "one-step" camera, presiding at a kids' audition for a Western movie, sparring verbally with the rodeo announcer or putting his little red fire truck through its paces, "The Senator" has the audience laughing with him as well as at him.

Tomac says he had to develop a sense of humor as a survival instinct while growing up on a ranch on the North Dakota-South Dakota border. He was the second oldest of Bob and Betty Tomac's 18 children, neatly divided into nine boys and nine girls. The ranch was in North Dakota but the mailing address was Watauga, SD, because that was the nearest post office. In the Sioux language, Watauga means muddy water.

He was drawn into rodeo entertainment when the contracted performer failed to show for a rodeo at Raleigh, ND, and he was tapped to fill in. About all he remembers about the impromptu performance was that he "had a ball" and that the folks putting on the rodeo hired him back for the next year.

Since he turned pro 13 years ago he has enjoyed considerable success. He was first runner-up in the Coors Man-in-the-Can competition in 1989, selected for the Dodge National Circuit Finals in 1990, worked the Badlands Circuit Finals seven times, was chosen for the Columbia River Circuit Finals in

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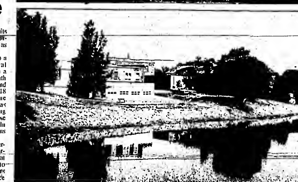

Steep banks behind the Thief River Falls fire department (top picture) were unsafe and at times, unsightly due to garbage. The city of Thief River Falls hired Hedeen Construction to put rip rap along the bank. Once top soil is added and grass planted it will make it much easier for employees to mow and maintain. The city obtained permits from the DNR before the project was undertaken. This project is one of many expected to take place during the Red Lake River reservoir drawdown in Thief River Falls. The water level is expected to drop another two to three feet once a pump has been put in place. The pump will be used to pump water to the water treatment plant because the raw water intake is above the lowered level of the reservoir.

Tomac to clown at rodeo

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1992 and was a Wrangler bullfight barrelman from 1985 through 1989.

He self restricts his rodeo activity due to his legislative service, declining jobs until the session is over, the calves at his ranch 30 minutes southwest of Bismarck are on the ground and the wheat is planted in the spring. Then he works between 30 and 50 rodeo performances until October.

Serving as a barrelman hasn't been all laughs for Tomac. In 1989 a ton of belligerent bovine bounced him off an arena wall in Missoula, MT, cracking four vertebrae and bruising a kidney. That night he checked himself out of the hospital so he could drive 800 miles to meet his contract at the next rodeo.

Once he gets to a rodeo site, Tomac says he enjoys playing the guitar, visiting the pawnshops and relaxing between performances. He driving 1,400 miles in his truck in a day and a half that gets a little tiring.

"The Senator" has come a long way since his ambition on going off to college was to have a pair of blue jeans that weren't hand-me-downs. In addition to his legislative work and operating his 1,500 acre ranch he maintains an agricultural consulting and appraisal business.

"I function by crisis," he says, "but I seem to get it all done."

"The Senator" will be getting it all done at TRF Stampede evening performances at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, September 1 and 2, and at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 3.

Darren, Jared Asp join Angus Ass'n.

Darren and Jared Asp of Thief River Falls, have become junior members of the American Angus Association.

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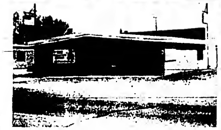
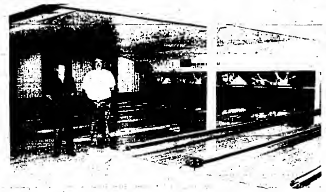


Larry (left) and Carl Lee represent the third and second generations of the Lee family which has operated Lee Plumbing and Heating for 90 years. The company was founded by Carl's father Edward in 1905. Carl bought the business in 1952 and sold it to Larry in 1982. The company serves a 125-mile radius of Thief River Falls from the building located at 1430 Main Avenue North.



Renovation and remodeling project at the Family Bowl in Thief River Falls has now been completed, according to owner Tom Greelis, shown at right in the bottom photo with Family Bowl mechanic Jim Counter. The project included new lane surfaces on all 16 lanes, new pin decks on lanes 1-10 and new pins throughout. The alleys will be open seven days a week beginning at 3 p.m. in the month of August and at noon in September. League play will begin the last week in August and the first week in September. Sign-ups are being accepted for teams and individual bowlers. The top photo shows the lanes as they appeared before the renovation and the bottom photo shows the new look of the lanes as they appear now.

Lee Plumbing has 90th anniversary

Ninety years of operation as a family business in Thief River Falls will be observed by Lee Plumbing & Heating on Thursday and Friday, August 24 and 25. The business is now in the third generation of ownership.

In observance of the anniversary, the company will serve bratwurst from an outdoor grill Thursday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and anniversary cake and coffee in the indoor showroom Friday from 1 to 4 p.m.

Edward Lee, an emigrant from Norway and former Minneapolis police officer, came to Thief River Falls in 1903 and began working as a plummer on downtown buildings. He opened his own shop in 1905 and expected his sons to follow in his footsteps.

Edward's oldest son, Carl, graduated from Lincoln high school in 1936 and his father gave him two weeks to see the world before joining the business and learning the plumbing trade. He was later joined by his younger brother Roy. Carl purchased the business from his father in 1952.

Carl's son Larry worked in the business on weekends and summers throughout high school, earned his college degree and went to work as a certified public accountant in Minneapolis. He returned to Thief River Falls to join his father and uncle in 1978 and bought the business in 1982.

Roy Lee retired in 1985 and Carl continues to be a part of the business, along with Larry's wife Cheryl (the daughter of Arnold and Gladys Narverud) and their three sons, Derek, Jared and Trevor.

Carl, Larry and Derek enjoy their work. "It's the variety," Derek said. "Every day is different. Getting in there and doing the job right, I guess, is what we all enjoy."

Lee Plumbing and Heating serves a 125 mile radius of Thief River Falls with residential and commercial plumbing and heating installation and service, specializing in hospitals and schools.

Middle River youth hurt in truck-pickup collision

Derrick Opdahl, 16, Middle River, was treated and released from Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls following an accident Tuesday, August 15, in Red Lake county.

According to a Red Lake county sheriff's department spokesperson, the sheriff's department received a report of the accident at 10:13 a.m. According to the accident report, Opdahl was driving a pickup east on Garnes township road 167 when he pulled in front of a Red Lake county gravel truck which was traveling north on Red Lake county road 5.

Opdahl was taken by ambulance to Northwest Medical Center. His pickup was considered a total loss.

James DuChamp of Plummer, who was driving the county gravel truck, was not injured. Damage to the truck is unknown.

The accident is still under investigation.

A good home is being sought for this abandoned male dog which was found along the railroad tracks between Thief River Falls and Newfolden. The young dog is extremely well behaved, has a good disposition and, although malnourished, is healthy and has received its shots. Anyone capable of providing a caring home for the dog may call Mary Gundarson at Newfolden, phone 218-449-3575.

Tri-Valley bus schedule set for August 28 through September 1

Brooks 9:05, Oklee 9:25, Plummer 9:45 and Red lake Falls 10:15. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11:35 a.m.

City-wide transportation in Twin Valley 8:30 to 11 a.m.

Departs Strandquist at 9 a.m. and stops in Viking 9:45. Arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

Thursday, August 31

City-wide transportation in Crookston.

Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9 a.m.

Friday, September 1

Departs Lengby at 8:50 a.m. with stops in Fosston 9:20, McIntosh 9:35, Erskine 9:45, Mentor 10:05 and Crookston 10:35. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11:15 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Ada 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

ROLLAG TRIP — Departs Stephen at 8 a.m. with stops in Argyle 8:15 and Warren 8:30. Arrives in Rollag at 11 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of August 28 through September 1. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, August 28

Departs Gully at 9 a.m. with stops in Trail 9:10, Oklee 9:30, Brooks 9:35, Plummer 9:45, Red Lake Falls 10:05, Gentilly 10:20 and Fisher 10:50. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Halstad 9 a.m. with stops in Shelly 9:15, Nielsville 9:25, Climax 9:35. Arrives in Crookston at 10 a.m. and Grand Forks a 10:30 a.m.

Departs Stephen at 7:45 a.m. with stops in Argyle 8 a.m., Warren 8:15, Alvarado 8:30, Oslo 8:40 and East Grand Forks 9:20. Arrives in Crookston at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, August 29

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hedrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Stephen at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Argyle 8:45, Warren 9:00, Alvarado 9:20 and Oslo 9:30. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, August 30

Departs Crookston at 8 a.m. with stops in Mentor 8:30, Erskine 8:45.

Arts and craft workshop set near Bemidji

Brochures are available for the 20th North Country arts and craft workshop to be conducted September 19-21 at the Concordia Language Camp near Bemidji.

Thirty-six different crafts will be taught from carving to painting, basket weaving, needlework, creative cards and band weaving.

Registration deadline without a late fee is September 9. For more information write Betty Boquist, Box 53, Northome, MN 56661 or call 218-897-5085.

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Weddings p.6
Area couples say "I Do" this summer. See pages 5 - 7 for weddings and engagements

Community Focus

Remember p.7
Corespondent Kim Chadwick-Quade reflects on fond memories.

Bird feeders provide the entire family with opportunities for learning

From the simplest backyards to the most complete of gardens, any landscape setting can be made far mor beautiful by the presence of singing birds. Attracting an assortmant of colorful birds to a lawn is an easy project that the entire family can enjoy. All that it involves is the hanging of a prefilled plastic bird feeder.

Prefilled feeders invite a wide variety of colorful birds to visit a yard year-round. This is because most feeders come stocked with the appropriate mixture of seeds and grains. Some are re-fillable and recyclalbe and can be found in any garden center or hardware store. Such prefilled feeders are a realistic alternative to decorative, large and often very expensive feeders that often adorn avid bird watchers' properties. Bird feeders not only brighten up the lanscape, but provide a healthy source of food, which is often much needed by birds in the winter months. Simply hang the feeder in a place convenient for observation, out of the reach of the neighborhood cat.

Let the children be in charge

Bird feeders make great educational projects for children. A child who is given responsibility of choosing the location of the bird feeder, as well as hanging it, is likely to take a real interest in the different species of birds that frequent the feeding spot. Armed with a bird guide or encyclopedia, children can identify the birds feeding in the yard. A child can also explain the new bird retreat to family and friends.

Bird varieties

Being able to identify the bird at your feeder can serve as a source of pride for people of all ages and interests, not just for children. The most commonly sighted bird at a typical feeder is a robin. They are easily identified by their deep red colored breast. What is not as widely known is that they can nest in any of the various terrains of this country. From ocean coasts to the peaks of mountains, robins are at home.

Blue Jays also seem to flock to bird feeders in great numbers. They crave sunflower seeds. Their vibrant colors and distinctive markings make them easy to spot. It is, in fact, more difficult to take ones eyes off a blue jay than it is to find one. Doves, cardinals, goldfinches and brown—headed cowbirds are other types of birds that will become common sights to the owner of a bird feeder.

Birds speak too

Birds are unquestionably beautiful creatures. They also flaunt a variety of interesting and often soothing sounds. The different pitches and tones are often enjoyed by homeowners as background noise. But they can be understood for what they truly are: forms of communication. For example, short fierce bursts serve to signal other birds of impending danger, where as a strong piercing cry serves to ward off other birds and establish territory. A male bird might attempt to attract a potential mate by singing a rich, sweet song. All of these different calls are pleasent sounding and at the same time they can also serve as a fascinating reference to the trained ear.

Why not turn a lawn into an educational sanctuary bustling with song by adding a bird feeder?

More ideas for bird-watching...

If you like watching birds, but want to enjoy more than the "garden variety," take a trip out to Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge. The Refuge has a bird watching legend which lists 280 species of birds which have been observed there.

According to the bird-watching legend, "The refuge supports 17 species of breeding ducks as well as giant Canadian geese. In an average year 10,750 pairs of ducks and 250 pairs of Canada geese nest at Agassiz. Colonial nesting birds include Franklin's gulls, great blue herons, great egrets, black-crowned night herons, double-crested cormorants and eared and western grebes."

The diversity of habitat, both wetland and upland, provide excellent protection for young ducks and geese and even molting waterfowl. By late September the young ducks and geese are strong enough to migrate south. Get out to the refuge before mid to late fall because by November, less than 20 species of birds remain for the winter.

For more information on area water fowl or the Agassiz refuge, call the refuge manager at 218-449-4115.

Noon Lionees met August 9th — set September 13th as date for next meeting

The Thief River Falls Noon Lioness held their monthly meeting at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Wednesday, August 9 with 21 members present. Co-president Edie Brandli opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and Lioness Table Prayer. Tailtwisting was done by Gloria Lee. Dimes were won by Linda Johnson and Gloria Lee won the craft. Members were encouraged to pay dues and new booklets are ready for distribution. A letter was read from Lion's International asking for volunteers for the Humanitarian Task Force. Eileen Horejsh gave a final report on county fair booth and Joyce Fox reported she has collected 40 pairs of used eye glasses to be donated to Lion's. Eunice Flynn will order two year program planners to sell for a fund raiser. $100 was donated to the Kindey Foundation. Marilyn Wiaters, member of the Kidney Foundation board, thanked the Lioness for their generous donation and shared information about the Foundation with club members. Next board meeting is September 7 at Lois Amundgaard's home. Next regular meeting is September 13 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium.

Sunday meal at Heritage Center

The meal at the Heritage Center on Sunday, August 27 will be a BBQ ribs dinner served at noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Women of Today annual family picnic at 6:30 p.m. at Oakland Park. New members welcome.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church. This week will be a bowling and pizza party at the Family Bowl.

Friday
Happy Seniors Potluck at 5 p.m. at the Heritage Center.

Sunday
Senior Meal at Heritage Center will be BBQ ribs at noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.
Westoker Ladies Aid will meet at 2 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Monday
Praise Through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Blood Pressure and Foot Care Clinic at Skylite apartments from 1 to 2 p.m. Call 681-5950 for foot care appointment.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information, call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

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Open house for 80th birthday of Lillian Ellefson

The children of Lillian Ellefson are hosting a birthday party to celebrate their mother's 80th birthday. Friends and relatives are welcome to join them at St. Josephs Catholic Church in Benwood on Sunday, September 3 from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. with a program at 2 p.m. No local invitations are being sent.

Bowling & pizza party for youth at United Methodist

The UMYF (Grades 6-12) will be traveling to the Family Bowl for a Bowling and Pizza Party. Meet at the church at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, August 23. Students need only bring a Bible and a friend — there is no charge for this activity. To obtain further information or arrange for a ride, call 681-4388.

Lane and Starr exchange vows in Wadena on July 4

Paul and Sharon Lane, formerly of Thief River Falls, now of Wadena, and Ervin and Rose Starr of Sauk Rapids, would like to announce the marriage of their children, Jason-William-and Colleen Mary on July 4 in Sunnybrook Park, Wadena.

Jason is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1994 graduate of Motorcycle Mechanics Institute, Phoenix. Colleen is a 1992 graduate of Sauk Rapids High School and a 1993 graduate of St. Cloud Technical School. The couple resides in Phoenix, AZ.

80th birthday party for Donald Appel

The family of Donald Appel will host a birthday party in honor of his 70th birthday. The event will take place on Saturday, August 26 from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Heritage Center, 301 4th Street East, Thief River Falls. All friends and family are invited. No gifts please.

Birthday party for Lewis Swenson on August 27th

There will be an open house celebration for Lewis Swenson in honor of his 80th birthday. The open house will be on Sunday, August 27 from 2 to 4 p.m. at 1204 Edgewood Drive, Thief River Falls. All friends and family welcome.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On August 8, a baby girl was born to Brian Joppru and Wendy DeFrang of Thief River Falls. She has been named Paige Alexandria Joppru.

• On August 8, a baby boy was born to Jeffrey and Jill Johnson of Thief River Falls. He has been named Logan Jeffrey.

• On August 8, a baby girl was born to James and Nanmi Lee of Thief River Falls. She has been named Alisha Hazel.

• On August 9, a baby boy was born to Gary and Lisa Casavan of Mentor. He has been named Wyatt Lawrence.

• On August 9, a baby boy was born to James and Angela Poole of Thief River Falls. He has been named Andrew James.

• On August 10, a baby girl was born to Reed and Nichole Engelstad of Red Lake Falls. She has been named Kylee Nichole.

• On August 12, a baby girl was born to Randell Olson and Agata Knap of Middle River. She has been named Emily May Olson.

• On August 13, a baby girl was born to Rodney and Stephanie Dearinger of Thief River Falls. She has been named Jade Marie.

• On August 13, a baby girl was born to Steven and Stacy Pahlen of Plummer. She has been named Shelby Rose.

• On August 16, a baby boy was born to Joseph and Charity Marcotte of Red Lake Falls. He has been named Alex Joseph.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Brooks

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Dianne Gagner attended the 80th birthday open house birthday party for her aunt Mrs. Leola Anderson held at the Heritage Center in Thief River Falls.

Calli and Megan, daughters of Paul and Kim Larson of Bemidji and Joe Larson of Erskine were Thursday to Sunday guests of their grandparents Milo and Pat Larson.

Mike and Peggy Eckert have a new baby boy

Beau David Eckert was born August 15 at United Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs. 6 oz. His parents are Mike and Peggy Eckert of Thief River Falls. He is welcomed home by three brothers, Casey, Zachary and Jacob.

Bjorgaards to renew vows on 25th anniversary

Friends and relatives of Charlotte Swenson Bjorgaard and Edward Bjorgaard are invited to share in the joy of their renewal of vows on their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, September 3 at 2 p.m. The renewal of vows will take place at Trinity Lutheran Church, 4th and Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls. A reception will follow in the church basement. The reception will also honor Chris Bjorgaard and Deb Bundgaard who will be united in marriage on Saturday, September 30 in Minneapolis.

Cincush and Bendickson wed July 15

Carlene Ann Cincush and Michael Robert Bendickson were united in marriage at 7 p.m. on July 15 at Atonement Lutheran Church in St. Cloud. Reverend Jon Anderson officiated at the double ring ceremony. Parents of the bride are Paul and Janet Cincush of Detroit Lakes. Parents of the groom are Bob and Ginger Bendickson of Thief River Falls and Neal and Lana Sandahl of Thief River Falls.

Music was provided by the Mississippi Strings string quartet. The processional was "Canon in D" by Pachelbel. The recessional was "Water Music" by Handel. The church was simply decorated with an ivy swag wrapped with tulle.

The bride wore a white gown. Her headpiece and veil were made by her mother.

The maid of honor was Shannon Kranzler of Rapid City, SD, friend of the bride. The bridesmaids were Julie Pearson of Detroit Lakes, friend of the bride, Raelene Kilichowski of Grand Forks, ND, friend of the bride, Dara Anderson of Maple Grove, friend of the bride, and Theresa Black of Sheboygan, WI, friend of the bride. The bride's attendants wore colbalt blue gowns. The bride's personal attendants were Lori Smith and Jodi Cincush, sisters of the bride.

The best man was Rich Bendickson of Plymouth, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Steve Philipp of Thief River Falls, friend of the groom, Mike Ault of Minneapolis, friend of the groom, Chad Gunderson of Minneapolis, friend of the groom, and Brian Kertz of St. Cloud, friend of the groom. Ushers were Steve Pederson and Ryan Kezar, both of Thief River Falls and friend of the groom.

Honored guests were Henry and Deloris Bendickson of Goodridge, Al and Elaine Sandahl of Thief River Falls, Irene Ellingson of Thief River Falls, Mary Johnson of Napoleon, ND, all grandparents of the groom, and Dorathea Gerner of Detroit Lakes, grandmother of the bride.

Hostesses for the reception were Diana Josephson, Godmother and aunt of the groom, and Corrine Munson, aunt of the bride. The guest book attendant was Connie Bendickson, sister-in-law of the couple. Cake cutters were Careadell Richter, aunt of the bride and Lisa Kertz, friend of the couple. Coffee servers were Karen Maynard and Ranae Siekas, both aunts of the bride. Punch was served by Sue and Jodi Bendickson, aunts of the groom.

The happy couple took a houseboat honeymoon. They are currently residing in St. Cloud where the bride is a student at St. Cloud State University and is employed at New Tradition Theatre. The groom is a graduate of St. Cloud University and an associate director of the St. Cloud Downtown Council.

Star News

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Gnet callers on Monday at the Vernon Iverson home were Leslie Iverson and Norman Kriot.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji was an overnight guest on Monday at the Clayton Johnsrud home. Then on Tuesday Randy left for Bemidji.

Tuesday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg and Joyce attended the funeral for Gilmer Manderud held at the Ekolund Lutheran church.

Shirley Johnsrud visited with her mother Ella Mostrom in Gonvick on Monday.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and guests at the June Johnson home.

Breakfast guests at the Jean Johnson home on Sunday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Morle Naeseth, JoAnn Naesoth, Dan Wellman and Zachary of Motley. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson. JoAnn, Dan and Zachary left for their home on Sunday evening after spending the weekend with JoAnn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morle Naesoth and Jason.

Open house for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pietruszewski

On Saturday, August 26 there will be an open house to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Ray and Mary Pietruszewski. Mass will be at 1 p.m. at Assumption Church, Florian with the open house to follow in the church basement. No gifts please.

Polaris declares special dividend

Polaris Industries Inc. Monday announced that a special dividend of $1.92 per share will be paid October 3 to shareholders of record on September 21.

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Roering and Garthus to marry on September 23

Danielle Roering and Wayne Garthus announce their engagement and plans to be married Saturday, September 23 at 6:30 p.m. in the Nazareth Lutheran Church at Holt. All friends and family are welcome. Parents of the couple are Rodger and Christine Roering of Twin Valley and Kenneth and Janet Garthus of Holt. The coupl resides in Roseau and are currently employed by Marvin Windows and Doors.

Bridal Shower for Danielle Roering

There will be a bridal shower for Danielle Roering, bride-to-be of Wayne Garthus of Holt, on Saturday, August 26 at 7 p.m. at the Holt Hall. All friends and relatives are invited.

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Prior to becoming the manager of The Jewel Box, Scott was general manager of Silverman's, Inc., in Grand Forks. He had previously managed Riddle's Jewelry for four years. A native of Gettysburg, SD, he has a BS degree in business administration from Northern State University in Aberdeen, SD.

Scott and his wife Melanie lived in Grand Forks since 1989. They have two children—four-year-old Megan and two-year-old Alec—all are excited to be in Thief River Falls. The next time you are in the store, say hello to Scott. He is looking forward to meeting you.

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Johnson and Scherf married July 22

Jane Johnson and Jon Scherf were united in marriage on July 22 at 5 p.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church, St. Hilaire. Pastor Terri Jo Skildum presided at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Harlow and Gloria Johnson of Thief River Falls. Parents of the groom are Karyl and Phyllis Scherf of Grand Rapids.

Music was provided by vocalists Allan Kosel, brother-in-law of the bride and Jenne Stratton-friend of the bride and organist Phyllis Dalager, friend of the bride. Selections were "Love Will Be Our Home," "I Will Be Here" and "One Friend." The processional was "Canon in D," and the recessional was "A Festal Fanfare." The church was decorated with gold candelabrum with ivy.

The bride wore a white satin sheath gown with an off the shoulder collar and decorated with sequin and pearls. She had a waist-lenth veil decorated with pearls and sequins. Her cascading bouquet contained stargazer lilies, white super dendrobruim, white roses, mauve alstroemeria, mauve heather and ivy.

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Aimee Tyler and Casey Johaneson announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

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The Black Hills of South Dakota is where they honeymooned. The bride is a 1989 graduate and the groom is a 1990 graduate of Lincoln High School. The couple lives in Thief River Falls where the bride is employed at the Oakland Park Nursing Home and the groom is employed by the Best Western.

SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCourslere

...It's Coming

The weather is playing tricks on me. One day last weekend I was fooled into thinking that fall was coming. I was so happy! I am still happy because that little taste of fall made me realize that fall is really coming, despite the return of 80+ degree temperatures. I can hardly wait.

I love fall best of all the seasons. It is a treat for all of my five senses.

My eyes are treated to the brightest colors -- gold, red and orange leaves, flowers, grains, pumpkins, squash, apples and corn. The bare, black branches of trees tremble and sway in the fall winds, reaching out to hold on to their bright leaves. Heavy, grey clouds race across the sky, appearing to scratch the tops of the trees. Animals that are hidden most of the time are seen as they scurry to stock their larders for the winter and birds stop in my yard before beginning their flight south for the winter.

My nose is treated to wonderful fall smells. There is the fresh, crisp smell of the fall air itself, as well as the smell of smoke from bonfires, the musty, slightly dusty smell of drying leaves and the smell of the fall flowers that are blooming their very best before the first frost. I love the homey smell of my kitchen in the fall -- the hearty smell of soups and stews and the spicy smells of pumpkin and apple pies, cinnamon cookies and nut breads. The smell of wet woolen mittens, a wood fire and popcorn also remind me of fall.

My ears hear better in the fall. I hear the crisp sound of leaves underfoot as I take my evening walk, the lonely sound of the ducks and geese flying overhead, the crisp sounds of a crackling fire, the crunch of ice-covered puddles, the mournful sound of a train whistle on a foggy morning, the excited cheers of the crowd at a football game, and the joyful laughter of children as they make their way home from school.

Fall is feeling. It is cold -- the cold mornings and evenings, the cold rain that might turn to wet, heavy snow, cold winds that cut through my clothing and make my fingers numb, cold that makes my nose run and my eyes water and makes my cheeks glow like cherries. Fall is also warmth -- the soft warmth of cocoon-like quilts and afghans, the crimson heat of fall fires, the tangy warmth of spicy hot cider in my tummy, the soothing warmth of a heavy sweater, and thick woolen socks on my cold feet. Fall is the softness of fleecy mittens, the silky feel of cattails and other seeds that fly by and tickle my nose, the feel of leaves crumbling in my hands, the roughness of the dry weeds I bring into my house to prolong the season.

And, of course, fall is filled with flavors. I love to cook hearty things in the fall. I can just taste the tart sweet apples, creamy pumpkin in pies and breads, crisp grapes, tangy wild plum jelly. I like to make soups and stews, cookies, pies and cakes, and meals that are cooked in the oven, like meatloaf, Swiss steak, baked potatoes, squash, chickens and roasts.

Yes, despite the present summer weather, I am definitely anticipating fall, all be it a little early. It can't come too soon for me. I just hope it comes early and hangs around a long time.

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Deer Park Garden Club August meeting

Deer Park Garden Club met August 8 at the home of hostess and president Norma Hanson. The club members toured her many flower gardens which featured a variety of petunias and geraniums and other flowers. Following the tour of the yard, the meeting was conducted. The club creed was recited. Roll call was answered to "Information on my wild flower garden." Ethel Wiseth brought a sample of the plant Camomile, a member of the perennial family "Anthemis," which is a flower somewhat like a small daisy. It can be used as medicine which causes drowsiness. It also has some culinary value. Norma cosiders her abundance of Johnnie Jump ups as a wild flower. Lois's 1994 wild-flower plot has four or five blooming flowers which include blue flax, a tall blue blooming plant, a small orange flower (the first to bloom) and two varieties of white blooms on 15 inch stems. The 1995 wild flower are starting to bloom this week.

Secretary's report for July and June read by Lois Swnnson. Willia Prestegaard paid the bills for the planters which are in Oklee, Thief River Falls (Heritage Center) and Goodridge, near the Senior Center. Business — Ethel Wiseth reported on the District 13 Horticulture Show where she had six exhibits. Helen Chervestad was Lavonne Radnieckie's substitute on the District 13 Awards Committee.

The next meeting is a potluck garden supper at the home of Bea Israelson in Thief River Falls. The business will consist of the election of officers for next year.

Members attending the August meeting were Willa Prestegaard, Helen Chervestad, Ethel Wiseth, Evelyn Myrum, Bea Israelson, Lois Swanson and Norma Hanson. Lunch, which included herbal tea made from camomile buds, was served hy the hostess.

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ON MY MIND

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Time To Remember

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My dad bought my sister [illegible] a car to share when we [illegible] high school. We were [illegible] grade apart, so we could [illegible] and forth to school. This [illegible] a collector's item or a prize [illegible] served its purpose as transportation. One time we felt like the Flintstones as the transmission failed and we had to push the car to a parking lot.

During a night class on auto mechanics my sister and I discovered that this blue Vega "clunker" with rust, had some additional parts, but at the same time was lacking in others. The instructor grew frustrated with our car's trappings and eventually left us to our own devices when changing the oil.

What we remember most about that car, is the day it died. My sister had driven a friend to a shopping center. A half hour later the phone rang at my house and my sister asked me to pick them up; there had been a small accident with the car.

A small accident? When I arrived at the scene, the car was in the opposite lane of traffic facing the wrong direction. Pieces of the car were lying 50 feet behind the vehicle, they fell off after she had jumped the median.

It took a wrecker to remove the old beater. That car sat in front of our house for weeks before my dad paid someone to dispose of it. Sitting on the curb, the mortally wounded Vega served as a reminder that our transportation was now of the two-wheel variety.

I didn't harbor bad feelings about her killing the car. In fact, I don't think I ever chewed her out. I didn't think I needed to.

One of our other "remembers" also involved a car and a trip we took together.

My sister asked that I accompany her to Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, to visit a college buddy.

We borrowed my dad's car and set off from Fargo across North Dakota. We hit the Canadian border at North Portal after lunch and determined that we'd arrive in Regina in early afternoon. Crossing the border on other occasions had always been swift; answer the questions and you're on your way.

Not this time. I guess the border patrol grew suspicious about two women in their early 20s entering the country with, what they considered to be, too little cash.

We explained that we were staying with friends and didn't need cash for a motel or much food money. Besides, what are credit cards for? We could also borrow money if we ran short.

This explanation didn't appease the officers, who detained us. They escorted us into a building where they shot a barrage of questions while leaving us standing.

Who owns the car? Our father.

Why are you driving it? He's a nice guy.

What does he do? He's a traveling salesman.

Has he ever traveled to Canada? Yes.

Has he been detained? Not that he shared with us.

Do you have any weapons? No.

Do you have jobs waiting for you in Canada? Absolutely not!

For nearly an hour, we nervously answered what seemed to be ludicrous questions. We hadn't figured out what our crime was; we thought we were harmless.

The border patrol then searched the car. A female officer dug through our suitcases and commented that my sister had packed quite a few clothes. So what? She's a clothes hog.

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Gordon Forester, area wildlife manager in Thief River Falls with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, has been named assistant regional supervisor at the Region I office in Bemidji.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

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Star News

Brief visitors on Friday evening at the Larry Kotrba home were Mrs. Clarence Johnsan and granddaughters Michalla and Monica Johnson.

Elva Fladlar was among others that attended the Parish picnic held at the Community Center in Goodridge on Sunday.

Monday afternoon, Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and coffee guest at the Arnold Haugen home.

Tyler and Johaneson plan September 23 wedding

Aimee Tyler and Cosey Johaneson announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Aimee is the daughter of Richard and Mary Tyler of Thief River Falls. She is a 1991 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1995 graduate of Moorhead State University. She is employed at Reden and Anders.

Cosey is the son of Wayne Johaneson and Wonda Johaneson, both of Thief River Falls. He is a 1991 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1995 graduate of the University if North Dakota.

A September 23 wedding is planned at St. Bernard's Catholic Church.

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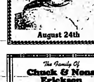

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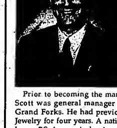

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Scott and his wife Melanie lived in Grand Forks since 1989. They have two children—four-year-old Megan and two-year-old Alec—all are excited to be in Thief River Falls. The next time you are in the store, say hello to Scott. He is looking forward to meeting you.

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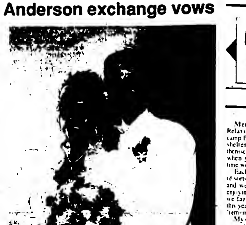
Holmgren & Anderson exchange vows



Tami Holmgren and Jeremy Anderson were united in marriage on July 8 at 6 p.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church in St. Hilaire. Pastor Terri Skildum officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Debbie Holmgren and Gary and Jen Holmgren. The groom is the son of Ila and Myron Anderson. All are of Thief River Falls.

Music was provided by vocalists Sheryl Spears and Jon Anderson. Selections were "In This Life" and "Keeper of the Stars." Organist was Marci Goldade. Processional was "Unchained Melody" and the recessional was "Wedding March."

The maid of honor was Lisa Spering of Thief River Falls. The bridesmaids were Julie Osborn and Amy Gunstad. The miniature bridesmaid was Chelsea Sorteberg and the flower girl was Toni Sorteberg. Tracy Rowley, Terri Stengrim and Deb Moldahl were the bride's personal attendants.

Shayne Anderson was the best man and the groomsmen were Tim Stengrim and Jon Anderson. Reid Anderson was the miniature groom and Mason Gunstad was the ring bearer. Ushers were Mike Holmgren, Dale Martell and Coda Vaughn. Host and hostess of the reception were Karen and Bob Sprynczynatyk. The attendant at the guest book was Alisa Highness. Gary Holmgren and Angeline Gunstad handed out programs. Flower hostesses were Sharon Rowley, Beverly Holmgren and Shirley Bratger.

Beverly Boe and Denise Highness served the punch while Leslie Gunstad and Rose Gunstad served coffee. Serving cake was Debbie Martell and Sandy Meyer. Austyn Anderson and Cedric Highness gave out candy kiss favors. The gift carriers were Cody Holmgren and Dustin Sorteberg. Julie Martell and Patti Meyer were the waitresses.

The Black Hills of South Dakota is where they honeymooned. The bride is a 1989 graduate and the groom is a 1990 graduate of Lincoln High School. The couple lives in Thief River Falls where the bride is employed at the Oakland Park Nursing Home and the groom is employed by the Best Western.

SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

...It's Coming

The weather is playing tricks on me. One day last weekend I was fooled into thinking that fall was coming. I was sa happy! I am still happy because that little taste of fall made me realize that fall is really coming, despite the return of 80+ degree temperatures. I can hardly wait.

I love fall best of all the seasons. It is a treat for all of my five senses.

My eyes are treated to the brightest colors -- gold, red and orange leaves, flowers, grains, pumpkins, squash, apples and corn. The bare, black branches of trees tremble and sway in the fall winds, reaching out to hold on to their bright leaves. Heavy, grey clouds race across the sky, appearing to scratch the tops of the trees. Animals that are hidden most of the time are seen as they scurry to stock their larders for the winter and birds stop in my yard before beginning their flight south for the winter.

My nose is treated to wonderful fall smells. There is the fresh, crisp smell of the fall air itself, as well as the smell of smoke from bonfires, the musty, slightly dusty smell of drying leaves and the smell of the fall flowers that are blooming their very best before the first frost. I love the homey smell of my kitchen in the fall -- the hearty smell of soups and stews and the spicy smells of pumpkin and apple pies, cinnamon cookies and nut breads. The smell of wet woolen mittens, a wood fire and popcorn also remind me of fall.

My ears hear better in the fall. I hear the crisp sound of leaves underfoot as I take my evening walk, the lonely sound of the ducks and geese flying overhead, the crisp sounds of a crackling fire, the crunch of ice-covered puddles, the mournful sound of a train whistle on a foggy morning, the excited cheers of the crowd at a football game, and the joyful laughter of children as they make their way home from school.

Fall is feeling. It is cold -- the cold mornings and evenings, the cold rain that might turn to wet, heavy snow, cold winds that cut through my clothing and make my fingers numb, cold that makes my nose run and my eyes water and makes my cheeks glow like cherries. Fall is also warmth -- the soft warmth of cocoon-like quilts and afghans, the crimson heat of fall fires, the tangy warmth of spicy hot cider in my tummy, the soothing warmth of a heavy sweater, and thick woolen socks on my cold feet. Fall is the softness of fleecy mittens, the silky feel of cattails and other seeds that fly by and tickle my nose, the feel of leaves crumbling in my hands, the roughness of the dry weeds I bring into my house to prolong the season.

And, of course, fall is filled with flavors. I love to cook hearty things in the fall. I can just taste the tart sweet apples, creamy pumpkin in pies and breads, crisp grapes, tangy wild plum jelly. I like to make soups and stews, cookies, pies and cakes, and meals that are cooked in the oven, like meatloaf, Swiss steak, baked potatoes, squash, chickens and roasts.

Yes, despite the present summer weather, I am definitely anticipating fall, all-be-it a little early. It can't come too soon for me. I just hope it comes early and hangs around a long time.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

Deer Park Garden Club August meeting

Deer Park Garden Club met August 8 at the home of hostess and president Norma Hanson. The club members toured her many flower gardens which featured a variety of petunias and geraniums and other flowers. Following the tour of the yard, the meeting was conducted. The club creed was recited. Roll call was answered to "Information on my wild flower garden." Ethel Wiseth brought a sample of the plont Camomile, a member of the perennial family "Anthemis;" which is a flower somewhat like a small daisy. It can be used as medicine which causes drowsiness. It also has some culinary value. Norma cosiders her abundance of Johnnie Jump ups as a wild flower. Lois's 1994 wildflower plot has four or five blooming flowers which include blue flax, a tall blue blooming plant, a small orange flower (the first to bloom) and two varieties of white blooms on 15 inch stems. The 1995 wild flower are starting to bloom this week.

Secretary's report for July and June read by Lois Swanson. Willia Prestegaard paid the bills for the planters which are in Oklee, Thief River Falls (Heritage Center) and Goodridge, near the Senior Center. Business — Ethel Wiseth reported on the District 13 Horticulture Show where she had six exhibits. Helen Chervestod was Lovonne Radnieckie's substitute on the District 13 Awards Committee.

The next meeting is a potluck garden supper at the home of Bea Israelson in Thief River Falls. The business will consist of the election of officers for next year.

Members attending the August meeting were Willa Prestegaard, Helen Chervestad, Ethel Wiseth, Evelyn Myrum, Bea Israelson, Lois Swanson and Norma Hanson. Lunch, which included herbal tea made from camomile buds, was served by the hostess.

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ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

Time To Remember

Memories make reunion. Relaxing around the [illegible] camp fire, swimming [illegible] shelter, families [illegible] themselves reminisc[illegible] when you and I R[illegible] time we Remember.

Each summer we [illegible] a reunion of sorts, my sister [illegible] and we work on catching up and enjoying each others company. As we lazed on the dock at the lake this year, we discussed some of our "remembers."

My dad bought my sister and me a car to share when we attended high school. We were just one grade apart, so we could ride back and forth to school. This car wasn't a collector's item or a prize, it barely served its purpose as transportation. One time we felt like the Flintstones as the transmission failed and we had to push the car to a parking lot.

During a night class on auto mechanics my sister and I discovered that this blue Vega, adorned with rust, had some additional parts, but at the same time was lacking in others. The instructor grew frustrated with our car's trappings and eventually left us to our own devices when changing the oil.

What we remember most about that car, is the day it died. My sister had driven a friend to a shopping center. A half hour later the phone rang at my house and my sister asked me to pick them up, there had been a small accident with the car.

A small accident! When I arrived at the scene, the car was in the opposite lane of traffic facing the wrong direction. Pieces of the car were lying 50 feet behind the vehicle, they fell off after she had jumped the median.

It took a wrecker to remove the old beater. That car sat in front of our house for weeks before my dad paid someone to dispose of it. Sitting on the curb, the mortally wounded Vega served as a reminder that our transportation was now of the two-wheel variety.

I didn't harbor hard feelings about her killing the car. In fact, I don't think I ever chewed her out. I didn't think I needed to.

One of our other "remembers" also involved a car and a trip we took together.

My sister asked that I accompany her to Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, to visit a college buddy.

We borrowed my dad's car and set off from Fargo across North Dakota. We hit the Canadian border at North Portal after lunch and determined that we'd arrive in Regina in early afternoon. Crossing the border on other occasions had always been swift; answer the questions and you're on your way.

Not this time, I guess the border patrol grew suspicious about two women in their early 20s entering the country with, what they considered to be, too little cash.

We explained that we were staying with friends and didn't need cash for a motel or much food money. Besides, what are credit cards for? We could also borrow money if we ran short.

This explanation didn't appease the officers, who detained us. They escorted us into a building where they shot a barrage of questions while leaving us standing.

Who owns the car? Our father.

Why are you driving it? He's a nice guy.

What does he do? He's a traveling salesman.

Has he ever traveled to Canada? Yes.

Has he been detained? Not that he shared with us.

Do you have any weapons? No.

Do you have jobs waiting for you in Canada? Absolutely not!

For nearly an hour, we nervously answered what seemed to be ludicrous questions. We hadn't figured out what our crime was, we thought we were harmless.

The border patrol then searched the car. A female officer dug through our suitcases and commented that my sister had packed quite a few clothes. So what? She's a clothes hog.

Nearly an hour later, without any explanation, we were awarded a [illegible] [illegible] had to leave Saskatch[illegible] within the allotted [illegible]. We decided not to find out what else meant, so we departed Canada early. The United States border patrol gladly waved us through, and said "Have a nice day."

Our minds hold many of these remember memories. When we see each other again I'm sure we'll reminisce about a few of them. Especially the ones mom and dad still don't know about!

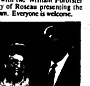
Todd & Heather Nelson have a new baby boy

Todd and Heather Nelson of Fargo, ND are proud to announce the birth of a baby boy born August 9 at Heartland Medical center. He has been named Blair Matthew. He was 9 lbs. 7 and one quarter oz. and 22 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Roger and Mary Jane Paradis of Brooks and Wallace and Doris Nelson of Oklee.

Westaker Ladies Aid meeting to be held August 27th

The Westaker Ladies Aid will meet on Sunday, August 27 at 2 p.m. with the William Forbister family of Roseau presenting the program. Everyone is welcome.



Open house for Deloris and Henry Bendickson

There will be an open house celebrating the 50th wedding anniversary of Henry and Deloris Bendickson on Saturday, August 26 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Bendickson Farm. All friends and relatives are welcome. No gifts please.

Forester gains promotion to regional post in Bemidji

Gordon Forester, area wildlife manager in Thief River Falls with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, has been named assistant regional supervisor at the Region I office in Bemidji.

Forester will fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Gerald Maertens, formerly manager at the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area prior to his regional appointment.

Forester has been area wildlife manager in the Thief River Falls office for the past 12 years. Martha Minchak, who has been an assistant in the Thief River Falls office for the past five years, has been named acting area wildlife manager.

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Florence Drotts, 91

Thief River Falls — Florence Drotts, 91, died on Monday, August 14 at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held Friday, August 18 at 2 p.m. in the Evangelical Covenant Church in Thief River Falls with Revs. Neil Bonkoski and Marden Wickman officiating. Special music was provided by organist Helen Dahlstrom. A duet, "Does Jesus Care," was sung by Charles and Nora Erickson. Soloist Christi Peterson sang "Children of the Heavenly Father." A trumpet medley of "Why Should I Be Anxious," "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Blessed Assurance" was played by Evonne Peterson-Stenberg. Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "How Great the Joy."

Casketbearers were LeRoy Sustad, Roger Sackett, Dwight Tangquist, Paul Tangquist, Jim Erickson and Chuck Erickson. Honorary casketbearers were Mindy Heim, Susan Gontarski, David Drotts, Heidi Drotts, Daniel Drotts, Stephen Drotts, Cindy Drotts, Ted Linder, Marcia Peterson, Jennifer Linder, Ann Linder, Craig Woetzel, Carl Woetzel, Curt Woetzel, Sara Peterson, Sonja Peterson Kane, Christi Peterson and Bekki Peterson.

Florence A. Drotts was born on March 7, 1904 near Viking to Charles and Emma (Johnson) Tangquist. She was baptized and confirmed in the Evangelical Covenant Church in Viking and attended Viking School.

On June 12, 1927, she was united in marriage to David Drotts at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Viking by Rev. Verner Drotts. The couple farmed near Viking until 1940 when they moved to Thief River Falls. She and her husband worked in real estate for many years in Thief River Falls. Mr. Drotts died on December 15, 1978. She continued to make her home in Thief River Falls and was a member of the Evangelical Covenant Church. She worked with the Covenant Women, taught Saunday school and was in the Gideon's auxiliary.

Mrs. Drotts is survived by two sons, Rev. Wallace of Rhonert Park, CA and Rev. Lowell of Chicago, IL; three daughters, Carol Woetzel of North St. Paul, Evonne Peterson-Stenberg of Mendota Heights and Phyllis Linder of Plummer; 18 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; three brothers, Manny, Malcomb and Clarence; six sisters, Hannah Tornell, Tillie Sustad, Jennie Anderson, Esther Erickson, Mabel Anderson and Myrtle Sackett; four nieces and nephews, Evelyn Greenly, Marjorie Wakershauser, Thelma Anderson and Mendell Erickson.

Mabel Mogen, 85

Thief River Falls — Mabel Serene Mogen, 85, died Saturday, August 19 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. on August 23 at the Kingdom Hall in Thief River Falls with Scott Shofner as officiant. The congregational hymn will be "Life Without End At Last."

Casketbearers were Larry Hagman, Steven Spilde, Glen Eckert, Joe Suko, Ron Skallet and Gary Dobson. Interment will be at the Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Visitation was from 4 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday and will be from 9 a.m. to 12 noon on Wednesday at the Green Funeral Home.

Mabel was born on November 20, 1909 in Goodridge to the late John and Bertina (Monson) Markuson. Mabel farmed with her parents in the Goodridge area, where she attended school and grew to adulthood.

She was united in marriage to Roy Mogen in 1932 in Pennington county. Following the marriage, they moved to Goodridge where they farmed.

On August 22, 1940, she was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses. Early in the 1960's they moved back to the home farm in Sanders township where the couple continued to farm. Mabel's life was dedicated to Bible study and teaching others about the Bible.

She was survived by her three sons, Donald of Embarrass, Darrel of Mt. Iron and Larry of Thief River Falls; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Lillian Thorson and Gladys LaSarge and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Roy; parents; four brothers, Julian, Arnie, Johnnie and an infant and five sisters, Josie, Chalotte, Christine, Mary and Alice.

Anna Sletten, 88

Winthrop — Funeral services for Anna Sletten, 88, were held at 2 p.m. on Friday, August 18 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Pennock with Rev. John Wellumson, Karl Dalager and Jon Buuck officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Anna was born on March 15, 1907 in Spicer, the daughter of John and Johanna (Nelsen) Swenson. She grew up on the Hawk Creek Farm south of Pennock. Anna graduated from Wilmer High School in 1925. She than attended Normal Teachers Training in Aberdeen, SD. She received her Bachelor's Degree in her late 50's from Mankato State University.

On June 3, 1930, she was united in marriage to Philip Sletten in Sturgis, SD. Following their marriage, they lived in various communities before settling in Winthrop in 1945. She taught in Lafayette until her retirement after over 20 years of teaching. She was past president of the Retired Teachers Association.

She was a member of First Lutheran Church in Winthrop where she had been active as a circle leader, Sunday school teacher, choir member, and release time teacher. She was an LCW pianist and was involved in the Dorcus Society. Anna was always active in the mission and was a past Congregation Mission representative. She attended St. John's Lutheran Church prior to moving to South Dakota.

Her family recalls the enjoyment she received from reading, writing and telling stories. Anna and her husband enjoyed traveling together to Norway, parts of Europe and Mexico. She had a good sense of humor and was a humble person. Anna also had a strong faith.

She is survived by her children, Wayne Sletten of Faith, SD, Phyllis Dalager of St. Hilaire, Joanne Bergsrud of New Brighton; 13 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren. Also surviving are her brothers, Harland of Sundance, WY, Wallace of Spearfish, SD; sisters, Juliet Fransen of Wilmar, Margaret Boock of Mereed, CA and Clarice Weiss of Colton, SD and many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

She iwas preceded in death by her parents; her husband Philip and an infant son Glendale.

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Vivienne Boelter, 60

Thief River Falls — Vivienne Boelter, 60, died on Thursday, August 17 at Dakota Heartland Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Services were held on Saturday, August 19 at 1 p.m. at the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Pastor Myron Ssaether officiating. Special music was by organist-vocalist Diane Johnson. Selections were "Amazing Grace," "Beyond the Sunset," "On Eagles Wings" and "Softly and Tenderly."

Casketbearers were Josh Hollingsworth, Bruce Boelter, Leslie Stine, Wade Boelter, Jim Johnson, Chris Boelter. Honorary casketbearers were all of Vivienne's friends and relatives in attendance. Interment was at Fertile City Cemetery in Fertile.

Vivienne Ione Boelter was born on February 13, 1935 near Fertile, the daughter of Ralph and Shirley (Olson) Boelter. She attended school in Fertile and grew to adulthood in the Fertile community.

Vivienne worked in Fargo while living with her grandmother and there was baptized in to the Christian faith.

There she met and married Jerry Park in 1951. The couple moved to Cornersville, TN and then to Adamsville, TN in 1969. She moved to Thief River Falls in 1976 and worked at Northwest Medical Center in food service for 11 years.

She was a former member of the Church of Christ of Tennessee.

Vivienne is survived by her daughter Melody Hollingsworth of Savannah, TN; two sons, Roger of Chattanooga, TN and Jerry of Bells, TN; special friend, Alvin Fore; seven grandchildren, Seleena, Derek, Nathan, Rachel, Josh, Ivan and Natalie; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Stuart of Grand Rapids and Marlyn of Bloomington and 10 nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Jerry in 1987; one son Kurt Park on July 13, 1995 and one infant daughter.

Eva Cederlund, 102

Warren — Eva Cederlund, 102, died Monday, August 14 at Good Samaritan Center in Warren.

Services were Thursday, August 17 at 2 p.m. at Quanrud-DuBore Funeral Home with Rev. Kevin Hollinger officiating. Special music was by organist Bev Karr and soloist Rev. Floyd Dalzell.

Casketbearers were Milton Hedlund, Charles Samuelson, Dwight Wahlin, Mark Edman, Ralph Knudsen and Norman Roeder. Interment was in Greenwood Cemtery in Warren.

Eva was just one generation away from being an orignial Warrenton township pioneer. She was born April 20, 1893 at rural Warren, the daughter of Victor and Hulda (Svenson) Cederlund. Her parents came to America from Sweden, her father in 1880. Her parents were married in 1886 at Crookston. In 1891 they came to the Southeast Quarter of Section 7, Warrenton township. Ten children were born to them and Eva is the last, leaving only several nieces and nephews. She was a life-long member of the Warren community and a member of the Alvarado Baptist Church. She enjoyed gardening and crafts.

She was preceded in death by her parents; six sisters, Alba in infancy, Olga Helgeson, Mae Peterson, Tekla Cederlund, Judy Thompson and Zelma Stahl and three brothers, Elwood in infancy, Mannie and Anhur.

Donna Engelstad, 61

Warren — Donna Engelstad, 61, died at the United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND on Wednesday, August 9.

Services were held on Saturday, August 12 at First Lutheran Church in Warren with Rev. Steven Weston officiating. Special music was provided by organist Darlyne Votava, soloist Leslie Widner and accompianist Joan Peterson.

Casketbearers were David Englestad, Joel Engelstad, Geoff Curran, Mark Engelstad, Jason Engelstad and Paul Axelson. Honorary casketbearers were all of her friends. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery in Warren.

Donna Abrahamson was born November 11, 1933 in Warren, the daughter of Fred and Elizobeth Abrahamson. She attended ond graduated from Warren High School. She then lived and worked in Grand Forks.

On July 18, 1953, she was married to Selmer (Sam) Engelstad. They lived in Grand Forks for a short time before moving to Warren. From 1969-79, she and Sam were co-owners of the E&R Drive In in Warren, along with Victor and Bernice Rehder. In 1992, she started working at the Good Samaritan Center in Warren. She was a member of the First Lutheran Church and enjoyed gardening, sewing and cooking.

She is survived by her husband; daughters, Rebecca of Wayne, PA and JaNean of Rochester; four sons, David of Farmington, Mark of Louisville, KY, Joel of St. Paul and Jason of Rochester; two grandchildren; five sisters, Anna Mae Sletten of Thief River Falls, Betty Bengs of Hatton, ND, Lillian Wilson of Boliva, NC, Fern Forthingham of San Antonio, TX and Dorothy of Arlington, VA, two brothers, John of Osseo and Richard of Warren and special friends Bernice and Victor Rehder.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a daughter, Kristi.

Arnold Haugen, 91

Hickory — Arnold Haugen, 91, died Saturday, August 19 at his home in rural Hickory township, Pennington county.

Funeral services were Tuesday, August 22 at 11 a.m. in Nazareth Lutheran Church, rural Trail, with Rev. Doniel Faugstad officiating. Special music was provided by the children who sang "Jesus Lead Thou On," Grace Hammer who played the organ and sang "How Great Thou Art," Pastor Robert Dahlen who played trumpet. Congregational hymns were "Blest Be the Tie that Binds" and "Rock of Ages."

Casketbearers were Bruce Burstad, Elaine Goodman, Keith Haugen, Steven Haugen, Edna Hawk, Bradley Johnson, Brien Johnson, Mishawn Shaske. The family considers the Hospice group and all friends and neighbors as honorary casketbearers.

Arnold Haugen was born August 22, 1903 in Climax to Olav and Agnes (Arneson) Haugen. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith. When he was a youngster, the family moved to Pennington county and there he attended the Wanke school and grew to adulthood.

He was united in marriage to Ida Mostrom on November 23, 1925 at Thief River Falls. The couple lived in Bemidji for one year and returned to Pennington county where they farmed a dairy and grain farm.

He is survived by his wife Ida; daughters, Ardith Kloth, Lois Burstad and Linda Homme, all of Thief River Falls, Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA, Sharron Johnson of Goodridge; one son Orrin of Hibbing; 16 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his son Floyd; two daughters, Grace and Fern; grandson, Chad Homme; two sisters, Alice Lund and Gudrun Gevling and three brothers, Halvor, Olaf and one in infancy.

Joseph Blawat, 68

Foldahl — Joseph Blawat, 68, died of concer in his home in Foldahl township, Marshall county on August 4.

Funeral Mass was Tuesday, August 8 at 10:30 a.m. at Sts. Peter and Paul Cotholic Church, Warren with Rev. Dennis Weiland, celebrant. Special music was provided by organist Judy Durny, song leader Don Narlock, and singers Denae, Melanie and Mandi Blawat.

Casketbearers were Owen Henrickson, Robert Phelps, Donald Kroll, Charles Passa, Jason Babinski, Bill Johnson. Honorary casketbearers were Orville Harstad, John Pawlowski, Russell Floberg, Mike Franks, Rodney Knutson, Valentine Blavat. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Warren.

Joseph Blawat was born on March 16, 1927 at Drayton, ND, the son of Leonard and Frances Blawat. He spent his early years in the rural Drayton area.

On September 5, 1950, he was united in marriage to Stella Byzewski. They moved to the Viking area where they farmed. Joseph enjoyed hunting and fishing and working with horses.

He is survived by his wife Stella; daughters, Bernadette Henrickson of Grand Forks, ND, Beverly Bergland of Chicago, IL, Barbara Skadsem of Warroad and Betty Wood of Arlington, TX; sons Bradley and Bernard, both of Viking; 10 grandchildren; four sisters, Effie Kroll of Argyle, Lillian Mozinski of East Grand Porks, Lucille Passa of Drayton, ND and Josephine Kruczwnski of Oak Creek, WI and three brothers, Alfred of Drayton, ND, Dick of Stephen and Harry of Milwaukee, WI.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one sister and one brother.

Opal Eck, 58

Hibbing — Funeral services for Opal Eck, 58, were held at 1 p.m. Saturday at the First Lutheran Church with Rev. Paul Hammar officiating. Interment was in the Maple Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Eck was born July 3, 1937 in Gully and has been a resident of Hibbing for the past 35 years. She was a retired nurse working for the Hibbing General Hospital. She was a member of the First Lutheran Church and the Women of the Moose, serving as a past president. She was an active volanteer at Ironworld and the Hibbing Salvation Army. She was a long-time member of the church choir.

She is survived by three sons, Mike of Rochester, James of Hibbing and Greg of Brooklyn Park; a daughter Linda Fournier of Phoenix, AZ; her father Oscar Qualey of Fosston; brother David Qualey of Goodridge, nine sisters, Evelyn Myrum and Helen Klopp, both of Thief River Falls, Joanne Houts and Sandra Bierman, both of Minneapolis, Betty Ost of Aurora, Geraldine Staye of Golden Valley, Elaine Anderson, Patricia Barage and Carol Edeches, all of Minnesota and five grandchildren.

Lee Kjos, 57

River Falls, WI — Lee Kjos, 57, of River Falls, WI, died on Friday, August 18 at United Hospital in St. Paul.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, August 22 at 10 a.m. at Ezekiel Lutheran Church, River Falls, WI. Special music was by soloist Joyce Breen and organist Carol Prince. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery with Pastor Greg Billberg officiating.

Casketbearers were Les Wason, Miles Hatch, Peter Stacy, Darrell Dagastino, Glen Edberg, Bill Cook. Memorials to the American Cancer Society are preferred.

Lee was a probation parole officer for Pierce county.

He is survived by his wife Kay; two sons, Karl of Phoenix, AZ and Mike of Scottsdale, AZ; two daughters, Greta Mack and Jennifer Kjos, both of River Falls, WI; two grandchildren, Stephen and Kaitlin Mack; two sisters, Beverly Reinertson of Ravenna, NE and Helen Perrodin of Tucson, AZ and a his stepmother Opal Kjos of Ontario, Canada.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Herman C. and Helga (Gunderson) Kjos and a brother Herman.

Robert M. Johnson, 71

Grantsville, UT — Robert M. Johnson, 71, died of lung cancer on Wednesday, June 28 at his home at Grantsville, UT with his loving wife and family members at his side.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 1 at Tate Mortuary Chapel, Tooele.

Bob was born June 1, 1924 in Thief River Falls to Charles and Mary Belle Johnson.

He served two years in the South Pacific during World War II. Shortly after his dicharge from the Army, he married his childhood sweetheart, Evelyn E. Lang, on February 10, 1946.

He was a civil service employee at Mt. Rainier Ord. Depot in Tacoma, WA, transferring to Tooele Army Depot in 1963. He was in the guilded missile program and was an electronic technician.

He is survived by his wife of over 49 years; three daughters, Susan Wolfe, Sally Slusher and Nancy Oarlick; foster sons, Ed and Dave Sallee; brother Leon; sister Marguerite Palmer; seven grandchildren, Lyle, Holly, Phillip, Jenny, Robbie, Michael and Ricky; two great granddaughters and many special nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his grandson, Rocky Wayne Carlson and brother C. Rex Johnson.

Michael Thayer, 55

St. Joseph, MO — Michael Thayer, 55, died unexpectedly on Monday, August 14.

Mass of Christian burial was held at 10 a.m. on Friday, August 18 at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Monday, August 21 at Huntley Cemetery, Marshall county with Fr. Bob Schreiner officiating.

Mike was born in Minneapolis on May 11, 1940. He had been a machinist and a farmer and served in the United States Army.

On October 22, 1983 he married the former Margaret Alice Perry.

Mr. Thayer had attended St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. He was a member of Knights of Columbus Council No. 571, Host Lion's Club, Pony Express Post No. 359 American Legion.

He is survived by his wife Margaret A. Thayer; his mother Rosemary Thayer of St. Louis Park; sons, Thomas of Broinerd, Shawn of New Hope, Jarrod of Bloomington, Nicholas of Montana and Heath and Timothy, at home; daughters, Kiz Licata of Farmington, Audra Chamberlain of Deerwood, Victoria Quast of Garrison and Lelani Thayer of Deerwood; two stepsons, Daniel and Melvin Bacon; stepdaughter Leanna Bacon; brother William Thayer of Tampa, FL; sister Mary Thayer of Concord, CA and 10 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Marilyn Thayer in 1981; his father, Oren Thayer; and an infant son, Trampas Thayer.

Dianne M. Smith, 50

Edmonds, WA — Dianne M. (Thune) Smith, 50, died at home on August 14, after a lengthy illiness.

She was born June 5, 1945, the daughter of Palmer and Merne (Schantzen) Thune in Thief River Falls. She was raised and attended school in Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Smith worked for Detroiter Mobile Home (Homark) for many years. She moved to Seattle, WA in 1980. On August 10, 1984, she married Earl Smith of Seattle, WA.

She is survived by her husband; one daughter, Kelly Derosier of Red Lake Falls; three grandchildren, Lindsey, Todd and Nicolas Derosier of Red Lake Falls; one sister Sheila Jaffe of Visto, CA; severol aunts, uncles and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her mother, father and one sister.

Gabrielle Jerome, 14

Gulfport, PL — Gabrielle Jerome, 14, died of leukemia on Wednesday, August 9 at All Children's Hospital in St. Petersburg, FL.

Memorial Mass was held at Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church, Gulfport, FL. The family requests donations sent to Leukemia Foundation of Cancer Society in lieu of flowers in memory of Oabrielle.

Memorial Mass was held at 9 a.m. on Saturday, August 19 in St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls with Fr. Tim Bushy as celebrant. Special music was provided by organist Elizabeth Odette, Shelly Burkel and the Ressurection Choir.

Burial was at Hallock Cemetery in Hallock at 1 p.m. on Saturday, August 19 with Father Tim Noah officiating.

Gabrielle Catherine Jerome was born November 25, 1980 in Plymouth, MA to Monica and Joseph Jerome. She was baptized at St. John's Catholic Church in Pocasset, MA and had her First Communion and was confirmed at Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church in Gulfport, FL. Oabrielle attended Cantebury Grode School and Bay Point Middle School in St. Petersburg, FL and was a freshman at Osceola High School in Seminole, FL. She was active in golf, tennis, sailing and soccer.

She is survived by her parents, Monica Andrews and Joseph Jerome of Gulfport, FL; one brother Christopher Jerome of Rochesler, NY; two sisters, Danielle Jerome and Kelly Maloney; paternal grandmother, Elishia Jerome of Thief River Falls; maternal grandparents, Kathleen and Arnold Andrews of Gulfport, FL and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
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The Northwest corner of Minnesota is experiencing another beautiful sunny summer dey with a stout breeze that is trying its best to lay the flowers down. The good thing is that Roy helped me stake them up real well because I became concerned about them when that tornado hit at the county seat. The news has to be in early from now on so I'd best get started on that. One lady called in her news todoy end told me she had subscribed for the North Star News for her deughtar end wanted to be sure thet what sho had been doing would be in the Strandquist news when her daughter receives her first paper.

Juna Koland and Irena Paulson had coffee with Betsy Thompson Thursdey forenoon.

Cheno Chaffee of Grond Forks spent the weekend with her grandparents, Morris and Hazel Anderson.

Morris end Marcelyn Lindstrom, Dr. Paul and Diane Dillmenson of Bemidji end children Denny, Brad and Katie Jo, Lori Johnson with Jamie, Andy end Alissa of Park Rapids were all over to Jeff, Peggy and Jerad Lindstrom's in Akeley for supper on Thursday evening. Jeff made potato dumplings for adults end the children enjoyed a picnic supper. Then Morris and Marcelyn spent Fridey with Lori and family at Perk Rapids seeing their new house there. Ted Johnson of Hallock will be joining his family in Park Rapids by the first of September.

Sixth graders write about grandparents or friends

Award winning essay writers from the sixth grade at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls were recognized at a luncheon Wednesday, August 16, at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

Local sponsor of the contest and the luncheon was the Northland Retired Educators. Statewide competition was sponsored by the Minnesota Board on Aging. Topic of the essays was the writer's grandparent(s), great-grandparents or older friend.

First place essay was written by Dewey Worker, a student in Bob Wayne's class. Second place entry was by Taryn Pream and third by Jay Rislov, both students in Mrs. Marilyn Adams' class. The winners and their parents were guests at the luncheon where the students read their essays. The essays follow:

Winners in the sixth grade essay contest sponsored by Northland Retired Educators and the Minnesota Board on Aging were recognized at a luncheon Wednesday noon at the Best Western Inn. First place winner Dewey Worker is shown in the bottom photo with his teacher, Bob Wayne. Second and third place winners Taryn Pream and Jay Rislov are pictured in the top photo with their teacher, Mrs. Marilyn Adams.

"SHORTY"
by Dewey Worker

My essay is on Shorty. His real name was Chester Dean, but everyone called him Shorty. He was my neighbor before I moved. He liked kids a lot. My brother and I went to Shorty's house a lot to eat the peanuts he set out for the squirrels and to talk to him.

I remember helping him pull worms up from his lawn so he could go fishing. He also sold some of them to a resort. He stored the worms in his cellar and he had a salamander that he would show us.

Shorty also liked to eat rabbits so he would buy rabbits at the livestock sales and bring about six of them home at a time. When he butchered the rabbits my brother and I watched him, sometimes he would give us the rabbits foot.

One time he let us help him make ice cream, letting us crank until our arms got tired. The ice cream sure tasted good afterwards.

Shorty would start early in the spring preparing the ground for his garden. He would plant beans, carrots, onions, lettuce, radishes, corn, and potatoes. He would grow real good carrots. When he would weed his garden he would give us a carrot to eat. At the end of the summer his cellar was full of canned food from his garden.

Shorty also did all of his repairs around the house such as fixing the water heater or fixing the transmission on his pick-up. Besides doing all of this he would shovel the snow off of peoples sidewalks. The thing that I remember the most is that Shorty always wore overalls and a flannel shirt. He always went to bed early and got up around five in the morning and went downtown to have breakfast.

I am glad that I had Shorty for a neighbor when I was little. He was always ready to talk and tease me as we would sit on his front steps in the afternoons.

My Great-Grandma
by Taryn Pream

My great-grandma, Mary Clara Hickerson, is one of my favorite grandparents. She is 88 years old and still enjoys visiting with people and going places.

One day, I went to my great-grandma's house in Bemidji. I wanted to ask her a few questions about her life and my heritage. Great-grandma had a very interesting life, from watching Indians cross the lake, going to school in a one-room schoolhouse, and scaring her father's milk wagon horses with a gunny sack.

I found out lots of neat things from my great-grandma. She and her husband, Vern, would play at parties—violin and piano duets. Once, a man gave her five dollars because he thought they were good. She was very excited, because that was a lot of money in those days.

When great-grandma was little, she got a china doll from her neighbors. Her mom didn't like her hanging around over there because they weren't respectable. She did, anyway. The husband was a gambler and when his luck ran out, the neighbors had to move. The "Mrs." told my great-grandma that as soon as they got to the new town, she'd buy her a new doll because great-grandma spent time with her. Sure enough, in the mail came a brand-new china doll. My great-grandma still has that doll!

My great-grandma and great-grandpa were married for 67 years. My great-grandma was always very supportive of her husband with his hobbies—she traveled with him to his fiddling contests, even to Arizona!

Sometimes, great-grandma gets lonely since great-grandpa died, but when we go over to her house, she always has something to say. She's always wondering what we're doing and shows us how much she cares. Great-grandma is always willing to sit down and talk with me. Our favorite subject is our heritage.

My great-grandma means a lot to me and I love her very much. I know she loves me, too!

MY GRANDPA
by Jay Rislov

My grandpa is rich. He owns a jewelry store. He drives really nice cars. He owns two classic twenty-five year old cars. He drives sometimes with both feet and no hands. When he drives down the street everyone waves. He wears glasses and lots of jewelry.

He seems to really love life. He's loving, caring and generous. When he enters a room it's like he brings sunshine. He makes everyone happy. He likes to tell jokes and make people laugh. Then he slaps his leg and laughs, too.

He always looks so young. He's sixty-six years old. People try to guess his age and they always guess ten years too young. He has no gray hairs, but wavy blond hair instead and lots of it. He doesn't have any wrinkles yet, either.

He believes in lots of exercising. He walks several miles daily and remembers to take lots of vitamins. He eats the right foods. He could easily be on a physical fitness commercial.

My grandpa is a terrific dancer. He can waltz, cha cha, polka, jitterbug, but I don't think he can dirty dance or rap. He'd be a great guest dancer on the Lawrence Welk show.

My grandpa relaxes by golfing. He uses Ping golf clubs. He even personally knows a pro golfer! He doesn't use a cart, he just walks. If he gets close to the hole he says it's a give me and doesn't putt it out. Sometimes it's far away, too. I like that rule. He won the city championship one year.

So you see, my grandpa is rich in more than material things. He's rich in the most important things: like youthful ways, lots of friendships, kindness ond unending, unselfish love and concern for everyone. What a great guy to have as a grandpa! I'm very lucky.

Plummer Lions demo derby set Saturday

Postponed from July 8 because of excessive rain, the Plummer Lions club demolition derby has been rescheduled for Saturday, August 26, at 3 p.m. in the demolition pit area west of Plummer. Roads will be marked.

Admission to the event, for which a good number of entries have been received, will be $5 for adults, and $2 for children 12 and younger. Preschool children are admitted free. Proceeds will go to local Lions club projects.

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French of the North festival at Huot park

Virgil Benoit of rural Red Lake Falls, portrays early Red River Valley businessman Antoine Gingras, who established many fur trading posts in the area and was the founder of Walhalla, ND. Gingras was born in 1821, a halfbreed in the "settlement," which is what early Winnipeg, Man., was called. Benoit is shown during a recent presentation at Walhalla.
—Photo by the Warren Sheaf

Annual French festival and chautauqua of L'Association des Francais du Nord (French of the North Association) will be held Saturday and Sunday, August 26 and 27, at Huot park west of Red Lake Falls.

The location is the site of the signing of the Old Crossing treaties in 1863. Virgil Benoit of rural Red Lake Falls, who heads the organization, and his crew of volunteers has been working for months on programs and possibilities for the event.

Featured this year, along with a full encampment of French troops from the 1800's period, will be trappers, traders and voyageurs. On Saturday evening, Marie-Anne Dandeneau, wife of Pierre de La Verendrye, will be characterized at 6:30 p.m. under the big top, talking on "Life in New France During the 1650s."

Children's events will be conducted throughout both days with orienteering, a scavenger hunt, crafts, games and finger weaving being offered. Feature on Sunday at 6:30 p.m. will be John Chalberg, an expert on Theodore Roosevelt, who will portray "Teddy" to the assembly.

The chautauqua encampment is open for visitors any time starting Saturday. Native crafts, early camping and trading gear are on display continuously throughout the event. Regular programs start in the main tent at noon each day with the featured speakers appearing at 6:30 p.m. each day.

A special commemoration for pioneer Pierre Bottineau will be observed Sunday at 3:30 p.m.

"Although the French shouldn't miss this opportunity," Benoit said, "the event brings a living history lesson to all who attend. Robert Till will portray Pierre de La Verendrye, the explorer who searched through this area in early days with his French troops. His troops will be encamped near the chautauqua site."

Meals are served on the grounds. Admission to the event is $3 for adults and $1 for children with admission good for both days.

For further information, contact Virgil Benoit at 218-253-2270.

Viking

Liz Swenson was a houseguest at the Darrel Swenson home in Red Lake Falls from Saturday afternoon to Monday morning. The special occasion was Shirley Swensons birthday with other family members present.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Susted visited with Florence Drotts and Alme Drotts at the Northwest Medical Center.

Tim Bulger and son John called on Liz Swenson Tuesday morning.

Karen Renum and two daughters stopped by for a visit at the Sidney Ranum home.

Last Tuesday members of the Town and Country Garden Club went to Halme to the home of Roger and Ruth Swenson where she gave a tour of her herb garden and medical plants. She is a master gardener. Attending were Bert and Joyce Kron, Nina Halvorson, Bernyce and Alvin Grandstrand, Joyce and Earl Erickson and Delons Hirst of Thief River Falls.

Library joins in demonstration

Thief River Falls Public Library is participating in an Assistive Technology Demonstration Project initiated to make assistive technology for the blind or vision impaired available for demonstration purposes in public libraries in northwest Minnesota.

Use of equipment will be demonstrated by representatives of the manufacturer at 7 p.m. Thursday, August 24, in the library.

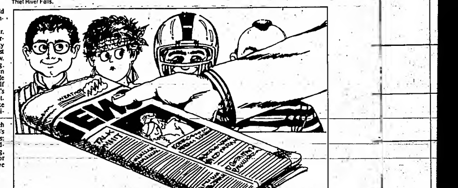
Three pieces of equipment are available to assist these users in gaining access to the library's print collection and become independent library users.

A closed circuit television enlarges print up to 60 per cent when displayed on a television screen.

Another machine scans printed material and changes the printed words into synthesized speech as the words are read aloud with a choice of voices and speeds.

A third unit provides access to the library's online public access catalog with screen magnification up to 16 times and synthetic speech output available. Keystrokes control speaking rate and volume and a single keystroke can provide subject, author and quick reference information.

The demonstration project is coordinated by the Northern Lights Library Network and funded in part through a grant from the National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation. Other public libraries in northwestern Minnesota will be participating in the project throughout the year. For additional information call the network at 1-800-450-1032 or a local public library.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MEALS FOR SENIORS

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Sunday, Aug. 27: Barbecue ribs, baked potato, green bean casserole, bread, apple dessert, milk.

Monday, Aug. 28: Hamburger beef stroganoff, corn, coleslaw, bread, applesauce, bars, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 29: Liver and onions or chicken, boiled potato, green beans, bread, pineapple upside down cake, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Pork chops, whipped potatoes, scallop tomatoes, bread, chocolate pudding, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 31: Cook's choice day, meat, potato, vegetable, bread, dessert, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Senior Meals: Newfolden

Monday, Aug. 28: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrots, bread and margarine, pear sauce, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 29: Meat balls with gravy, potatoes, peas, blueberry muffin with margarine, chocolate pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Barbecued pork chop, baked potato, green beans, bread and margarine, rhubarb dessert, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 31: Salisbury steak, parslied potatoes, California blend, bread and margarine, zucchini cake, milk.

Friday evening, Sept. 1: Pork roast with gravy, mashed potatoes, beets, bran muffins with margarine, peach sauce, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Aug. 28: Baked chicken, steamed rice with gravy, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, Dutch apple pie, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 29: Salisbury steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Cranapple juice, stewed chicken with dumpling, zucchini squash, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Aug. 31: Beef stroganoff, seasoned noodles with gravy, sliced parslied carrots, pineapple marshmallow coleslaw, strawberry sundae, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Sept. 1: Salmon loaf with creamed pea sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, lime gelatin with fruit cocktail, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

DISCOVERY PLACE LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, Aug. 28: Milk, apple juice, bran muffins, Cheerios.

Tuesday, Aug. 29: Milk, orange juice, toast, cream of wheat.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, Aug. 31: Milk, apple juice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Friday, Sept. 1: Milk, apple juice, Chex, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Aug. 28: Homemade beef stew, sliced cheese, bread and butter, fruit cocktail, milk.

Tuesday, Aug. 29: Hamburger on bun, coleslaw, carrots, pears, milk.

Wednesday, Aug. 30: Beef chow mein, chow mein noodles, lettuce salad with ranch dressing, bread, butter, pineapple, milk.

Thursday, Aug. 31: Escalloped potatoes with ham, carrot and raisin salad, applesauce, milk.

Friday, Sept. 1: Cream of tomato soup, saltines, grilled cheese sandwiches, pickles, sliced peaches, milk.

Kristi Schmitz receives grant

Kristi Schmitz of Red Lake Falls, a senior enrolled in the mass communication program at Bemidji State University, has received a $500 alumni scholarship to continue studies at BSU. The university awards more than $400,000 in institutional scholarships and grants to new or returning students.

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AUG. 28 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	AUG. 29	AUG. 30	AUG. 31 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 1 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 2 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M. REG. DANCE 8:30-12:30 P.M. "AL MIKESH"

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AUG. 28 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 29 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	AUG. 30 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	AUG. 31 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	SEPT. 1	SEPT. 2 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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Orlin Hanson, Obert Hovet and Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were callers on Saturday at the Vernon Iverson home.

Bensen Dande of Africe spent Thursday and Friday at the Tim Lundeen home.

Later Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests at the Terry Anderson home.

Jared Haugen and Shirley Johnsrud were visitors on Tuesday evening at the Tim Lundeen home.

Tuesday morning visitors and lunch guests at the Merle Naeseth home were Michelle and Monica Johnson and Mrs. Clerance Johnson.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors at the Obert Hovet home.

A supper was served on Sunday night in honor of Kylie's 4th birthday at the Gary Johnson home. Her guests were her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy, her uncle Ron Stucy and her grandfather, Albert Johnson of Goodridge, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kotrba, Jason Tiera. Also Kylie's parents Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson, sister Joenna and brother Jeramy. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake. Kylie also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Kylie!

Friday forenoon Pastor Bob Dahlen and Intern David Dahl were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went to Roseau to visit at the Ron Fulton home. Then later Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud and Ron Fulton went to the quilt show at the school in Roseau.

Kristian Solberg attended the 4-H shooting sports at the rifle range in Thief River Falls on Friday night and Saturday.

Tuesday forenoon, David Sjulestad attended the funeral for Gilmer Manderud held at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam were visitors and coffee guests on Friday at the Richard Miller home.

Sunday morning, Dave Bruggeman of Thief River Falls was a visitor at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Mark Rindahl was a visitor on Sunday at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Jessica and Monica Johnson were brief visitors on Wednesday evening at the Gary Johnson home.

Elva Fiedler, June Johnson and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went to Elode Knutson's home where they gathered to do sewing among others.

Nuisance bear problem requires attention to law

Nuisance bears are causing concern in northwestern Minnesota. A lack of food for the bears has pushed them out of their typical habitat area.

Tony Arhart, DNR conservation officer, said he has been hearing reports that have caused him concern.

According to Minnesota Statute 97B.415: "A person may take a bear at any time to protect the person's property. The person must report the bear taken to a conservation officer within 48 hours."

Therefore, Arhart says, only affected property owners can take bears doing property damage. Also, conservation officer-approved licensed bear hunters can take nuisance bear in cooperation with the property owner. Forty-eight hour notification is required regardless of who takes the bear.

Generally, salvageable bears taken by property owners are not sold to that property owner. The confiscated bear carcasses are sold to other parties.

Possession of an illegally taken bear is a a minimum, a misdemeanor offense. Illegally shining and/or transportation of a big game animal (bear) is a gross misdemeanor offense. It is not worth sneaking a bear home considering the possible severe penalties, Arhart said.

For more information contact Conservation Officer Tony Arhart at (218) 449-3711.

State Aid paid to local governments

Senator LeRoy Stumpf has announced the payment of state aid to cities, counties, and townships in Senate District One. The district includes Kittson, Marshall, Lake of the Woods, Pennington, Red Lake, Roseau and northwestern Polk counties.

The checks were delivered July 20 and help pay for local services," Stumpf said. "By assisting with those costs, the aid also helps to hold down the property tax bill for local residents."

The greatest share of payments are part of the homestead and agricultural credit aid program. Other payments are part of the local government aid program.

"The amounts of state aid vary widely across the region because large cities or counties with the greatest needs or population generally get bigger payments," Stumpf said. "The largest cities and counties received payments in the range of more than $100,000 to almost $1 million, while many small cities or townships received payments ranging from a few hundred to a few thousand dollars."

The next round of aid payments from the state to local governments will be on December 26.

Head Start to receive grant

Governor Arne H. Carlson has announced that the Inter-County Community Council will receive a $30,000 Head Start grant for its innovative efforts.

"Head Start strikes the very core of my belief that we can break the cycle of poverty in Minnesota," Governor Carlson said. "To do so, we must recognize and reward programs that go above and beyond their commitment to reaching our children and their families."

Inter-County Community Council's Head Start program was one of 23 programs across the state awarded a portion of $1.1 million in state grants. The grant will be used for bringing Head Start's comprehensive service to "at risk" two-year-olds in two communities.

"Aggressive funding of innovative health, social, educational and parental involvement services through Head Start has proven to be a great resource," said Commissioner R. Jane Brown of the Minnesota Department of Economic Security. "These anti-poverty programs have increased self-confidence and basic skill levels for the future success of economically disadvantaged children and their families."

Last year, 35 Head Start programs served more than 12,000 low-income children and their families. From its inception in 1965, quality Head Start programs have reduced arrests, increased income and raised graduation rates among low-income children. At least 10 per cent of the program must be reserved for children with professionally diagnosed disabilities.

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Speed monitoring trailer now in area

One of about a dozen speed monitoring units purchased with federal grant funds and owned by the Minnesota State Patrol is available for use in the northwestern part of Minnesota which comprises the Thief River Falls patrol district.

District Captain Tony Kozojed said the trailer has been in the district for a few weeks and is expected to be used here periodically over the next year by the patrol and other law enforcement agencies. It has been used at Warroad, Bemidji, Bagley, East Grand Forks and Crookston and most recently in the Thief River Falls area.

Kozojed said the unit is used as a reminder to motorists of the speed limit in the area where it is located and as a means for them to check their speedometers. Its calibration is set with the use of a tuning fork and is considered quite accurate, although the unit is not used to establish evidenciary speed.

The patrol district includes the counties of Kittson, Marshall, Polk, Red Lake, Pennington, Roseau, Lake of the Woods, Beltrami and Clearwater.

The battery-operated trailer is completely self-contained with a battery pack that will last for 24 hours on a charge. Typically it will be placed along a roadway in the city or country for a six to eight-hour period. The upper sign indicating the speed limit is raised and lowered electrically and can be easily changed.

Kozojed said the equipment in the trailer indicates the speed of the nearest vehicle, either approaching or moving in the opposite direction. It is also designed for the addition of equipment which can conduct traffic counts, record individual speeds, compute average speeds and conduct other traffic record functions.

The trailer also contains several types of equipment, including electronics, to deter tampering or theft.

A radar speed monitoring trailer owned by the Minnesota State Patrol will likely be seen in a number of locations in northwest Minnesota over the next 12 months. It is intended to remind motorists of posted speed limits and show them how fast they are traveling. Thief River Falls Patrol District Captain Tony Kozojed is shown raising the signs to prepare the self-contained trailer for use along highway 32 south in the top photo. In the bottom photo a passing car registers 56 miles per hour.

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Community church hosts guests

Community Church located two miles east of Thief River Falls on Highway 1 will host Mike and Cookie Babin of Oceanside, CA, in several special meetings Friday through Sunday, August 25-27.

Mike Babin retired from professional basketball at age 25 and entered full-time ministry. His wife runs a shelter for runaway and troubled girls.

All area youth are invited to a youth rally Friday, August 25, at 7 p.m. at the church. Music will be provided by "Servant" and a number of activities are planned.

A ladies' brunch for all women and girls over the age of 12 will be held Saturday, August 26, at 9:30 a.m. with Cookie Babin as speaker. Mike Babin will speak at 7 p.m. services Saturday and Sunday. Free will offerings will be received.

Site changes for tillage program

Site for the demonstration program and information meeting on conservation tillage in the Stephen area has been changed, according to Brian Krzmarzick of the sponsoring AmeriCorps National Service Program.

The demonstration site for the event on Thursday, August 17, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. will be located 5.5 miles east of Stephen on County Road 6.

Presentations beginning at 9 a.m. will be given by Ray Thompson, Marshall county extension educator; Dwight Peterson, area farmer; and Dr. Jocham Wiersma, agricultural researcher at the University of Minnesota at Crookston.

High residue tillage equipment provided by eight equipment manufacturers will be shown and demonstrated. A free lunch will be served following the equipment demonstrations.

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Visitors last Wednesday evening at the Arnie Arlt home were Lowell, Ross and Amy Arlt and Merlin Carlson.

Cheryl Martini of Bemidji visited at the Arnie Arlt home with her mother Evelyn Ulrich on Friday afternoon. Evelyn is a houseguest of the Arlts.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Engen of Newfolden were Sunday visitors at the Arnie Arlt and Evelyn Ulrich home.

Bunny DuChamp visited with Helen LaFeyette at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Out of town relatives who came for the funeral of Art Schlafart on August 7th were Marcelle Knott of Wabasso, Mercle Knott and Caroline Brow of Lucan, Rolland and Darlene Burt of Wanda, Dale and Bernie Knott, Barb and Paul Ellingson of Minneapolis, Lester Knott of Anoka, John McGroom of Maple Grove, Chris and Marie Brand of St. Paul, Sherry and Merl Sowh of Savage, Paul Schlafart, Karen Dunkrey, Lynda and John Ruud and family of Prior Lake, Myrlus Schmitz and Linda Torrett of Eagan, Zack Linla of Rosemount, Lonnie and Elaina Schlafort of Fargus Falls, Merlen and Linda Schlefert of Hawley, Grace and Milo Holland of Twin Valley, Mark, Jill and Andy Theis of Dilworth.

Indiana Trip

Cindy Arlt returned on Monday evening, August 7th, after spending 12 days visiting relatives in Indiana. She, her mother, Willie Katschke of Brooks, and her sister Sherry and Jason Engen of Thief River Falls made the trip together and arrived for the wedding of her sister Mercle McPherson's son Rusty Shepherd's wedding on July 29th. He was married to Tammie Couch. The following weekend they attended a family reunion of her mother's family. Some of the places they stayed during the weekend were at Rodney and Margaret Koch in North Judson, IN, Jucinda Wingett's home in Plymouth, IN, Al and Linda Esterlino of South Whitely, Melissa Vaughn of Valparaiso and Robert and Kay Magers of Hobart, IN. Sounds like a wonderful trip!

Birthday

Shar Fox was guest of honor at a birthday dinner at the Lantern last Thursday evening. Attending were Shar, Connie Hughes, Stella Howard, Lorraine Fisher, Madonna Lollier, Reinette Welter, Emilie Skjervon and Edna Hyde who brought the dessert. After the party they adjourned to Reinette's home to see wedding gifts from Jennie and Jason's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Kern Tillman visited at the Arnie Arlt home on Tuesday evening.

Bob Juneau and son Mike of Colorado arrived on motorcycles to spend a few days with his brother Ron and Kathie Juneau, and visit other relatives and friends.

Edna Hyde was a Tuesday visitor of Ron and Kathie Juneau.

Donald LaFeyette and his wife of Coeur D Alene, ID were Wednesday dinner guests of his cousin Loren and Helen LaFeyette. They were supper guests at Howard and Myrtle LaFeyette's home.

Kermit Sorenson returned home from Fargo where he had undergone surgery for a broken hip. On Tuesday Wavell Sorenson was to see him and later she visited Bunny DuChamp.

Senior Citizens Meet

Plummer Senior Citizens met on Wednesday, August 16 with a noon meal furnished and served by members A-L. A good crowd attended and visitors were Bob and Mike Juneau of Colorado, Ken and Doris Laliberte of Arizona, Helen Fisher, Heather Schlefert, Steph Larson and Patsy Kuznia who has recently taken the office of RSVP Representative, based in Crookston. July birthdays noted since there was no meeting in July were Arnie Arlt, Joyce Carlson, Ellsworth Milligan, Bernice Peterson, Orvel Roese and Nadine Johnson. August birthdays were Pearl Lanipl, Kern Tillman, Dorothy Myhra, Hazel Nebbon, Dora Derosier and Ron Juneau. Following the meal Patsy spoke on the work of RSVP members and of the recognition banquet scheduled in October. President John Holley called the meeting to order and Howard Greenweld led in the flag pledge. Election of officers was held following regular reports and new officers. The new officers are: President-Ruth Wilkens, Secretary-Hazel Ollie, Treasurer-Esther Wolter, 1st Vice President-Howard Greenweld, and 2nd Vice President-Kathie Juneau. A discussion was held on ways to get more members at the meetings. Door prizes went to Helen Fisher and Kathie Juneau. RSVP prizes went to George Ollie, Ron Juneau, Leonard Peterson and Amelia Eskell. Following adjournment of the meeting a video on "The Reminisce Six Horse Hitch" was shown. At the next meeting on September 20th the conclusion of the Hitch trip across America will be shown. Members M-Z will furnish the meal. Be sure to mark your calender.

Grinding day at Old Mill Sept. 3

Grinding Day 1995 at Old Mill State Park will be held Sunday, September 3 from 10 to 4 p.m. at the Larson Mill in Old Mill State Park.

The Case steam engine No. 359 will be fired up and the mill stones turning to grind wheat during the afternoon. Fresh ground flour and bran may be purchased at the site.

Join naturalist Gladwin Lynne for an Agassiz Trail Hike at 10 a.m. to search for the gentians, one of the blue flowers of fall.

A Human Artifacts dig at 11 a.m. will allow participants to try their skill at finding remains of early human tools and jewelry. Learn about the field of archaeology.

There will be several other activities. Ethel Olson will demonstrate quilting in the Cabin area. A taste of wheat bread will also be served. And new this year, the park will sell Old Mill State Park coffee mugs, which feature the mill.

A special surprise visitor from the past will be on the grounds. Pioneer life demonstrations will also be displayed.

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Sjoberg wins golf club title

Stan Sjoberg ran the table on the back nine Sunday to win his first Thief River Golf Club tournament title.

Sjoberg, a runner-up finisher in the club finals to Jeff Reese in 1987 and to Jeff Hendrickson in 1994, beat 1992 champion Tim Delmore by sweeping holes 10-through-15. Delmore won two of the first three holes and was 1-up through the front nine before Sjoberg took over.

A year ago Hendickson was 3-up before a Sjoberg comeback on the then recently-opened back nine took the championship flight title match to the final hole.

This time it ended early as Sjoberg pared the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, and 14th holes. He wrapped it up with tee shot that carried to within three feet of the pin on 15. Delmore landed on the edge of the green. He conceded the hole and the match to Sjoberg after pushing his long putt past the cup.

"I like the back nine," said Sjoberg.

It's not the most relaxing round of golf he's ever played," he acknowledged. "It's real nerve-wracking," he admitted. "After three times in the finals, you start to wonder if it (winning) is ever going to happen, especially after starting out like that. I missed a couple of putts early, but there was a lot of golf left, and a lot can happen on the backside."

Derek Larson, who won back-to-back tournament titles in 1990 and 1991, served as Delmore's caddy. Twelve-year-old John Sjoberg caddied for his dad.

Others winning championships Sunday included Larry Coltom, president's flight; Jeff Tunberg, first flight; Monte Markstrom, second flight; Bill Corliss, third flight; Sami Haj, fourth flight; and Scott Brekke, fifth flight.

Watching the flight of the ball, Stan Sjoberg stood at the first tee Sunday to start his title-winning effort in the Thief River Golf Club tournament championship flight finale against Tim Delmore.

Championship Flight

Quarterfinals - Jeff Hendrickson def. Kent Holmes; Tim Delmore def. Rory Nordheim; Jeff Wiltse def. Jim Hellie; Stan Sjoberg def. Bruce Williams.

Semifinals - Delmore def. Hendrickson; Sjoberg def. Wiltse.

Championship - Sjoberg def. Delmore.

Consolation semifinal - Nordheim def. Holmes; Williams def. Hellie.

Consolation final - Williams over Nordheim by default.

First Flight

Quarterfinals - Adam Nordin def. Roger Anderson; Rick Nilsmon def. Tim Erickson; Larry Coltom def. Chuck Tuthill; Tom Williams def. Tim Barry.

Semifinals - Nilsmon def. Nordin; Coltom def. Williams.

Championship - Coltom def. Nilsmon.

Consolation semifinal - Erickson def. Anderson; Barry def. Tuthill.

Consolation final - Erickson def. Barry.

Second Flight

Quarterfinals - Jon Petersen def. Jan Nordin; Dean Anderson def. Chuck Schwartz; Monte Markstrom def. Rick Nordhagen; Keith Daley def. Bob Bendickson.

Semifinals - Petersen def. Anderson; Markstrom def. Daley.

Championship - Markstrom def. Petersen.

Consolation semifinal - Schwartz def. Nordin; Nordhagen def. Bendickson.

Consolation final - Schwartz def. Nordhagen.

Third Flight

Quarterfinals - Janelle Schaller def. Bruce Saustad; Joe Sorvig def. Mark Hagen; Bill Corliss def. Ernie Padilla; Myron Jeame def. Bryce Bray.

Semifinals - Sorvig def. Schaller; Corliss def. Jeame.

Championship - Corliss def. Sorvig.

Consolation semifinals - Saustad def. Haugen; Bray def. Padilla.

Consolation final - Bray def. Saustad.

Fourth Flight

Quarterfinals - Chuck Wilcox def. Dick Anderson; Jason Funk def. Delray Sparby; Sami Haj def. Sheldon Peterson; Bud Enge def. Jim Weckworth.

Semifinals - Funk def. Wilcox; Haj def. Enge.

Championship - Haj def. Funk.

Consolation semifinals - Anderson def. Sparby; Peterson def. Weckworth.

Consolation final - Anderson def. Peterson.

Fifth Flight

Quarterfinals - Scott Brekke def. Norm Baune; Mike Waterworth def. Greg Evenson; Bud Evens def. Neil Peterson; L.L. Jones def. Charles Samuelson.

Semifinals - Brekke def. Waterworth; Jones def. Evans.

Championship - Brekke def. Jones.

Consolation semifinals - Baune def. Evenson; Peterson def. Samuelson.

Consolation final - Peterson def. Evenson.

Twelve-year-old caddy John Sjoberg helped his dad, Stan, line up a putt during Sunday's championship flight finals of the 1995 Thief River Golf Club tournament. Stan Sjoberg beat Tim Delmore for the title.

Sports Boosters will meet Thursday noon

First meeting of the 1995-96 season for the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club will be held Thursday at 12-noon at the Elks.

Guest speakers will be Rick Nelson, Northland Community and Technical College athletic director, and Jim Sims, School District 564 director of student activities.

The public is welcome to attend the weekly luncheon meetings.

Final firearms safety class starts Sept. 11

Pennington County Sportsmen's Club will host its final youth firearms safety program of the year beginning Monday, Sept. 11.

Classes will be held at 6 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, Sept. 11-12-14 and Sept. 18-19-21, at Franklin Middle School. A field field will be held at the Sportsmen's Club Sunday, Sept. 24, from 2 to 6 p.m.

All instructors are encouraged to participate or attend the sessions.

To register for the program, call Jim Counter at 681-1901 or 681-1270.

Touchdown Club has turkey dinner Sunday

Annual Thief River Falls Touchdown Club football fund-raising dinner will be served Sunday, Aug. 27, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the American Legion.

Turkey and all the trimming will be served.

Tickets, priced at $5.50 for adults and $3 for students, can be purchased from members of the Lincoln High School football team, or at the door.

Proceeds will be used by the Touchdown Club to benefit the Thief River Falls football program.

TRF Pigskin Preview set for Prowler Field

Nine schools will bring their varsity and junior varsity football teams to Prowler Field Saturday for scrimmages at the 23rd annual Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Pigskin Preview.

Joining the host Prowlers will be Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, Bemidji, Cass Lake-Bena, Devils Lake, East Grand Forks, Fertile-Beltrami, Red Lake Falls, and Roseau.

The event will also feature a picnic-style meal that includes hamburger on the grill, beans, chips, cookies, and a soft drink.

First set of scrimmages, featuring Thief River Falls, Bemidji, East Grand Forks, and Devils Lake, starts at 12-noon.

Second set of scrimmages, which includes Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, Cass Lake-Bena, Red Lake Falls, Belcourt, and Fertile-Beltrami, will begin at 2 p.m. Two scrimmages will be conducted simultaneously – varsity match-ups on the main field and junior varsity pairings on the adjacent practice field.

Admission, which is good for the scrimmages and the meal, is $4 for adults and $3 for students.

Varsity/JV Scrimmage Schedule

■ 12-noon - (Session 1) Thief River Falls vs. Bemidji; Devils Lake vs. East Grand Forks; (Session 2) East Grand Forks vs. Bemidji; Thief River Falls vs. Devils Lake; (Session 3) Devils Lake vs. Bemidji; (Session 4) East Grand Forks vs. Devils Lake; Thief River Falls vs. Bemidji; (Session 5) Thief River Falls vs. Devils Lake; Bemidji vs. East Grand Forks.

■ 2 p.m. - (Session 1) Cass Lake-Bena vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Fertile-Beltrami vs. Roseau; (Session 2) Red Lake Falls vs. Belcourt; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Roseau; (Session 3) Cass Lake-Bena vs. Fertile-Beltrami; Red Lake Falls vs. Roseau; (Session 4) Belcourt vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Cass Lake-Bena vs. Red Lake Falls; (Session 5) Fertile-Beltrami vs. Belcourt.

TRF runners have new coach

Caare Holmstrom, who has worked with the distance runners as a Thief River Falls assistant high school track coach the past two years, has a new job assignment this fall. But the drills she directs may not change much as the Prowlers' head boys and girls cross country coach.

Holmstrom, a Strandquist native and Bemidji State University graduate, succeeds Lynn Dyer. She's excited about the opportunity to be a head coach. "This is what I've wanted from Day 1," said Holmstrom. "I'm looking forward to it."

She is working with a group of nine girls and 14 boys. Nine of the 23 runners who reported for the start of preseason practice are in grades 6-through-8, but two of them – eighth graders Brady Anderson and Emily Mugaas – are returning letter winners.

Other 1994 letter winners on hand are seniors Angie Klinker and Jeremy Swanson; juniors Kate Ihle, Ryan Hendrickson and Chris Pribula; along with sophomores Becky Mooney and Brandon Gerardy.

"The girls should be strong, but we could use some more numbers," noted Holmstrom.

The boys have a few more runners, she explained, but they don't have some of the individual talent that the girls have in Swanson, Ihle and Mooney.

Klinker and Swanson will serve as co-captains for the girls. Hendrickson, Pribula and fellow junior Jordan Goldesberry were named captains for the boys.

Rest of the squad includes senior Jenny Flynn; junior Shane Duffy;

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Thief River Falls girls high school swimming...

New coach has veteran team

Stepping into unfamiliar waters was made easier for Scott Hetherington this fall when the first-year Thief River Falls girls high school swim coach found himself surrounded by experience.

Sixteen returning letter winners showed up for the start of practice Aug. 14, and although Hetherington is coaching swimming for the first time, his staff includes Gayle Borchert, a veteran of the Lincoln girls swimming program; Shon Thompson, a former all-state diver for the boys program; and John Kopars, a former Thief River Falls head swimming coach. Borchert is officially listed as the assistant coach; Thompson and Kopars are volunteer assistants.

And Hetherington himself is familiar with the program as he begins his 15th year as a teacher in School District 564, where he has worked as an assistant coach in volleyball and track.

"I'm looking forward to it," said Hetherington after diving into the swimming program that found itself without a coach following the resignation of Ryan Lokken. "We're going to work hard and have a lot of fun."

Five senior letter winner are expected to provide a solid nucleus, including divers Jennifer Olin and Becky Mattson, along with swimmers Robin Bollesen, Myndy Olson and Cami Sorenson.

Others who lettered last fall include juniors Alicia Bakken, Gretchen Bataiden, Kristin Chrzanowski, Rebecca Harger, and Melanie Johnson; sophomores Sunny Carlson, Amanda Clark and Wendy Lindquist; freshman Nicole Kopari, plus eighth graders Andrea Olin and Andrea Sorvig.

Rest of the squad members at the early-season work-outs were junior Ladka Simkova, sophomores Jamie Kalsnes and Heather Torstveit; freshmen Erin Delmore, Katrina Holum, Andrea Olson, and Jennifer Olson; eighth graders Yvonne Asp, Iolie Chrzanowski, Lindsay Ehrenstrom, Rachel Harger, Dayna Holland, Mariam Holmstrom, Erika Hudson, Kristin Naplin, Naomi Olson, Nicole Peterson, Meghan Reed, Stephanie Scalthorp, and Jennifer Sorvig; seventh graders Melissa Clark, Ayla Donlan, Ashley Hammer, Kelsi Holland, Alecia Klockman, Kimberly Schneider, Dancia Schroeder, and Ammie Tathill; along with sixth grader Chelsea Haviland.

1995 TRF Girls Swimming

Tuesday, Aug. 29 - at Fosston, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Aug. 31 - at Fergus Falls, 6 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 5 - Crookston and Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 7 - Park Rapids Area, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 9 - Bemidji Invitational, 12 noon; Saturday, Sept. 16 - Park Rapids Invitational, 12-noon; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - Grand Forks, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 21 - Crookston JV Invitational, 6 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - at Crookston, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 30 - at Fergus Falls, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, Oct. 5 - Moorhead, 5 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 13 - Fergus Falls and Bemidji, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 14 - Warroad Junior High Invitational, 10 a.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 17 - Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 24 - junior high at Warroad, 5 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 27 - Crookston Invitational, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Nov. 2 - Crookston, 5 p.m.

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Tim Dalmore chipped on to the green Sunday during his championship flight title match against Stan Sjoberg in the 1995 Thief River Golf Club tournament finals. Dalmore, who won the tournament in 1992, grabbed an early lead before losing to Sjoberg on the 15th hole.

Slow pitch softball teams take part in District 7 playoffs

A fourth place finish by Phillips Iron & Metal in Class E and a fifth place effort by the St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square in Class D highlighted performances by Thief River Falls Men's Slow Pitch Softball League teams in District 7 tournament play over the weekend.

St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square went 5-2 at Fosston and is the first alternate to the Class D state tournament, scheduled to be played this weekend in Crookston.

Thygeson Construction also went 5-2 in District 7 Class D play, while Budget Electronics finished 3-2, RC Cola/Taco John's 2-2, Northwest Eye Center 2-2, and Best Western Inn 1-2. Miller Lite was a district qualifier, but did not make a tournament appearance.

Phillips Iron & Metal was 4-2 at

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LHS cross country

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sophomores Craig Lawrence, Hamilton Keefe and Mike Hahne; eighth graders Matt Trontvet and Seth Harlow; seventh graders Dewey Worker, John Schwartz and Teckla Paraventi; along with sixth graders Jacquelyn Mooney and Janae Harlow.

Clark Hendrickson returns as the Prowlers' assistant coach.

Thief River Falls runners will open their season Thursday, Sept. 7, at the Roseau Invitational.

1995 TRF Cross Country

Thursday, Sept. 7 - at Roseau, 4:30 p.m.; Monday, Sept. 11 - at Warroad, 4:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 14 - at Crookston, 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - at Bagley, 4:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 21 - at Detroit Lakes, 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - Prowler Middle School Invitational, 4:15 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 28 - at East Grand Forks, 4 p.m.; Monday, Oct. 2 - Thief River Falls Invitational, 4:15 p.m.; Monday, Oct. 9 - at Park Rapids, 4 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 12 - at Hawley, 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 17 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.

Tennis team begins fall sports schedule

High school girls tennis will start the 1995 Thief River Falls fall sports schedule as the Prowlers host Grand Rapids today (Wednesday) in a 4 p.m. dual, then play host to the annual Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational Thursday.

Grand Rapids, East Grand Forks, Crookston, Bemidji, and Moorhead will join Thief River Falls in the Thursday meet, which is scheduled to start at 9 a.m.

The Prowlers have a new head coach this fall in Sylvia Sjoberg, who succeeds Jim Bitzegaio. She has 11 returning letter winners to build around, including seniors Vicki Bitzegaio, Bobbi Dahlstrom, Sharj Evenson, Kiki Goddard, Anne Padilla, and Kamie Twomey; juniors Kate Ihle, Heidi Johnson, Kelly Natvik, and Elizabeth Odette, along with sophomore Beth Goddard.

Rest of the squad includes seniors Leah Helgenset, Angeline Gunstad, Andrea Vigen, and Becky Phillips; juniors Pauline Cullen, Caryn Omdahl, Kyla Skiple, and Laura Steiger; sophomores Stephanie Leach, Jenna Tsukichi, and Eeva Young; freshmen Ann Gustafson, Katie Harbott, Lesley Ihle, Toni LeMoine, Beth Nelson, and Bridgette Stock; eighth graders Dierdre Dally, Jenni Gonsorowski, Jenny Kimball, Kim Kirkeide, Rebecca Leach, Kate Liden, Kara Skiple, and Kate Stalboerger; seventh graders Carisa Hendrickson, Kyla McFarlane, Kim Schneider, and Heidi Young; along with sixth graders Jenny Black, Heather Fellman, Heather Hanson, Beth Padilla, Cheryl Schob, Kay Steiger, and Emily Tweet.

"I think we'll have some pretty good balance," said Sjoberg, who missed first-week drills that were conducted by former Thief River Falls tennis coach Rick Engelstad. Sjoberg previously coached basketball at Wadena and Thief River Falls.

1995 TRF Varsity Tennis

Wednesday, Aug. 23 - Grand Rapids, 4 p.m.; Thursday, Aug. 24 - Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational, 9 a.m.; Tuesday, Aug. 29 - at East Grand Forks, 11 a.m.; Friday/Saturday, Sept. 8/9 - Lake Hubert Invitational, 3 p.m./9 a.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 12 - Crookston Triangular, 2 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 2:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 22 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Brainerd Invitational, 9 a.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - Bemidji Northwest Tournament, 12-noon; Thursday, Sept. 28 - Thief River Falls Quadrangular, 12-noon; Saturday, Sept. 30 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 11:30 a.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 3 - at Roseau, 4 p.m.

1995 TRF Junior varsity Tennis

Thursday, Aug. 24 - at Crookston, 10 a.m.; Friday, Aug. 25 - Mahnomen, 10 a.m.; Tuesday, Aug. 29 - at East Grand Forks, 2 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 7 - at Mahnomen, 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 12 - at Crookston Triangular, 3:30 p.m.; Thursday, Sept. 14 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.; Monday, Sept. 18 - at Roseau, 4:30 p.m.; Monday, Sept. 25 - Crookston, 4:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - Roseau, 4:30 p.m.; Monday, Oct. 2 - East Grand Forks, 4 p.m.

Lining up a shot during Sunday's Thief River Golf Club tournament championship flight finals were Tim Delmore and caddy Derek Larson. Delmore won the event in 1992 and Larson won back-to-back titles in 1990-91, but the 1995 crown went to first-time winner Stan Sjoberg.

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Stan Sjoberg watched his putt head for the cup Sunday during his Thief River Golf Club tournament championship flight final against Tim Delmore. Sjoberg won his first club title after two earlier runner-up finishes.

TRF men's softball

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Clearbrook, but will not advance because there is no state tournament at the Class E level.

Forsberg's Inc. won consolation honors with a 2-2 finish in District 7 Class E competition. Rick's Appliance, Elks Lodge and Keystone Light/Kaaz Chiropractic were also 2-2, while VFW and WCF Distributors both finished 1-2.

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Disorderly conduct citations listed in Pennington county Citation Bulletin

Several assault and disorderly conduct citations were listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the period of August 11-17.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Michael Alan Johnson, Brooklyn Center, 31, disorderly conduct, $127.50, 90 days in jail with all but three days stayed for one year; Heather Joy Dalzell, Thief River Falls, 19, issue dishonored check, $177.50, $30 restitution; James John Engvall, Thief River Falls, 43, issue dishonored checks, $157.50, $65.69 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; James Ben Crowley, Roosevelt, 26, failure to stop at red light, $76; Steven Jerome Gillespie, Thief River Falls, 26, fifth degree assault, fine stayed, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Heath Anton Larson, Thief River Falls, 18, 47/30, $87.50; Shane Arlan Vettleson, Oklee, 21, careless driving $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year;

Michael Alan Johnson, Brooklyn Center, 31, disorderly conduct, $127.50, 90 days in jail with all but three days suspended for one year; Jeff Allen Oakgrove, Redby, 28, terroristic threats, $32.50, 24 months in prison; Edwin Marvin Sorenson, East Grand Forks, 56, aggravated driving while intoxicated, $1,077.50, one year in jail with all but 60 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year;

Mona Rae Bowles, Thief River Falls, 31, driving while intoxicated, $467.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Eric Joseph Dahl, Thief River Falls, 19, criminal damage to property, $267.50, $20 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Steven Lee Henke, Red Lake Falls, 24, gross driving while intoxicated, $1,020, 120 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Richard Fredrick Nelson, Thief River Falls, 31, issue dishonored checks, $172.50, $216 restitution, 15 days in jail stayed for six months; Rodney Melvin Nissen, Thief River Falls, 33, fifth degree assault, one year in jail with all but six months stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Sheryl Lyn Kees, Thief River Falls, 39, open bottle/driver, $180; Garret Lee Scholin, Thief River Falls, 22, open bottle/driver, $122.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: James Donald Rose, Thief River Falls, 35, driving after revocation, $282.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Florian Harry Wysocki, Grand Forks, ND, 77, failure to yield to emergency vehicle, $133.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 27, overtime parking, $22.50; Traci Lynn Rendulich, Thief River Falls, 17, inattentive driving, $122.50; Debra Ann Severson, Thief River Falls, 36, overtime parking violation, $22.50; Dale Jeffrey Shumway, Middle River, 18, littering, $122.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking violation, $22.50; Angela Dawn Woods, Thief River Falls, 20, theft, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days;

Jerold Michael Kappes, Thief River Falls, 29, trespassing, fifth degree assault, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Paul A. Lanzmeier, West Fargo, ND, 38, 46/30, $87.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 27, midnight to 6 a.m. parking violation, $22.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 27, midnight to 6 a.m. parking violation, $22.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 27, overtime parking, $22.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 27, overtime parking, $22.50;

Paul Ray Adelman, Red Lake Falls, 25, overtime parking violation, $22.50; Paul Ray Adelman, Red Lake Falls, 25, overtime parking violaton, $22.50; Isaac Contreras, Thief River Falls, 30, driving after revocation, $582.50, 60 days in jail stayed for one year; Deborah Ann Fossell, Thief River Falls, 40, overtime parking violation, $22.50; Melinda Kaye Hausken, Thief River Falls, 25, 42/30, $76; Jerold Michael Kappes, Thief River Falls, fifth degree assault, trespassing, $147.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year;

Lisa Mae Simmons, Thief River Falls, 23, allowing a cat to run at large, $45.50; Bill Michael Styles, Thief River Falls, 22, violation of a motorcycle permit, no eye gear/passenger, $152; Lola Marie Underdahl, Newfolden, 40, violation of restraining order, $27.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Janette Meriam Duray, Grand Forks, ND, 33, disorderly conduct, $127.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Charles Peter Gerardy, Thief River Falls, 35, cancelled drivers license, $582.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Paul Eugene Green, Thief River Falls, 18, erratic driving, $64.50; Paul Eugene Green, Thief River Falls, 18, possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of small amount of marijuana, $337; James Allen Olson, Thief River Falls, 20, refusal to give test, $582.50, 45 days in jail stayed for one year;

Jason Henry Aarestad, Thief River Falls, 21, driving under the influence, $467.50, 90 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Jason Henry Aarestad, Thief River Falls, 21, driving after suspension, 60 days in jail; Jason Henry Aarestad, Thief River Falls, tinted windows, driving after suspension, no insurance, 90 days in jail with all but 60 days stayed for one year, to run concurrently with other cases; Donna Ruby Danielson, Thief River Falls, driving while intoxicated, $962.50, 90 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Vanessa Faye Appel, Thief River Falls, 34, 42/30, $76.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Janice Marie Klopp, Thief River Falls, 54, 65/55, $64.50; Michele Dawn Dugas, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, 31, 71/55, $87.50; Louis Maynard Krueger, Thief River Falls, 20, failure to wear seat belt, $47.25; Kelley Lee Larsen, Morris, IL, 24, 68/55, $87.50; Ryan Aaron Miller, Pecatonica, IL, 17, 84/55, seat belt usage, $180.75; Scott William Reed, Thief River Falls, 39, no valid Minnesota drivers license, $500; Matthew Martin Sands, Alvarado, 22, seat belt, $47.25;

Scott Erroll Strand, Erskine, 37, 76/55, $99; Michael John Pittman, Goodridge, 21, 70/55, $87.50; Kenneth Irving Swanson, Thief River Falls, 71, 65/55, $64.50; William Fred Zeller, St. Hilaire, 55, 65/55, $64.50; Rene Sanchez Garza, Thief River Falls, 25, 68/55, no Minnesota drivers license, $198.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Kristine Kay Grindeland, St. Hilaire, 28, driving after revocation, $582.50, 10 days in jail stayed in one year; Joseph Matthew Hagl, Red Lake Falls, 19, 70/55, $87.50; Darin Dwayne Jacobson, Fargo, ND, 26, 65/55, $76; Mark P. Kreuter, Thief River Falls, 31, no current registration, $41.50; Bruce Daniel Evert, Grand Rapids, 30, possession of drugs in commercial vehicle, $237.50; Timothy Charles Delmore, Thief River Falls, 41, 70/55, $87.50; Darin Scott Feragen, Thief River Falls, 20, 65/55, $64.50.

$600 gift to the Boy Scout program in the Northern Lights Council was presented Thursday to Voyageur Trails District executive Josh Sehl (right) by Garry Schoon of Thief River Falls. The funds come from a community program of US West whereby the company donates $5 per hour up to 100 hours for community service given by its employees. Schoon has participated in the Boy Scout program for 13 years and designated the company's contribution to the scouts each year. This year the company gave Schoon special recognition for his service and added $100 to the donation.

Law enforcement center receives several reports of accidents

Law enforcement officials responded to several reports of accidents during the past week.

Accidents. On August 16 at 11:46 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the west entrance to Knight Avenue parking lot from Third Street. David Edward Nelson of Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on Third Street, when a bike ridden by Darrin James Momerak, Thief River Falls, was facing north in the parking lot and pulled out in front of the vehicle without stopping. Darrin had a bruise on his left ankle. He was not knocked to the ground by the vehicle as it was almost stopped when he was hit by the bumper.

On August 16 at 6:30 p.m. police received a report of an accident at First and Arnold. Greer Walker Mevis, Thief River Falls, was driving a van west on First Street, and a Cory William DeLap, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup north on Arnold. The vehicles collided in the intesection. DeLap was cited for failure to yield. Damages were estimated at $3,000 to the Mevis vehicle and $1,000 to the DeLap vehicle.

On August 16 at 9:11 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 800 block of North Horace in the alley. Harry Dean Cling, Thief River Falls, was backing out of his driveway with his pickup, lost control and hit a parked vehicle which was owned by Jeff Lund of Grygla. Damages were estimated at $800 to the Cling vehicle and $1,200 to the Lund vehicle. Cling was cited for driving while intoxicated.

On August 18 at 2:33 p.m. police received a report of an accident on Pennington Avenue. Scott Allen Sheridan, Thief River Falls, was driving a van going south on Pennington Avenue and was slowing to turn left. Robert Vergil Nygaard, Thief River Falls, who was driving a pickup south on Pennington Avenue collided with the rear of the Sheridan vehicle. Sheridan was cited for driving after suspension. Nancy Sheridan was cited for obstruction of legal process because she attempted to claim that she was driving the vehicle at the time of the accident. Scott and Nancy had sore necks. Passengers in the vehicle also had minor injuries. Damages were estimated at $4,000 to each vehicle.

On August 18 at 3:12 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Third and Spruce. Jonne Vermona Brockopp, Red Lake Falls, was driving a van west on Third Street and was stopped in traffice. Sheryl Irene Newman, Thief River Falls, was in a vehicle behind the Brockopp vehicle and was also stopped in traffic. William Edward Wolff, Karlstad, was driving a pickup west on Third Street and collided with the Newman vehicle which was pushed into the Brockopp vehicle. Wolff was cited for inattentive driving. Damages were estimated at $150 to the Brockopp vehicle, $3,000 to the Newman vehicle, and $3,000 to the Wolff vehicle. There were no injuries.

On August 19 at 2:43 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident one-quarter mile south of County road 59, on County road 17. Matthew Jason Wagner, St. Hilaire, was driving a car south on County road 17 when he lost control, and the vehicle skidded and went into the ditch where it rolled. Damage was estimated at over $1,000 to the vehicle. Wagner was not injured.

On August 20 at 6:47 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident on State Aid 3 and County road 75. Mark Edward Browne, Thief River Falls, was driving a stationwagon and going east on State Aid 37 and Bradley Hell, Thief River Falls, was driving a motorcycle following the Browne vehicle. The car was turning north onto County road 75 when Hell was attempting to pass on the motorcycle at the same time. The vehicles colllided. Bradley Hell and 12-year-old Dean Allen Hell were taken by ambulance to Northwest Medical Center. The five passengers in the vehicle driven by Browne were uninjured. Mark Browne was cited for driving after cancellation. Mark Hell was cited for driving after cancellation. Browne was driving a vehicle that was owned by Wendy Hell. Hell was driving a motorcycle owned by Mark Browne.

Thefts. Citations for writing worthless checks were issued against the following in the amounts listed: Paula Marie Rud, 20, Thief River Falls, $198.88; Daniel James Smith, 19, Grand Forks, ND, $46.59; Heather Dalzell, 19, Thief River Falls, $108.70; Corey Ree Graves, 20, Redby, $188.46; Timothy Ervin Culp, 28, Roseau, $241.81; Lee John Haugen, Jr., 19, Thief River Falls, $688.83; Adam Christopher Killian, 21, Plummer, $95.10; Wayne Ervin Fredrickson, 31, Erskine, $28.78; Erin Patricia Dooher, 31, Crookston, $450; Charitie Dawn Dalzell, 20, Thief River Falls, $139.17; Robin Dee Watkins, 31, Drayton, ND, $75; Sheryl Lynn Thompson, 21, Ada, $39.88; Jody Lynn Stenvik, 27, Thief River Falls, $63.51; Nicolo Marie Shiver, 18, Ada, $43; Bruce Alan Jevne, 28, Warren, $75; Robert Douglas Leach, 37, Thief River Falls, $150; Eric Jon Olson, 24, Kenmare, ND, $40.28; Jill Elizabeth Jenkins, 37, Warren, $259.59; Kara Renae Rinde, 21, Badger, $164.58; Martha Alicia Rodahl, 32, Crookston, $65; Cynthia Maria Gjestrum, 40, Fridley, $37.93; Dennis Michael Pearson, 35, Crystal, $58.94; Angela Jeanne Omlid, 19, Thief River Falls, $41.01; Kelly Ann Barry, 27, Thief River Falls; $65; Victor Martinez, Jr., 19, Argyle, $141.19; Myrtle Caroll Hickey, 69, Thief River Falls, $65; Lisa Kay Wilson, 32, Thief River Falls, $27; Thomas Scott Taylor, 40, East Grand Forks, $150; Tracy Lynn Larson, 30, Newfolden, $110.34; Ina Lou Newton, 43, Badger, $37; Dale Henry Mehrkens, 20, Thief River Falls, $75; Rita Bonagura Vaughan, 52, Philadelphia, PA, $300; Patsy Lynn Hoglo, 28, Thief River Falls, $75; Kevin Russel Hughes, 20, Larimore, ND, $32.04; Holly Susan Howe, 44, Thief River Falls, $162.98; Debbie Lynn Haugen, 36, Park Rapids, IA, $120; Jon William Gowan, 21, Grand Forks, ND, $65.91; Janis Arlene Kelly, 45, Red Lake, $318.38; Lynn Edward Stenvik, 34, Thief River Falls, $440; Janell Arlene Linder, 29, Strathcona, $355.39; Traci Ann Olson, 19; Newfolden, $597.12.

Also, Sue Lynn Sargent, 23, Thief River Falls, $394.46; Jeannine Teresa Oliver, 21, Duluth, $27.47; Randall Walter Naeseth, 30, Thief River Falls, $30; Joseph Daniel McCraw, 29, Thief River Falls, $65; Jesse Rodriguez Salazar, 29, Thief River Falls, $44.78; Katrina Gaye Wysocki, 25, Long Prairie, $271.19; Christian Garner Stephenson, 20, Hutchinson, $100.15; Larry Michael Bronson, 28, Greenbush, $55; David Jon Wallenberg, 36, Goodridge, $191.69; Colleen Michelle Fesko, 24, Thief River Falls, $39.78; Neal Allen Helle, 25, Viking, $28.23; Mark C. Fesko, Thief River Falls, $57.01; Nathan Allan Brink, 18, Fosston, $30.

Consumption under age. On August 18 at 11:33 p.m. a sheriff's deputy working a Highlanding dance cited a 17-year-old male from Brooks with consumption under age.

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TRF Soo Line Depot makes National list of Historic Places

Interesting historical facts about the Soo Depot are explained

Soo Line Depot in Thief River Falls played a significant role in the development of Thief River Falls. But, it also played a significant role in the development of northwestern Minnesota, as research by the Minnesota Historical Society indicates. Recently, the depot was placed on the National Register of Historic Places.

(The following is a copy of a document provided to the United States Department of the Interior, National Park Service)

The Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Depot (Soo Line Depot) in the city of Thief River Falls is significant under National Register criterion in the area of transportation and architecture, and is associated with the Minnesota statewide context of "Railroads and Agricultural Development, 1870-1940."

"The Soo Line Depot functioned as the western division point for the Minneapolis, St. Paul, and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad Company, and played a critical role in the development, control, and distribution of the vast agricultural largesse of northwestern Minnesota and North Dakota. As testament to the importance that the Soo Line placed on its division point depots in its rail network, the Thief River Falls Soo Line depot is the only first-class architecturally designed Soo Line depot remaining in Minnesota. Replacing the first-class depot built in 1905, the current depot was designed by the Minneapolis architects William Kenyon and Maurice Maine. This Craftsman style building cost the Soo Line $60,000 when it was built in 1914.

"Thief River Falls is located in Pennington county, in the northwest quadrant of Minnesota. The county derives its name from Edmund Pennington, past president of the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railroad (1909-1922) and was the last county to be established in the state on November 23, 1910. From 1858 to 1896, this area was included in Polk county, and from 1896 to 1910 it was part of Red Lake county. The town's survey was completed on August 21, 1883 by W. F. Arnold. Thief River Falls was platted as a village in 1887 and incorporated as a city on September 15, 1896.

"In 1883, a line of the Great Northern Railroad was laid to nearby St. Hilaire and freight was hauled approximately seven miles to Thief River Falls at a cost of $1.50 per one hundred. Due to the large expense and effort required to ship and receive goods, the city of Thief River Falls extended to the Great Northern a $750 incentive to enter the city. On October 16, 1892, Thief River Falls was connected by rail and served as the terminus for a line that began in Crookston.

"While farmers of northwestern Minnesota and the Dakota Territories were increasing their output of hard spring wheat, the problems of transportation and distribution to the milling operations in Minneapolis, Chicago, and Milwaukee were having an impact on both the producers of wheat and the millers of flour. The millers in Minneapolis were at the mercy of the Chicago railroads who could set their price for transporting the flour to eastern markets. Prior to the settlement of the northwest, flour producers had relied on the rivers as modes of transportation. Once the northwest had begun providing the bulk of the wheat for flour production, the importance of effient and dependable transportation became critical. Concurrently, the miller's association in Minneapolis was meeting to discuss the feasibility of developing a rail transportation network in order to guarantee a steady supply of the wheat. In September 1883, the Minneapolis, Sault Ste. Marie and Atlantic Railroad was incorporated and financed primarily by Minneapolis interests with 75 per cent of the stock owned by flour manufacturing interests. Initially the Minneapolis milling interests hoped to have a route to eastern markets independent of the railroads operating between Minneapolis and Chicago, and of the Great Northern and steamship lines operating to and out of Duluth and Superior. The Chicago and Milwaukee railroads had a monopoly on shipping flour to markets outside of Minnesota, thereby cutting into profits of the Minneapolis millers. With the incorporation of the Minneapolis Sault Ste. Marie and Atlantic Railroad, the millers could be assured of selting their own price. However, this was only half of the equation, as the millers still needed to be assured of getting the wheat from the north and west to mill into flour. The incorporation in 1884 of the Minneapolis and Pacific Railroad allowed the group to construct a line west of Minneapolis into Dakota Territory in order to assure millers a secure source of hard spring wheat for themselves independent of James J. Hill and his Great Northern Railroad. Five years later in 1888, facing financial insolvency, three railroad lines (the Minneapolis Sault Ste. Marie and Atlantic, the Minneapolis and St. Croix, and the Minneapolis and Pacific merged with the financial assistance of the Canadian Pacific to form the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad, or more commonly known as the Soo Line.

"Unlike earlier railroads in Minnesota, the Soo Line had to construct lines through land that was already occupied by settlers. Furthermore, since the Soo Line did not hold profitable land grants like the Great Northern and Northern Pacific, it had to rely financially on shipping freight and selling lots in company-platted towns. From 1904 to 1911, the Soo Line surveyed almost all of the towns it established in the Red River Valley. The company quickly proved its capability by controlling the majority of the railroad business interactions in these newly-formed communities.

"In 1903 the Soo Line, while constructing a link between Winnipeg and Minneapolis, received authorization from city officials to enter Thief River Falls, in September 1904, tracks entered the outskirts of the city. By 1906, approximately 20 different businesses offered goods and services along the Soo Line tracks in Thief River Falls, including four grain elevators, three beer warehouses, three coal sheds, and several merchandise warehouses.

"The Soo Line transplanted its division point from Glenwood, Pope county, to Thief River Falls in 1905 and constructed a roundhouse, mechanic shop, turntable, warehouses, and derrick house, which are still extant. That same year, the Soo Line started construction of a line to Kenmare, ND, known as the 'Wheat Line'. This line, which traversed over 300 miles of hard wheat country to North Dakota, transformed Thief River Falls into a thriving railroad center. In 1909 the railroad solidified its monopoly on the wheat market by constructing a line from Thief River Falls to Duluth, known as the 'Plummer Line', which connected the farmers in North Dakota and northwestern Minnesota directly with the Great Lakes and the world.

As a division headquarters, the Soo Line increased the number of employees located at Thief River Falls. By 1920 the Soo Line boasted a payroll of $30,000 a month in this town. During the active months of the year approximately 225 employees worked in the operating and train service departments, while 190 employees maintained the equipment and engines. The increased business and payroll spurred a boom in the city. From 1900 to 1910 the population of Thief River Falls increased by 2,000 people. By the 1920's the Soo Line in Thief River Falls was handling approximately 117,125 pounds of freight on a daily basis.

"By the early teens the Soo Line had captured 90 per cent of the city's freight traffic. A larger depot was needed which could accommodate more agents, a superintendent's office an dispatchers. The decision was made to replace the first-class depot with a larger, fire-proof brick depot and the architectural firm of Kenyon and Maine was awarded the contract to construct a depot. The specifications called for a footprint of 140-feet by 50-feet with a 16-foot platform. The principal architect was William Kenyon, who moved from the East to Minnesota in 1893 and had a private practice from 1893 to 1912. He formed a partnership with Maurice Maine in 1913 which lasted until 1930. In addition to the large body of residential commissions, Kenyon was retained by the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad to design a number of other company buildings including the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railroad Company Passenger Depot in Minot, ND, (1911), the Soo Line Blacksmith Shop in Minneapolis (1913), and was an associate architect for the Soo Line Company Building, Minneapolis (1915).

"The importance of the division points along the Soo Line was the growing awareness by the railroad of its public image. The division point at Thief River Falls demanded an architecturally important structure to support its superiority over the Great Northern, whose position it had usurped. In 1912, William Kenyon had been granted the contract to construct a passenger depot in Minot, ND. This one-and-a-half story brick structure cost $135,000, with an interior that is more ornate than its counterpart in Thief River Falls.

"The depot Kenyon designed in Minot, ND, differed from that of the Thief River Falls depot. While both depots were similar in massing, profile, and nearly identical footprints, the Minot depot exhibited a definite Tudor Revival style, with its exposed parapet, steep-pitched roof line, and tall, narrow windows. The Thief River Falls depot's inspiration derived from the popular California bungaloid, with Prairie School influences. The depot reflects the visual and structural styles of the materials favored by the artisan tradition. The use of brick, copper, limestone, and wood in this building suggest the natural qualities implicit in the Craftsman style. Other identifying features of this style contained in the Thief River Falls Depot include its low-pitched, cross gabled roof line, decorative beams under the shed dormer roof, and the battered columns supporting the porte-cochere. The placement and style of windows and doors tend toward rectilinear geometric forms.

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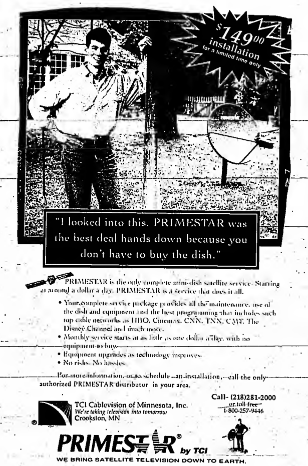

Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Mrs. Madonna Polta of Rosemount spent Monday to Thursday visiting with her mother Mrs. Nora Delage.

On Monday Mrs. Connie Parenteau accompanied with Mrs. Jeanne Gremmer of Crookston, Nancy Stridde of Gallatin, TN and Betty Howe of Denver, CO traveled to Fargo, afte seeing and Betty boarded the plane home after a ten day visit here with family.

Wednesday forenoon guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Vi Gagner, Mamie Rendasy, Marthe Gagner, Dorothy Myhre and Joann Delage. Pearl was the honored guest at a dinner party at 3rd Base at noon.

Monday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Mabel Sabourin, Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince.

Mrs. Judy Olson, Kenya Paradis and little Amanda returned on Wednesday from a long weekend holiday visiting Scott and Shannon Knutson in Yankton, SD. Judy's grandsons Seth and Zackery returned home with them until Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Delage and daughter Madonna Palto visited with their sister and aunt Mrs. Marie Lundin in Crookston on Wednesday.

Mrs. Diane Plante and Michelle Hince of Terrebonne visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday.

Mrs. Robin Daskin, Kelsey and Bryant of Wisconsin arrived on Thursday to visit her parents Wesley and Carolyn Myhre on a holiday.

Those who helped Darcie, daughter of Mrs. Joann Delage celebrate her 16th birthday on Wednesday evening were her grandmother Mrs. Delage, Aunt Mrs. Madonna Polta, Ruby Westlake and Pearl Laniel, Kay Mercil, Racheal Demaries and Jennie Gallant of Plummer, Ryan, Chelsey and Ethan Paradis, David and Cody Martell children of Bob and Peggy Orrock of Becker. "Happy Birthday Darcie!"

On Wednesday Shawn Hince and Renie Grove of Mentor visited their grandmother Mrs. Lillian Hince.

On Thursday Mrs. LaVonne Thune of St. Hilaire visited her daughter Mrs. Judy Olson and to get acquainted with great-grandchildren Seth and Zackery Knutson.

On Thursday, Mrs. Pearl Laniel was a honored guest of Mrs. Dorothy Myhre, Veronica Boucher, Ruth Wilkens and Bunny DuChamp of Plummer and Mrs. Bertha Hughes of Thief River Falls at River Road Cafe to help Pearl celebrate her birthday.

Roger and Mary Jane Paradis and Heidi visited their daughter and sister Mrs. Heather Nelson and new baby boy Blair in the hospital of Fargo over the weekend.

Mrs. Mayme Berbench, Butch, Mrs. Marlene Harbott and Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pittman of Thief River Falls, John and Stacey Berbench and family, Mrs. Rita Finner and Marc, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lindy of Bemidji, John Bishop and Connie Dugsted of Oklee, all enjoyed a picnic at the Carmen Park in Bemidji on Sunday.

Visitors of Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday were Mrs. LeRoy Lynch, Mrs. Irene Hince and Lucille Christenson of Oklee, Evangeline Grove and Barb Slover.

Ernie and Anna Cardinal returned Sunday from a weekend holiday with their daughters Marie and Carol Cardinal in St. Paul.

Ron and Evie Capp and sister Mary Jane Capp of Grafton, ND visited with brother Ray and Ann Capp on Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Stridde of Tennessee, Mrs. Jeanie Gremer of Crookston, Aurel and Gloria Parenteau were Thursday evening guests of Marc and Connie Parenteau.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel, Denise Grimm of Salol and Darby Zentner of William and Liza Chaput of Wisconsin were Sunday dinner guests of Darryll and Delores Grimm.

Mrs. Nancy Stridde left for her home in Gallatin, TN from Grand Forks on Friday morning after a holiday with her brothers Aurel and Marc Parenteau and families.

Clarence and Dianne Gagner hosted a birthday party in honor of their son Danny's 19th birthday on Sunday evening with a cookout with his grandmother Mrs. Ragna Gunderson, Cheryll Wilde, Eric, Ryan, and Casey Jo and Arlen Fore all of Oklee, Mrs. Arlean Berry of East Grand Forks, Mrs. Carolina Gervais, Bryan and Erica of Red Lake Falls, Shawn Hince and some of Danny's softball team to help Danny celebrate. "Happy Birthday Danny!"

Mrs. George Burthwick of Oklee, Evangeline Grove and Mabie Sabourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak attended the funeral of Mrs. Mable Kavor held at the Sacred Heart Catholic church in East Grand Forks on Saturday.

Don Bang of Crookston was a Friday dinner guest of Marc and Connie Parenteau. Evening dinner guests were Mrs. Dannille Parenteau and boys of Fargo.

Mrs. Vi Gagner and Madonna Rysavy of Terrebonne were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Eunice Quesnel of Mentor.

Saturday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Darrin Grove of Oklee, Corey and Ryan Benoit of Thief River Falls, Renie Grove and Ralph Kimbro of Mentor, Russell and Shawn Hince and Evangeline Grove.

Sunday evening, Marc and Connie Parenteau were dinner guests of Greg and Donna Parenteau of Crookston.

Clarence and Dianne Gagner visited with his sister, Mrs. Mary Lou Cyr of Oakwood, ND on Saturday.

Mrs. Donna Josephson and Shorn of Thief River Falls were Thursday evening dinner guests of her parents Arthur and Martha Gagner.

David and Cody Martell children of Bob and Peggy Orrack of Becker visited their uncle and aunt Arnie and Pam Paradis last week.

Look Who's Here!

A baby boy named Blair Matthew arrived Wednesday evening, August 9, 1995 in Fargo, ND to the parents Scott and Heather Nelson, grandparents are Roger and Mary Jane Paradis, aunt Heidi Paradis of Brooks, Wallace and Doris Nelson of Oklee, great-great-grandparent is Mrs. Louise Mercil of Thief River Falls, great-grand-parents Mrs. LaVonne Thune of St. Hilaire, Ron and Dallas Paradis of Brooks. Baby Blair weighed in at 9 lbs. 7 1/2 oz. "Congratulations to everyone!"

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Soo Depot makes National Register of Historic Places

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The addition of these vertical accents balance the horizontal tendencies of the Craftsman style.

"Unlike other Soo Line depots constructed in Minnesota and North Dakota this building did not reflect the two archtypes common in company depot designs. The most common depot style, the second-class station was a two-story building measuring 24-feet by 32-feet with clapboard siding and cedar shingled, side gabled roof such as the Soo Line Depot in Remer, MN. The second-class depots were built in smaller towns and functioned as both a place of business and as a home for the company agent. The ground floor contained waiting rooms and ticket offices while the second story served as living quarters containing a living room, kitchen, and two bedrooms for the agent and his family. Attached to one end of the depot was a single-story freight room, usually 24-feet or 48-feet in length. Larger communities received a first-class, one-story elongated building, characterized by a high, double-pitched roof. Constructed of brick or wood with clapboard siding, it contained a larger freight room, and separate 15-foot men's and women's lounges, but lacked living quarters for railroad personnel. A 30-foot-long freight area was attached to one end as well. Alexandria, MN, claimed the first, first-class depot built by the Soo Line in Minnesota; It was razed in 1978. Much like the second-class depots, plans for the first-class depots originated in the engineering departments of the railroad company.

"Because of its dependence on the farmer, events of the 1930s had a disastrous effect on the Soo Railroad. The affects of the Great Depression, drought of 1936, fixed costs on the interest on bonds, locomotives that were 30 years old and in need of replacement, low population density, and the increasing frequency of trucks hauling cattle and hogs all took their toll on the fortunes of the railroad. In December 1937, the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railroad company filed for reorganization under section 77 of the bankruptcy statutes. In November 1942, the courts approved the Interstate Commerce Commission's plans for reorganization. Henceforth, the Soo Line focused its energies on transporting freight and discontinued passenger service and consolidated its division points. The train dispatchers office at Thief River Falls closed in May 1961, and in 1963 there were only three division points in the Soo Line system: Enderlin, ND, Shoreham, MN, and Stevens Point, WI.

"The Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Depot in Thief River Falls is significant for its association with the development of the railroad network in northwestern Minnesota, its role in the juncture of four prominent radiating lines, to Minneapolis, Emerson, Kenmare, and Duluth, and the development of the agricultural systems of the northwest. This significance is supported by its distinct architectural design, the only such depot commissioned for the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railroad in Minnesota."

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Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Peter and Frances Gerszewski were among many attending the going away party at the Holt Nazareth Lutheran church at Holt for Clarence and Joyce Ness on Sunday, July 30th.

Tuesday, Darcene Moen of Mayville visited with her Grandma Hanne Moen.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Moorhead to visit with Orland and Laura Roppe.

Gladys Stromberg visited with Alice Ellingson on Sunday afternoon.

Aaron and Blanche Waterworth visited at the Gene Waterworths and Rick Waterworth homes from Tuesday until Friday.

July 1st, Linda and Charles Glanzer, Joseph, Benjamin and Nathan spent the weekend at the Merle Bjornrud farm. Linda was up for her high school graduation class reunion.

Saturday evening Florence Borg visited with Lillie Olson.

Wednesday forenoon, Alvina Stevens visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson.

Saturday, July 22nd, Lloyd Larson was among the group of 28 Senior Citizens and Kent Benitt the driver went to Shevlin for Sawdust days had a real good trip.

Friday, Vernice Larson took her sister-in-law, Marlys Aune to Stephen where she will spend a few days visiting with Nellie Olson while there Nellie took Marlys and Vernice out for dinner. They had a real nice visit.

Curt and Elaine Thompson stopped and gave Lisa Wilson a birthday gift and wishes on Monday her birthday is August 10th. Gods Blessings for a Happy Day Lisa.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski visited with Lyle and Olga Gilbertson in the afternoon of Sunday, August 6th.

Saturday afternoon Gladys Stromberg visited with Hanne Moen.

Wednesday evening, Emil and Lyla Vecure were supper guests at the Clara Hanson home.

July 23rd, Harryet Larson visited with Doris Kaushagen and Joan Larson at their homes in Thief River Falls.

Valborg and Raynard Huglen accompanied by their sister Cordelia Agrimson of Richfield returned recently from a trip across the north side of Lake Superior and to Sudbury, Ontario. They entered the U.S. at Sault Ste. Marie, WI visited with Orville and Bonnie Elseth at Oconto Falls, MI and then spent three days at the home of their cousin and his wife Richard and Marilyn Lee at Appleton, WI. They were treated to a trip to Door County a well known resort area. On their way back to the Twin Cities they stopped in to say hello to another cousin, Dr. Sherman Lee and his wife Arlene in Menomonie, WI.

Wednesday evening visitors at the Lillie Olson home were Bud and Ruby Moen of Thief River Falls and Lyle and Becky Olson.

Highlanding Community News

Margie Coan
378-4381

Sympathy is extended to the family of Clarence Ellingson who passed away at the Oakland Park Nursing Home. Services were held on Saturday at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge by Pastor Bob Dahlen.

Whitney and Elnea Fontes of West Fargo spent the weekend with their aunt and family Trudy and Aldan Hyland later on Sunday their parents were callers and the girls accompanied them home.

Ann Heden visited with Donna Horachek on Sunday and was also a coffee guest.

Many attended the worship service on Sunday at the Community Center in Goodridge along with a dinner and fellowship.

On Sunday afternoon, Gertie Haugen visited with her sister Bunny DuChamp at her home near Plummer.

Margie Coan visited with Michelle Coan in Grand Forks on Thursday. Margie also brought Birthday greetings to Michelle.

Sympathy is extended to the Paul Mutnansky family our thoughts and prayer go to his wife Theresa and their children and families. Services were held Friday at the St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Gertie Haugen attended the wedding of Dene Prestebak and Mike Halsa on Saturday at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heden brought birthday greetings to Gerry Nelson on Saturday evening. Happy Birthday Gerry!

Jennifer Vad spent a few days visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Max Fourtier of Roseau.

Joann Dan Wellman and Zachary of Motley spent from Friday thru Sunday at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Culkins, Jonas and Megan of Brooklyn Park visited with Grandma Inga Coan at the Valley Home on Sunday morning.

Gertie Haugen visited with Inga Coan, Gerda Knutson, Emma Erickson and Lellitt Anderson recently at the Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Jesse Vezinie our thoughts and prayers go to his wife Lois, his children and grandchildren. Services were held at the St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Jegol of Iron were Friday and Saturday visitors at the Joe Jegol home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Fourtier of Roseau were Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Lynn Vad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Geothe were Friday evening visitors and supper guests at the Gertie Haugen.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Culkins, Jonas and Megan of Brooklyn Park were Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the Joe Jegol home on Monday. They left for their home.

Gertie Haugen visited with Lila Stephenson recently at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Holly Sustad visited on Saturday at the Lynn Vad home.

On Friday evening, Joann Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachery, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Naeseth were visitors and supper guests along with Jean Johnson, Jessica, Monica and Michelle and Mayme Johnson and Missy Hams at the Merle and Donna Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jensen at their home on Friday evening.

Margie Coan visited on Sunday afternoon with Inga Coan at Valley Home.

Sunday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth, Joann Naeseth, Dan Wellman, Zachary were breakfast guests at the Jean Johnson home. Later they all visited at the Clarence and Mayme Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm visited and were houseguests at the Dick Shapler home of Wilcox, NE and also visited with relatives and friends at North Platte, NE and Holdrege, NE.

Gertie Haugen attended the funeral of Clarence Ellingson on Saturday at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge.

Friday, Donna, Joann Naeseth and Zachary visited with Debbie Wiskow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson of Mohoasie, CA visited on Wednesday evening and were coffee guests with Bill and Olive Rehm.

Margie Coan and Roseann Fialand visited briefly with Olive Wiskow on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pomow, Hilda Hoffman, Janice Paterson were Monday evening guests and supper guests at the Bill and Olive Rehm.

Joann Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachary, Missy Hams, Denise Naeseth of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests and visitors at the Merle Naeseth home.

Lynn Vad attended the funeral of Clarence Ellingson on Saturday at Faith burial was at the Highlanding cemetery.

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The Bomb That Saved Hundreds Of Thousands Of Lives

Fiftieth anniversary of the dropping of atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki was a time for reflection and observances in both the United States and Japan. There is no question these devices of destruction caused many deaths and a great deal of suffering for many people and that death and suffering should not be minimized.

In reflection and recollection, however, there are other factors that should not be overlooked, brushed aside or forgotten. These are such basic factors as the initiation of war by the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, the tremendous loss of life and toll in injuries the war had already caused, and the likely alternative to the atomic attack in an effort to bring about surrender.

F. R. Duplantier, writing for *America's Future*, gives his view of the situation which parallels our own and we believe is in line with the realization of most Americans who were alive during that era of our nation's history. He writes as follows:

The 50th anniversary of August 6, 1945, was supposed to make us all hang our heads in shame. *Newsweek* accompanied pages of ugly pictures with a poll reporting that Americans now think dropping the (atomic) bomb on Japan was "wrong." But the poll demographics tell a different story. The senior citizens whose lives were on the line in World War II approve of the bombing, while the younger generations that don't remember World War II have the luxury of sanctimonious second-guessing.

For the men who fought World War II, the atom bomb was a lifesaver. Dropping the bomb on Hiroshima meant the difference between life and death to hundreds of thousands of our best and brightest young men. Dropping the atom bomb on Hiroshima meant that those fine young American men could come home, grow up to live normal lives, marry and raise families, instead of dying a tortured death 5,000 miles away. What the Hiroshima bomb accomplished was to preempt General George marshall's horrendous plan to defeat Japan: an island-by-island invasion at-a-projected cost of a half million American deaths.

Marshall couldn't have had any illusions about the hideous human cost of such an island-by-island invasion. Only a reckless disregard of American lives could cause a U.S. leader to send American troops to invade Japanese home islands. But that was General Marshall's plan.

Admiral William D. Leahy, (President Harry S.) Truman's military adviser, predicted that 30 to 35 per cent of U.S. soldiers would be killed or wounded during the first 30 days of an invasion of Japan. The Hiroshima bomb saved those lives, as well as those of about 400,000 Allied prisoners of war and civilian detainees held by the Japanese, whom Japan had planned to execute in the event of an American invasion.

President Harry Truman didn't have any difficulty making the atom bomb decision. He told reporters in 1947 that "I didn't have any doubts at the time" because the decision saved 2150,000 to 500,000 American lives.

The argument is made today that we should not have dropped the bomb because "Japan was already seeking to surrender." In an interview with veteran journalist Philip Clarke in 1962, Truman answered, "The bombs were dropped after Japan had been warned that we had discovered the greatest explosive in the history of the world, and then we asked them to surrender. They did not do it." Japan didn't even surrender after the Hiroshima bomb was dropped. It took the second atom bomb at Nagasaki, three days later, to induce surrender.

Instead of being haunted by the ghosts of Hiroshima, Americans today should remember the American heroes of Iwo Jima, Guadalcanal, Midway and Okinawa, and rejoice that the survivors of those bloody battles lived to come home to America instead of being killed on the beaches of Japan.

What Duplantier does not mention in his article is that an invasion of Japan would not only have cost hundreds of thousands of American lives but other hundreds of thousands among Allied forces and the Japanese people themselves. The devastation of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, as terrible as it was, cost far fewer lives among the people of Japan than a prolonged war fought on their homeland would have caused.

Family Breakdown Major Cause Of Violent Crime

Today in the United States one-fourth of all the nation's children are living in fatherless homes. That means 19 million American children are growing up without fathers having a daily influence in their lives.

And statistics show that children from fatherless homes are twice as likely to drop out of high school as children from two-parent families, twice as likely to have emotional problems, twice as likely to have children out of wedlock and five times more likely to wind up in poverty.

More than 70 per cent of all juveniles in state reform institutions come from fatherless homes. A boy raised without a father is twice as likely to resort to crime and three times as likely to do so if he grows up in a neighborhood in which most homes are missing a father.

The rise in violent crime over the past 30 years parallels the rise in families abandoned by fathers. "High crime" neighborhoods are characterized by high concentrations of fatherless families. There is overwhelming evidence that teenage criminal behavior has its roots in habitual deprivation of parental love and affection going back to early infancy.

Does this mean that mothers living alone with their children are failures? Of course not. But the challenges of raising children as a couple are immense, and the challenges of raising them alone can be overwhelming. The problem is especially difficult for women attempting to raise boys without a positive male influence in their lives.

The root of the problem is the failure of men to be responsible providers and caregivers. And that failure lies in the placement of self above the well being of the children. American society has encouraged this selfishness by its acceptance of illegitimacy and its tolerance of non-support. And one can not totally discount the erosion of the male provider role by the rise in working mothers and their ability to achieve self-sufficiency.

In a book called *Fatherless America: Confronting Our Most Urgent Social Problem*, author David Blankenhorn writes, "Every child deserves a father" and "a good society seeks to maximize the likelihood that every child will grow up with two loving parents."

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Brooks Community News

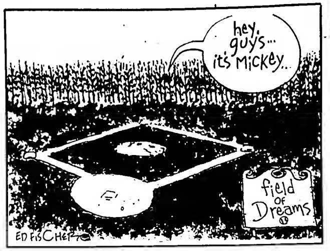
Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Walter Sr and Monica Novak visited with her sister Elvera Vanyo at the Romania Inn and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Toupa of Grand Forks on Saturday.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachary of Okloo, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hince, Bill Howkyard and Velma Kathman all of Thief River Falls, Shawn Hince and Evangeline Grove were visitors of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Aurel and Gloria Parenteau were weekend guests of their daughter and son-in-law Clare and Patti Jo Thompson and help son and brother Steve Parenteau celebrate his big 40th birthday in Grand Forks. "Happy Birthday Steve!"

Mrs. Vi Gagnor was a Saturday evening dinner guest of her daughter, Gene and Pat Proulx of Terrebonne.



LETTERS

To The Editor:

In the afternoon of August 17, a representative of the gambling enforcement division of Minnesota, along with a local police officer, came into the Highway 59 Video Store in Thief River Falls. They seized a non-working replica of a slot machine. We have had the replica in full view of the public for nine years without any complaint.

There was no warrant, not a piece of paper saying the machine was illegal; they didn't have anything that said they had the right to take the replica. The state agent just said he was taking the machine and the police officer helped him carry it out.

As the store owner I questioned the agent's authority to just walk in and take it without proof of any wrong. The agent just ignored me and carried the machine out the door.

I asked them to wait while I called the local police department to see if the agent had any authority to do this. The police said to call the county attorney. The county attorney said he couldn't discuss it with me as it might conflict with his job. I called the city attorney and he said he would check on it.

The Office of Gaming was called with no satisfaction—only that they could do anything they wanted. I tried to explain that the machine wasn't working and that in the past it had been used only as a promotional tool. Nobody had to pay to play the machine and no money was ever given out. Local merchants donated food such as French fries, mini pizza, tacos, etc., to anyone who won. Nobody was forced to buy anything; tokens were given out to all video renters who asked for them. Any motel guest who asked to try out the machine would be given a token. The replica was not a gambling machine. We used free tokens and gave away free food. No money was ever used in any way with this replica.

The State never sent out a notice questioning the legality of the replica. The State never said to take the machine out of the business until the legality could be proved or disproved. The local law enforcement never questioned the agent's authority to just take something without proof of legality.

Are we in old Germony or Russia, where the State has the right to do what it wants or take anything it wants?

Are we free any more?

Are you next?
Sincerely,
David A. Jansen
Thief River Falls

Agder

Martha Torgerson accompanied by her aunt Sally Swanson from Grafton drove to Virginia where they were houseguests at the home of Virginia and Roy Hokkanan. While in the area they attended the Blueberry Festival at Ely and toured the Boundry Waters Resort area. At Ely, they visited at the Al Prigge home, and with the Shirley and Mike Granley family. On the way home they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Myrum at Kelly Lake.

Bernice Knutson, Merlene Baedy and Bernice Danielson from Grand Forks were weekend guests at the Thelma Christianson home in Redwood Falls.

Arlene Abrahamson from Tracy was an overnight guest at the Carmen and Larry Gustafson home in Sunday. Arlene is the district consulting coordinator for Stonecraft Ministries Friendship Bible Coffees. On Monday, she conducted a workshop in Kennedy for representatives from N.W. Minnesota and Eastern North Dakota. Those attending from this area were Carmen Gustafson, Arlette Komplien, Kathy Spangler and Margie Bjorsness from Newfolden.

Jordan Torgerson spent Tuesday night at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home.

Ida Rupprecht accompanied by her granddaughter, Rachael Blue from Moorhead, spent two weeks at the Sharon Gotica home in Albert Lea.

Monday evening visitors at the Doris Kaushagen home were Margaret and Rusty Restemeyer from Washington.

Martha and Jarvis Torgerson attended the retirement party honoring Howard Nelson at the Heritage Center on Saturday afternoon. Jarvis, Donald Rupprecht and Harley Knutson were part of the "This is your Life" program that was presented. In the evening, Martha and Jarvis attended the Suzanne Johnson/Jodi Hienrichs wedding and reception at the Radeomor church. Suzanne is the daughter of Morlena and Curtis Johnson.

Shirley Hogrenes from Auburn, WA came Wednesday to spend her vacation with her mother, Ethel Nelson and with other relatives in the area. On Saturday they attended the retirement party for Howard Nelson. On Sunday the following enjoyed a picnic together at a local park, Bob Nelson and family from Scottsdale, AZ; Sherry Dahlin from LaCrosse, WI; Shirley Hogrenes, Gloria Cloven, Howard and Margo Nelson, Rana Doebler and Jennifer Erickson from Warroad, Ethel Nelson, Kurt Nelson, Cathy and Richard Nelson, Kevin and Heidi Nelson, Allie Will, Scott Nelson from Minneapolis, and Heloise Grimsley from Indianapolis, IL.

Dave and Jeanna Hanson and daughters from Wyoming spent the weekend at the Ruth and Lowell Hanson home.

Ida Rupprecht visited with Edna Rupprecht at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Carmon, Larry and Tony Gustafson and Sanne Torgerson attended the Lawn wedding for Heidi Dyrud and Mark Edwards at the Harvey Dyrud farm home on Saturday afternoon.

Harley and Vivian Knutson were Thursday evening visitors at the home of Bernice Knutson.

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—A runaway horse was neatly stopped by Charles Tedford Wednesday.

—Mr. Jorstad, the tailor, has moved his shop into the O'Brien building, formerly occupied by Gilbertson's Drug store which has gone out of business.

—A white frost occurred on Monday and did some damage to potatoes and garden stuff.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Two drownings occurred in the area. John Johnson, a farm hand employed by Harold Oen, drowned in the Thief river when the raft he was riding went to pieces, and Abel Hallock, aged 70, drowned while swimming across the Tamarac.

—The state timber board is planning a determined campaign against wholesale timber stealing in northwestern Minnesota.

—City Attorney H. W. Lee has given his opinion that the so-called reserve along the river bank on the east side is public property.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Two of the old landmarks of the city, the Northern hotel and the F. C. Nicolai cigar factory, were destroyed by fire.

—A full slate of races and sports events is planned for the second annual Elks picnic.

—Forty-two teachers will handle 1,500 pupils when city schools open September 6.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Miss Wildavene Denhart was named Queen of Alfalfa at the county fair.

—Schools in Thief River Falls will open September 8 this year.

—Pennington county will be one of nine northern Minnesota counties to have an exhibit at the state fair.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—A. A. Trost of Warren was elected president of the Northwest Minnesota association of Conservation clubs at its organizational meeting in this city.

—A Civilian Conservation Corps camp to accomodate 200 boys is being erected near the Thief Lake dam.

—August 24 was the date of the formal opening of the Northern state bank here, with George A. Beito of Gonvick serving as president and George W. Werstlein as cashier.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—F. A. Gross, president of the Minneapolis park board, spoke at a meeting of the Civic and Commerce association.

—Committees were at work on plans for an airport dedication program September 9.

—A. J. Forkenbrock announced plans for a new garage building on Horace avenue.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—A giant plastic balloon launched into the stratosphere from International Falls by the U.S. Air Force passed over Thief River Falls and landed near Middle River.

—Edgar Naplin won first prize in the Pennington-Red Lake county malting barley contest August 16.

—Ole Fladeland took over ownership of the two local taxi firms operated by H. A. Dietz and Olaf Homdrom.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Approximately 175 people attended the flower show presented by the Pixie Planters junior garden club of Thief River Falls.

—Home economics teachers from this area met at Franklin junior high school today.

—Members and friends of St. John church in Thief River Falls observed the 70th anniversary of the congregation with Sunday anniversary services.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—A special Pennington county census is being taken.

—Due to construction of a water main crossing at Greenwood street on the Red Lake river, the U.S. army corps of engineers has closed the dam at Red lake this week.

—Opening day enrollment at Thief River Falls public schools was an even 3,200 students in kindergarten through grade 12, a decline of 57 students from the mark of 3,257 recorded on opening day a year ago.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Stephanie Dickey of Leonard, who was crowned Northwest Dairy Princess in Thief River Falls June 11, became the fourth region one princess to earn Minnesota Princess Kay of the Milky Way honors.

—A new fast food "burger bar" has been added to the food service at the Lincoln high school cafeteria.

—Opening day enrollment for the Thief River Falls public schools is 2,374, down ten students from last year.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Holly, Blake and Bradley Suslad visited with Grandma Ruth on Friday morning. Just maybe she had cookies too.

Pattie Grandstrand and baby daughter Chelsie were honored at a shower at Zion church on August 8th at 7:30 p.m. Others honored were grandmothers Dorothy Grandstrand, Leona Hoflus and great-grandmother Irene Grandstrand who were seated with Patti. JoAnn Peters opened the program with a reading, Amy Hjelle led in devotions followed with a solo by Cheri Cheil and Erika Halvorson. Erika then led in games for the group. Gifts were opened. The Rainbow circle served a dessert lunch.

Branson trip!

Dan and Kathy Olson enjoyed a trip to the Branson area of Missouri leaving on Monday, July 31st. They stopped at Mendota Heights and spent a night with Gordy and Jane Skjerven. The next morning they left and drove through Iowa to Liberty, MO just outside of Kansas City. Wednesday morning they drove to Carthage, MO where they toured the Precious Moments Chapel located in the Shepherd of the Hills area. They thanked Earl Erickson for recommending that they stop there. It was beautiful. They arrived in Branson located in the beautiful Ozarks on Wednesday evening. It was an overwhelming place with people and traffic everywhere.

They stopped there until Sunday and enjoyed every minute of it. They attended many music shows including the Lawrence Welk show featuring the Lennon sisters and their children. Another highlight was the Shoji Tabuchi show held in his magnificent theatre. Most shows were over two hours long and afterwards the singers came out to visit and sign autographs.

Sunday afternoon, they left Branson very reluctantly and spent that night in Hannibal, MO. They came home by way of Bettendorf, IA where they spent two days visiting at the home of Dan's uncle and aunt Gordon and Jeanette Fletcher and also Mrs. Donna Cline. They took them out for supper in the President Riverboat Casino on the Mississippi River in Davenport. They also visited with Dan's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Armond Gibrau in Davenport. They arrived home late Wednesday after driving all day. They had a great trip but it was good to be back home again but hopefully they can go back to Branson again.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Suslad attended the funeral for Mrs. Selmer Johnson in Newfolden Saturday morning after which they went on to Lake Bronson and called on friends, the Willard Petersons. From there they drove on to Hallock to visit at the Sander Gustafson home.

Bert and Joyce Kron left Thursday and stayed overnight at the Orland Roppe home in Moorhead. They continued on Friday, accompanied by Laura Roppe to Bowman, ND to visit Bert's sister, Mrs. Laura Carlson.

On Saturday, Bert, Joyce and Laura Roppe drove to Baker, MT to visit Berts nephew, Hilding Arnell and were supper guests there. Sunday, Mrs. Laura Carlson, the Krons and Laura Roppe were dinner guests of Dorothy Peterson in Bowman. Sunday afternoon the Kron's and Laura Roppe returned to Moorhead to the Roppe home. On the way home they stopped at Matt, ND where they were luncheon guests of Mrs. Leo Brockel, the former Janell Hadik of this area. Janell was a former member of the New Solum 4-H club and a good friend of Laura Roppe's. Bert and Joyce returned home Monday from Moorhead stopping on the way at Red Lake Falls at the Lawrence Skiple home.

Grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Ranum from New Orleans, LA visited at the Sidney Ranum home last week. Evelyn Beito of Middle River was also a visitor at the Ranum home.

Monday evening, Elmer Kron called at Bert Krons to hear news of his sister and nephew.

Newell Nelson of Thief River Falls and his sister Lorraine from Duluth visited with the Sidney Ranums on Tuesday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — August 23, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Dedication of Airport Will Be Big Affair

"Plans are fast rounding into shape for the program in connection with the dedication of the Thief River Falls airport, set for Sunday, September 9. Given favorable weather and dry field, a record number of planes from throughout this region are expected by the committee in charge of arrangements to participate in the exercise. The new six-plane hangar on the airport site is in the final stages of construction, and will be fully completed within the next few days."

Northern State Bank Notes 10th Birthday Friday

"The Northern State Bank founded August 24, 1935, Friday will receive congratulations from its friends and patrons on its remarkable expansion during the past decade. Starting from scratch, deposits of the institution this week aggregated approximately $2,400,000, a gain of $700,000 during the past year, and compared with $735,000 five years ago in 1940."

Minneapolis Is Getting Closer To Thief River Falls

"Minneapolis is getting closer to Thief River Falls than the 300 miles separating the two cities would indicate, judging by the experience last Friday, of John Lina, local airplane owner, and J. Robert Peterson. The pair left Thief River Falls at 8 o'clock in the morning, and after a 25-minute stop in St. Cloud, arrived at 11 o'clock in Minneapolis, where they transacted business until 5 p.m. Then they left on the return trip and after a stop in Detroit Lakes, arrived at 8 o'clock in the evening."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
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Legion Post Nets $700 From Lunch At County Fair

"With gross receipts of $1,429.94, a net profit of more than $700 was realized by the local Legion post on the lunch stand operated at the recent Pennington county fair in cooperation with the auxiliary unit. It was announced by Commander M. R. Leverson at the August meeting of the post Monday evening. The proceeds have been turned over to the post's building fund. W. R. Dahlquist discussed his recent trip to Europe."

County Treasurer, Gets $16,875 From Gas Tax

"County Treasurer A. R. Johnsrud last week received from State Treasurer Julius A. Schmahl a remittance in the amount of $16,875 covering the first half of the 1945 gas tax allotment for Pennington county."

Hearing Set On Removal Of Spur Track In Rosewood

"Announcement was made this week that a hearing will be held Monday, September 17, in the office of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission on the application of the Soo Line for authorization to abandon and remove the westerly 300 feet of spur track at Rosewood."

—One drawback to peace is that singing birthday telegrams may again be delivered.

—Speaking of mixed metaphors, an eastern paper says President Truman is steering the ship of state with his feet firmly on the ground.

—In case you think the war is paid for, we hasten to remind you that another war bond drive is coming in October.

—The Wahpeton Farmer-Globe puts it this way: Juvenile delinquency is when children act like their parents.

—As evidence of the textile shortage, a commentator cites conditions on the bathing beaches.

—The Rising Sun has gone into an eclipse. And let's hope it is permanent.

—Cheerful thought: The list of rationed items is getting shorter.

—Maybe, opines the Mahnomen Pioneer, the reason there is so much money in the banks is that so many women are going around without stockings.

—President Truman is reputed to be a pretty fair poker player, but wasn't bluffing when he called Japan's hand.

—Filling station operators are smiling again, now that the words, "Fill 'er up," have again entered the language.

—It is sad to think that a large group of Pennington county servicemen didn't live to hear the news of victory.

—A Minneapolis radio announcer tells us the Japs were suffering from atomic-ache.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — August 21, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"There was a slight frost last Monday night but no particular damage was done.

"S. Harris has been busy the past week digging ditches and graveling up the streets.

"While digging gravel out of the riverbed below the dam a workman found several specimens of a good variety of soft coal. This is an indication that there is a deposit of it somewhere up the river.'

"The mica mine discovered here has turned out to be a deposit of crystalized sulfate of lime. With a slight application of heat, it turns to pure plaster of Paris without waste and if enough of it can be found a plant will be put in for the manufacture of that article."

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Lise Parent from Otsego was a weekend guest at the Jarvis and Mike Torgerson homes.

Jean Nelson attended the Oen family reunion in Grand Forks on Sunday.

Ethel Nelson and her houseguest Heloise Grimsley were Tuesday evening supper guests at the Cathy and Richard Nelson home.

Martha Torgerson and granddaughter Mariah were Wednesday morning visitors at the Edna Rupprecht home. In the afternoon they attended the open house at the Oakland Park Nursing Home. Mariah was an overnight guest of her grandma and grandpa.

Jeremy Zeltinger from Bismarck was a Friday overnight guest at the Carmon and Larry Gustafson home.

Tim Hanson from Wilmar visited his grandparents, Ruth and Lowell Hanson on Thursday.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Mr and Mrs Gilbert Tronvet visited with Mr and Mrs Curt's Thompson Saturday August 12th and also were invited to stay and have supper with them. We had a nice visit.

Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the LaVoi Thun home were Wally and Phyllis Larson and Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Bill and Shirley Wegner spent Thursday in Fargo where they visited with Pastor Merle Knutson who is in the hospital with a heart attack and also visited with Paul Fisten from there they went to Hawley and spent the weekend at the Marc and Tari Knutson home they also brought birthday greetings and gifts to Ashlee Knutson who celebrated her birthday on Saturday.

Merle Bjornrud visited with John Roseland on Monday evening.

Saturday afternoon Marvin and Betty Moen visited with Hanna Moen.

Duane and Barb Hanson came on Friday from the Cities and will stay until Monday with his mom Clara Hanson.

Mark and Jana Scheumbarg and Matt spent the weekend at the Milton Erickson home.

Friday, Vernice Larson went to Thief River Falls and babysat for her grandson Collin Jesme as he wasn't feeling well.

The Newfolden Gospel String Band presented a program at the Silverton Lutheran church in Thief River Falls on Sunday August 20th.

Sunday, Jimmy Nelson and his son from St. Paul visited with Jimmy's sister Hanna Moen.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe attended the Strathcona Festival at Strathcona.

Friday afternoon Newell Berggren visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Monday evening the 14th, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson drove into town and visited with Mr and Mrs. Curt Thompson enjoying a nice evening with cake and ice cream.

Monday evening, Chuck and Sherry Olson visited with Lillie Olson.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin. Sybil Cwikla visited and had coffee with them.

Beverly Swanson of Minneapolis came on Wednesday and stayed until Friday. She was a houseguest of Merle and Buelah Bjornrud.

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The Times 681-4450

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Full-time position available in Thief River Falls. Retail sales experience, computer skills, and enthusiasm required. Competitive salary. Mail confidential resume to:
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HELP WANTED- Needed immediately! Cooks and waitresses, we need you. Will pay $5.00-$8.00/hour depending on experience. Send your job history and personal info. to: Attention Manager, P.O. Box 758, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 62tfc

WANTED- Kitchen and dining room workers, start immediately. Apply in person at the Evergreen Eating Emporium, 700 Hwy. 32 South, Thief River Falls. 2t68c

WANTED:
HIRED HELP FOR HARVEST & FOR FALL WORK
(GOOD PAY FOR GOOD HELP)
874-7211

AVON WANTS individuals interested in earning $8-$15/hr. No door-to-door. 1-800-736-0168 IND-REP. P4t69p

HELP WANTED- Full-time milk hauler, 1-800-584-7057. 4t67c

HELP WANTED- Assistent resident manager at new college apartments, responsible individual. For more information, call Melva, 681-2341. 63tfc

KEZAR MUSIC is looking for self-motivated sales person for 30 to 35 hours per week, some knowledge of audio equipment, guitars and instruments helpful. Stop for application or send resume to Box 237, Thief River Falls. Deadline Aug. 28th. 2t67c

HELP WANTED- HTC Instructor. This position will be responsible for providing skill training to assigned consumer/employees and participate as a member of the instructional team in assessing HTC participants, developing goals, and training individuals in specified activity areas. Applicant must possess a general knowledge and understanding of vocationally handicapping conditions including mental retardation, physical disabilities, and social adjustment problems. Familiarity with the responsibilities and demands of competitive industry and behavior modification techniques. Good verbal and written communication skills a must. Closing date is August 25, 1995. E.O.E. Apply to ODC, Inc., P.O. Box 730, Highway 32 South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 4t67c

Help Wanted

Housekeeping, morning only, experienced preferred. Apply in person only at T-59 Motel, TRF.

HELP WANTED- Part-time delivery person, early morning hours, and full-time doughnut fryer, evening hours, 681-1222. Gary's Bakery. 58tfc

NEED EXTRA MONEY? Wanted, mature women to babysit toddler in our home, Wed., 3 p.m.-7 p.m. and Fri., 8 a.m.-2 p.m., $4.00/hour. Call Patti, 681-2636. 64tfc

FABRIC CONSULTANT- Part-time position. Apply at Annette's Fabrics, 212 Third East, TRF. 2t68c

VALLEY HOME, INC. has part-time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply by calling for an application at 218-281-5113 or 1-800-532-7655. E.O.E. 62tfc

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Salary Plus Full Benefits.

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Box 675 Hwy. 1 East
Thief River Falls, MN 56701

COOKS AND cooks helper, TRF College cafeteria, day hours, no weekends, holiday or school breaks. Call 681-2583. P4t67p

THE KARLSTAD Health Facilities is now hiring. Would you like to be a part of a caring health team? Competitive wages. Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center has part-time positions (potential for full-time) available for a Registered Nurse and a LPN. Call Shanda Kraulik at 218-436-2181 for more information. KHF is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 4t68c

HELP WANTED- Truck drivers and warehouse help for potato harvest, starting about Sept. 10th. 218-478-3846. P4t70p

RN REGIONAL SUPERVISOR FOR HOME CARE. Immediate opening for R.N. Regional Supervisor for the Thief River Falls office. Candidate must be self-directed, possess excellent communication skills, current MN RN license, and proven leadership and supervisor experience in home health nursing. We offer a top salary and full benefit package. Send resume to La Vonne McWilliam, HRD, Pine to Prairie Home Health Care, 201 Hillestad Ave. N., Fosston, MN 56542 or call 1-800-864-3758 for an application. E.O.E. 4t70c

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R.R. 2, Box 36A
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WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS- Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info call (219) 794-0010 Ext. 9011, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., 7 days. P8t74p

GRAVEL TRUCK drivers until freeze-up time. Davidson Construction, Inc. 218-449-4885, Kevin. 4t70c

HELP WANTED- Open paper routes in Thief River Falls for the Grand Forks Herald. Earn $100.00/month, ages 10-100, 1-800-477-6572. 4t67c

PRODUCTION WORKER- Good starting pay, plus company paid benefits, hospitalization and life insurance, vacation, sick leave, paid holidays, profit sharing/retirement plan. Apply only in person. Nordic Fiberglass Inc., Hwy. 75 South, Warren, MN 56762. 4t70c

BABYSITTER NEEDED- Three to four hours, Mon. and Wed. for newborn. Starting Aug. 28. Call 681-1730, and ask for Jill, references required. P4t69p

SEASONAL SHIPPING and Receiving Clerk needed. Day and evening hours available. Must be able to lift heavy packages. Send resume or note explaining past experiences to: #2897, C/O The Times, P.O. Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 4t69c

PARTS SALESPERSON WANTED- Have an immediate opening for a parts salesperson with automotive background. Apply to Jeff Tunberg, Tunberg Ford-Lincoln-Mercury, TRF. 62tfc

WANTED: COOK WITH EXPERIENCE, LOOKING FOR A CHANGE?

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

CLEANER

LOCATION: Building to be assigned
EFFECTIVE: Fall, 1995
HOURS PER DAY: 6
DUTIES: Sweep, mop, wet-wash, dust/polish, collect/store/dispose refuse, ensure building security and other miscellaneous tasks which fall within the scope of this job title.
SALARY: $6.00 per hour after probationary period with a pay incentive at year end as per negotiated contract.
REQUIREMENTS: Position requires standing and walking for most of the work shift and also may involve heavy lifting.

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, 230 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701.

"Thief River Falls Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in the employment or the provision of services."

The following positions are available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

KITCHEN HELPER

LOCATION: Franklin Middle School
EFFECTIVE: 1995-96
HOURS PER DAY: 2 hours per day-student days (11 a.m. - 1 p.m.)
DUTIES: Set-up and operate cashier station, assist with clean-up and other duties as assigned.
REQUIREMENTS: Ability to operate cash machine helpful, but will train. Must have ability to make change and enjoy working with students and staff. Position requires standing and walking for most of the work shift and also involves heavy lifting.
SALARY: Per negotiated contract

KITCHEN HELPER

LOCATION: Franklin Middle School
EFFECTIVE: 1995-96
HOURS PER DAY: 2.75 hours per day-student days (10:45 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.)
DUTIES: Set-up and serve ala Carta line. Operate cash machine, assist with clean-up, sweep and mop floor in kitchen and serving areas and other duties assigned.
REQUIREMENTS: Ability to operate cash machine helpful, but will train. Must have ability to make change and enjoy working with students and staff. Position requires standing and walking for most of the work shift and also involves heavy lifting.
SALARY: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, 230 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 23, 1995.

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Help Wanted

RECEPTIONIST/GENERAL OFFICE Skills. Wage negotiable, experience helpful but not necessary! Send resume to #2896, C/O The Times, P.O. Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 6tfc

HELP WANTED- Harvest help, starting soon, equipment operating experience preferred, 218-681-3679. P4t67p

WANTED- Sports and general reporter/photographer at the Warren Sheaf. Call 218-745-5174 for interview. 8t72f

HELP WANTED- Automotive repair technician, full or part-time help wanted, flex work, morning, afternoon, or evening hours, wage negotiable, depending on experience. Apply in person at the Auto Hospital, Hwy. 1 & 59 west. 8t70c

HELP WANTED- Part-time cook, and part-time bartender. Apply in person at American Legion Club, Thief River Falls.

QUALIFIED DRIVERS WANTED- To haul grain, fertilizer, potatoes, anhydrous ammonia, and regular work. Must have experience and must have a clear driving record. For more information call 218-846-6021. T2t69c

STAFF ACCOUNTANT

Regional CPA firm is seeking an energetic career minded individual for our Thief River Falls office. Submit résumé in person at 213 LaBree Avenue North, TRF, or mail to P.O. Box 790, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

BRADY MARTZ CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

HELP WANTED- Part-time Deli Cook, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, Clerk, 11 p.m. to 8 a.m., pick up application at Petro Pumper. 67tfc

POSITION AVAILABLE for Interior Decorator, flexible hours. Send resume to Falls Decorators, 104 East Second Street, Thief River Falls. 4t73c

WIREFEED WELDER- Full time, year-around, medical, vacation, holiday pay, some experience required, call 218-773-1200. 8t69c

HELP WANTED- Concrete Construction Workers. OPP Construction Company, Highway 81 North, Grand Forks, ND, 701-775-3322. 8t74p

HELP WANTED- One full-time over-the-road semi driver, must have Class A license. Also, one part-time milk route driver, must have Class B license. Call 218-253-2436. 4t68c

SALES PERSON needed. Great career opportunity, established downtown business. Please send resume to Box 374, TRF. 62tfc

DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed. No experience?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers/DTDTS. Call 1-800-332-7364. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay pkg. + benefits. $30K=1st yr. $40K=2nd yr. 48tfc

Help Wanted

The Jewel Box Jewelry Sales

Part-time position available in Thief River Falls. Flexible hours. Competitive salary. Retail-sales experience, computer skills, and enthusiasm required. Mail confidential resume to: Scott Hepper, The Jewel Box, Inc., P.O. Box 597, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

NURSING ASSISTANT

Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716. 218-281-4682. EOE 102tfc

CLERICAL PERSON to do various duties, seasonal position includes answering phones, typing, entering orders in computer and filing. Computer experience helpful and must be able to type. Send resume to $2898, C/O The Times, P.O. Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 4t69c

HELP WANTED- Bartenders, apply in person at the Wagon Wheel, Middle River, MN, 222-3512. 6t71c

Real Estate

REAL ESTATE for sale by owner. New 3-bedroom rambler with all appliances, garage all finished, corner lot. For appointment call 681-3834, leave message. 65tfc

COUNTRY HOME for sale- 3 bedroom rambler (28x52) on 7 acres. Attached garage, deck, family room, full basement, stove and refrigerator included, 40x100 quonset. Call 874-6321. P4t69p

TWO LARGE residential lots in Southtown near Challenger Elementary School, 681-4886 days, 681-2518 eves./weekends. 33tfc

FOR SALE- Commercial building and 1 1/2 acres on Hwy. 59 just south of Thief River Falls. Great place to operate a business. Contact United National Hjelden Realty, 701-746-9529. P4t69c

WANTED- Listing for all types of land. We have buyers looking for farmland and hunting land. List with the leader in farmland sales in NW Minnesota. We know our real estate business and appreciate yours. Northland Realty Farm Sales, 681-8036, Thief River Falls, MN

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$100.00 PER ACRE

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Deer, Moose, Bear, Geese, Grouse
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218-378-4390

FOR SALE BY OWNER 4-bedroom home on 3 1/2 acres, 3 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfc

FOR SALE or rent- 2 acre building site, sewer, water, electric, 11 miles from TRF, in Mavie. Call 965-4842. P4t68p

FOR SALE- Picture perfect hobby farm, 40-acres, ranch home, 40x80 metal shed, double garage. Just 4.5 miles east of Thief River Falls Tech. Price reduced. Owner financing to serious qualified buyer, contact United National Hjelden Realty at 701-746-9529 for showing appointment. P4t70c

THREE-BEDROOM FARM home, appliances, 2 fireplaces, 30x60 patio with pool, 50x50 garage on 10 acres. Also, adjoining 200 acres available. Warroad, 218-386-1115. P4t67p

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FOR SALE- 330 acre farm located in section 12 Hickory Township, Pennington County, Minnesota. Bordered by Red Lake River to the south, land to come out of CRP in '96, high wheat base. For details, call 218-964-5415 or 612-753-4950. P4t67p

THREE-BEDROOM HOME, northwest of Euclid off Co. Rd. 21. Call Properties Plus Realty, 218-281-5271. P4t67p

FOR SALE- 1 bedroom home, 1214 North Arnold, available now, stove and refrigerator included, all carpeted, $8,900.00, quiet neighborhood, drive by, phone owner 681-1880. P4t67p

HOUSE FOR SALE- 3 bedroom, shop, garage in Middle River. 218-448-3081. P4t70p

FOR SALE- 2 bedroom house, 1 block from Holiday Station on dead end street, sell on contract, will trade for down payment, $9,500.00. 218-681-7736 or 681-2038. 2t68p

FOR SALE- 2 bedroom house, central air, patio, storage shed, detached double garage. Phone 681-3575. P4t69p

OLD HOUSE- to be moved, would be good hunting cabin! Sold in, as is condition, 449-3945, owner/agent. 33tfc

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FOR SALE- Antique shop, main street, Karlstad. Call 782-2630 or 436-2657. P4t69p

FOR SALE:
RIVERVIEW RAMBLER, 4-BEDROOM, 2-1/4 BATH, FIREPLACE, DECK, FULL BASEMENT, ATTACHED-DOUBLE GARAGE, CORNER LOT 140'X370'. $84,900. 681-3900 OR 218-796-5218.

For Rent

FOR RENT- 3 bedroom apartment in St. Hilaire, available Sept. 1. Call 964-5548. 3t68c

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FOR RENT- Sept. 1st, 12x60 mobile home, 2 bedroom, lease, no pets, non HUD. 8x10 finished entry. Call 681-5747. 2t69p

2-BEDROOM HOUSE with garage, 1-bedroom furnished apartment, no pets, deposit, references/lease required, non-HUD. 681-2863. P4t69p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom trailer house, deposit and references required, no pets, call after 6 p.m., 681-6812. 63tfc

FOR RENT- 200 sq. ft. office space, heat, air and electric furnished, call 681-2604 or 681-1817. 56tfc

2-BEDROOM MOBILE HOME, 2-bedroom apartment with garage, no pets, deposit, references, lease required, non-HUD. 681-2863. P4t68p

FOR RENT- 2 or 3 bedroom home, 1 block west of Newfolden school. References and deposit required. Ask for Barb at 874-7821 or 874-4541. P4t69p

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom apartment in Newfolden, all utilities furnished, references and deposit required, no pets, $325.00 per month. Call Property Management, 681-4478. 62tfc

FOR RENT- 3 bedroom mobile home, 8 miles in the country, $250.00 per month, 681-6553. 2t67c

ONE-BEDROOM APARTMENT for rent, $290.00 a month and $290.00 deposit, references required, call 681-5487. P6t67p

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FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment with living room, kitchen and full bath, heat and water furnished, $165.00 month. Call 681-2604 or 681-1817. 67tfc

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FOR RENT- 4 steel grain bins with electric fan aerators, capacity 3000-3300 bushel each, 701-627-4282. 2t67p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartments available, ground level or balcony, $350.00 to $370.00 monthly. Call 681-7165 after 4 p.m. 66tfc

ONE AND two-bedroom apartments for rent, heat and water paid, security deposit required, no pets. Call 681-8276 between, 9:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m. 67tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT- Across from Northland partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tfc

FOR RENT- Large 1 bedroom apartment in Holt, available Sept. 1, all utilities paid, washer and dryer included, $275.00 month, deposit required, no pets, call 449-3601. P4t67p

ROOMMATE WANTED to share a two bedroom house in TRF, furnished. If interested call 681-8143, leave message and we will get back to you. 5tfc

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LOST- Engagement ring, July 21st, near St. Bernard's Church or Huck Olson parking lot. 898-4225. 2t68p

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Ariens, Lawn Boy, and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair, Warren, MN 745-4298. T50tfc

NOW IS the time to plant Hybrid Iris. Available now at Northland Produce, 416 6th North Atlantic, Thief River Falls. T3t69c

Campers

FOR SALE- '77 Palomino tent trailer, call 681-1868. P4t67p

TRAIL BLAZER, 11 1/2-ft. pickup camper, self-contained, sleeps five, 2 way refrigerator, hot water heater, glass stove, furnace, 681-7630. 61tfc

FOR SALE- 1976 Starcraft fold down camper, excellent condition, sleeps 6, 681-2847 evenings or leave message. P4t70p

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COUNTRY HOME OF THE WEEK!!!

☐ 1525...MOVE RIGHT INTO THIS NEAT HOME...GOOD SIZED KITCHEN INCLUDES NEWER APPLIANCES AND NEW COUNTERTOP...DINING/LIVING ROOM...LARGE BACK ENTRY WITH COAT CLOSET...MAIN FLOOR LAUNDRY IS SO CONVENIENT...7-1/2 ACRES OF PRIVACY...CALL TODAY FOR YOUR APPOINTMENT...YOU'LL LOVE THIS ONE!!!

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☐ 1517...THERE IT IS...2-BEDROOM HOME ON 70X140 LOT...ONE BEDROOM ON MAIN FLOOR WITH KITCHEN AND LARGE LIVING ROOM...1-BEDROOM UP...BASEMENT IS NEWER AS ARE THE FURNACE AND HOT WATER HEATER...$29,900...SEEEEE!!!

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☐ 1513...SEE THE RAMBLER TO APPRECIATE...3-BEDROOM SPACIOUS KITCHEN "U" SHAPED, LARGE STORAGE PANTRY ON MAIN FLOOR...ALSO LAUNDRY ON MAIN FLOOR...GOOD SIZE LIVING ROOM...CENTRAL ENTRY...ATTACHED 2-CAR GARAGE...1-3/4 BATHS...CENTRAL AIR, OAK TRIM AND DOORS...WOOD DECK, BARN...ONLY 1-1/2 MILES FROM CITY LIMITS...GOOD WELL, BARN ALL ON 10 ACRES.

☐ 1484...CALL OUS RIGHT AWAY AND SEE BY APPOINTMENT SPLIT-FOYER COUNTRY HOME ON 45 ACRES ONLY MINUTES FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS...$80's!!!

☐ 1534...HOW IT CAN BE YOURS...HAVE SOMETHING NICE TO SHOW FOR YOUR HOUSING...$$$$$ 2-BEDROOM HOME WITH FULL BASEMENT AND 1-1/2 CAR GARAGE...BASEMENT HAS HIGH CEILING...ONE ROOM COULD BE GUEST ROOM...FENCED YARD, $38,500...SEE BY APPOINTMENT...

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GROUP GARAGE SALE- Sat. Aug 26 8-2, 622 St Paul South. Golf clubs, lots of miscellaneous, clothing, toys, "kitchen stuff", ice skates, "household stuff". 2t68p

GARAGE SALE- 8/26 8-1, Al Wassath Davidson Drive TRF, road marked. Teen (brand names), men, ladies clothing, stereo radios, ladies shoes, lots of miscellaneous. 2t68p

GARAGE SALE- Sat. Aug 26 7 a.m.-2 p.m. 1807 Robinhood Drive. Nice clothes for girls, size 8-14 and women's. Lamps, wall decorations, vertical blinds 72", bath accessories and lots of misc. 1t67p

GARAGE SALE- 103 and 107 Jerome Street, Saturday Aug 26 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Snowmobile utility sled, Slim Gym, Easy glider, odd size screens, heatilator fireplace with chimney, tools, bedding, crafts, winter clothing of all sizes, jars, much misc. 2t68p

GARAGE SALE- Sat. Aug 26 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Treadmill, freezer, refrigerator, golf balls, gold watch, 12 guage goose gun, old violin, 364 30-30 Winchester, clothes, misc. 1st place west of Hwy 59 on County Road 62. 1t67p

GROUP RUMMAGE SALE- Friday Aug 25, 8-6, Saturday Aug 26 8-4. Good adult and teens clothing, drapes, exercise bike, produce, 4 P2-15 60R18 Goodyear Eagle GT+4 tires, lots of misc. 1-3-4 mile east on 81. 2t68p

GARAGE SALE- 425 South Kneale, Saturday, 8/26, 8:00-6:00. Furniture, stove, child bike carriers, exercise equipment, Kimball organ, 10-speed bike, mattress, boxspring, clothes, rug shampooer, misc. items. 1t67p

LARGE GARAGE SALE- Friday and Saturday, August 25-26, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Table saw, chainsaw and lots of tools and hardware, wheelbarrow, fishing gear, exercise bike, sewing machine, household items, fans, camping items, pressure pump, books and many miscellaneous items. 325 S. Merriam Ave. 2t67l

HOLT COMMUNITY CENTER- Wed., Aug 23, 8-8:00. Adult, teen, and kids clothes, car radio. 2t67p

RUMMAGE SALE- 1006 North Knight Ave. Household goods, fur coat, mirrors etc. Thurs., 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Aug. 24, Fri., 9:00 a.m.-12:00, noon, Aug. 25. 1t67p

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Aug 26, 8-3. Lots of clothing, toys, books, crafts, yarn and much more, 602 South Crocker, next to Lions Park. 2t68p

RUMMAGE SALE- Saturday, August 26, 910 South Spruce, 8:00-4:00. Clothing, mostly girls' clothes, skates, rollerblades, toys. 2t67p

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Rummage Sales

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4-PARTY GARAGE SALE- August 26th, 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., Riverbend Trail First house on left. Clothing all sizes, furniture, luggage, toys, highchair, snowsuits and much more. 2t68p

GARAGE SALE- Fri. and Sat., Aug. 25-26. Baby clothes and items, misc. items. 1 1/4 mile east of college. 1t67p

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Aug. 26, 8 to 6. Adult and children's clothing, books, canning jars, Hibiscus plants, much misc. 508 State Ave. N. 2t68l

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Aug. 26, 8:00 to 4:00, 705 E. 11th Street, east patio set, folding ladder, Lil' Tykes dollhouse, toys, twin size bed, box spring, crafts, bedding, kids clothes, size 8, and misc. 2t68p

GROUP BASEMENT SALE- Sat., Aug 26th, 301 S. Maple, 7:00 a.m. to 3:00. Dishes, books, Avon, toys, tools, bedding, jewelry, cages, saw horses, plywood, much misc. No early sales. Last rummage sale. 2t67p

GARAGE SALE- 415 Kneale South, Sat., Aug. 26th, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Lots of stuff! 2t68p

RUMMAGE SALE- Tuesday, Aug. 22 and Wednesday, August 23, 9-6, 317 E. 8th Street. Lots of boys and adult clothing and misc. 1t67c

TERRIFIC GARAGE SALE- Fri., Aug 25, 1 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Sat., Aug. 26, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 920 N. Arnold Ave. Microwave, exercise bike, portable CD player, Minolta movie camera, vacuum cleaner, archery tackle, nice clothes, men's size X-large, misses and teens size 12-14, two leather jackets, clean bedding and lots of nice household misc. 2t68p

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FOR SALE- 1971 Detroiter mobile home 14x70 with entry, barrel area, new carpet in living room and hallway, $6,900.00 or best offer, call 218-681-3797. P4t70p

1996 LIBERTY double wide, 28x44, 2 bedroom, 1-bath, starting at 26,900.00. 218-253-2936. 62tfc

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FOR SALE- 1989 mobile home, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, entry, deck, double garage, central air, near Challenger school, call 681-1862. P8t72p

FOR SALE- 1973 Richardson 12x60 mobile home, with 14x28 addition, 2 bedroom, 1-1/2 bath, air conditioner, $2,500.00, 218-964-5582 on weekdays or 218-874-2401 weekends. P4t70p

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Public Notices

WOULD THE woman who called in regard to the log cabin, please call me again. I do not have your correct number. Richard Dodge. 605-332-5387. 2t68p

CRAFT SHOW will be held Saturday, Sept. 30, 1995, 9:00 to 3:00 at Gully Community Center. Spaces for rent, $10.00 (tables available if needed). Call 218-268-4267 daytime, 218-268-4292 evenings to rent space. P4t69p

THANK YOU

Thank you Dr. Sanjo Patel, the team of care givers including all staff members, heart, x-ray, respiratory therapist, clinic pharmacy and a clean environment, and dietary for the wonderful care I received while a patient in Northwest Medical Center. What a great place to be when one needs good, super care. Bless all of you.

Myrtle Drury
1t67p

30 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat N-Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood-oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-446-4043. 21tfc

THANK YOU

Our sincere thanks to our family and friends for their comforting words, visits, prayers, flowers, memorials, food and condolences during the illness and death of my husband and our father, father-in-law, grandfather, and great-grandfather. Special thanks to Hospice for their tender loving care. Also, Father Duane, Father Joe and Father Felion.

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CARD OF THANKS

With heartfelt thanks, we wish to express our appreciation to all our friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness and prayers during the illness and loss of our dear husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Thank you to all who gave cards, memorials, flowers and food brought to our home. Special thanks to Pastor Palmer, Pastor Peterson, Pastor Schmitke and Pastor Dan Klug for their many visits and prayers. Also, to Wanda Vigness and Jan Nyflot for their special music. Thank you to doctors, nurses and chaplains at United Hospital for their caring and wonderful care given. A special thank you to Susan Olson for her touching words on memories of Willard, and for the military honors given by the American Legion and VFW Posts, to Our Saviour's W.M.S. women for serving lunch, and to Green Funeral Home, Gordy and his staff for their kind and caring way they took care of our needs. Your kindness will always be remembered.

The family of Willard Sletten
1t67p

THANK YOU

It is with a feeling of sincere gratitude that we take this means of expressing our deep appreciation and thanks to friends and relatives, the Good Samaritan Home for their kindness shown to us in the death of our beloved mother, Alma Lull. We are grateful for the floral offerings, the comforting words of Pastor Raymond, the soloist and organist, Gordie Peterson and staff for all their help. A special mother, grandmother and great-grandmother will be missed.

Karl Sewe
Vonnie and Dick Hoglo
Sandy & Mike Whalen
1t67p

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RUBBER STAMPS available at the Times. Self-inking or standard. The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, 681-4450. 1t67e

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FOR SALE- Doublewide galvanized snowcat trailer; 1992 Honda 200 Four Trax, call after 8 p.m., 218-745-5766. P4t67p

Motorcycles-ATVs

FOR SALE- 1988 YZ Yamaha, call 681-6887. P4t67p

1976 HARLEY Davidson Centennial, 7,200 actual miles, 1,000 cc, black, very nice, $5,200.00 firm, 218-281-4521. P4t70p

Farm Miscellaneous

14-FOOT MF straight head for Super 92, real good, $275.00; cab for Super 92, $125.00; 15-foot Oliver straight head, $150.00; 1951 Dodge truck, excellent motor, good hoist, $275.00; 1952 Dodge truck, real nice, box hoist, $550.00; 1950 Ford truck with 5-ton double compartment, Willmar tender box, $500.00. Call 218-745-5683. 1t67c

FOR SALE- Tox-O-Wik grain dryer, $1,800.00; 510 & 410 M.F., both field ready, very good condition, choice, $1,000.00 each; 14' straight head for old style 510 with 9' sunflower pans, $750.00; 14' straight head for 410 with 9' sunflower pans, $750.00; 14' straight head for 403 I.H. with 9' sunflower pans, $550.00; '52 Dodge truck, $450.00, 218-745-5683. P4t69p

FOR SALE- Loader for Ford tractor, heavy-duty, two-way bucket, with snow bucket, side mount, $785.00 firm, call evenings, 216-449-4235. 2t68p

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FOR SALE- Weaning time is near! Have both Quarter and Paint colts, come take a peek at this years babies. Too many to list. Brood mares also for sale. Some package deals! Call 218-687-3161. T7t67p

FOR SALE- Purebred Limousine bulls, one year old, call 796-5448, 796-5452. P4t69p

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24' WEERES pontoon with 60 h.p. Mercury outboard, $3,500.00, 218-681-5748. 2t67p

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FOR SALE- 18 ft. Okvar 503 self-propelled swather, $350.00, call 681-7217. P4t69p

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Autos, Trailers

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FOR SALE- 1993 GEO Prizm, five-speed, teal, very nice, $9,700.00. 218-463-3135. P4t70p

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FOR SALE- 1974 Dodge truck, single axle, shedded, excellent condition, 218-437-6678 or 218-478-3063. 8t69c

1988 CHRYSLER Laser, black, loaded, sunroof, CD player, 5-speed, high miles, $2,500.00/o.b.o., 218-874-8085. P4t69p

FOR SALE- 1987 Chev. Celebrity, tilt, cruise, a.c., AM/FM stereo, new tires, $1,200.00/o.b.o., call 681-6743. P4t70p

'88 DODGE Caravan SE, $2,000.00 firm, 681-3457. P4t67p

FOR SALE- 1990 Ford F150, 4x4, XLT Lariat, a.c., tilt, cruise, p.w., p.l., 5-speed, good tires, $11,500.00/o.b.o., 681-8204. P4t67p

FOR SALE- 1984 Ford 1/2-ton pickup, make an offer. Call 378-4229 or 378-4499. 2t67p

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1985 SILVER Buick Skyhawk with 97,000 miles, 2-door, 2-litre engine, front-wheel drive, 4-speed, good condition. Call 681-2455 mornings and evenings. P4t70p

FOR SALE- '82 Mercury Lynx, new paint, tires, and brakes, excellent school car. Call 218-281-7655. P4t67p

FOR SALE- 1983 Cavalier CL, loaded, 64,000 miles, new clutch, good rubber and paint, $1,200.00. Call 681-1058 after 7 p.m. weekdays, anytime weekends. P4t67p

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FOR SALE- '89 Chrysler New Yorker Landau, loaded, excellent condition, 796-5544. PF4t67p

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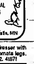

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August 23, 1995
SCHOOL DISTRICT #561
PROCEEDINGS
REGULAR MEETING
AUGUST 15, 1995 7:00 A.M.

The following minutes are not official until approved by the Board at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Alden Hyland, Martin Kotrba, Tom Scheel, Alan Swanson, Joe Philipp, John Gallagher

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: Superintendent Holfert, Principal Winge

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 a.m. by Chairperson Hyland. Philipp moved, Gallagher seconded, to approve the August meeting agenda. Motion carried.

Scheel moved, Kotrba seconded, to approve the minutes of the July 11, 1995, regular meeting. Motion carried.

No financial, patron concerns, student council, G.E.A., classified staff, or P.T.S.T. reports were given.

Superintendent Holfert reminded the board of the music room bid opening scheduled for August 28, 1995.

Bruce Bjerkie presented the 1995-96 tentative bus routes for approval. Swanson moved, Philipp seconded, to approve the 1995-96 tentative bus routes as presented with authority given to the superintendent to amend the routes in the best interest of the district. Motion carried.

Gallagher moved, Kotrba seconded, to secure special education contracts for two special needs students for the 1995-1996 school year, with the cost of the contracts not to exceed the uniform tuition billing formula. Motion carried.

Kotrba moved, Scheel seconded, to approve a contract with Inter-County Nursing Services for Health Care screenings and immunization services for the 1995-1996 school year. Motion carried.

Swanson moved, Scheel seconded, to accept a recommendation from the interview committee to offer a contract to John Wilebald as Physical Education Teacher and coach for the 1995-1996 school year. Motion carried.

Philipp moved, Kotrba seconded, to accept Joyann Dahl's resignation as part-time Chapter I teacher with regrets. Motion carried.

Scheel and Gallagher reported on the last faculty negotiations session.

Hyland reported on the last meeting of the H.W.RIC.

Principal Winge reported on plans being made for the teacher inservices set for August 29-31.

Superintendent Holfert reported on upcoming M.S.B.A. board workshops.

The board expressed their thanks to the Goodridge area development corporation for their continued financial support of the districts building projects and educational programs.

The consensus of the board was to set the next regular meeting for Tuesday, September 19, 1995, at 8:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 a.m.

Julie Kiesow, Deputy Clerk
Martin Kotrba, Clerk-Treasurer
Alden Hyland, Chairperson

August 16, 23, 30, 1995
Notice Of Filing For
City Election
City Of St. Hilaire

Notice is hereby given that the general election for City of St. Hilaire will be held on Tuesday, November 7, 1995, at which time there will be elected two council members for four-year terms, one council member for two-year term, and a Mayor for two-year term. Affidavits of candidacy may be filed at City Hall from August 29th to September 12th during regular business hours 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., except last day closing time for filing is 5:00 p.m. Filing fee $2.00.

JB Altendorf, City Clerk

August 23, 30, 1995
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
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August 16, 23, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No. ____

In Re: Estate of Adolph C. Steinhauer, aka, Adolph Carl Steinhauer, Deceased.

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of September, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated November 9, 1982, and for appointment of Allen D. Steinhauer, whose address is Route 2, Box 73, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: August 9, 1995

L.D. Jorgenson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bolio
Court Administrator

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August 23, 1995
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
July 12, 1995 6:00 p.m.
S.D.S.C. Conference Room A

A Regular Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Monday, July 12, 1995, at 6:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Hank Hallstrom, Dennis Kiesow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee, and Darla Twomey.

Chairperson Dennis Kiesow called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

A motion was made by H. Hallstrom and seconded by L. Belmont to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

Information was distributed regarding the MSBA 1995-96 School Board Member In service and Awards Program, MSBA membership dues, and the MSBA Summer Seminar scheduled for August 17-18 in Bloomington.

The Volunteer Program and Coordinator Carol Ihle were recognized for being selected to receive the Governor's Acts of Kindness Volunteer Award. The St. Hilaire Community Club was also recognized for their donation of $500 for Lincoln High School scholarships.

Members Hank Hallstrom and Dennis Kiesow reported on behalf of the Board's Negotiating Team indicating they met with the TRF Education Association a couple of weeks ago and negotiations with them are proceeding. Members Jean Larson and Larry Belmont reported on behalf of the Superintendent's Search Committee indicating interviews with seven prospective superintendents have been scheduled for Thursday and Friday of this week.

Business Manager Harry Nelson reviewed the proposal from the Northwest Medical Center to provide school nursing services for the 1995-96 school year, the necessity to sell aid anticipation certificates, and the proposed sale of the Knox School site.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the Minutes of the June 26, 1995, Regular Board Meeting as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the bills as submitted and on file in the School District Business Office. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded By C. Lee to accept the resignation of Ronnie Anderson as Cleaner in the District effective June 19, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to accept the resignation of Jason Knutson as Cleaner in the District effective July 1, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to accept the resignation of Steven Jensen as Cleaner in the District effective June 30, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to accept the resignation of Dale Hasby as Cleaner in the District effective June 19, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to accept the resignation of Linda Homseth as Transportation Assistant in the District effective June 27, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the employment of Paula Praska as Half-Time Elementary Teacher (5th Grade) at Challenger Elementary School effective August 28, 1995; BS Lane, Step 0 with salary and benefits per contract to be negotiated. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the employment of Esther Gallagher as Curriculum/Assessment/Staff Development and Part-Time Special Education Secretary effective for the 1995-96 school year, 200 days/year, 8 hours/day. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the Letter of Agreement with the TRF Education Association placing the extra-curricular position of Science Fair/Envirothon Advisor in Category II, Division C - 4.4% effective for the 1993-95 Master Agreement. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the extra-curricular assignment of Patti Johnson as Science Fair/Envirothon Advisor for the 1994-95 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the following extra-curricular assignments for the 1995-96 school year:

Helen Andersen, H.S. Head Volleyball Coach; John Anderson, H.S. Head Wrestling Coach; Kay Anderson, Wrestling Cheerleading Coach; David Clausen, Concessions; David Clausen, M.S. 8th Grade Football Coach; David Clausen, 8th Grade Boys Basketball Coach; Charlie Cornell, H.S. Head Baseball Coach; Kelly Desrosier, M.S. Store Advisor; Bruce Felt, H.B. Stage Band; Bruce Felt, H.S. Pep Band; Clark Hendrickson, H.S. Assistant Cross Country Coach; Angie Hoglo, Knowledge Bowl; Casre Holmstrom, H.S. Head Cross Country Coach; Tami Kleinvachter, Hockey Cheerleading Advisor; Mike Lahrer, M.S. Jazz Band; Cal Lindberg, Mock Trial; Cal Lindberg, H.S. 9th Grade Class Advisor; Diana Marshall, M.S. Speech Advisor; Leslie Nordhelm, M.S. Yearbook Advisor; Leslie Nordhelm, H.S. Assistant Speech Advisor; Amy Roche, M.S. 8th Grade Volleyball Coach; Amy Roche, H.S. 9th Grade Girls Basketball Coach; John Wallberg, Math Counts Advisor; Sally Willse, H.S. Head Girls Basketball Coach. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve a daily stipend of $100 each for staff attending the Northwest Alliance Scans Training. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to accept the proposal from Northwest Medical Center to provide school nursing services for the district for 185 days during the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to authorize the sale of aid anticipation certificates. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to authorize the sale of the Knox School site. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve sponsoring the Thief River Falls Fine Line Dancers as part of the district's Student Activities Program on a trial basis for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the Lease Agreement with Home Lumber for the transportation hub site for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by J. Larson to approve the Franklin Middle School Five-Year Site Plan, Shared Decision Making Matrix and Staff Development Plan as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Lee to approve the Northwest Area Learning Center Five-Year Site Plan, Shared Decision Making Matrix and Staff Development Plan as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to approve the Capital Facilities Maintenance dated June, 1995, as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by H. Hallstrom and seconded by C. Lee to approve a stipend of $800/month/District Leadership Transition Team member for July and August, 1995, or until a Superintendent of Schools is hired, the amount to be reviewed for possible adjustment if a new Superintendent is not hired by September 1, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by H. Hallstrom to approve the Letter of Agreement between School District #564 and Teamsters Local #320 concerning the elimination and reposting of educational assistant positions contingent upon a letter being sent from the Teamsters Local #320 to the Educational Assistant membership. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by H. Hallstrom and seconded by D. Twomey to schedule a Hearing of the Hahne Grievance on Wednesday, July 19, 1995, at noon in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussion was held concerning the possibility of running a levy referendum this fall. Business Manager Harry Nelson will obtain the necessary financial data and meet with the Board Finance Committee who will bring a recommendation back to the full Board at their next regular meeting in August.

A video produced by the MREA concerning the 1995 education bill was viewed by the Board.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by J. Larson to schedule Special Board Meetings on Thursday, July 13, 1995, and Friday, July 14, 1995, in Conference Room A of the District Service Center for the purpose of conducting interviews for the position of Superintendents of Schools. Motion carried unanimously.

The next Regular Board Meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 14, 1995, at 5:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the District Service Center.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
-s- Dennis Kiesow, Chairperson

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
July 13, 1995 5:00 a.m.
S.D.S.C. Conference Room A

A Special Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Thursday, July 13, 1995, at 8:00 a.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Dennis Kiesow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee and Darla Twomey.

Chairperson Dennis Kiesow called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

Interviews were conducted with the following individuals for the position of Superintendent of Schools: Jarald Horgan, Dorothy Suomala, Robert Osland, Virgil Likness.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
-s- Dennis Kiesow, Chairperson

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
July 14, 1995 8:00 a.m.
S.D.S.C. Conference Room A

A Special Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Friday, July 14, 1995, at 8:00 a.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Carl Clark, Dennis Kiesow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee and Darla Twomey.

Chairperson Dennis Kiesow called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

Interviews were conducted with the following individuals for the position of Superintendent of Schools: Donald Wilke, Mark Hinckley.

Meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
-s- Dennis Kiesow, Chairperson

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
July 22, 1995 7:00 a.m.
Best Western Inn Room 105

A Special Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Saturday, July 22, 1995, at 7:00 a.m. in Room 105 of the Best Western Inn.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Hank Hallstrom, Dennis Kiesow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee and Darla Twomey. Also present was Marcia Sandahl, Executive Assistant.

Chairperson Dennis Kiesow called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

A motion was made by L. Belmont and seconded by H. Hallstrom to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussion was held concerning the process to receive feedback from the TRF Education Association and the Cabinet following their informal meetings with the three finalists for Superintendent of Schools which included Mark Hinckley, Dorothy Suomala and Virgil Likness. Information received from the background checks of the three finalists was shared and questions for the second interviews were determined. Discussion was held concerning contract offer specifics to the final candidate.

An update was given as to the selection of the three finalists for the position of Student Activities Director which included Jim Sims, Jeff Mumm and Danny Dinius. Board consensus was that the individual selected should not be allowed to coach football as well as serve as Activities Director. It was determined that the next step in the process of selecting a Director would be for the Interview Committee to present a recommendation to the Transition Team and, subsequently, to the Negotiating Team of the Board.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by C. Lee to approve the Memorandum of Agreement with the Thief River Falls Education Association regarding specifics in the establishment of a Learning Readiness Teaching position. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by J. Larson and seconded by C. Lee to establish and authorize the administration to post for a full-time Early Childhood Teacher for 165 days for the Community Education Learning Readiness Preschool Program effective for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by J. Larson to establish and authorize the administration to post for an Educational Assistant for the Community Education Learning Readiness Preschool Program for 6 1/2 hours/day effective for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
-s- Dennis Kiesow, Chairperson

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
July 25, 1995 11:00 a.m.
S.D.S.C. Conference Room A

A Special Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Tuesday, July 25, 1995, at 11:00 a.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Hank Hallstrom, Dennis Kiesow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee and Darla Twomey.

Chairperson Dennis Kiesow called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

An interview was conducted with Mr. Mark Hinckley for the position of Superintendent of Schools.

The meeting was recessed at 12:10 p.m. and reconvened at 2:15 p.m.

An interview was conducted with Dr. Dorothy Suomala for the position of Superintendent of Schools.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by C. Lee to offer a contract to Mr. Mark Hinckley as Superintendent of Schools. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
-s- Dennis Kiesow, Chairperson

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING
July 31, 1995 7:00 p.m.
S.D.S.C. Conference Room A

A Special Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Monday, July 31, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Hank Hallstrom, Dennis Kiesow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee and Darla Twomey. Also present was Marcia Sandahl, Executive Assistant.

Chairperson Dennis Kiesow called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by C. Lee to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

Information was distributed regarding the MSBA 1995 Summer Seminar scheduled for August 17-18 in Bloomington and the MREA Education Funding Workshop scheduled for August 21-22 in Plymouth.

A motion was made by L. Belmont and seconded by J. Larson to approve the employment of Mark Hinckley as Superintendent of Schools effective August 14, 1995, through June 30, 1997, as per negotiated contract. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by D. Twomey and seconded by C. Clark to approve the employment of Jim Sims as Student Activities Director effective August 1, 1995, with salary and benefits per negotiated contract. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to accept the resignation of Pam Carlson as Counselor at Franklin Middle School effective July 18, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to accept the resignation of John Anderson as Physical Education/Health Teacher at Franklin Middle School effective July 24, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to accept the resignation of Craig Lindahl as Maintenance Person in the District effective August 1, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to accept the resignation of Mayme Boughton as Kitchen Helper at Franklin Middle School effective August 31, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to accept the resignation of Faith Myhrer as Kitchen Helper/Cashier at Franklin Middle School effective July 24, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to approve a medical leave of absence for Roy Storhaug as Bus Driver effective September 5-October 31, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to approve the Letter of Understanding with the TRF Education Association concerning the assignment of the Wide Area Network (WAN) Manager for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to approve the transfer of Jim Kotz from Communications Teacher at Lincoln High School to the Wide Area Network (WAN) Manager effective for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to eliminate the 1.0 FTE Counselor position at Franklin Middle School and establish and post for a 1.0 FTE Counselor/School Psychologist position at Franklin Middle School for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to establish and authorize the administration to post for an ESL (English as a Second Language) Teacher for up to .78 FTE for the district for the 1995-96 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by L. Belmont to establish and authorize the administration to post for the following Educational Assistant positions for the 1995-96 school year: 2.5-3 Hours/Day 3rd Grade Educational Assistant; 4 Hours/Day, 4 Days/Week ECSE Educational Assistant; 6-7 Hours/Day DHI (Other Health Impaired) Educational Assistant at Franklin. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by C. Clark and seconded by C. Lee to approve the following RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING DATES FOR FILING AFFIDAVITS OF CANDIDACY:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the School Board of Independent School District No. 564 as follows:

1. The period of filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No 564 shall begin on August 29, 1995, and shall close on September 12, 1995. An affidavit of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the $2 filing fee paid prior to 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12, 1995.

2. The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said filing dates to be published in the Times, the official newspaper of the district, at least two weeks prior to the first day to file affidavits of candidacy.

3. The clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause notice of said filing dates to be posted at the administrative office of the school district at least ten days prior to the first day to file affidavits of candidacy.

4. The notice of said filing dates shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF FILING DATES FOR ELECTION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No 564 shall begin on August 29, 1995, and shall close at 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12, 1995.

The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7, 1995. At that election, 3 members will be elected to the School Board for terms of three years each.

Affidavits of candidacy are available from the school district clerk and/or the School District Administrative office at 230 South LaBree, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, 56701. The filing fee for this office is $2. A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for 30 days before the general election, and must have no other affidavit on file for any other office at the same election.

The affidavits of candidacy must be filed in the office of the school district clerk and the filing fee paid prior to 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12, 1995.

Dated

BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
-s- Darla Twomey
School District Clerk

Motion carried unanimously.

The next Regular Board Meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 14, at 5:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the District Service Center.

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

-s- Darla Twomey
Darla Twomey, Clerk

-s- Dennis O. Kiesow
Dennis Kiesow, Chairperson

August 9, 16, 23, 1995
County Ditch #39, Improvement
NOTICE TO DRAINAGE CONTRACTORS

NOTICE TO DRAINAGE CONTRACTORS- Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Middle River Snake River Watershed District at 453 North McKinley Street in Warren, Minnesota until 4:00 o'clock PM, August 31, 1995, for the improvement of County Ditch #39, in Marshall County, Minnesota.

Said work involves quantities estimated as follows:

Excavation	7,300 CY
Seeding	3.0 acres
F & I Bedding Material	664 CY
F & I 42" CSP 12 ga.	880 LF
F & I 42" Waterman Flap Gate	1 Unit
F & I Rip Rap	46 CY

The total Engineer's estimate is $53,400.

No bids will be entertained in which the aggregate exceeds the estimated cost by more than 30 percent.

The items and quantities listed are for the total of the work involved in the improvement of County Ditch #39.

Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope and be on forms furnished by the Middle River Snake River Watershed District. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond payable to the Middle River Snake River Watershed District for not less than ten percent of the amount bid as a guarantee that the bidder, if successful, will enter into a contract for the work as described in the proposal. The certified checks or bid bonds of the three lowest responsible bidders will be retained until a contract has been entered into but no longer than 90 calendar days from the date of the opening of the bids.

It is the intent of the District to award the contract for the work described to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders who will be required to furnish surety bonds to the District in the amount of 100% of the contract price and certificates of insurance for workman's compensation and liability insurance.

Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of the Secretary of the Middle River Snake River Watershed District, at 453 North McKinley Street, Warren, Minnesota 56782 upon payment of $10.00.

The right to adjourn the letting of the contract to a time and place other than noted herein, or to reject any and all bids, is reserved.

Dated this 1st day of August, 1995.
Richard Kuzel, Secretary MRSRWD

August 23, 30, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY COURT-PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No. ____

In Re: Estate of Clare Coan, Deceased.

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION OF INTESTACY, DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of September, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the adjudication of intestacy and determination of heirship and for the appointment of James Coan, whose address is Route 2, Box 158, Goodridge, MN as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and any objection thereto must be filed with the court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes, and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Clerk of the Court within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated. 8/15/95

-s- Dennis J. Murphy, Judge

-s- John C. Novacek
P.O. Box 494
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-4956
Attorney I.D. No. 80019

August 9, 16, 23, 1995
GRADING AND AGGREGATE SURFACE BIDS CLOSE
10:00 AM, SEPTEMBER 12, 1995
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN 56701

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS: Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 AM Tuesday, September 12, 1995 by the Pennington County Auditor at the Courthouse in Thief River Falls, MN on behalf of the Pennington County Board of Commissioners for the following:

SAP 57-629-04

Grading and Aggregate Surfacing on CSAH 29 at the City of Goodridge.

The major quantities of work are:

Geotextile Fabric	9,212 SQ.YD
Common Excavation	6,829 CU.YD
Aggregate Surfacing CL.5	2,900 Ton
Aggregate Class 3	7,020 Ton
15" C.S. Pipe Culvert	398 L.F.
18" C.S. Pipe Culvert	206 L.F.
24" C.S. Pipe Culvert	122 L.F.
24" C.P. Pipe Culvert (Smooth)	120 L.F.
Miscellaneous Items	

Proposal, Plans, and Specifications may be examined and obtained at the Office of the County Highway Engineer, 181 N. Main or by mail PO Box 818, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

The Counter price for a complete set of all required contract documents is $10.00 (non-refundable). Add $2.50 for shipping and handling, if requested to be mailed.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bidders bond made payable to the Pennington County Treasurer for not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any defects.

Kenneth Olson
County Auditor

August 23, 30, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No. ____

In Re: Estate of Jonas W. Nelson, aka Jos Nelson, Deceased

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of September, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated May 21, 1986, and for appointment of Laura L. Nelson, whose address is R.R. 1, Box 58A, St. Hilaire, MN 56754, as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent under supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: August 15, 1995
(COURT SEAL)

L.G. Jorgenson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bolio
Court Administrator

Paul Ihle
IHLE & SPARBY, P.A.
314 North LaBree Ave
PO Box 574
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-7373
Att. Reg. No. 48732

August 9, 23, 1995
NOTICE TO FILE AFFIDAVIT OF CANDIDACY FOR CITY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the filing dates for the City of Thief River Falls Municipal Election are as follows:

From August 29, 1995, through September 13, 1995

Positions to be filled by election on November 7, 1995, are as follows:

Mayor	2 year term
Council Member, 1st Ward	4 year term
Council Member, 3rd Ward	4 year term
Council Member, 5th Ward	4 year term
Council Member, At Large	4 year term

Affidavits of candidacy may be filed in the City Clerk's Office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, during the period of August 29, 1995, through September 13, 1995. No affidavit or application may be accepted until a $2.00 fee is paid to the City Clerk.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1995
-s- Roger DeLap, City Clerk-Treasurer

Newfolden

LaVol Thun treated Phyllis Larson and Vernice Larson to lunch on Saturday noon.

Thursday afternoon Sybil Peterson visited with Lillie Olson.

Saturday evening, LaVol Thun visited and had lunch with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Reuben and Thelma Haugen treated Valborg and Reynard Huglen to Sunday dinner on the 13th at the Best Western restaurant in Thief River Falls and later enjoyed cake and ice cream at the Huglens on the occasion of Valborg's birthday. Mrs. Julius Kleinvachter of Strandquist was an evening luncheon guest.

Monday evening, Roy and Laura Roppe went to visit with Bert and Adeline Roppe and brought Bert birthday wishes.

Saturday visitors at the Doon and Tommy Hanson home in Thief River Falls were Duane and Barb Hanson of the Cities, Clara Hanson, Emil and Lyla Vacura and Deen and Tommy Monroe of the Cities.

Monday, Arnold and Vernice Larson and Stanley Larson went to Warroad to visit with Steve and Joyce Larson and family and enjoyed lunch with them on the way home we stopped at Wannaska and enjoyed supper at the Cafe. Then later we stopped at Ken and Sybil Cwikla home and enjoyed coffee there and had a real nice day.

Last Sunday, August 13th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson visited awhile with Emma Kammen in the afternoon and later on we all walked over to visit Olga Thompson and had a cup of coffee there. In the mean time Dawn Thompson, Michael, Chad and Amy had been over to Curtis's so she came to Olga's and also had a short visit and a quick cup of coffee then Curtis's went home and Dawn and children came over and we had a very nice visit. They had been at Warren at 5:00 o'clock for a birthday party. They had also took in the music festival at Strathcona and enjoyed that. Good to see them again. They also had a busy day.

Sunday, Duane and Barb Hanson and Clara Hanson went to Strathcona to the Music Festival.

Wednesday afternoon, Vernice Larson was among many women to attend a luncheon for LaVol Thun who is moving to Moorhead. It was held at the Ruby Swanson home in Karlstad. We wish LaVol lots of good luck in her new home, but she will be missed by her many friends.

Cecil Ekmen of Missouri called to visit with one of his former classmates Lillie Olson. He had been calling other classmates too.

Della Elseth and Clara Hanson visited and enjoyed coffee with Gladys Herstad on Tuesday.

Shelly Siebler and Ashley visited at the Milton Erickson home on Saturday evening.

Barlin and Clara Jacobson of Cottage Grove spent Saturday night with Morla and Buelah Bjornrud, Chuck and Wanda Vigness and family of Thief River Falls visited there.

Star News

Shirley Johnsrud visited with Dorie Danielson on Saturday afternoon in Gonvick.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon visited at the Jim Meyer home in Minneapolis.

Danny Johnsrud was a visitor and coffee guest on Saturday morning at the David Sjulestad home.

Johnnie Hanks, Lou and Jeremy were visitors on Friday at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Shirley Johnsrud attended the funeral for Gilmer Manderud at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Tuesday forenoon.

Friday morning Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes was a visitor and coffee guest at the David Sjulestad home.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ned Johnson, Jenny, Lindy and June were brief visitors at the Dale Anderson home.

Those who enjoyed supper on Friday evening at the Merle Naeseth home were Missy Harms of Thief River Falls, JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachary of Mobley, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachary spent the weekend at the Merle Naeseth home.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad were visitors at the Larry Kotrba home.

Kristi Johnsrud left for Belcourt, ND on Sunday where she will be teaching school.

Lorraine Watne went to the funeral home on Tuesday morning to pay her respects to Gilmer Manderud.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and luncheon guests at the Vernon Wold home in Gully.

Visitors and supper guests on Monday night at the Tim Lundeen home were Shirley Johnsrud, Jared Haugen, Jeff Lundeen, John Kimbell, Abbie Chervestad, Robbie Holsted, Denny Nelson and Johnnie Hanks.

Shirley Johnsrud and Evelyn Bergerson brought birthday greetings to Cheryl Nybo in Gully one day during the week. Happy Birthday Cheryl!

Dave Zavoral of Grygla called and visited by phone with Mayme Johnson on Tuesday afternoon.

Agnes Eidelbes visited by phone with her daughter Cindi Kuznia of Coon Rapids one day during the week.

Jean Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Allen Hawk home on Tuesday evening.

Monday morning, Mrs. Gary Johnson visited with Adeline Hanson.

Max Stucy was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday night at the Eddy Stucy home.

Friday, Elva Fiedler, Joel Fiedler and Brady were supper guests at the David Qualey home. They also brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Qualey that evening. Happy Birthday Lise!

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Adeline Hanson were visitors and coffee guests at the Grant Hanson home in Salol. Then later, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Adeline Hanson visited at the Dave Saurdiff home in Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie attended a wedding shower at the Fred Wilde home for Kari Anderson and Imon Mobley on Saturday night.

Saturday, Shirley Johnsrud, Cheryl Nybo and Jennelle and Doris Danielson visited with Ella Mostrom in Gonvick.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud attended the funeral for Gilmer Manderud at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Tuesday forenoon. May his memory be blessed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristian spent last weekend visiting at the Paul Solberg home in Anoka. While there Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristian visited with Troy Schroeder, Heather and Jessica in New Hope. The Bruce Solberg family also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and family in Brooklyn Park.

Tuesday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the funeral for Gilmer Manderud held at the Ekelund Lutheran church. Then after the funeral Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson visited at the Larry Kotrba home with the Manderud family.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson took her granddaughters, Michelle and Monica Johnson, to dinner at the Cafe in Goodridge on Tuesday.

Supper guests on Saturday evening at the Norman Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Amie, Nicky, and Mindy those who later joined them for coffee were Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes and Michelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed lunch at Hardee's in Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and June Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Gladys Longswoart home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hovet, Jennifer and Matt of Havre, MT came on Tuesday to visit at the Obert Hovet home. Then on Friday Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hovet, Jennifer and Matt left to visit with Mrs. Kenneth Hovet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mortenson in Warren.

On Saturday night Joey, Andy and Otto Rubischko went over to Elva Fiedler's home to spend the afternoon playing with Brady then later in the evening Joey and Andy were overnight guests of Brady's.

Tuesday forenoon Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Michelle and Monica Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Visitors and coffee guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Roisland's one day during the week were Leslie Iverson and Alfred Iverson and Charles and Allen Hodeen of Thief River Falls.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a supper guest at the Jean Johnson home.

Monday, Alfred Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

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RECOGNIZING DRUG USE...*SIGNS & SYMPTOMS*

There are many signs and symptoms that go along with substance use and abuse. The following list describes some of the changes you may see take place. In and of themselves, the symptoms may not mean a thing. However, if you see several of them, consider it a warning flag and seek further help.

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

- Odor of marijuana (like burnt rope) in room or on clothing.
- Incense or room deodorizers
- Eyedrops, mouthwash
- Marijuana cigarettes (rolled and twisted at each end)
- Powders, seeds, leaves, plants, mushrooms
- Capsules or tablets
- Cigarette rolling papers
- Pipes, pipe filters, screens, strainers
- "Roach" clips (metal clips to hold the butts of the marijuana joint)
- "Bongs", water pipes (usually glass or plastic)
- Small spoons, straws, razor blades, mirrors (for use with cocaine)
- Stash cans (soft drink, beer, deodorant and other cans that unscrew at the top or bottom)
- Unfamiliar small containers or locked boxes
- Plastic baggies or small glass vials
- Drug-related books, magazines, comics

PREVENTION

Prevention begins with being:

- **Understanding** — "I realize you're under a lot of pressure from friends to use drugs."
- **Firm** — "As your parent I cannot allow you to engage in harmful activities."
- **Supportive** — "I'll help you find a way to say 'no' to drugs."
- **Self-examining** — "Are my own alcohol and drug consumption habits exerting a bad influence on my child?"

Prevention does not begin with:

- **Sarcasm** — "Don't think I don't know what you're doing."
- **Accusations** — "You're lying!"
- **Stigmatizing** — "You're a terrible person.."
- **Sympathy-seeking** — "Don't you see how much you're hurting me?"
- **Self-blaming** — "It's all my fault."

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Ronald H. Winter, LPA

Exercise Program — Page 2
Area and local residents were recognized recently for completing the 1995 Walk Pennington County program.

Dive Rescue — Page 13
Pennington County Dive Rescue squad recently received new dry suits to assist them in their rescue operations.

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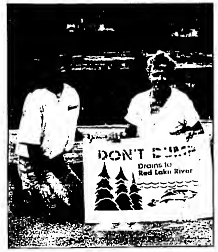

Don't Dump: Drains to Red Lake River is being painted at several storm sewer drains in Thief River Falls. The message reminds residents that those drains empty directly into the Red Lake river, which is their source of drinking water. Youth participating in Minnesota Youth Works, administered by Inter-County Community Council of Oklee, are painting the singans. Students receive a living allowance and a grant if they complete 900 hours of the program. Pictured above is Patty Kulvik of Thief River Falls, and Putzy Wright, program supervisor. Not pictured, but participating in the program in Thief River Falls, is Kay Kazar of Viking. More about this story will be printed in future editions of The Times.

Fourth Annual TRF Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday

Three days of PRCA rodeo coming to the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

"Let me put it this way: With the stock we have coming and the cowboys who have paid their entry fees, it's going to get real Western for three days in Thief River Falls!"

Randy Jokela of Jokela ProWest Productions gave the above response in answer to how he would assess the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede to be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September 1, 2 and 3, at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

Performances will be indoors and conditions will be equal for participants in all six events over the three days. Grand entry starts the rodeo at 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 2 p.m. on Sunday. Events will include bareback and saddle bronc riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, bull riding and cowgirl barrel racing.

Special events will also include a kids' calf scramble, mutton bustin' and a wild saddle cow race. Clown and barrelman Steve "The Senator" Tomac will entertain. Shane Anderson will be the bullfighter protecting cowboys during the bull riding and the announcer will be Wayne Wise of Loveland, CO.

Tickets are on sale at Pennington Square and Pennington Main at a $2 discount for general admission through the close of business hours Thursday, August 31. Tickets will be available at those locations as a convenience but at full price on the days of the rodeo.

Seating for general admission ticket holders will be on a first come, first served basis. Doors will open one hour before rodeo time.

Friday has been designated as Family Night with one child admitted free when accompanied by a paid adult. Sunday will be Kid's Day when children 11 years of age and under *will be admitted for* $4.50 and receive a free Wrangler bandanna while supplies last.

A limited number of reserved seats are also available at the local ticket outlets, at the RCC Western Store in Grand Forks, ND, or by calling 1-800-565-5351. Reserved seats are in the center of the arena, have backs and will be available whenever the ticket holder arrives.

A kick-off party will be held Thursday evening, August 31, at the Best Western Inn, where rodeo dances will also be held after the rodeo on Friday and Saturday nights. Introduced at the kick-off party will be Teresa Miller, Miss Rodeo Minnesota; Shane Anderson, bullfighter; and Wayne Wise, announcer.

Denese Jokela told the Times that ticket requests have been received from as far away as Winkler, Manitoba; Grafton, ND; and Little Falls and Biwabik in Minnesota, indicating the widespread interest in pro rodeo.

Twenty-two entries have been received in the bull riding event for the three days with each rider to ride two bulls and prize money to be paid on the average score. Riders have the option of riding two bulls the same night—which most are expected to do—or to ride one head on each of two nights.

"We have some established veterans and some talented newcomers who have paid their entry fees to take part in the Stampede," Randy Jokela said. "And the top performers are scattered throughout the events and the three days of the rodeo."

Brian Fulton of Valentine, NE, who was in 14th place in the PRCA All-Around as of August 14 with winnings of $35,152 is entered in both the calf roping and steer wrestling Friday night.

Troy Pruitt of Minatare, NE, the 1990 World Champion calf roper, has entered here for Sunday. He has qualified for the National Finals Rodeo among the top 15 in the world every year since 1989, won the NFR average and the Badlands Circuit Championship in 1993, stands 11th this year with earnings of $37,994 and had career earnings at the end of last year of $599,334.

Ronny "Red" Lemmel of Mud Butte, SD, is entered in the saddle bronc event. He is fresh off a win at the Houston, TX, rodeo where more than 200 bronc riders compete over 20 days of rodeo action, making two rides each. Lemmel won the average and then the short go for the championship. He was in 14th place in the world standings on August 14 with winnings of $36,535.

Lemmel won the Badlands Circuit saddle bronc championship in 1993 and made his first appearance at the National Finals that year, finishing 10th and earning $7,751 at the NFR and $45,565 overall. His career earnings at the end of 1994 were $174,109.

Red's brother Rory will also be competing in the bull riding event.

Chip Whitaker of Chambers, NE, who will be one of the judges in the rough stock events, will also compete in calf roping and steer wrestling at the Stampede. He is a four-time winner of the Linderman Award (1975, 1977-79) honoring the cowboy who many consider rodeo's best true all-around hand.

To qualify for the award, a contestant must win at least $1,000 in each of three events, including a roughstock event and a timed event. In 1994, for the first time in the 28-year history of the award, no cowboy met that qualification.

Bob Christophersen of Grassy Butte, ND, who qualified for the NFR in steer wrestling a number of times and finished second one year is entered in the steer wrestling on Sunday.

Also entered in steer wrestling is Tom Murphy of Killdeer, ND, a

(Continued on Page 12)

Lemmel to defend saddle bronc title at Stampede

When professional rodeo fans watch Ronny "Red" Lemmel of Mud Butte, SD, defend his saddle bronc riding title in Thief River Falls this weekend, they will be watching one of the top competitors in that PRCA event.

At 32 years of age, Lemmel has been competing in rodeos of one type or another for 24 years, including nine years in the PRCA where his career earnings have now passed the $200,000 mark. He rode bulls and broncs in high school, at Dawson Community College in Glendive, MT, and open rodeos before joining the PRCA. He has just recently specialized in bronc riding.

Lemmel qualified for the National Finals Rodeo in 1993 when he was Badlands Circuit Finals champion. He finished one spot out of the NFR race in 1992 in 16th place in the world standings and was 18th last year.

In the most current rankings (August 14) he was in 14th place with winnings of $36,535. His biggest win this year was at Houston, TX, where he won the average and short go title over more than 200 bronc riders in the 20-day rodeo.

Although his brother Rory is a PRCA bull rider and has also entered the Stampede in that event, "Red" doesn't travel with his brother. His usual rodeoing partners are Bud Longbrake of Dupree, SD, or Kenny Taton of Mud Butte, which is located north of Rapid City, SD.

Longbrake and Taton are both bronc riders. The former suffered crushed vertebrae at the Calgary Stampede but is considering riding again soon. He has been to the NFR three times. Taton just joined the PRCA in 1992 but has had some impressive wins.

"Red" and his wife Carmen have been married seven years and have a son, Brad, and daughters Briana and Brittani. They live on his parents' ranch and Carmen is a bookkeeper at the Cenex station in Union Center, 21 miles from the ranch.

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Ronny "Red" Lemmel of Mud Butte, SD, will be returning to the Thief River Falls Stampede to defend the saddle bronc title he won last year. Lemmel is shown in competition at the 1994 Stampede when his rides of 78 and 74 created an aggregate of 152 and earned $896.28. Lemmel is currently 14th in the world standings and gunning for a top 15 finish and a second National Finals Rodeo appearance. —Tim Kjos Photo

City council OKs Christmas lights

On a hot summer day, discussion at the Thief River Falls city council meeting Tuesday turned toward thoughts about Christmas. With a donation of $5,000 from the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce and Retail Business Association, the city agreed to contribute roughly $20,000 to the cost of purchasing Christmas lighting.

Dick Bjorkman of the Christmas Lighting Committee, presented a plan which outlined a Christmas lighting project for the downtown area and entrances to the city. The total cost of the project was estimated at almost $25,000. The city's portion of the cost would come from a revolving capital fund, which would be paid back over a period of three years.

Purchase of property at Greenwood and Pennington Avenue, just west of the railroad tracks, was approved by the city council Tuesday night. The property is needed for a future project on Greenwood. The cost of the property purchased was estimated at just over $52,000. Greenwood Street is considered a collector street.

The semi-final draft of the city's comprehensive plan calls for a rail crossing and bridge on Greenwood Street. The bridge and rail crossing would provide a complete east and west collector for the city's south side. The matter, however, has been controversial. No project plans were discussed.

The council approved the sale of a metal storage building located on the Soo Depot property. The building is located on the north end of the property. City forces had considered moving the building and using it for other city departments, but it didn't turn out to be economically feasible, so it was put up for sale.

The storage building site on the Soo Depot property might become the future location of Engine 1024. If the engine can be moved, it will open up an area for parking at the depot.

The council approved sale of the metal storage building for $1,301 to Harold Lee of Newfolden.

The council received a draft of a revised job description for a public works director. The position, which would combine public works and engineering services director, was suggested by a company that examined the city's governmental structure. While it appears to be a new position, no new people will be hired.

City Attorney Paul Ihle explained that the city does not have to advertise because it is just a reorganization of departments — no one will be hired.

Vice Mayor Jean Heinrichs asked whether the department heads had been apprised of what is happening with this issue.

Alderman Milt Burstad, said all

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Miss Rodeo Minnesota assists at TRF Stampede

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

A love of horses and the sport of professional rodeo is evident in the participation of Teresa Miller, Miss Rodeo Minnesota 1995. She will be assisting in the performance of the Thief River Falls Stampede Friday and Saturday evenings and Sunday afternoon at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

"Professional rodeo is still a young sport in Minnesota," she said, "but we're coming along. There are getting to be more and more PRCA rodeos in the state and the number of rodeo fans is increasing. Representing the sport in this state is a big thrill for me."

Rodeo royalty spend a good deal of time in the saddle when representing the sport. At each of the three rodeo performances in Thief River Falls Teresa will lead the grand entry, carry the United States flag, ride with sponsor flags, help distribute prizes to youngsters in the calf scramble and sheep riding and haze animals out of the arena in steer wrestling and calf roping events.

Riding is nothing new for Teresa, a 24-year-old from Nevis who won the 'Miss Rodeo Minnesota title in 1994 at the state pageant in Park Rapids. Her reign through the coming year will include competition in the Miss Rodeo America contest prior to the

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Miss Rodeo Minnesota 1995, Teresa Miller of Nevis, will take part in the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday. She will lead the grand entry, carry the American and sponsor flags, assist with handing out awards in kids events and work the arena during steer wrestling and calf roping.

Area cities receive local government aid

Area cities recently received certification notices of local government aid, according to the League of Minnesota Cities. All of the cities in this region received an increase over last year's local government aid. The most recent population estimates, as prepared by the state demographer, were also included in those figures.

In theory, local government aid is paid to (1) equalize a community's ability to provide basic services, and (2) to generally reduce property tax levies. According to "State Government Spending: A Taxpayer's Guide to State Government Spending in Minnesota," prepared by the Minnesota Taxpayer's Association, the local government aid formula distributes aid based on the age of housing, the percentage of commercial and industrial property value (relative to all property), population, and extent of population decline, if any.

While local government aid to cities increased, Homestead Agricultural Credit Aid (HACA) to cities decreased.

The following information, except that in parenthesis, was provided by the League of Minnesota Cities.

Brooks, with a population of 153 received $8,785 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $8,942 in local government aid in 1996, an increase of 1.8 per cent. ($58.44 per resident) HACA aid to Brooks in 1996 will be $3,652, a decrease from $3,829.

Crookston, with a population of

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Pennington County residents complete '95 exercise program

More than 90 residents of Pennington county and surrounding communities successfully completed the 1995 "Walk Pennington County" program, held between May 15 and August 15, 1995. The Walk Pennington County program is sponsored by Northwest Medical Center, Dakota Clinic-Thief River Falls and the Minnesota Extension Service.

Completion of the Walk Pennington County program represents 25 hours of exercise in the following areas: walking, running, bicycling, aerobics, in-line skating, swimming laps, weight room workouts, tennis, golfing without a golf car and exerstriding.

The first 50 person to complete the program received a free t-shirt on August 22 at the Chamber of Commerce office. All participants received a certificate for "Walk Pennington County."

Individuals who finished among the first 50 participants and received free t-shirts included the following:

Fosston — Pat Bitker; Middle River — Clayton Troskey; Newfolden — Shirley Magner, Janice Olson, Kristie Olson and Marlene Taggart; Red Lake Falls — Keith Fontaine, J.R. LaCoursiere; and Denise Olson; St. Hilaire — Darla Miller, Patricia Wangsnes, and Marvin Wangsnes;

Thief River Falls — JoAnn Bauer, Tim Benton, Edie Brandli, Rachel Danien, Andrea Dowers, Marie A. Engen, Veronica Erickson, Deborah Fossell, Iris Furuseth, Earl Gibson, Jodi Harbott, Lori Johnson, Charles Josephson, Glen Ksjewski, Anthony Kennedy, Jeanne Kohler, Cliff Larson, Deanna Larson, Valerie Lindgren, Michelle Lundeen, Theresa McNerney, Mary Jo Magnan, Jan Nelson, Ray Nelson, Elizabeth Odette, Paulette Odette, Betty Olson, Grace E. Pagnac, Janice Pasthvest, Maxine Quamme, Rose Schmitz, Lucy Stanczyk, Marian Stark, Lois Wang, Carey Wilson, and Darlene Wisenth; Viking — Sheri Chell, Linda Rockstad.

Also completing the walk and receiving certificates were: Brooks — Jeanette Carnere; Goodridge — Deanna Coan, Carol Edelbes, Darwin Edelbes, Helen Halvorson, and Sandy Henrickson; Newfolden — Sharon Holmstrom, and Joydell Skjerven; Oklee — Louise Lessard, Annette Vettleson; Red Lake Falls — Shelley Magner, Melissa Magner, and Amanda Magner; St. Hilaire — Marge Ulrich;

Thief River Falls — Dawn Berard, Carol Dahlen, Jan Davis, Chad Eckstein, Lucas Eckstein, Seth Eckstein, Deb Fulton, Jim Fulton, James Grindley, Deb Hagman, Carolyn Halmness, Donna Harlow, Kristie Huseth, Cassondra Johnson, Jean Larson, Jodi Lehrer, Martha Minchak, Evelyn Myrum, Ken Niemela, Barbara Okland, Jerry Okland, Joyce Olson, Bruce Saustad, Janice Semanko, Bernice Skime, Susan Smith, Kim Swanson, Carla Torgerson, Lona Trochmann, and Judith Wold; Viking — Mavis Krohn.

More than 90 residents of Pennington county and surrounding communities successfully completed the 1995 "Walk Pennington County" program. Pictured above are some of the individuals who completed the program. Completion of the program represents 25 hours of exercise in the following areas: walking, running, bicycling, aerobics, in-line skating, swimming laps, weight room workouts, tennis, golfing without a golf cart and exerstriding.

City Council okays Christmas lights

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of the department heads were brought together for a discussion on the proposal. He said they had a good discussion.

The City of Thief River Falls is considering an open house. The proposal is still being discussed among departments. It has been tentatively scheduled for the first week of October.

Paul Ihle informed the council that the city had been served with legal papers by June and Brenda Steiger. The claim, which has been turned over to the insurance company, involves legal action stemming from the Steiger airplane accident, which happened several years ago.

Ihle also asked the city to consider drawing up a legislative bill to rescind the city's special legislation regarding liquor licenses. Several years ago the city obtained special legislative permission to issue six liquor licenses. New state law, however, would allow the city to issue seven licenses. Currently, there are five active liquor licenses in the city.

The city council also approved an assessment roll and assessment hearing on October 17 at 7 p.m. for the 1995 Street and Utility Improvement project.

Consent agenda items approved by the city council include: a salary progression raise for Irvin Schmitke, revision to the airport layout plan to address airport zoning issues; appointment of Madelyn Vigen, park and recreation director, to the Northwest Minnesota Regional Amateur Sports Commission; and approval of a temporary liquor license to the Thief River Falls Softball Association at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center during the Thief River Falls Stampede.

North Star Quilter's Guild hosting lecture

Quilters can learn the basic concepts for combining colors and fabrics in easy-to-understand terms. The North Star Quilters Guild is hosting a lecture and demonstration by Patricia Knoechel, quilting author. The lecture will be at North Valley Arts Council's Empire Theatre, 415 DeMers, Grand Forks, on Sunday, September 17 from 2 to 4 p.m. The cost is $2 in advance and $3 at the door.

After the lecture there will be books and tools for sale from Quilt-in-a-Day and Pat's own book on color confidence. Pat's book includes step-by-step directions for making a variety of quilted projects; vests (pattern included), pillows, wall hangings, place matts, quilts and tablecloths.

To register please call Alice at (701) 746-4120, or mail to North Star Quilter's Guild, P.O. Box 5814, Grand Forks, ND 58206-5814.

Kathie Johanneck, Safety Center coordinator, and Desiree Varner, director of Violence Intervention Project in Thief River Falls, recently announced that the Minnesota Department of Human Services has awarded the Umbrella Tree Children's Safety Center program $144,000 to continue operation for the next four years.

Walds selected as outstanding conservationists

Bob and Rita Wald of rural Thief River Falls have been selected as outstanding conservationists for 1995 by the Pennington Soil and Water Conservation District.

The Walds operate a grain farm in Rocksbury township and their conservation practices include RIM, conservation tillage, tree planting and erosion control structures. They will be recognized at the annual convention of the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts in December.

The Walds have two children—Kari and Darin—who are both graduates of Lincoln high school. The area of selection for this year's outstanding conservationist award included North, Silverton, Kratka, Cloverleaf, Smiley, Rocksbury and Wyandotte townships.

Nursing service advises on head lice problem

The head louse is one of three types of lice that infest people. Head Lice are tiny insects (about one tenth to one eigth of an inch long) that make their home in human hair and feed on human blood. They multiply rapidly, laying little silvery-colored, oval shaped eggs (called nits) which they glue to the base of the hair, close to the scalp.

Although it is hard to see head lice, you can see the nits if you look closely. They are most often found in the hair behind the ears and at the back of the head and neck. Nits should not be confused with dandroff. Dandruff can be easily flicked off the hair; nits cannot because they are firmly attached to individual hairs.

Anyone can get head lice. They are not a sign of being dirty. Most people don't know they have lice until they see them. One telltale sign of head lice is a persistent itching of the scalp which is sometimes accompanied by infected scratch marks or what appears to be a rash. Head lice have no wings and do not fly or jump, but they do spread quickly. You can "catch" head lice through:

- direct contact with an infested person or stray hairs that have nits;
- personal items such as combs, brushes, other hair-care items, towels and pillowcases which are shared;
- clothing, head gear (hats, scarves, helmets), ribbons and other head coverings which are shared.

Shared school lockers and unassigned wall hooks for coats have been associated with higher rates of infestation than individual lockers and assigned coat hooks.

If you have questions concerning diagnosis and treatment of head lice, call Marshall County Nursing Service at 218-745-5154 or 1-800-950-6986. The recommended treatment is shampooing with either a prescription or nonprescription medicated shampoo and repeating this treatment one week later. The lice are killed with one treatment; however, some nits may survive the first treatment. They will be killed during the second treatment.

History society at Warren plans two fall events

Storytelling day will be held by the Marshall County Historical Society Sunday, September 10, at 2 p.m. at the Marshall county fairgrounds in Warren. Refreshments will be served by the society.

People of all ages are invited to attend and share stories of years gone by. Questions may be directed to LaVonne Schmitz, director, at 218-745-4803.

The society will also serve a potato klub supper from 4 to 6 p.m. September 23 in the museum on the fairgrounds. Cost will be $5 for adults and $3 for children under 12.

Umbrella Tree gets state funding

Violence Intervention Project of Thief River Falls has recently received $144,000 from the Minnesota Department of Human Services to continue operating the Umbrella Tree Children's Safety Center for the next four years.

Between June 1, 1994 and July 31, 1995, Umbrella Tree Children's Safety Center served 47 families, 80 children, conducted 139 supervised visits, 55 monitored exchanges, and had 17 parents attending parenting groups and 29 children attending kids' group. But that's only part of the story.

The Umbrella Tree Safety Center in Thief River Falls opened in October of 1992 and is one of five pilot projects funded by the state. Safety Centers are designed to meet the needs of children and their parents who have been involved in an abusive relationship. The Safety Center offers a safe place for parents to visit their children when they have been court-ordered to have supervised visitation. There are many situations that would cause a parent to have supervised visitation, such as a parent physically, emotionally, or sexually abusing a child, a parent exhibiting violence toward the other parent in front of the child, or perhaps a parent that abandoned or neglected the child. Whatever the case, a supervised visit allows children the opportunity to rebuild trust with his or her parent in an atmosphere that is safe and friendly.

Another service that Safety Centers offer families coping with abuse or violence is a safe place to exchange children for unsupervised visitation. Often, it will happen that an abusive parent is awarded through a court hearing, weekend or overnight visitation. However, the parent will continue to be violent toward his ex-partner during the drop-off or pick-up of the child. Safety Centers provide a place where the child can be exchanged from one parent to the other without any contact between the parents. This eliminates the abuse of the parent, but it also takes an enormous amount of stress off the child. Neutral exchanges prevent a parent from using the child to control or intimidate the other parent; it also provides a check-point for parents who have a history of picking up their child under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

The emotional effects of witnessing domestic violence are very similar to the psychological trauma associated with being a victim of child abuse. Each year, an estimated 3.3 million children witness domestic violence.

Safety Centers offer support groups for children ages 5 to teen who have witnessed abuse or have been abused themselves. The support group is a fun, safe setting where children learn important issues such as: it's okay to talk about feelings, my parents aren't the only parents that fight, hands are not for hitting, it's okay to be angry but it's not okay to hurt others with my anger, and other valuable messages that begin to undo the damaging effects domestic violence has on children.

Some of the emotional effects domestic violence has on children may include: taking responsibility for the abuse, constant anxiety, guilt for not being able to stop the abuse, guilt for loving the abusive parent, and fear of abandonment.

Lastly, Safety Centers offer parenting groups for men and women. Both the father's group and the mother's group focus on non-violent parenting skills. These educational groups tackle the issues surrounding parenting, and a variety of topics are discussed, including the effects of violence on children, alternatives to hitting, how abuse disrupts normal child development, and non-violent limit setting with children of all ages.

Anyone needing more information on the goals or the services of the Umbrella Tree Children's Safety Center may contact staff at (218) 681-5557.

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Rev. Ron Gullman

First Baptist to install pastor Tues.

Rev. Ron Gullman, 36, will be installed as pastor of First Baptist Church in Thief River Falls on Tuesday, September 5, and will conduct his first Sunday service September 10 at 11 a.m. All are welcome to attend.

He will succeed Rev. Carroll Erickson, who served the church for nine and one-half years and Rev. Wilbur Sorley, who has been interim pastor since May.

Rev. Gallman has been assistant pastor (youth) at Stanchfield Baptist Church in Stanchfield since 1991. He and his wife Diane have a daughter Bethany, 8 and a son Daniel, 5 and presently live in Cambridge.

Rev. Gullman has a B.S. degree in industrial technology from Bemidji State University in 1982 and graduated from Dallas Theological Seminary with an M.A. degree in cross-cultural ministries in 1991. He served as the summer assistant pastor at Woodland Bible Church in Warroad in 1988 and was a short term (seven months) missionary with the Baptist General Conference to Cameroon, South Africa, at Cameroon Baptist Theological Seminary.

First Baptist Church at 414 Horace Avenue North has services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays and Sunday School classes at 9:45 a.m. Call the church office at 681-2477 for additional information.

Filing period for fall elections opened Tuesday

Filing period for elections in Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and School District 564 began Tuesday, August 29. The filing period for prospective candidates closes September 12. Affidavits of candidacy must be filed during regular business hours, and must accompany a filing fee.

In Thief River Falls, there will be five positions on the ballot, including Mayor, first ward alderman, third ward alderman, fifth ward alderman, and one alderman at large position. All positions will be for four year terms, except the Mayor's term, which is for two years.

Individuals currently holding those positions include: Robert Reeve as Mayor, Milt Burstad as the first ward alderman, Dale Wennberg as the third ward alderman, Frank Hammerlink as the fifth ward alderman, and Jean Heinrichs in the alderman at large position.

Three positions will be open on the board for School District 564. Each term will be for three years each. The positions are currently held by Darla Twomey, Carl Clark, and Dennis Kiesow.

St. Hilaire city council will have two positions on the council, and the Mayor's office on the ballot. Each will be for four years, except the Mayor's term, which is for two years.

Elections will be held Tuesday, November 7, 1995.

Grinding day this Sunday at Old Mill Park

Trail hike, artifacts dig and flour grinding will all take place Sunday, September 3, at the Old Mill State Park located west of Newfolden.

Agassiz trail hike will take an hour and start at 10 a.m. A dig to look for tools and jewelry will take place at 11 a.m. along with basic information on archaeology.

The Larson grist mill will be in operation from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with power supplied by a restored steam engine. Wheat and rye flour and bran will be sold, pioneer life demonstrations given, quilting displayed by Ethel Olson, old time music played and lemonade, coffee, wheat bread and jam samples served.

The event is cooperatively sponsored by the Marshall County Historical Society and the Old Mill State Park. A state park sticker is required on vehicles entering the grounds.

State board sets passing scores for H.S. graduation

Minnesota State Board of Education has set a passing score of 80 per cent for the basic requirements portion of the state's proposed new graduation standards. This means that students taking the competency tests in the basic skill areas of reading and mathematics will have to answer at least 80 per cent of the questions correctly to receive their high school diplomas. The new rule is set to be phased in starting with the ninth-grade class of 1996.

Currently, Minnesota students need only to complete a certain number of set courses with a passing grade of D or better to graduate. The new standards will require that students demonstrate competency in specific knowledge and skills deemed essential to success in life and work.

"We set the passing scores high because we wanted a goal that would encourage students to aim high and move the education system toward making the changes needed to produce higher levels of achievement," said Georgina Stephens, president of the State Board. The scores will be phased in — 70 per cent in 2000, 75 per cent in 2001, and 80 per cent in 2002 — to give students and schools time to adapt in the increased expectations.

"We believe our students and schools can rise to the challenge once the graduation standards clearly define what's expected of them, and teaching and testing are focused more sharply on achieving those results," said Jeanne Kling, state board member from Willmar.

The scores do set a challenge. The basic requirements test for reading was recently piloted statewide — with a 70 per cent passing score — and 30 per cent of the sophomores and juniors taking the test failed to pass. Kling believes the problem of low performance can be remedied by raising expectations while providing a system of accountability. When the standards go into effect next year, districts will test their students early in the ninth grade and provide them with whatever additional help they need along the way to ensure that they have the opportunity to succeed in school.

The passing scores were determined by a three-step process that included a panel of teachers looking at the tests and assessing what would be a reasonable expectation for passing; a second evaluation by the Graduation Standards Executive Committee, which is overseeing the process of developing and implementing the standards; and a final decision by the state board at its meeting.

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Collecting dolls is more than child's play

This doll has a head made of paper mache dipped in wax. Although Dorothy is not sure how old the doll is, her reference material states that dolls like this one were made until 1865.

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

Most children have a favorite toy. Many of us remember that toy years after we've finished playing with it. But what happens to those old toys? Some of them become collectors items, as is the case with the dolls owned by Dorothy Hanson of Thief River Falls.

Dorothy recently shared some of her collection and some memories too at the Fall Conference on Aging in Crookston where she gave a talk on antique dolls. Dorothy began collecting dolls about twenty years ago when she was given a doll that belonged to her aunt, a doll she still treasures. Over the past twenty years she has aquired many other dolls that she "picked up here and there," finding them at antique sales and auctions. Some of the dolls have been restored, others she has kept just as they were when she aquired them. One particularly worn doll has a tin head. Prior to the tin heads of the 1920's and 30's, many dolls had bisque or china heads which cracked and broke rather easily. The tin head is not broken, but some of the paint is worn off its face, making the doll look like she was loved a lot by some little girl.

"I wish she could talk," said Dorothy, realizing that each doll has an untold story. "Maybe she lived in the northwoods...you never know."

Other dolls do get repaired. Dorothy has repaired or made new bodies for "rag body" dolls. She has made or repaired clothing for the dolls, too. She had a doll with a cracked face repaired professionally. Kathy Erickson of Victoria House re-fired the face, gave her a new wig and clothes and made her look almost new.

The retired kindergarden teacher also collects other antiques. She has a rocking horse from 1912 and a doll-size wire buggy from 1915.

Dorothy uses a number of books to help her learn more about the dolls age and origin and their current value.

A doll of particular interest has a head which was made of paper mache then dipped in wax. According to a book with a description of such a doll, this type of doll was made up until 1865. The doll, therefore, is estimated to be over 100 years old.

Another special doll is Dorothy's "momma doll." This large doll was popular in the 1920's. The doll she has came with several outfits sewn by the mother of the original owner. The outfits are in perfect shape. They were well sewn and are easy for children to use. The clothes are fun to look at now because they reflect the fashion of the era in which they were made by the seamstress.

Dorothy Hanson shows a wire doll buggy that dates back to 1915. She brought members of her doll collection to show as she gave a talk on antique dolls at the Fall Conference on Aging.

Other unusual dolls in Dorothy's collection include a doll carved out of wood, a doll with a leather body and some special dolls from China. The dolls were made by Chinese people and sold in churches in the United States to raise money for the Christian missions in China.

Dorothy says the hand made dolls are very well made.

She also has some replacement china heads for old dolls. Modern-day doll makers can buy old-fashioned china doll heads, but Dorothy has some originals. She has an

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This momma doll may have a scrape on her nose, but she is still as enchanting as ever; maybe it's her smile. She has several outfits which reflect the popular styles of her day, the 1920's. This little cutie still has her original brown hair. The doll seated back in the corner is from about the same time. It has a very pale face and its original wig...made of human hair!

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
Sensational Summer for grades 6-12 meets at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church. This week includes a sack lunch picnic and volleyball party.

Thursday
Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by Smokey Mountain Boys. All seniors welcome.

Sunday
Outdoor Worship Service at United Methodist Church at 9 a.m. Coffee Fellowship to follow. Everyone invited.

Monday
Praise through Play for grades 1-5 at 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church.
Heritage Center Closed for Labor Day. No Senior Meal. Evening meal will be September 11.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

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Prior to becoming the manager of The Jewel Box, Scott was general manager of Silverman's, Inc., in Grand Forks. He had previously managed Riddle's Jewelry for four years. A native of Gettysburg, SD, he has a BS degree in business administration from Northern State University in Aberdeen, SD.

Scott and his wife Melanie lived in Grand Forks since 1989. They have two children—four-year-old Megan and two-year-old Alec—all are excited to be in Thief River Falls. The next time you are in the store, say hello to Scott. He is looking forward to meeting you.

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Dorothy Hanson enjoys collecting dolls of all kinds

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unusual head with blonde hair, the heads traditionally have black hair. Some of the heads had a name printed right were the collar of the dress would be. Dorothy was fortunate enough to come across one with her own name.

Dorothy has many more recent dolls that she has accquired including a doll from England that she bought a few years ago for under $30. The doll now retails for over $200 dollars. Some of the dolls Dorothy buys at clearance sales just because she likes them, not because they are worth any money.

Many of the dolls are worth money now because of their value as antiques. However, no price can ever equal a doll's worth when it is the special friend of some small child.

The doll that is standing has a tin head which was repainted by Kathy Erickson of Victoria House. The outfit was sewn by Dorothy. The doll which is seated has a head made of a plastic material. The outfit was also made by Dorothy.

CORRECTION
Donald Appel celebrated his 70th birthday on August 26, not his 80th as reported in last week's Times. The Times apolgizes for the mistake and any confusion it may have caused.

Herling and Olson to wed in Roseau on September 2

Valerie Herling and Bruce Olson announce their engagement. Valerie is the daughter of Torris and Sue Bakken and Greg and Louise Herling of Roseau. Bruce is the son of Ernie and Joan Olson of Milton, ND.

Valerie and Bruce are both graduates of Northwest Technical College of Thief River Falls. She is employed at Midwest Vision in Thief River Falls. He is employed at Hugo's in Thief River Falls.

A September 2 wedding is planned for Roseau.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On August 20, a baby girl was born to Dale Shumway and Tara Ellingson of Thief River Falls. She has been named Alexandra Jo Ellingson.
- On August 22, a baby boy was born to Jason and Carol Gust of Strathcona. He has been named Chancey Jason.
- On August 23, a baby boy was born to Ronnie and Rachel Anderson of Thief River Falls. He has been named Kevin Dean.
- On August 24, a baby boy was born to Brian and Denise Aune of Thief River Falls. He has been named Travis Brian.
- On August 24, a baby boy was born to Michael and LaVonne Merten of Thief River Falls. He has been named Nathan Lloyd.
- On August 25, a baby boy was born to Joel and Linda Schultz of Red Lake Falls. He has been named Ryan Lee.

Zion Leisure Fellowship to meet on Sept. 6

Zion Leisure Fellowship will meet Wednesday, September 6 at 2 p.m. Delores Bakke will present a musical program.

Lappegaard and Anderson exchange vows at Redeemer Lutheran Church

Gina Lea Lappegaard and Jeremy Todd Anderson were united in marriage at a double ring ceremony at 5 p.m. on June 17 at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.

The bride is the daughter of Steve and Judy Lappegaard of Thief River Falls. The groom is the son of Francis and Marlys Anderson of Thief River Falls.

Music was provided by soloist Laura Toren, friend of the couple, Missy Lampe, pianist and Joyce Halbasch, organist. Selections were "Cross My Heart," "Can You Feel the Love Tonight" and "Endless Love." The processionals were "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" and "Lohengrin's Wedding March." Recessionals were Mendelssohn's, "Cannon In D" and "Wedding March."

Jackie Lappegaard served as her sister's maid of honor. The bride's sister Jill Lappegaard served as the miniature bride. Bridesmaids were Jenny Drury, friend of the couple, Tammy Johnson, aunt of the bride, Jamie Martell, friend of the couple, Danita Miller, friend of the couple, Krista Kees, friend of the couple, Lori Rierson, friend of the couple and Paula Zutz, friend of the couple.

Flower girls were Amanda and Alicia Rader and Kyja and Hannah Anderson, all of Thief River Falls. Rosebud girls were Stephanie and Samantha Rader, friends of the couple. The bride's personal attendents were Carol Nieland and Sue Rader, friends of the couple.

Best man was Tim Benson, friend of the couple. Miniature groom was Corey Johnson. Groomsmen were Monte Booren, friend of the couple, Wade Johnson, uncle of the bride, Seth Anderson, brother of the groom, Tony Hoffard, Chris Thompson, Dan Hoffard and Jon Hamms, all friends of the couple. The ring bearer was Codey Johnson of Thief River Falls, God child of the bride.

Ushers were Nathan Lappegaard, cousin of the bride, Jim Nelson and Mike Swanson, both friends of the couple. Usherettes were Angie Omlid, Katie Scramstad, both friends of the couple and Tish Stokke, cousin of the groom.

Honored guests were Harry and Verna Thompson, friend of the couple and Nathan Anderson, brother of the groom.

Hosts and hostesses of the reception were Terry and Gwen Lappegaard, godparents of the bride and Adolph and Elaine Anderson, Godparents of the groom. Guest book attendants were Cindy Levin and Kim McKercher, friends of the couple. Cake cutters were Pat Stokke, aunt of the groom and Phyllis Thrane, great-aunt of the bride.

Coffee servers were Lavonn Lappegaard, aunt of the bride, and Mary Ann Lofberg, aunt of the groom. Punch servers were Ratchel and Sarha Lappegaard, cousins of the bride. Flower hostesses were Andrea Mercil and Michelle Haugen, friends of the couple. Gift table attendants were Kristen Mestery, friend of the couple, and Andy Lappegaard, cousin of the bride. Waitresses were Jos Helgeland, Kim Stenseth, Polly Cullen, Kelly Clark, all friends of the couple. Special guest was Debbi Courneya, friend of the bride.

After a wedding trip to Montego Bay, Jamaca, the happy couple now resides in Thief River Falls where the bride is employed at Northwest Medical Center and the groom is employed at Anderson Bros. 66. The bride is a graduate of Lincoln High School and the groom is a graduate of Lincoln High School and Northwest Technical College.

THERE'S GOOD NEWS on the WANT AD PAGE this week and every week. Read for profit — Use for results. Call 681-4450.

Miller and Retka to marry on September 16th

Diane Miller and James Retka are pleased to announce their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Robert and Phyllis Miller of St. Hilaire. She recently moved to the area after living in Minneapolis and working for the past seven years at Coopers and Lybrand L.L.P. She is pursuing a position in the records management field. She is a 1983 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1988 graduate of the University of North Dakota.

Her fiance is the son of Allan and Sandra Retka of South St. Paul. He is employed as a production engineer at Arctco Inc. He is a 1983 graduate of South St. Paul High School and a 1988 graduate of Bemidji State University.

A September 16 wedding is planned for St. Bernard's Catholic Church, Thief River Falls.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

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Hesse and Mattison plan September 9th wedding

Linda Hesse and Neil Mattison announce their engagement. Linda is the daughter of Donald and Loretta Hesse. Neil is the son of Jerry and Janice Freitag.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plummer High School and North Dakota State University. She is employed at Valley Animal Hospital in Thief River Falls. Her fiance is a graduate of Plummer High School and is employed by Red River Grain of Plummer.

A September 9 wedding is planned at 1 p.m. at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Plummer, with a reception to follow at the home of Jerry and Jan Freitag. All friends and family are invited to attend.

Hagen and Hartnett exchange vows

Shelly Jessica Hagen and Edward John Hartnett Jr., both of Westminster, CO, were united in marriage on June 25 at the First United Methodist Church in Greeley, CO. Rev. Kim James officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Ernest and Jean Hagen of Evans, Co. She graduated from Greeley Central High and the University of Colorado, Boulder. She works at FMI Corporation in Denver, as director of Marketing and Communications. She is the granddaughter of Margrette McWilliam and the late John McWilliam of Winger and the late Lillie and Olaf Hagen, Thief River Falls.

The groom is the son of Ed and Linda Hartnett of Broomfield, CO. He graduated from Broomfield High School and Metro State College. He works as a teacher at Broomfield Heights Middle School, Boulder Valley Schools.

The bride's sister, Stephanie Weston of Greely, CO was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Marie Moore of Colorado Springs, CO, Christine Babcock of Broomfield, CO and Jennifer Harig of Westminster, CO.

Ted Hartnett of Broomfield, CO served as his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Jay Rugg of Denver, CO, Chris Elrod of Boulder, CO and Robert Birnberg of Denver, CO.

Elise Weston of Greeley, CO, niece of the bride, was flower girl. Tylor Weston of Greeley, CO, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. The Fort Collins Scottish Pipe Band led the bride and her father into the church and also escorted the bride and groom to their reception at the Union Colony Civic Center.

Soloist was trumpeter William Pfund of the UNC faculty. Ushers were Don Weston, the bride's brother-in-law, Greeley, CO Orris Flermoen, uncle of the bride, Brooklyn Park and Ted Stoetzer, uncle of the groom, Mastic Beach, NY.

Honored guests included the groom's grandparents, Ted and Elsie Stoetzer, Mesa, AZ, uncle and aunt of the groom, Ted and Diane Stoetzer, aunts and uncles of the bride, Bruce and Lavonne McWilliam and daughters of Winger, Mildred Joppru, Thief River Falls, Susan and Orris Flermoen, Brooklyn Park and Percy and Dori Hagen of Wadena.

After a trip to Kauai, Hawaii, the couple is at home in Westminster, CO.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

The Shortest Season

What? This weekend is Labor Day weekend? No way? It can't be. We didn't have summer yet, it just started! If it's Labor Day weekend that means summer is over?

OK, OK, I concede. But I don't have to like it. I don't want summer to be over. For me, it's almost like my best friend moved away. Every year at this time, I mourn (for about a week) the loss of carefree, warm sunny days. Then I quickly settle into a fall routine.

But looking back on the summer, short as it seemed to be, I grade it with an A+. For the first time in a few years, we actually experienced HOT weather – like temperatures in the 90s. Even though we don't have central air, I loved it. The hot weather is the first indicator of summer. Without some really hot stuff, we might as well skip summer. But not this year.

I spent about 75 percent of my summer at the lake, mostly immersed in it. My addiction to the lake, and water in general, is a little difficult for some to understand. But for the last 30 and more years, my family has been "going to the lake." If it wasn't for a week's stay, it was for a month or for three months. We rarely went on a vacation, we "went to the lake." And now I can't quit going, even if it is a 90 mile drive.

We knew it was summer at the lake because many days it was as warm in the water as it was out. We could jump into the water right away without first testing it with the big toe. We could water-ski and not turn into an icicle in just one loop around the lake. We knew it was summer because we had to keep the water, pop and beer stocked. It was summer because we had to really search for the tank tops and short-sleeve shirts.

A number of other happenings told us summer was here.

In June we attended my husband's family reunion in Montana. Most summers wouldn't be complete without at least one reunion of sorts.

This family reunions comes every three years, and there is one special touch we look forward to. The pitchfork fondue is a family favorite. Recipe: Select a big cauldron, fill it with oil, and heat it. Spear sirloin steaks on a clean (preferably brand-new) pitchfork and immerse in oil for however long the timer says. Eat with homemade potato salad and an assortment of other goodies until the button pops on your pants.

Following my husband's reunion, my sister drove to the lake from Idaho. Her two-week visit was marked by eating in every restaurant in town once, and then some. It's always fun to see her and hard to wave good-bye. But we know we'll see her again next summer.

Vacations also tell us summer was here. These excursions are usually long periods of time spent riding in a car with small shots of entertainment in between; zoos, parks, restaurants, and pools. We had one of these – with the garbage in the car to prove it.

But summer also brought many other activities that made it so. We roasted marshmallows, walked the beach, watched parades, slapped mosquitoes, swam and swam some more, played tee-ball, chomped sweet corn, tended the garden, mowed the lawn, enjoyed the sunset, and ate picnics in the park.

Summer is so short it's a challenge to see and do all that was planned. We'll have to save some of it for next year. I can't believe it's over! Summer is gone!

40th anniversary for Eldon and Joan Burstad

The children of Eldon and Joan Burstad are hosting a celebration in honor of the Burstad's 40th wedding anniversary on September 10. The open house will take place on September 2 at Bethany Lutheran Church, Red Lake Falls from 2 to 5 p.m. with a program at 2:30 p.m.

The family requests no gifts.

The children are compiling information for an Anniversary Memory book for the couple. If anyone would like to contribute pictures, thoughts or memories, please write them on an index card and they will be added to the keepsake book.

Jungers and Mathson to marry on September 16th

Laurie Ann Jungers and Brian Peter Mathson announce their engagement. Laurie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pickthorn of Prior Lake. Brian is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mathson of Thief River Falls.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Watertown High School in Watertown, SD and is employed at Artco. Her fiance is a graduate of Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls and is employed at Arctco.

A September 16 wedding is planned for Calvary Lutheran Church, St. Hilaire.

Tri-Valley bus schedule for September 4 through 8

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of September 4 through September 8. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, September 4
LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

Tuesday, September 5

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hendrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Departs Middle River at 7:45 a.m. with stops in Holt 8:00, Thief River Falls 8:30 and St. Hilaire 9:00. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, September 6

Transportation city-wide in Red Lake Falls from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

City-wide transportation in Twin Valley 8:30 to 11 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thursday, September 7

City-wide transportation in Crookston.

Transportation city-wide in Fertile from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday, September 8

Departs Oully at 9:15 a.m. with stops in Trail 9:25, Oklee 9:50, Plummer 10:15 and Red Lake Falls 10:45 a.m. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11:35 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Transportation city-wide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

Relieve stress by taking a sewing class in September — National Sewing Month

A clinical study commissioned by the American Home Sewing and Craft Association (AHSCA) recently revealed that women who sewed, both skilled as well as novice sewers, experienced a significant drop in heart rate and blood pressure when compared to participating in other leisure-time activities. Heart rate and blood pressure are two key factors in the measurement of stress. The study's results appear to indicate that sewing helps women to relax while they focus on a creative activity.

"Our customers have told us that they felt sewing was a relaxing pastime," says Lois Steiger, owner of Annette's Fabrics, downtown Thief River Falls. "And now we have a clinical study that seems to indicate the positive, stress-reducing benefits to be gained from sewing."

The study was conducted in a controlled laboratory environment at a psychologist's office in New York City in March and April of this year. Two groups of women, experienced sewers and nonsewers, were measured for blood pressure, heart rate, epidural skin response (perspiration) and peripheral skin temperature. A biofeedback method was used to monitor each woman while she engaged in five different leisure-time activities. The activities were rotated randomly in order to avoid an "Order Effect." The five pastimes included playing a card game, painting with watercolors, reading a newspaper, playing a hand-held video game and sewing a simple project.

"The importance of a hobby or creative pursuit cannot be overemphasized," says Dr. Robert Reiner, administrative director of behavioral associates in New York City and designer of the stress study for the AHSCA. "If we don't allow our bodies to rest from the pressures of everyday life, we are placing ourselves at risk for heart disease or other illnesses. Creative activities and hobbies, like sewing, can help a person focus on something productive and get away from their worries for a while," explained Dr. Reiner.

During September, National Sewing Month, Annette's Fabrics will be sponsoring a Survival Sewing lesson which includes the basic sewing skills: how to operate a sewing machine, how to hem pants or a skirt, how to sew on a button and how to put in a zipper. During National Sewing Month this class, taught by Lois Steiger, is free. Pre-registration is required, the supply kit for the class is $4. This Survival Sewing class is open to guys and gals.

Annette's Fabrics of Thief River Falls will be hosting a variety of classes during September and throughout the year. Sewing classes give knowledge, sewing tips and guidance to make sewing a relaxing pastime. Fall schedules can be picked up at a Annette's Fabrics. Those who took classes at Annette's Fabrics last year can bring in their completed project and get a discount on this year's class.

Classes being taught this fall at Annette's Fabrics are: Log CabinTree Skirt, Two Sessions, Tuesdays, September 12 and 19, taught by Marlene Sommers. Town and Country Paper Piecing, two sessions, Mondays, September 18 and 25, taught by Sue Dupree. Christmas Table Runner, two sessions, Thursdays, September 21 and 28, taught by Jan Kramer. Trip Around the World in Flannel quilt class, five sessions, Tuesdays, September 26 and October 3, 10, 17 and 24, taught by Marilyn Harstad. Double Lace Chain or Wall Hanging, two sessions, Mondays, October, 2 and 9, taught by Marilyn Harstad. Christmas Trees Tablecloth or Tree Skirt, three sessions Mondays, October 16, 23 and 30, taught by Renee Rasmussen. Star Log Cabin quilt class, five sessions, Tuesdays, November 7, 14, 21, 28 and December 5, taught by Marilyn Harstad. All classes are from 7 to 9 p.m. For more details, class fees and supply list, inquire at Annette's Fabrics, 212 East Third Street, downtown Thief River Falls.

Also, in conjuction with National Sewing Month, the International Association of Floor Care and Sewing Professionnls of which Annette's Fabrics is a member, will be giving away a number of prizes, including the grand prize of an all expense paid, four day/three night trip for two to Las Vegas. The other prizes include sewing machines, sergers, sewing accessories and more. Be sure to register at Annette's Frabrics.

Riverside Terrace birthdays observed

July birthdays celebrated at Riverside Terrace were Sylvia Young, 8, Gertrude Hanson, 13, Odin Osness, 18, Nina Filpula, 22, Ruby Knutson, 25, Elsie Holland, 28. August birthdays celebrated were Darlene Larson, 2, Mary Taylor, 6, Cicerine Lund, 22, Gerry Nelson, 28. Sylvia Randorf provided the entertainment.

Senior citizen dance at Heritage Center on Aug. 31

There will be a senior citizen dancon Thursday, August 31 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music will be by the Smokey Mountain Boys. All seniors are welcome.

Women of the Elks to host Harvest Dance

The Women of the Elks invite all members and guests to a Harvest Dance Saturday, September 9. A harvest hayride will begin at 5:30 p.m. and a harvest meal at 6:30 p.m. The cost is $3.50 per person for the hayride and meal. Call the Elks at 681-3045 by September 5 to sign up for the hayride.

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Outdoor service Sunday at United Methodist Church

Members and friends of the Thief River Falls United Methodist Church will once again be coming together for outdoor worship and celebration over the Labor Day weekend. The church service, led by Rev. Bill [illegible] will be held at 9 a.m. on September 3. Coffee fellowship will follow the service that day. All who attend are invited to gather in the basement area of the church for refreshments.

The United Methodist Church welcomes visitors and an invitation is extended areawide to join together that morning. In case of rain, the service will be held in the church sanctuary.

Heritage Center closed Monday

The Heritage Center will be closed Monday due to the Labor Day holiday. There will be no evening senior meal. The evening meal will be Monday, September 11.

The Blowers have a new baby boy

Mike and Kelsey Blowers are proud to announce the birth of their son, Hunter Roy. Hunter was born at United Hospital in Grand Forks.

Grandparents are Charles and Lylian Richards of Thief River Falls and Del and Marilyn Blowers of Clearbrook.

Reopelles have a new baby girl

Todd and Dee Reopelle of Corpus Christi, Texas would like to announce the birth of their first child, Courtney Renee. She was born July 27 and weighed 8 lbs. 14 oz. and was 21 and one half inches long.

She is the granddaughter of former Thief River Falls resident, Fran Reopelle and the late Robert Reopelle of Kingsville, TX.

St. Anne's Court held their August meeting

St. Anne's Court # 655 of NCSF held their monthly meeting at Handy Farms. Items of discussion were scholarships, Red River Valley Conference and Bishop Burse, which will be held in September at Winona. A quarterly birthday party was held to honor 90-year-old members.

Plans were discussed for a fund raising benefit to help redecorate the St. Bernard's parish home. Whatever monies are raised, up to $1,000, will be matched by the high court. Chris Vanyo was awarded a scholarship. Dutch treat was enjoyed by everyone.

The next meeting will be at the home of Virginia Carriere at Pioneer Court.

UMYF plans sack lunch picnic and volleyball party

The UMYF (grades 6-12) is going on an Oakland Park outing on Wednesday, August 30. Meet at the church at 3 p.m. Remember to bring a sack lunch. For a ride, call 681-4388.

Bridal shower for Linda Hesse on August 31st

There will be a bridal shower for Linda Hesse of Plummer, bride-to-be of Neil Mattison, on Thursday, August 31 at 7 p.m. in the Plummer American Legion. All friends are welcome.

Jim Scheunemans proud parents of a baby girl

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Scheuneman and son Thomas of Bemidji proudly announce an addition to their family, a daughter, Olivia Marie, born April 26th in Seoul, Korea.

Olivia arrived at Minneapolis National Airport on August 17. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Strand of Detroit Lakes, Al Scheuneman of Asheville, NC and Mary Scheuneman of Bemidji.

Charles Rustvolds celebrate 50 years of marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rustvold were honored at an early 50th wedding anniversary celebration on July 3 at the Randy and Virgil Thompson home near Merrifield on Lake Edward.

An anniversary cake was served following a potluck dinner. Afterwards, the couple opened their many cards and gifts.

Also present were the couple's son Jeff of Fargo, ND, Clifford and Margaret Thompson of Brainerd, Richard Thompson of St. Paul, Corinne Haugen, Larry and Marie and Trevor Haugen, Ann, Glen and Marc Haugen, Pat and Teri Ahene, Tamara and Tina and Mildred Wick, all of Thief River Falls, Bette Wick, Sharon Keller, Kathy Lindgren and Sons of Robbinsdale, Brian Wick of El Cajon, CA, Amy Lindgren of St. Cloud, Kim Ketola and Bret of Coon Rapids, Mark and Sandy Tuveson, Jenni, John, Joy and Jesse and Nicholas Thompson of Minneapolis, Roger Thompson and Debbie Merenes of Hopkins, Darrell and Judy Wick of St. Paul and Dennis and Pat Haugen of Coon Rapids.

Charles and Marion (Thompson) were married January 12, 1946 at Grygla and are now living in Fargo, ND.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Sidewalk Chalk

The following activity is an easy way to make your own sidewalk chalk. You will need:

one cup of plaster of Paris (do not pack) and

1/2 cup cool water.

Pour plaster into a disposable container. Using a disposable stirring stick (maybe a popsicle stick), stir in most of the water. Add 2 to 3 tablespoons of liquid tempera. Mix well, especially at the bottom. Add more water as mixture thickens. Stir well and pour into containers, such as toilet paper rolls or dixie cups and put wax paper on ends. Let dry for 24 hours and peel paper off when chalk is dry. Can be used on chalkboard, but will have to be washed off instead of erased.

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SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need apples, peanut butter and mini-marshmallows.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Berenstain, Stan & Jan. The Berenstain Bears and the Female Fullback. Can Bear Country survive a war of the sexes when big, strong, fast Bertha Broom wants to try out for fullback on the all-boys football team?

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VIDEO VARIETY

The Berenstain Bears In the Dark. After Brother Bear reads a scary story to Sister, Papa Bear helps conquer her fear of falling asleep in the dark with a reassuring talk about taking charge of your imagination.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Choosing Child Care

Choosing child care can be one of the most important decisions that parents make. It can also be one of the most difficult. You want your children to have the best possible care, but how can you tell what is "best" for you and your child?

Remember, there is no one "best" type of care for everyone. Just as family experiences vary, so will child care vary. You will want to make sure that the type of child care you select is compatible with what you want for your child. You will want child care that will meet your child's needs and reflects your values.

You, the parent, must take the time to look into the child care options you have in your community. Make a list of questions that are important for you to know. Then begin by calling and asking some questions. (Phone calling will help you to narrow the choices.) Then select a couple of places to visit. Call and set up an appointment. Most care givers will also want to interview you.

When you have made your selection, request a two- to four-week trail period to make sure this situation is working well for all concerned.

We are fortunate in northwestern Minnesota to have access to the Minnesota Child Care Resource and Referral Network. This is a computerized service to help parents find and select quality child care. They can help you determine what is quality child care and they can tell you where child care openings exist.

Services are provided on a sliding fee scale. For more information about Child Care Resource and Referral call, 1-800-543-7382.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Prepare your child for a new child care experience by talking about it. Tell him/her what to expect and where you will be.

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Reuter and Schiltz united in marriage

Kristin Lee Reuter and Michael William Schiltz were united in marriage July 29 at 5 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.

Parents of the bride are Roger and Jane Reuter of Thief River Falls. Parents of the groom are Gerry and Nancy Schiltz of Roseau.

Music was provided by vocalists David and Jeanifer Pelowski, friends of the couple and pianist Laura Williams. Selections were "Ave Maria," "When You Say Nothing At All," "All I Ask of You" and "To Me." The processional was "Canon in D" and "Largo from 'Xerxes'." The recessional was "Tannhauser March."

The church was decorated with white tulle bows on the pews and candelabrum with arrangements of tulle bows, baby's breath and greens. The flowers surrounding the unity candle were in loving memory of the couples' grandparents.

The bride wore an off-the-shoulder white satin gown with a chapel length train. The bodice was adorned with white pearls and clear sequins with white satin roses accenting the shoulders and the back. The skirt had a tulle overlay with several beaded appliques. Her headpiece was a circle of beaded flowers with a back tulle pouf. It was a singe layered veil accented with white pearls. The bride carried a cascading bouquet of gardenias and white roses with ivy, baby's breath and stephanotis.

Serving as her sister's matron of honor was Kathy Stiechen of Overland Park, KS. She wore a tealength dress of cranberry brocade with a sweetheart neckline, shirred waist accented with decorative pin and straight skirt.

The bride's attendents were Michelle Benitt of Moorhead, Heidi Stafland of Thief River Falls, Amy Zirbes of Rothsay and Darci Morris of Fergus Falls, all friends of the bride. They wore dresses identical to the matron of honor. The bridesmaids carried an arm bouquet of white roses and baby's breath with a tulle bow.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with a white vest and bow tie. His boutonniere was a single white rose with stephanotis and greens.

Serving as his brother's best man was David Schiltz of Roseau. The groomsmen were Michael Carlson of Fargo, ND, Michael Severson of Eden Prairie, David Pelowski and Cory Lungren of Roseau. The ushers were Kirk Lofton of Eden Prairie, Jason Grahn of Oak Island, Darrin Palm and Brian Olson of Roseau. All are friends of the groom. They wore black tuxedos identical to the groom's with black vests and bow ties. Each boutonniere was a single white rose with baby's breath and greens.

Nicholas Rueter, nephew of the bride and Alex Urquhart, nephew of the groom, seved as the couple's ring bearers. They wore white linen bib overall shorts with white shirts, knee socks and shoes. They carried white lace pillows with a tulle ruffle.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a street length, long sleeve suit of pastel brocade with pearl buttons. The mother of the groom chose a navy blue, short sleeve dress with white lapels and a gathered skirt. Each wore a coursage on a single gardenia with greens.

The fathers of the couple wore black tuxedos with black vests and bow ties. Their boutonnieres were a single white rose with greens.

Honored guests at the wedding were Vernon and Ethel Reistad of Waseca, grandparents of the bride and Bob and Arlene Roine of Edina, grandparents of the groom.

The bride's personal attendant was Lisa Holtsberry of Columbus, OH and the flower attendant was Kim Johnson of Minnetonka, both friends of the bride.

The hosts and hostesses for the reception were Tim and Melani Reuter of Thief River Falls, brother and sister-in-law of the bride and Doug and Sandi Oman of Crookston, friends of the couple.

The guest book attendants were Jon and Debbi Urquhart of Coon Rapids, brother-in-law and sister of the groom.

The three tiered wedding cake was topped with a fresh floral arrangement and surrounding the base of the cake were fresh flowers, greens, votive candles and a Precious Moments figurine. Serving the cake were Diane Dorwart and Joan Randle of Roseau, friends of the couple. Punch was served by Kim Reistad and Cara Reuter, cousins of the bride. Champagne was served by Brian Benitt of Moorhead, friend of the bride.

Videographers were Bruce and Pam Reistad of Austin, uncle and aunt of the bride.

The couple makes their home in Plymouth. The bride is employed as a sales banker at Firstar Bank in Richfield and the groom is a loan officer at Park Credit Company in Brooklyn Park.

Grinde - Barstad family reunion held Aug. 9 - 11

Members of the Grinde and Barstad families held a three day reunion August 9, 10 and 11. These reunions began in 1980 and have been held every five years in various parts of the United States. This one was the first held locally, as several family members are former residents of the area and some have never left the area. Those arriving from a distance came from Arizona, California, Georgia, Colorado, Illinois, Minnesota, Nevada, Oregon and Washington.

The first day began with a potluck supper at the community room at the Skylite Apartments. Time was spent visiting and ended with a showing of films from previous reunions.

Thursday was spent by many at Itasca State Park. Others enjoyed various areas of interest in their immediate surroundings. All gathered in the evening for another session of getting to know more about each other as each family introduced themselves and added a little informational history. Preston and Helen (Grinde) Brown of Fresno, CA were also surprised with a belated celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

The last day was spent touring former homes and homesteads of ancestors in the area, and ended with a potluck supper at the Silverton Church. This was followed by a hymn sung in the sactuary. There were also impromptu expressions of thanks for the faith and love of those who had gone before, resulting in a great heritage. Plans were made for the next reunion and the evening was closed with everyone singing "God Be with You 'til We Meet Again."

Holt Keenagers to meet on September 8th

The Holt Keenagers will meet at the Holt Community Center on Friday, September 8. A potluck dinner will be served at noon. August birthdays will be celebrated.

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Obituaries

Douglas Snelling, 70 · James R. Kiland, 66
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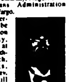
Donald L. Gunderson, 58

Thief River Falls — Donald LeRoy Gunderson, 58, died on Saturday, August 26 at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Fargo.



Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, August 30 at Highland Lutheran Church, Cummings, ND, with Rev. Gary Gaptill officating. Special music will be provided by guitarist Arlon Gunderson, organist Darrel Lilleberg and Kim Faul. The guitar selection was "The Family Bible." Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "Rock of Ages." Vocal selections were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Casketbearers will be Rodney Erickson, Brian Gunderson, Chad Gunderson, Dean Gunderson, Greg Gunderson, Scott Gunderson, Don Grabanski and Jerry Kostrzewski. Honorary casketbearers are Gary Carlson, Dale Stoe and relatives and the congregation. Interment will be at Highland Lutheran Cemetery with military honors accorded by the American Legion and VFW Posts of Thief River Falls.

Visitation was from 3 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, August 29 at Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls with a 7 p.m. prayer service. Visitation is also one hour to services at the church.

Donald LeRoy Gunderson was born on August 16, 1937 at Hillsboro, ND to Casper and Laura Josephine (Dvergsten) Gunderson. He was baptized and confirmed in Ada and attended elementary school in Beltrami, Thief River Falls, Crookston and Hillsboro, ND. He attended secondary school in Crookston.

Donald entered the United States Army in 1955 and served in Germany. Following his discharge, he moved to Fertile and worked as an electrician's assistant in Crookston and Thief River Falls. He also worked in general construction, farming and at L. B. Hartz Wholesale in Thief River Falls for several years. He worked at several other jobs in the Thief River Falls area until ill health forced his retirement.

Donal was united in marriage to Mary Jo Ditlabough on September 24, 1960 in Crookston. They divorced in 1965. He later married Joan Sheffer on September 2, 1967 in Thief River Falls where the couple has since resided.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, American Legion, Eagles, Musicans Association and was a lifetime member of the VFW. Don was an avid musician, he sang, played guitar, accordion and other instruments. He loved the outdoors, loved the challange of a crossword puzzle and enjoyed spending time with family and friends.

He is survived by his wife Joan; daughter Teresa Schantzen of East Grand Forks; son Mark of Crookston; brother Arnold of Ada, Orville of Hendrum and Lawrence of Climax; sister Adeline Nordheim in Fertile and two grandchildren Britnie and Crystal Gunderson.

He was preceded in death by his parents and infant sister Marjorie Gunderson.

Kimberly A. Bergland, 29

Thief River Falls — Kimberly A. Bergland, 29, died at her home on Saturday, August 26.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 29 in the Trinity Lutheran Church at 10 a.m. with Rev. John Wollenzien officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall. Congregational hymns were "Beautiful Savior," "Let All Things Now Living" and "Come Thou Almighty King."

Casketbearers were Don Aandal, Tim Bergland, Todd Bergland, Pat Cullen, Tom Goddard, Loren Holen. Honorary casketbearers were all the city employees. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Kimberly Ann Poole was born on September 16, 1965 in Thief River Falls, the daughter of Lawrence and Ellerine (Olsen) Poole. She attended elementary school in the Northrop and Washington School and graduated from Lincoln High School in 1984. In 1989 she graduated from Bemidji State University. She returned to Thief River Falls and has worked in the city office in Thief River Falls since that time as a payroll clerk and computer operator. On August 13, 1988 she was united in marriage to Scott Bergland in Thief River Falls.

She was a member of the Lincoln High School Alumni Association.

She is survived by her husband Scott, one daughter Megan, her parents, Larry and Ellerine Poole of Thief River Falls; brother Corey Poole of Thief River Falls; several aunts, uncles and cousins. Kimberly was special to her nephews.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, Harwood and Margaret Olsen and her paternal grandparents, Elmer and Ella Poole and one cousin, Brandon Poole.

Douglas H. Snelling, 70

Litchfield — Douglas H. Snelling, 70, died Tuesday, August 8 at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis.

Funeral services were held Saturday, August 12 at 10:30 a.m. at Zion Lutheran Church LFD with interment at Big Grove Lutheran Cemetery, Brooten.

Douglas Howard Snelling was born October 27, 1924 in Thief Rvier Falls to Douglas and Margaret (Palen) Snelling. Douglas grew up in Thief River Falls and graduated from Lincoln high School in 1942. After gradaation he moved to Duluth and in 1943 he joined the U.S. Marine Corps. Douglas trained in San Diego, CA and was sent to the South Pacific during World War II. He was honorably discharged from the service May 5, 1946.

After Douglas was discharged he attended Moorhead State University and graduated in 1950. He moved to Mankato and lived there until moving to Belgrade in 1953.

On June 27, 1953 Douglas married Narma Hellickson in Brooten. In 1958 they moved and made their permenant residence in Litchfield. Douglas worked for Dunn and Bradstreet, INC as a credit analyst.

Douglas was an active member of the Zion Lutheran Church where he taught Sunday School. He was a member of the Admirmal Benson Post 2818 VFW, Nelson Horton American Legian Post 104, Masons, Shriners, Pilats Flying Club and the Whittling Club. Douglas also organized youth hockey programs and coached hockey in Litchfield.

Douglas is survived by his wife Norma of Litchfield; two daughters, Julie Finn of Duluth and Mary Meuehlinski of Hudson, WI; one son, Steve Snelling of Inver Grove Heights; eight grandchildren; mother Margaret Snelling of Litchfield; two sisters, Florence Hanek of Lonsdale and Dorothy Rutherford of Long Beach, CA; one brother, Edward Snelling of Prior Lake and several nieces and nephews.

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Respectfully,
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Dennis J. Maurstad, 43

Newfolden — Dennis Maurstad, 43, was dead on arrival at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Friday, August 25.

Funeral services were held on Monday, August 28 at 10 a.m. in the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Newfolden with Reverends Gary Barrett and John Jorgenson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Donna Mae Hogberg and soloist Bonnie Seebold. Selections were "On Eagle's Wings" and "The Lord's Prayer." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Herb Maurstad, Allen Buckner, Kevin Maurstad, Bobby Wendel, David Maurstad, Danny Grochowski. Honorary casketbearers were Rick Diagman, Keith Ramsay, Larry Bjorsaess, Bob Dahl, Russell Elseth, Scott Magner, Wayne Kilen, Glenn Lucas, Dan Youngstrand, Dan Larson. Interment was at the *Oak Grove Cemetery, Newfolden.*

Dennis Jerome Maurstad was born on July 22, 1952 in Thief River Falls, the son of Leslie and Jean (Holmstrom) Maurstad. He was baptized in Newfolden on September 14, 1952. The family lived in South St. Paul and there he was confirmed in Concordia Lutheran Church on May 22, 1966. He attended school in St. Paul graduating from South St. Paul High School in 1970. He attended two years of college at UMC in Crookston. Dennis worked for 15 years for the K.W. KcKee Auto Transport Co. of St. Paul. He also graduated from the Respitory Care Program in May 1992 from East Grand Forks Technical College and was a Registered Respiratory Care Practitioner at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls until May 1995. He was currently the manager of Research and Development at Nordic Wood Products in Newfolden. He served an integral part in the formation of the company and worked on the project from its inception in 1992. He served as Vice President of Operation and on the company's first Board of Directors.

He was united in marriage to Jennifer Sandberg on November 4, 1972 at Crookston. The couple have made their homes in St. Paul, Stephen, Moorhead, Apple Valley and Dayton. In 1989 they moved to the Newfolden area and have since resided there.

Mr. Maurstad was a member of the Evangelical Free Lutheran Church in Newfolden and enjoyed carving, woodworking and working on genealogy.

He is survived by his wife Jennifer; two sons, Bryan and Matthew; one daughter, Amanda, all at home; his parents, Leslie and Jean of Argyle; mother-in-law, Ruby Sandberg of Crookston; brothers, Gary and Donovan, both of Argyle and Darrell of Newport; sister Diane Wiersgalla of Oakdale, many nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts and uncles.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Ole and Olga Maurstad and maternal grandparents, Victor and Pearl Holmstrom and one cousin Avis Pagnac.

Dr. James R. Kiland, 66

Marshfield, WI — Dr. James R. Kiland, 66, of Marshfield, WI, died Friday, August 18 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Marshfield.

There will be no public visitation or funernal service. A memorial service will be conducted at a later date.

Dr. Kiland was born October 16, 1928 in Thief River Falls to Raymond and Marjorie (Hoppa) Kiland. As a young man he became an Eagle Scout. He was a member of the popular boy's octet in high school. He graduated from Lincoln High School in 1946.

He married Bette A. Cincera on August 23, 1958 in Minneapolis.

Dr. Kiland served two years in the U.S. Army, then continued his education at the University of Minnesota-Minneapolis. He graduated cum laude in 1950 with a B.A. in experimental psychology. In 1954, he received a master's degree in personnel psychology, and in 1959 he earned a Ph. D. in counseling psychology. Dr. Kiland was licensed to practice psychology.

His career was filled with highly regarded professional experience. In 1952, as a research consultant, he focused on a study of public school classes for severely retarded children in the Minneapolis-St. Paul area. As a vocational rehabilitation counselor with the Minnesota Department of Education, assisted physically and mentally disabled persons to become employable through a psychological program of services.

He was a counseling psycology intern for nearly five years at the VA Hospitals in Minneapolis and St. Cloud. Then as a counseling psychologist, he worked with the treatment and orientation of patients. He practiced at the Veterans Administration Hospital in St. Cloud until 1960. He later moved the Lancaster, WI, where he was employed at the Grant County Mental Health Center.

In 1963 he moved to Manitowoc where he served as chief clinical psychologist at Manitowic City Mental Health Center. Dr. Kiland joined Marshfield Clinic in December 1971. He continued his education throughout his career, participating in numerous workshops.

He was a member of the American Psychological Association, American Psychological Society, American Statistical Association, Animal Behavior Society, New York Academy of Science, Institute of Rational Therapy and was a life member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Dr. Kiland was active in the 1970s and 1980s with the University of Wisconsin Center Marshfield-Wood County Campus Community Players.

He was an avid photographer and enjoyed and excelled at taking pictures of nature. His photographs brought joy to many.

He is survived by his wife Bette of Marshfield; a son Mark of Whitefish Bay, WI; two daughters, Robyn Davis of Waunakee, WI and Julie Kiland of Madison, WI; a granddaughter, Maribeth Davis; a brother G. Jack of Henderson, NV and his mother Marjorie Kiland of Las Vegas, NV.

He was preceded in death by his father, Raymond Kiland who died September 15, 1972.

Memorials may be given in Dr. Kiland's name to the Marshfield Medical Research and Education Foundation for cancer research or Region No. 11 Cancer Information Service, 1930 Monroe St., Suite 302, Madison, WI 53711.

Kendrick M. Fincher, 13

Rogers, AR — Kendrick Michael Fincher, 13, died Friday, August 25 at Arkansas Children's Hospital in Little Rock, AR, after admission August 7 for complications of heat stroke.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, September 1 at the Evangelical Free Church in Newfolden with Rev. Gary Barrett officiating. Special music will be by organist Donna Mae Hogberg and soloist Myles Hogberg. Selections will be "Take My Hand Precious Lord" and "Over the Sunset Mountain." Congregational hymns are "Children of the Heavenly Father" and "Amazing Grace." A "Ballon Ceremony" will follow the service at the church on Friday and a slide show of Kendrick's life will take place during the service.

Casketbearers are Randy Fincher, Rolland Roseland, Bobby Fincher, Troy Brandon, Shane Pederson, Chris Brandon, Dustin Fincher and Randy Pederson. Honorary casketbearers are all of Kendrick's cousins. Interment will be at Bethleham Cemetery, New Solum township, Marshall county.

Kendrick Michael Fincher was born February 5, 1982 in Grand Forks, ND, the son of Mike Day Fincher and Rhonda Lynn Roseland Fincher. He collected baseball cards and comic cards and enjoyed playing his favorite sport, baseball. He was a loving son and friend and will be missed by many. He attended Harvest Park Middle School in Pleasanton, CA, Kindergarten and first grade in Boulder, CO and he also attended Shaffer Elementary School in Littleton, CO. Kendrick moved to the Rogers area in 1995 from Pleasanton, CA.

He is survived by his parents Mike and Rhonda Fincher of Rogers, AR; one sister Keegan Fincher; maternal grandparents, John and Darlene Roseland of Newfolden; maternal great-grandmother Agnes Klopp of Argyle; paternal grandfather Bob Fincher of East Grand Forks; paternal grandmother Deanna Koburi of Albuquerque, NM and paternal step grandmother, Dorothy Fincher of Mundelin, IL.

A tearful Kimberly Mellery waves to well-wishers following her coronation as the 42nd Princess Kay of the Milky Way Wednesday, August 23, at the Minnesota State Fairgrounds in St. Paul. She is the 20-year-old daughter of William and Barbara Mellery of Shafer and represented Region 2, which includes the counties of Anoka, Chisago, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Kanabec, Pine, Aitkin, Carlton, St. Louis, Itasca and Koochiching. Runners-up were Renee Hertwig, 18, of Swenville and Tina Ruhland, 20, of Watkins. Region 1 representative crowned in Thief River Falls June 13 was Natalie Foltz, 18, of Calloway. Contestants in the Princess Kay contest at all levels of competition are judged on their communication skills, personality, commitment to dairy promotion and general knowledge of the dairy industry.

St. Anne's Court #855 of the National Catholic Society of Foresters awarded a Scholarship to Christopher Venyo who will be attending Northland Community and Technical College this fall. Presenting him with the check are Vice President Virginia Carriere and President Linda Hogemen. Scholerships are given to members who attend NCTC. If students attend NCTC for two years, they are given a scholership for each year.

Tammy Audette earns pin from Women of Today

Tammy Audette, a member of the Thief River Falls Women of today since January of 1992, has received a Presidential Pin from the Minnesota Women of Today in recognition of commitment to her local chapter.

Nominated by the local chapter but selected by the state president, Audette received the award at the summer awards program in St. Cloud.

Audette currently serves as secretary, newsletter editor and co-local program manager for membership in the local chapter and has helped in some way in each of the chapter's meetings, socials and projects during the first quarter of the present club year.

A community service, fellowship and leadership training organization, the Women of Today meets on the second Wednesday of each month at the Elks club rooms. Guests are welcome. For more information call Kim Quade at 681-4465.

MHFA Housing rehabilitation loans becoming available

Inter-County Community Council of Oklee will be accepting applications for the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency Deferred and Revolving Loan Programs starting immediately. The loans can be used for basic and necessary improvements, such as electrical wiring, plumbing, roofing, heating, insulation, doors and windows.

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Interested persons should contact Inter-County Community Council, Box 189, Oklee, MN 56742 for an application, or call 796-5144 for more information.

4-H record judging is September 20-21

Judging of Pennington county 4-H records will take place Wednesday and Thursday, September 20 and 21, in the courthouse meeting room in Thief River Falls.

Records to the judged must be turned in to the county extension office no later than September 18. Also due on that date are all award forms such as honor club, conservation, electric and demonstrations.

Each club is asked to provide adults to serve as judges. No prior experience is necessary and the judging process is helpful for adults who are new to the 4-H program. An average of five to six adults from each club is needed.

Judging sessions will be held from 12:45 to 4 and 6:45 to 10 p.m. each day with 10 to 12 adults needed to judge at each session.

The annual county 4-H awards banquet will take place Sunday, October 22, from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. at the Eagles club rooms in Thief River Falls. Awards presentation will follow the meal at 2 p.m.

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Teresa Miller to assist with TRF Stampede rodeo

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National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, NV, in December.

She has been riding horses since she was a youngster, in open horse shows and as a 4-H club members. She participated in the state 4-H horse show four times and finished 10th out of 24 entrants in Western Horsemanship one year.

"I had a wonderful quarterhorse that could do it all," she said. "I showed him at halter, used him in barrels and other games and rode him in Western Pleasure and English Pleasure. I had him for six or seven years before he finally got too old."

For the past 10 years she has been giving private riding lessons to youngsters, primarily in the 4-H club program in her home county of Hubbard. She also trains and shows horses.

Teresa assisted 1995 Miss Rodeo Minnesota pageant director Tracy Olson with this year's event also held at Park Rapids. Tracy finished as runner-up to Teresa at the 1994 event and they share a strong interest in rodeo.

Crowned this year was Rachel Boyce of Menahga, who will succeed Teresa as Miss Rodeo Minnesota in 1996. Rachel may also be on hand for the Stampede to gain additional experience for her coming reign.

As a background for her reign as Miss Rodeo Minnesota, in addition to her horsemanship, Teresa was an honor roll student and athlete in high school, president of her 4-H club for six years, horse club member and a participant on the high school speech team.

Teresa is five feet six inches tall, has brown hair and green eyes. A certified dental technician, she worked as a clinical assistant in Richfield until returning home due to an illness in her family a short time ago.

She has been going to rodeos nearly every weekend this summer, making appearances at Buffalo, Granite Falls, Park Rapids, Detroit Lakes, the Twin Cities and elsewhere in addition to Thief River Falls and several others coming up shortly after the Stampede. She plans to go back to school to study dental hygiene at some point in the future.

In preparation for the Miss Rodeo America pageant she has been taking riding lessons to refine her horsemanship, studying the rules and regulations of professional rodeo and becoming familiar with as much of the PRCA as possible. She has also been doing as much public speaking as she can to gain more poise and confidence in that area of meeting the public. At Park Rapids this year she was guest speaker for the middle school's D.A.R.E. program graduation.

"I like talking to people," Teresa said. "I'm really a pretty down-to-earth person. I encourage people to come up and say 'Hi' when they see me in Thief River Falls. If I don't have to be doing something in the arena, I'll be happy to talk a little rodeo with them."

Teresa said she is looking forward to the national contest but is a little nervous about it. More experience in the next couple of months should reduce that anxiety.

The Miss Rodeo Minnesota program is undergoing a revival and needs some state-wide support and sponsorships to get on the fast track. People like Teresa, who is participating primarily at her own expense for the love of the sport and the experience she can gain, can't help but add to the integrity and sincerity of the program.

Argyle group home is given $2,500 grant

Marshall County Group Homes, Inc., in Argyle has received a grant of $2,500 from the Hartz Foundation to assist with cost of reshingling the building, according to Sue Holter, administrator.

The home for developmentally disabled individuals has received at least $16,500 from the Foundation over the past few years, Holter said, and its continuing support is greatly appreciated by the home's board, staff and individuals served.

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4th Stampede this weekend to be 'Western'

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six time Badlands Circuit champ.

Young participants include Dee Forrest Jr. of West Memphis, AR, who is in third place in his circuit as a PRCA rookie and won the Guts 'N Glory bareback title in Detroit Lakes, and Troy M. Meech of Sebeka, who had the top score of 89 among 45 bull rides at the rodeo in Detroit Lakes.

Contestants will be aiming for a number of TRF Stampede records.

Shawn Frey of Norman, OK, set the bareback record of 80 points on 'Joe Kool' in 1992 when the first Stampede was held outdoors. The indoor mark of 79 was set by Marvin Garrett of Belle Fourche, SD, on "Miss Fit" in 1993 and tied by Ken Lensegrav of Rapid City, SD, last year on "Copenhagen Brown Bomber."

Cody Lambert of Henrietta, TX, holds the saddle bronc record of 80 points set in 1993 on a re-ride aboard 'Smuggler.'

Bill Huber of Albia, IA, set the calf roping record of 8.3 seconds last year.

Troy Brown of Harrold, SD, set the steer wrestling record of 4.7 seconds outdoors in 1992. Ross Rote of Madison, WI, set the indoor record of 5.0 seconds in 1993.

Barrel racer Rayna Prewitt of Sidney, MT, turned in a time of 13.13 seconds in 1994 to set the record in that event.

Record bull rides for 83 points were both set on a little bull named "Tar Baby Jr." David Bailey Jr. of Tahlequah, OK, set the record outdoors in 1992 and it was tied indoors in 1993 by Scott Breding of Columbus, MT.

Bailey, who was the only bull rider to post a score at the 1992 Stampede, took home the record individual Stampede pay-off to date of $3,344.50.

"Red" Lemmel to defend saddle bronc title here

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The PRCA counts points at up to 125 rodeos a year, and "Red" usually competes in 130 to 140 rodeos a year. He rodeos year-around and his schedule keeps him away from home more than he would like.

"I guess he gets to see a lot of the country," Carmen said in a *Times* interview late last week, "although a lot of it is at night while driving from one rodeo to another."

Carmen said that the hardest thing for "Red" in being on the road so much is that "he misses a lot of firsts with the kids—the first steps, the first grin, even Brad's first 4-H rodeo."

But she said that "Red" was rodeoing when they were married and she knew what his schedule was. And it's exciting for her and the children when they get a chance to go to rodeos and watch him ride. The biggest thrill came in going to Las Vegas in 1993 to watch him in the National Finals.

So far this year "Red" has been relatively free of injuries. He had one mishap where one rib slid up over another but there were no fractures and he kept on riding. He has had collarbone and ribs broken in prior years.

Carmen said "Red" has no plans for quitting the business soon. "It's his life and our life," she said. "We're kind of used to it."

Twomey takes part in program at St. Benedict

Kamille Twomey, daughter of Chris and Darla Twomey of Thief River Falls and a senior at Lincoln high school this fall, attended the Governor's Scholars Program at the College of St. Benedict August 6-11.

Theme of the program was to create a community which values all people and focused on service to the community.

Throughout the week the scholars participated in various community service projects in the St. Cloud area and discussed issues in diversity, racism, ethical leadership, cultural diversity in the workplace and racial bias in the judicial system. At the end of the week the scholars were commissioned to service projects in their own communities dealing with diversity.

The College of St. Benedict is a Catholic liberal arts college for women located at St. Joseph.

Open house for Rose Gust

There will be an open house for Rose Gust's 88th birthday on Sunday, September 17 from 12:30 to 3 p.m. at St. Joseph's Community Center of Benwood. A polka Mass will be held at 11:15 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

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SEPT. 4 LABOR DAY CLOSED	SEPT. 5 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	SEPT. 6 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	SEPT. 7 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	SEPT. 8 FISH FRY 5:30-8:30 COUNTRY CARGO 9-Closing	SEPT. 9 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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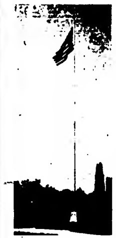

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Pennington County Dive Rescue team receives dry suits

Members of the Pennington County Dive Rescue Squad generally go about their business without attracting much attention. Because of the organization's willingness to travel and help where it can, however, it is beginning to attract attention.

Pennington County Dive Rescue Squad was formed a number of years ago. Slowly the group has been growing and acquiring equipment to aid them in search and rescue opportunities. Recently, the group obtained five new dry suits through the generosity of Arctco, the Fourtown-Grygla Sportsman's Club, Eagles Club, and VFW. Four of the suites were valued at about $1,400, and a fifth at $1,580. The suits are important because they allow rescue personnel to operate in all kinds of weather conditions, including extremely cold conditions. The suits also cut back on the amount of time it takes an officer to prepare for a rescue as team members can simply slip the suits over their clothing.

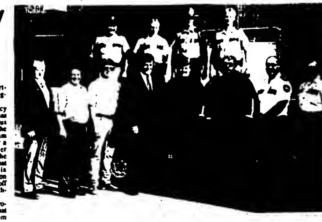
The same day the rescue team announced that they had received the suits, they were called to an emergency on the river. Although the emergency was over by the time they arrived, they were prepared.

Members of the team include individuals from a number of law enforcement agencies: Cal Michaels of the Minnesota State Patrol, Tony Arhart, Tom Provost and John Velsvaag of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources; Ray Kuznia and Mike Hruby of the Pennington County Sheriff's department; and Craig Mattson and James Hulteen of the Thief River Falls police department. The squad leader is Pennington County Sheriff Gerald Moe.

As the team is a multi-agency cooperative venture, the team has been participating in numerous search and rescue attempts in the region. Most recently, the team was involved in a search for a woman missing in Clearwater County on Anderson lake. The search began July 29 after the boat she was believed to have been in was found floating unoccupied on the lake. The search was called off after six days of intensive searching.

Officer Jim Hulteen said the project was a cooperative venture that involved rescue personnel from many agencies. He said the search was complicated by the murky condition of the water. At times, visibility ended about six inches in front of their faces. He noted that ordinary citizens even came out to provide searchers with food and *water as they conducted the search.*

In the future, the Pennington County Dive Rescue team will probably make an even bigger splash as it is expected to consider reorganization to include other law enforcement agencies.



Pennington County Dive Rescue Squad received new dry suits following donations from Arctco, the Fourtown-Grygla Sportsman's Club, Eagles Club, and VFW. The squad will receive five suits, four valued at about $1,400 each and one valued at $1,580. Members of the Pennington County Dive Rescue Squad include: Cal Michaels of the Minnesota State Patrol, Tony Arhart, Tom Provost and John Velsvaag of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Ray Kuznia and Mike Hruby of the Pennington County Sheriff's department, and Craig Mattson, and James Hulteen of the Thief River Falls police department. The squad leader is Pennington County Sheriff Gerald Moe. The dry suits are made by O.S. Systems and will allow squad members to enter the water under all conditions.

ELCA Bishop Hermodson to be installed

Rev. Arlen D. Hermodson, who will be installed as bishop of the Northwestern Minnesota Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America September 16 at 1 p.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church in Moorhead, has ties to the Thief River Falls area.

A native of Crookston, Rev. Hermodson has been serving as senior pastor of Grace Lutheran Church in Ada since 1988. His wife is the former Marilyn Waale, daughter of the late Tom and Anna Waale, long-time residents of Thief River Falls.

About 35 years ago Rev. Hermodson served pastorates at Telemarken Lutheran Church near Goodridge and the Lutheran churches in Middle River and Strathcona.

Rev. and Mrs. Hermodson have two daughters presently living in Thief River Falls—Mrs. Mike (Beth) Coppock and Lynne Hermodson. Mike and Beth are both employed at Digi-Key Corporation and have a daughter, Rachel. Lynne is a daycare provider.

Rev. Hermodson was elected to the six-year office June 11 and will succeed Rev. Arthur Rimmereid, who is retiring August 31 after a four-year term.

Work day at Norris Camp September 2

A volunteer work day at Norris Camp, the headquarters of the Red Lake Wildlife Management Area, has been scheduled for Saturday, September 2, beginning at 10 a.m.

The project will include repair and painting of the old power house and fixing up the inside of the camp's kitchen. Volunteers are asked to bring old clothes suitable for use in painting and repair, food for a potluck dinner and a favorite hammer or saw if they are good at carpentry.

Work is being done with a $300 donation received from an anonymous organization. Music, croquet and horseshoe will also be part of the day's activity. Call 218-783-6861 for directions to the camp if needed.

Chancellor Judith Easton of MnSCU visits Northland

Dr. Judith Eaton, chancellor of Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU), is visiting Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls today (Wednesday, August 30).

Dr. Eaton is scheduled to address faculty, staff, area legislators and community members at 2:30 p.m. in the college theater. A reception will follow in the college cafeteria.

Invitations have been extended to a number of individuals and organizations in the community. Interested members of the public who did not receive invitations are also welcome.

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Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
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Rev. and Mrs. Palmer Wold of Mankato were Saturday visitors at the Huglen home on a recent Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Wold is the former Ruth Gudim and has several cousins in the community.

Tuesday evening, Arnold and Varnice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Sybil Peterson.

September Birthday and Anniversaries

September Birthdays 2-Aric Skadsem. 3-Minnie Haugen. 4-Joan Lee, Joan Roppe. 7-Paul Saldal. 6-Melvin Lea, Ron Anderson, 9-Mona Olson, Jackie Magner, Katie Waterworth. 10-Alica Knutson. 11-Aaron Skadsem, Larry Larson. 12-Scott Swenson, Diana Tiani, Carol Waterworth, Beth Moen. 13-Richard Moen, Gene Magner, Dayne Gustafson. 14-John Nelson. 15-Anita Skadsem, Lucille Tunheim, Betty Waterworth. 16-Evelyn Skjervan. 18-Susan Nelson. 19-Darlene Rosaland, Greg Undardahl, Kenny Cwikla. 21-Keith Hodne, Lisa Busch. 22-Kristan Rokke. 23-Roger Garfva, Lauren Dondelinger, Scott Larson. 24-Jerome Nelson, Irene Molsknass. 26-Cheryl Eveland. 27-Blanche Waterworth. 28-Tina Garfva, Bill Waterworth, Ingrid Flaten. 30-Amber Wilson, Jason Bring.

September Anniversaries 1-Clyde and Beverly Swenson, Brian and Tammie Carlson. 2-Arlynn and Donna Tunheim. 5-Sherman and Diana Lysne. Bill and Betty Waterworth. 6-Alfred and Judy Hagenbeck. Rod and Lynn Hagenbeck. 14-Kenny and Sybil Cwikla. 20-Brad and Mona Olson. 22-Chuck and Sherry Olson.

Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the LaVel Thun home were Arnold and Varnice Larson and Wally and Phyllis Larson.

Visitors recently at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson home were Janet Garthus, Julie Kleinvachter and Stacey, Ron Lorenson, Kent Kleinvachter, Jeanette Roberson, Wanda Melvie, Keith Solberg.

Friday evening, August 18th, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson invited Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson over for the evening and also to eat supper with them enjoying a very tasty meal.

Sunday those that visited and enjoyed dinner at the Gladys Erickson farm were Roy and Laura Roppe, Frank and Harriet Kujava, Lester and Carolyn Larson and Melvin and Hilma Loe.

Saturday afternoon, Lillie Olson visited with Helen Sorenson in Thief River Falls.

Samantha Rose came to spend a week with her Grandma Lucille Skadsem.

Beverly Erickson visited with Mark and Jane Schaumberg and Matt on Saturday afternoon enjoying the Ox Cart Days and crafts.

Rev. Eugene and Iris Floistad of Motley and Lloyd and Harryet Larson went to the Koenagers on August 10th. Floistads were houseguests of Lloyd and Harryet until Saturday.

Florence Berg visited over coffee with Frances Gerszewski one day last week.

Friday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh.

Harryet Larson visited with Ruth Johnson on August 14th also brought birthday wishes to Barbara Johnson.

Harvey Skyberg was a Saturday afternoon, August 19th visitor and had coffee with Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson.

Friday evening those that helped Chuck Olson celebrate his birthday were Jerome and Patty Nelson, Bert and Adeline Roppe, Lillie Olson, Lyle and Becky Olson, Ryan Olson and LaDawn Henson.

Sunday visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Ingvold and Mae Borreson, Kim and Lynsby of Strathcona, Dean and Mary Anderson and Jill, Jason Erickson and Brian Gillund.

Dinner guests at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson on Sunday were Julie Kleinvachter and Stacey, Lance and Madeline Solberg of Grand Forks. In the afternoon Julie, Stacey and Harryet attended a baby shower for Elizabeth Ann Kezar daughter of Todd and Manon Kezar at the Nazareth Lutheran church in Holt.

Elizabeth Wojciechowski of Greenbush and Bill Blawat of Cudahy, WI visited with Pete and Frances Gerszewski on August 16th in the afternoon.

Sunday afternoon, visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Steve and Joyce Larson, Sadie, Molly and Jessie of Warroad, Stanley Larson, Todd and Kari Jasme and Collin, Carol Ness, Sybil Cwikla, Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Josh and Andy.

Harryet Larson had luncheon with Delores Carlson, Dorothy Williams, Vivian Carlson, Mildred Peterson, Carman Larson at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Wednesday, August 16th.

Mrs. Curt Thompson enjoyed a lovely visit on Monday, August 21st when Mrs. Marvin Nelson and Mrs. Duane Kotrba came and spent the afternoon enjoying coffee and goodies while visiting. Harvey Skyberg was a supper guest at the Curt Thompson home that evening and later on Lisa Wilson, Jeremy, Jayme, Amber and Meckenzie drove out from Thief River Falls and we spent a lovely evening. Lisa brought along a peach pie which we had with ice cream. Jeremy stayed overnight and Grandpa and Grandma took him home in the forenoon as Grandma had an eye doctor's appointment. Jeremy mowed and trimmed the yard and helped Grandpa out at the church awhile in the early forenoon.

Thursday evening visitors at the Alvina Stevens home were Kenneth and Henning Haugen, Vi Moen and Lillie Olson.

Tuesday, Beverly Erickson visited at the Dean Anderson home.

Monday afternoon, Varnice Larson visited with Sue Dondelinger and family.

Harryet Larson attended the Esther circle at the Nazareth Lutheran church Thursday afternoon. Marlys Sagstuen was the hostess.

Tuesday, Andy and Josh Larson visited and helped Grandma Varnice Larson with some work.

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Team penning finals in TRF this Sunday

by Mary Anderson
Northern Minnesota Team Penning Secretary

Northern Minnesota Team Penning finals will be held at the Pennington County Fairgrounds horse arena in Thief River Falls Sunday, September 3, beginning at noon.

This will be the final event in a four-event series and approximately 200 teams are expected to participate in the four divisions. There is no admission charge and the public is invited to bring a lawn chair and enjoy the entertainment.

Other contests in the 1995 series have been at Red Lake Falls in June with 134 teams entered, followed by pennings in July at the Marshall County Fair in Warren with 164 teams and the Roseau County Fair in Roseau with 178 teams entered.

Team penning is not new to this area and has been successful in drawing a large number of teams from the surrounding communities. Two years ago representatives of the four communities involved in the series got together to form a circuit that would give away added prizes at the final. It has proven to draw from a wide area and added excitement for local cowboys and cowgirls.

Team penning begins with a herd of 21 cattle at one end of an enclosed arena. Animals in the herd are numbered from 0 through 6 in groups of three. Three riders compete at a time and the number of the cattle they are to pen is announced as the team members cross a time line from the opposite end of the arena to begin their ride.

The riders must cut out the three like-numbered cattle they have been assigned and move them from the herd to a pen at the other end of the arena. Teams have 90 seconds to pen their three animals and are disqualified if more than four cattle cross the time line.

The team that pens its cattle in the shortest time is the winner. An added feature this year will be an electronic timer so spectators can witness the exact progress of each team.

There are four divisions in this year's competition. The Open Division is for riders who collected more than $200 in team penning events held last year. In the Amateur Division, entrants may select their own team members. In the Two on Two Division, the team number is reduced to two members and they must pen two cattle. The Youth Division is for riders under the age of 15.

Teams in the Open, Amateur and Two on Two divisions ride for cash prizes and Montana Silver Buckles with the fastest 10 teams in each division competing among themselves for additional prizes.

In the finals on Sunday, there will be added prizes of saddles to the fastest teams in the Open Division and breast collars in the Two and Two and Amateur divisions. In order to compete in the finals at Thief River Falls, teams must have competed in at least two of the three previous events at Red Lake Falls, Warren and Roseau.

The Youth Division is run as a draw for partners with each rider collecting points in the four pennings. There will be buckles awarded to the fastest youth team and other prizes for lower place finishers. The top point Youth Division penners in the series will receive Montana Silver Buckles.

Jill Anderson of Newfolden is currently leading in the competition with 17 points, followed by Jamie Kalt of Warren with 15 and Kenner Gervais of Red Lake Falls with 14. Since there is a two ride limit in the Youth Division, it is possible to pick up 11 points in Thief River Falls. Therefore other riders who are close behind the leaders in the Youth Division have a chance to win the trophy buckles in the final round of competition.

Entrants in the team penning division pay entry fees which determine the amount of cash payback. Sponsors provide the added incentive of prizes and buckles.

Sponsors for the finals in Thief River Falls are Manderud Brothers Trucking, Goodridge; Reichert Saddlery, Leonard; Yellow Rose Ranch, Erskine; St. Hilaire Co-op Elevator, Quality Liquid Feed, Land O Lakes, Amoco 24, Rusty Nail, Arctco, Pennington County Fair Board and North Star Sports, all of Thief River Falls.

Tom and Pat Wallace of Greenbush have done an excellent job in their first year of providing cattle for the pennings. They are contributing $300 in added money for the finals as well as horse blankets for prizes in the Youth Division.

Persons with questions may call Tom Scheef at 681-1461 or Mary Anderson at 874-4793.

Mike Barry accepts an award from Chamber of Commerce President Regan Rohl. The award was a beautification award for work at Pennington Square in Thief River Falls.

Thief River Falls Golf Club received a Beautification award from the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce for its efforts on what is called the L.B. Hartz corner at the golf course. The award was presented by Robert Carlson (left) and Rick Reierson (center), by Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce President Regan Rohl.

WIC will be held in Oklee and Red Lake Falls

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of September.

Infants and children up to the age of five and women who are pregnant or breast feeding may be eligible for the program. Prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby and it is important to apply for WIC early in the pregnancy. No proof of pregnancy is needed.

All potential clients must write or call WIC and complete an application.

The following is the schedule for WIC clinics to be held in Red Lake county this month:

- September 12 at Oklee Community Center
- September 7 at Red Lake Falls Community Center.

Note: Immunizations will now be given by the county nurses. Contact Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls at 681-5950 or in Red Lake Falls at 253-4378 for dates and times.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/EPS, Quin County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 1-218-253-2125.

The WIC program must treat everyone the same. A person cannot be treated unfairly because of race, color, national origin, age, sex or handicap. If you feel you have been treated unfairly, write Administrator, Food and Nutrition Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

Hot weather, scab threat to storage of small grain crop

Hot weather and scab are threats to small grain producers trying to preserve the quality of this year's crop and avoid spoilage after harvest, according to Bill Wilcke, agricultural engineer with the University of Minnesota's extension service.

"If you harvest small grains at a moisture content above 14 per cent, artificial drying is necessary," Wilcke reminds. "Gas-fired drying is fast and usually reliable. Adjust the dryer temperature to keep kernel temperature below 140 degrees for milling wheat and below 100 degrees for seed wheat."

Natural-air drying is normally a good alternative to gas-fired drying, but the risk of spoilage in damp grain is high during warm weather. Mold is likely if grain wetter than about 16 per cent moisture is held very long when the average daily temperature (night time low plus day time high, divided by two) is above 65 degrees.

Gas-fired drying is considered the best course if it is necessary to harvest wet grain during warm weather. "If natural-air drying is the only option available, it would be best to delay harvest until grain moisture or outdoor temperatures drop," Wilcke said. "Check the Minnesota Extension Service publication FS-5949, 'Wheat and Barley Drying,' for more information.

Once grain is dry, Wilcke recommends trying to cool it to less than 60 degrees as soon as possible. At this time of the year, when daytime temperatures are still high, it might be necessary to put aeration fans on a thermostat, or to just run them at night, to adequately cool grain.

"Don't worry about the higher relative humidity associated with night time air," Wilcke said. "Cooling occurs much faster than re-wetting. Later this fall, operate fans to cool grain to about 40 degrees and then run the fans again in late fall to cool grain to about 25 degrees for winter storage."

Limited laboratory research on storage of scab-infected wheat indicates that scab does cause wheat to deteriorate slightly faster than sound wheat.

"Cleaning wheat before storage will reduce storage risk slightly," Wilcke said, "but the difference in storage life between sound and scabby wheat appears to be relatively small, so there shouldn't be any problem storing scabby wheat if you use good judgment.

"If you can't clean scabby wheat before storage, at least use a spreader when filling bins to distribute fines and chaff that accumulate under the fill spout. Aerate bins as described in this article to cool grain as quickly as possible after bin filling."

Marshall county museum open for next two months

Marshall County Historical Society's museum at the fairgrounds in Warren will be open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m. through August.

Museum hours during September will be 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Wednesday and at other times by appointments. Call 218-745-4803 for an appointment.

Construction on Hwy. 32 now underway

Minnesota Department of Transportation has begun construction on Highway 32 from Red Lake Falls to St. Hilaire in Pennington and Red Lake counties.

According to Todd Broadwell, MnDOT's resident engineer in the Thief River Falls office, the work will consist of cracking the existing concrete pavement, placing a new bituminous surface, adding aggregate shouldering, and culvert repairs. Thorson Inc. of Bemidji is the contractor. The project is expected to be completed in 35 working days.

Traffic will be maintained on the road during the entire construction project with the use of flaggers and a pilot vehicle to lead traffic through the construction area. MnDOT is reminding motorists that work zone safety is everyone's responsibility. Drivers are asked to be safe and smart in doing their part to avoid work zone accidents.

Gas prices down for Labor Day

Motorists traveling this Labor Day will find prices down, according to AAA Minnesota. The average price of unleaded self-serve gasoline is $1.158 per gallon. This is six cents lower than it was over the Fourth of July holiday, when the price was $1.218 per gallon.

Area cities receive government aid

(Continued from Page 1)

8,163, received $1,861,859 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $1,905,743 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 2.4 per cent. ($233.46 per resident) HACA to Crookston in 1996 will be $523,753, a decrease from $533,839 in 1995.

East Grand Forks, with a population of 8,947, received $1,495,413 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $1,519,972 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 1.6 per cent. ($169.89 per resident) HACA to East Grand Forks will be $454,934 in 1996, a decrease from $470,323 in 1995.

Goodridge, with a population of 105, received $22,290 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $22,699 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 1.8 per cent. ($216.18 per resident) HACA to Goodidge in 1996 will be $2,018, a decrease from 52,095 in 1995.

Greenbush, with a population of 808, received $139,717 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $142,513 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 2.0 per cent. ($176.38 per resident) HACA to Greenbush in 1996 will be 535,198, a decrease from $36,086 in 1995.

Grygla, with a population of 221, received $35,164 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $35,525 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 1.0 per cent. ($160.75 per resident) HACA to Grygla in 1996 will be $5,531, a decrease from $5,780 in 1995.

Hallock, with a population of 1,300, received $272,163 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $281,166 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 3.3 per cent. ($216.28 per resident) HACA to Hallock in 1996 will be $66,716, a decrease from $68,317 in 1995.

Holt, with a population of 103, received $7,525 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $7,803 in 1996 local government aid, a 3.7 per cent increase. ($75.76 per resident) HACA to Holt will be $1,112 in 1996, a decrease from $1,171 in 1996.

Karlstad, with a population of 873, received $126,839 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $131,412 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 3.6 per cent. ($150.53 per resident) HACA to Karlstad in 1996 will be $42,464, a decrease from $43,463 in 1995.

Middle River, with a population of 283, received $26,801 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $27,756 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 3.6 per cent. ($98.07 per resident) HACA to Middle River in 1996 will be $1,963, a decrease from $2,212 in 1995.

Newfolden, with a population of 342, received $57,522 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $58,688 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 2.0 per cent. ($171.60 per resident) HACA to Newfolden will be $12,850 in 1996, a decrease from $13,196 in 1995.

Oklee, with a population of 429, received $88,628 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $90,343 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 1.9 per cent. ($210.59 per resident) HACA to Oklee in 1996 will be $27,952, a decrease from $28,445 in 1995.

Plummer, with a population of 277, received $47,684 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $48,684 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 2.1 per cent. ($175.75 per resident) HACA to Plummer in 1996 will be $23,191 in 1996, a decrease from $23,589 in 1995.

Red Lake Falls, with a population of 1,481, received $335,438 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $344,877 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 2.8 per cent. ($232.87 per resident) HACA to Red Lake Falls will be $140,944 in 1996, a decrease from $142,166 in 1995.

Roseau, with a population of 2,578, received $245,120 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $251,383 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 2.6 per cent. ($97.51 per resident) HACA to Roseau will be $134,737 in 1996, a decrease from $141,073 in 1995.

St. Hilaire, with a population of 302, received $20,568 in local government aid, but will receive $21,412 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 4.1 per cent. ($70.90 per resident) HACA to St. Hilaire will be $23,382 in 1996, a decrease from $23,781 in 1995.

Thief River Falls, with a population of 8,043, received $1,165,115 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $1,205,051 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 3.4 per cent. ($149.83 per resident) HACA to Thief River Falls will be $512,181 in 1996, a decrease from $523,240 in 1995.

Viking, with a population of 95, received $20,999 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $21,350 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 1.7 per cent. ($224.74 per person) HACA to Viking in 1996 will be $2,938, a decrease from $2,986 in 1995.

Warren, with a population of 1,789, received $237,860 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $251,378 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 5.7 per cent. ($140.51 per resident) HACA to Warren in 1996 will be $46,094, a decrease from $47,902 in 1995.

Warroad, with a population of 1,815, received $85,606 in 1995 local government aid, but will receive $90,330 in 1996 local government aid, an increase of 5.5 per cent. ($49.77 per resident) HACA to Warroad in 1996 will be $37,555, a decrease from $41,486 in 1995.

7th District museums to receive grants

Congressman Collin Peterson, DFL-7th District) has announced that four museums in the 7th District have received grants totaling over $165,000 from the Institute of Museum Services (IMS). The general operating support grants are for a two-year period.

"More than 1,000 museums from across the country applied for these grants, but only 275 were funded," Peterson said. "As a result, these four 7th District museums will be able to strengthen current programs and continue doing what they do best: educating, informing, fascinating, inspiring, and enriching the lives of those who visit."

The four 7th District museums receiving grants are: the Stearns County Historical Society, $70,317; the REgional Science Center at Moorhead State University, $50,490; the Otter Tail County Historical Museum, $30,112; and the Roseau County Historical Museum and Interpretive Center $14,905.

All museums receiving the IMS general operating support grants have demonstrated outstanding performance in all areas of museum operations. To apply, each institution had to perform a complete self-evaluation involving every aspect of their operation from collections care and maintenance to educational programs and exhibits. Applications were evaluated by peer reviewers, professionals in the museum field with an overage of 13 years of experience.

Law enforcement investigates local woman's death

Twenty-nine-year-old Kim Berglund, Thief River Falls, was found dead in a garage at a North township residence.

Pennington county sheriff's department received a report of the incident on August 26 at 6:04 p.m. Although the sheriff's department, Pennington county coroner's office and the Thief River Falls police department are investigating, no foul play is suspected.

An obituary for Berglund appears in this issue of The Times.

Strandquist

The Strandquist seniors met at the Center on Thursday with 14 members and guests. A foot clinic was held and with all those toe nails that needed trimming it was an all day session. Some worked on crafts as they waited their turn in the soaking pan. Iris Berggren was the hostess who brought eats for the whole gang. Adeline Stannes went home with the door prize. This Thursday when they meet they will tie like standing and tying quilts, I bet.

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Strandquist girl hired to 4-H post

Jennifer Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Anderson of Strandquist, is serving in an interim position as director of the Martin county 4-H club program, according to an article in the *Fairmont Sentinel*.

Anderson was hired to fill the position on an interim basis until December 15 when the extension educator holding the position returns from Denmark where she is on unpaid sabbatical leave.

One of Anderson's first duties at Martin county was to handle 4-H activities at the county fair. The task was made easier as a result of her serving as a summer assistant in the county extension office during the Marshall County Fair in Warren.

A 1995 graduate of Hamline University in St. Paul where she was a pre-medicine student, Jennifer is a former state 4-H secretary. She visited the Soviet Union under a 4-H exchange program, qualified for the National 4-H Congress in Chicago in 1992 with her citizenship project, returned the following year to conduct orientation at the Congress, established the Hamline University Collegiate 4-H club as a junior and served as its first president.

"I believe so strongly in 4-H," Anderson said in the *Sentinel* article. "The experiences and skills you develop in 4-H, such as leadership skills, are so valuable throughout your life. I like showing kids that 4-H has many benefits for them."

Jennifer hopes to attend medical school in Minnesota next year and become a family practice doctor in rural Minnesota.

HATS OFF TO 4-H

Leader's Council

Pennington county 4-H leader's council was called to order by Vice President Cami Sorenson August 7 at 8 p.m. in the courthouse meeting room in Thief River Falls. Flag pledges were said and roll call was taken. Secretary and treasurer reports were approved as written.

Old business discussed included a reminder to pick up banners, food stand clean-up changes, reminder to members to send thank-you notes to sponsors, report on three 4-H members attending Sandhill Lake Camp, and report on the New York exchange program with nine members and two adults participating. Next year an exchange with Texas is possible.

Cami Sorenson gave a report on Citizenship Washington Focus. State Fair orientation was set for August 17 at 2 p.m. for the first encampment and 2:30 for livestock encampment. County records are due in the county office by September 18. Motion was carried to have a carnival for National 4-H Week the first week in October. Information on the St. Jude's hospital bike-a-thon was included in club packets.

Registration deadline for North Central Leader's Forum in Minneapolis—and only held there every 12 years—was set for September 1. Awards banquet was scheduled for October 22 at the Eagles Club with serving from 12:30 to 1:30 and program at 2 p.m.

September leader's council meeting will be on Tuesday, September 5, at 8 p.m. due to Labor Day holiday. Motion was carried to purchase a framed print of the county fair scene at $300 to present to the Pennington County Board of Commissioners for hanging in the county board room. Shooting Sports camp-out was set for August 12-13.

Jocelyn Helgeland, reporter

Happy Acres

Happy Acres 4-H club held its monthly meeting Monday, August 14, at Valhall. The meeting was called to order by co-president Jana Johnson. Secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved.

A committee was formed to discuss sponsoring a bike-a-thon for St. Jude's Hospital. Poster and display sizes for the county fair were discussed. Awards banquet will be held October 22 at the Eagles hall. State Fair was discussed. A nominating committee is needed for upcoming election of officers. Records must be turned in at the next meeting.

After the meeting members went on a hayride and had a bonfire and lunch.

Ally Torstveit, reporter

Smiley

Smiley 4-H club met August 14 at the Smiley town hall. Brandi Larson called the meeting to order, flag pledges were said and roll call response was answered to, "What's the highlight of your summer?"

It was noted that records must be finished by September 18, county fair food stand was a success and profit amount was shared. Hall of Fame recipient was Clarice Sorteberg and members were reminded to send thank-you notes for awards received at the county fair.

Orientation for state fair was set for Thursday, August 17. First encampment group was to leave August 23 with cost per night in the dorm of $7. Tiffany Lee moved to award $10 to each member exhibiting. Chelsea Helgeland seconded and the motion carried.

Awards banquet was set for Sunday, October 22, in the Eagles club rooms with serving from 12:30 to 1:30 and awards ceremony to follow. Seventy-six children attended day camp on July 18.

Demonstrations were given by Kari Hesse and Brandi Larson. Chelsea Helgeland was in charge of recreation. There were 10 members and five parents present. Next meeting will be September 11 at Smiley hall.

Lisa Sorteberg, reporter

Legislature appropriates $1 million for research to combat scab disease

Minnesota Legislature approved an appropriation in the recently-concluded session to provide $1 million in research funding over the 1996-97 biennium to combat the scab fungus which is a major threat to wheat and barley production in Minnesota.

Bruce Kleven, legislative strategist for the Minnesota Association of Wheat Growers, says the appropriation was the result of a largely non-controversial, bi-partisan effort.

"The only trouble with scab funding came early in the House bill," he said. "The subcommittee that funds the University of Minnesota is dominated by urban legislators, and that subcommittee did not include any funds for wheat and barley scab research."

But in the full education committee, Rep. Jim Tunheim of Kennedy moved to earmark $1 million specifically for scab funding. The committee accepted the motion and scab funding become part of the higher education bill.

Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls carried the bill in the Senate while Rep. Tim Finseth of Angus was the primary sponsor in the House.

The $1 million in funding follows $477,000 allocated by the legislature in 1994 to fight scab, which is estimated to have cost Minnesota farmers over $600 million since the 1993 epidemic.

A scab working group involving wheat and barley leaders and crop researchers from Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Manitoba is coordinating a cooperative research effort on several fronts.

Phil Larsen, professor of plant pathology and coordinator of the scab initiative at the University of Minnesota, says those fronts range from short-term research projects (seed treatment and fungicide tests, tillage and crop residue studies) to long-term research projects (scab-resistant wheat and barley varieties).

"Without this year's funding commitment from the Legislature, we wouldn't be able to sustain this research," states Bruce Homnes, a Wheat Growers member from Stephen. "Whether we have scab this year or not is irrelevant. The bottom line is that scab hasn't been solved yet, and until it is, this disease will continue to shroud Minnesota's small grains industry."

Goodridge

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lledberg and Mrs. Bob Purdy accompanied Mrs. Neil Lledberg to the Christian Academy for supper.

Mrs. Nathan Lledberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home on Wednesday morning.

Jenning Janson of Thief River Falls visited at the Clarence Dahlen home on Sunday afternoon.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Corrina Rolsland and Mrs. Neil Lledberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home.

Orville and Fran Skadsem of Thief River Falls were honored by the Lake Itasca Region Pioneer Farmers, Inc., August 18 by being named King and Queen of the organization's threshing show held east of the north entrance to Itasca State Park. A story about the Skadseme and their participation in the Lake Itasca group will be published in the September 6 edition of The Times.

Lottery sales in TRF top $700,000

Thief River Falls area lottery sales totaled $780,483 in fiscal year 1995 (July 1, 1994-June 30, 1995), a 5.2 per cent increase from fiscal year 1994. Lottery sales for Pennington county during fiscal year 1995 totaled $988,021, a 4.7 per cent increase from fiscal year 1994 sales.

The lottery's statewide fiscal success brought Minnesota more than $81.7 million from lottery sales in fiscal year 1995, bringing the state's total revenue from five years of lottery sales to $414.4 million. Fiscal year sales totaled $335.9 million, a slightly more than one per cent increase over fiscal year 1994 sales of $331.5 million.

The Environment and Natural Resources Trust Fund received $23.9 million from lottery sales in fiscal year 1995. The general fund, the state's largest operating fund, received $57.7 million (including in-lieu-of-sales tax) from fiscal year sales. Lottery statute mandates that 60 per cent of net revenue from lottery sales benefits the general fund, which supports state programs like K-12 education, health care, aid to local governments and public safety. According to the statute, 40 per cent of revenues must benefit the trust fund, which supports environmental projects throughout the state, chosen by the legislature.

The lottery reduced its operating costs by $723,000 from fiscal year 1994 to fiscal year 1995 to $39.1 million, 11.6 per cent of total revenues.

Of the $81.7 million gained by the state from the sale of lottery tickets, Thief River Falls contributed $189,657; Pennington county sales accounted for $218,462. There are nine lottery retailers in Thief River Falls, and 11 in Pennington county.

Retailers in Thief River Falls paid out approximately $352,409 in prizes during the fiscal year, while prizes paid out by retailers in Pennington county totaled about $401,763. (Note: Not all prizes are paid out by retailers.) Thief River Falls retailers earned $42,146 in commissions and incentives in fiscal year 1995. Pennington county retailers overall, earned $48,547.

Charitable gambling meet here Sept. 12

Allied Charities of Minnesota (ACM), the statewide organization of charitable gambling groups, will host an informational meeting for all charitable gambling organizations in the region on Tuesday, September 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the American Legion club rooms in Thief River Falls.

Featured speaker will be King Wilson, executive director of ACM. Region 1 director Duane Lundemo of Roseau will convene the meeting.

"I encourage all ACM members and all other charitable organizations involved in lawful gambling to attend this meeting in their area," said Duane Thompson, president of ACM.

"Those attending will get the most up-to-date information on state and federal changes in charitable gambling and how it is going to affect their organization in the future."

Other topics for discussion will include a legislative wrap-up, an update on Gambling Control Board rules, federal excise tax and UBIT update, 1996 legislative platform and the Fifth Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo program. A general question and answer session will also be included in the program.

The meeting is open to anyone involved in charitable gambling. For more information on the meeting call Duane Lundemo at 218-463-2260.

Hanson herd again leads county DHIA

Mark Hanson dairy herd again led the Pennington County Dairy Herd Improvement Association with 60.7 pounds of milk and 1.84 pounds of butterfat per day during the month of June, according to Randy and Margaret Rasmussen, supervisors.

Seventy-seven per cent of the 62 cows in Hanson's herd were in milk during June and were milked three times a day.

Second place went to the Steve Homrick herd of 42 cows, 88 per cent of which were in milk, with average daily production of 58.1 pounds of milk and 2.14 pounds of butterfat.

Third place herd is owned by Leonard and Marge Geske. During June 98 per cent of the 44-cow herd was in milk and averaged 57.8 pounds of milk and 2.01 pounds of butterfat.

Other herds in the top 10 for June were the following with number of cows, percentage in milk, average pounds of milk and average pounds of butterfat listed respectively:

Lyle Swanson, 56, 86%, 57.5 and 2.09; Walter Bros., 140, 84%, 56.5 and 1.70; Tom Koop, 31, 97%, 55.0 and 2.03; L&R Dairy, 156, 90%, 55.0 and 1.80; Bob Schindler, 57, 84%, 53.0 and 1.81; Dale and Sherry Rupprecht, 5, 100%, 5018 and 1.91; and Ben Kleinwachter, 40, 100%, 50.6 and 1.69.

Since herd overages are determined by using all cows in the herd to give the dairyman a record of the herd's earning power for the month, the number of dry cows will adversely affect the average. There were 24 herds on official DHIA test with the Pennington association in June.

SHOP LOCALLY

School Lunch Menu

Marshall County

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 4 Labor Day*
Tuesday, Sept. 5 Muffin, cereal, juice, milk
Wednesday Sept. 6 Toast, oatmeal, juice, milk
Thursday, Sept. 7 Cinnamon roll, cereal, juice, milk
Friday, Sept. 8 Toast, cereal, fruit, milk

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 4 Labor Day*
Tuesday, Sept. 5 Turkey deli on whole wheat, seasoned potato wedges, sauce, bread and milk
Wednesday, Sept. 6 Italian spaghetti, meat sauce, lettuce salad, apple sauce, bread and milk
Thursday, Sept. 7 Hot ham and cheese, potato chips, gelatin, fruit, bread and milk
Friday, Sept. 8 Barbeque beef on a bun, pork and beans, pickles, pineapple, bread and milk

Goodridge

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 4 Labor Day*
Tuesday, Sept. 5 Cereal, mini-muffins, juice, milk
Wednesday, Sept. 6 Scrambled eggs with ham, toast, juice, milk
Thursday, Sept. 7 Cereal, toast, juice, milk
Friday, Sept. 8 Carmel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk

Lunch:
Monday Sept. 4 Labor Day*
Tuesday, Sept. 5 Chicken nuggets, assorted sauces, green beans, peaches, PJ & PB bread, milk
Wednesday Sept. 6 Hot dogs, French fries, ketchup/mustard, grapes, milk
Thursday Sept. 7 Macaroni salad, meat sandwiches, vegetable sticks, watermelon, milk
Friday, Sept. 8 Pizza, corn, pears, milk

Plummer

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 4 Labor Day*
Tuesday Sept. 5 Cereal, grape juice, milk
Wednesday, Sept. 6 Coffee cake, Berry Berry Kix, orange juice, milk
Thursday, Sept. 7 Cinnamon roll, Cinnamon Life, apple juice, milk
Friday Sept. 8 French toast stix, Frosted Flakes, cranapple juice, milk

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 4 Labor Day*
Tuesday, Sept. 5 Hamburger on a bun, tator tots, lettuce, tomato, onions, pickles, peach/pear sauce
Wednesday, Sept. 6 Chicken nuggets, BBQ or honey, savory fries, dinner roll, fresh fruit, Rice Krispie bar
Thursday, Sept. 7 Wiener toasties, hashbrowns, baked beans, veggies and dip, strawberry shape up juice bar
Friday, Sept. 8 Pepperoni pizza, lettuce salad, butter bread, fresh fruit.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.
Monday, Sept. 4: Labor Day!
Tuesday, Sept. 5: Beef and pepper steak, parslied potatoes, corn, bread, cherry cake, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 6: Ham loaf, boiled potatoes, green beans, bread, peaches, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 7: Meatballs, whipped potatoes, California blend, roll, brownies, milk.
Friday, Sept. 8: Lemon pepper pollock, boiled potatoes, carrots, roll, pears, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Sept. 4: Labor Day.
Tuesday, Sept. 5: Beef cubes over gravy, noodles, steamed tomatoes, lime gelatin, bread and margarine, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 6: French fry casserole, peas and carrots, coleslaw, bread and margarine, milk, blueberry cheesecake.
Thursday, Sept. 7: Meat loaf, paprika potato, mixed vegetable, bread, margarine, baked apple, milk.
Friday evening, Sept. 8: Baked turkey, potatoes, gravy, broccoli, muffins, margarine, butterscotch pudding, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Sept. 4: Baked chicken with orange sauce, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, cherry cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 5: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, cut green beans, tossed salad with Italian dressing, carrot cake, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 6: Roast beef Au Jus, oven browned potatoes, sliced parslied carrots, chocolate pudding, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Thursday, Sept. 7: Ham loaf, Au gratin potatoes, broccoli cuts, apple crisp, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Friday, Sept. 8: Oven crisp chicken, whipped potatoes with gravy, baby whole carrots, marinated vegetable salad, peach sauce, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 4: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix
Tuesday, Sept. 5: Milk, apple juice, Rice Krispies, toast.
Wednesday, Sept. 6: Milk, applesauce, cream of wheat, cinnamon toast.
Thursday, Sept. 7: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.
Friday, Sept. 8: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 4: Bean soup with ham, crackers, cheese sandwich, apple crisp, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 5: Homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans with mushroom soup, bread and butter, peaches, milk
Wednesday, Sept. 6: Macaroni hamburger hotdish, coleslaw salad, cherry jello with mixed fruit, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 7: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, baked beans, pickles, pear Halves, milk.
Friday, Sept. 8: Creamed chicken over biscuits, green beans, applesauce, milk.

Newfolden

Peter and Frances Garszewski attended a funeral of an uncle, Don Gooden on Monday at the St. Michael Catholic church in Grand Forks on their way back they stopped and visited with Bill and Margaret Garszewski of the Warren area.

Sunday evening, Lloyd and Harryet Larson visited at the Donald Larson home bringing birthday wishes to Dolores Rudy.

Vernica Larson went to Middle River on Wednesday afternoon and enjoyed lunch with Carol Ness afterwards Vernica visited and enjoyed coffee with Frances Cwikla.

Gatzke

Congratulations to Reed and Nicol Engelstad of Red Lake Falls who are proud parents of a daughter born on August 10th, who has been named Kylee Nicole. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Engelstad of Gatzke and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lian of Warroad.

RALLY SUNDAY AT TRINITY
Sunday, September 10
9:10 - 10:20 A.M.
SUNDAY SCHOOL
(Classes for nursery - adult)
Call 681-1310 for more information
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Sports Section

Prowlers, Lakers meet in football opener Thursday

Coaches from Detroit Lakes and Thief River Falls will likely hold on to their game films following Thursday's 1995 season-opening high school football match-up at Prowler Field. They may want to look at those films again in October when the playoffs get underway.

The two teams have met in two of the last three Section 8A finals, and there are many who expect the Lakers and Prowlers to be the top two picks again this fall.

To label Detroit Lakes as the pre-season favorite is a no-brainer. The Lakers have won five straight Section 8A titles, and the talent pool is far from dry.

Thief River Falls' status as the Lakers' top challenger is also deserved with successive 6-4, 7-4, 6-4 and 7-4 finishes the past four years, including the two Section 8A runner-up trophies.

"Detroit Lakes has another outstanding football team," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "They've got all their skilled people back on offense, and on defense they have an all-state linebacker. They're going to be awfully tough again this year."

Two seniors are Detroit Lakes headliners – 195-pound Craig Fredrickson, the premiere running-back in Section 8A, according to Mumm, and 210-pound Josh Keys, an all-state linebacker as a junior and the Class AA state track champion in the 300 meter hurdles.

However, Mumm isn't about to sell his team short. "Our expectations are high again this year," he said. "With the 26 seniors, and the numbers we have in the program we've got some talent and we've got some good depth. We should do well."

Quarterback Keith Anderson passed for 1,000 yards as a first-year starter in 1994, and in halfback Nick Chiodo the Prowlers have the quick back that should help open up the middle for the fullback-oriented offense that will rely heavily on 6-4, 190-pound Aaron Ehrenstrom. Josh Harris and Paul Kopari also figure into the backfield plans. Kopari is a junior; the others are seniors.

Replacing a huge starting offensive line presented a major challenge in preseason work, but Mumm liked what he saw in Saturday's Pigskin Preview scrimmages. "It looks like we should be able to run the ball," he said. "I think our line will be as good as it's ever been, and we have some very good backs. Keith throws the ball well. Offensively, we shouldn't miss a beat."

Defensively, the Prowlers are still looking for people to join 5-10, 235-pound Peter Johnson in the line, but they return Ehrenstrom and Paul Gonsorowski at linebacker, along with Chiodo, Jason Breiland and Rob Steck in the secondary.

The Prowlers will be looking for their first season-opening win since 1990 – a series of 0-1 starts thanks to the Lakers, their familiar first-game foe.

"I guess ideally you would rather play them in the third or fourth game, after you have had a chance to put in everything," noted Mumm. "But you've got to play them sometime. And it's fun to play them no matter when it is. They've got the best program in the state in Class A, but we would like to think we could beat them if we played well."

Thief River Falls' last season-opening win was a 13-0 decision over Park Rapids in 1990, but the Prowlers wound up only 3-6 that year. They haven't finished below .500 since, despite 0-2 starts in 1991, 1993 and 1994.

The Prowlers will head to Fergus Falls Friday, Sept. 8, for Game 2 before finishing September with Friday home games vs. Wadena-Deer Creek, Staples Area and Park Rapids Area.

Regular season ends with games at Crookston Oct. 6, vs. Woodbury at the Fargodome Oct. 13, and at Detroit Grand Forks Oct. 18.

Northland volleyball making a comeback

College volleyball returned to Thief River Falls this fall after a one-year absence when nine players reported Friday to first-year Northland Community and Technical College coach Shari Olson.

The sport was abruptly dropped last year because of a small turnout. Long-time Northland coach Deb Jacobson resigned, and Olson was named as her successor. She fell a little short, number-wise, of her recruiting goals, but nevertheless was excited about the caliber of the all-freshman group on hand."

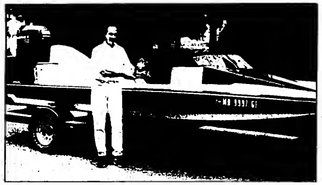
"They are extremely talented young ladies," said Olson. "They are very dedicated individuals and very classy people. They're working hard."

The group includes 5-8 hitter Erika Halvorson, Marshall County Central; 5-5 setter/hitter Ali Hietala, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; 5-9 hitter LaVonne Nelson, Kittson County North; 5-8 hitter Milissa Skarsten, East Grand Forks; 5-9 hitter Jenny Smith, Stephen; 5-2 setter/backrow player Erika Spilde, Tri-County; 5-7 setter/hitter Stacy Stanwick, Nevis; 5-11 hitter Jenny Steen, Kittson County North; and 5-1 setter/backrow player Dana Hendrickson, East Grand Forks.

The Pioneers open the season with a Sept. 8 Northland Triangular.

1995 Northland Volleyball

Friday, Sept. 8 - Northland Triangular, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Sept. 13 - Itasca, 6:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 15 - at Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 16 - at Mesabi, 12 noon; Wednesday, Sept. 20 - at Concordia JV, 6:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 22 - Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Rainy River, 12 noon; Monday, Sept. 25 - at UND Lake Region, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, Sept. 27 - at Central Lakes, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 4 - at Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 6 - at Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 7 - at Rainy River, 12 noon; Friday, Oct. 13 - Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 14 - Mesabi, 12 noon; Tuesday, 17 - at Itasca, 6:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Oct. 24 - Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 26 - Central Lakes, 3 p.m.



Dennis Nabben of Thief River Falls briefly owned a powerboat world record while competing in Dubuque, Iowa. He wound up with a second place trophy in the Aug. 18-20 event that closed out his 1995 summer racing schedule.

TRF league team is 2-2 in state Class D softball tournament

Thief River Falls Men's Slow Pitch Softball League member St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square turned in a 2-2 performance over the weekend at the 1995 Class D state tournament in Crookston.

The team opened the 48-team, double-elimination event with a 3-1 win over Hickory Inn of St. James, lost to Goran's Farms of Willmar – the eventual state runner-up – 11-5, came back to beat H.R. Pesty's of St. Cloud 12-4 before losing to American Family Insurance of Detroit Lakes 9-5.

St. Hilaire Bears/Swede's Place/Pennington Square was a fifth place finisher in District 7 tournament play earlier this month, qualifying as a state meet alternative if one of the top four finishers elected not to participate at the state level.

District 7 champion Sweeney Cleaners of Moorhead turned in an unbeaten Class D state title-winning performance, and J.C. Ghumley's of Moorhead placed third.

Nordics' football team trying to bounce back

Football wins have been few and far between for Marshall County Central over the past three years. Successive 1-7, 0-8 and 1-7 finishes have understandably played havoc with the Nordics' confidence.

"We're looking to improve, but it's going to be tough," admitted Nordics coach Kent Warne. "I think we can handle the physical part, but it's the mental part we have to work on. We can't get down on ourselves when we make mistakes."

There are some quality players on hand that could help turn the Nordics' fortunes, including returning two-way starters Trevor Magner, Terry Olson and Braden Olberg. Those three made up the Olson-quarterbacked Marshall County Central offensive backfield last fall, and they join Aric Skadskem as returning defensive starters in either the line or linebacker. All four are seniors.

"We've got a pretty good nucleus to work with," noted Warne. "We've got good numbers and we're two-three deep at most positions."

The Nordics were unable to fill their football schedule this fall, leaving them on the sideline while most teams open the 1995 season this week. They will instead open with a Sept. 8, game at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart.

Marshall Co. Central Football

Friday, Sept. 8 - at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart; Friday, Sept. 15 - Tri-County; Friday, Sept. 22 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; Friday, Sept. 29 - at Argyle, Friday, Oct. 6 - Stephen; Thursday, Oct. 12 - at Kittson County North, Tuesday, Oct. 17 - at Kittson Central

Nabben hits record speeds

■ TRF driver hooked on powerboat drag racing

by Sports Editor Mike Luedgren

Dennis Nabben set a world record, recently, but almost before he could inform his friends and family about his powerboat drag racing accomplishment, his record-setting effort was already history.

Fame, if there is any in the sport, is fleeting. However, the Thief River Falls 42-year-old isn't racing for fame, or fortune. He's in it for the fun – the excitement – that comes with the competition and speed approaching 122 miles per hour.

"It's an adrenaline rush," smiled Nabben, who makes his home here, but works out of the Twin Cities area as a clerical supervisor for CPA Rail System. "The head-to-head, side-by-side competition is neat. It's like NHRA (National Hot Rod Association) on water."

Nabben just completed his fourth year of racing. He is a member of the Twin Cities Powerboat Association and races for Lake Country Marine out of Forest Lake – a group of three drivers with three boats and one pitman. They plan to expand to four drivers next year.

Driving a Mirage boat with a Mariner 260-270 horsepower motor that is modified with high compression heads and larger propeller, Nabben set his world record by hitting 122.629 miles per hour in the kilo run (6/10th of a mile) during the Dubuque (Iowa) Thunderfest Aug. 18-20. That figure was bettered later that same day, but he did set a national record in the hot rod factory open class that weekend, wound up second in the kilo AA modified and fifth in A stock.

Success on the water, however, doesn't necessarily produce financial rewards. Nabben figured his preparation and set-up cost for the Iowa race was about $1,000. His prize winning was $550. "It's not for profit," he acknowledged, "but I thoroughly enjoy it. It's a nice hobby, and the people are great to work with."

Lonnie Nyflot and Amoco 24 of Thief River Falls helped cover some of the expense on the Iowa trip as a race sponsor.

Dubuque was the final stop on a condensed summer race schedule for Nabben that also included Minnesota competition at Crosby and Hastings. Next year an expanded schedule will find Nabben looking at eight race dates, including national meets.

Competition normally features a quarter-mile drag race when speeds reach 90 miles per hour and drivers hit 9,000 rpm's on machines that have the red line set at 7,500 rpm's.

"You're totally in the air – it's like flying," said Nabben. "It's kind of hard to handle at first, but you get used to it."

Nabben's boat and motor combination, which would carry a price tag in the $24,000 range, is often seen at Maple Lake, where it is fine-tuned for races and is also used for family pleasure cruises.

After wetting his appetite on performance boats in the early 1980's, Nabben started racing in 1992, and last year bought his present boat when he decided to give the sport full-time attention. He would like to add a second, fully modified boat in the near future, but because of the costs involved, will have to secure sponsorship to realize those dreams.

Tennis JV is winner against Mahnomen

Thief River Falls was a winner over Mahnomen Friday in junior varsity girls high school tennis.

Match Results

Singles - Katie Harbott (TRF) def. Amanda Bray 6-1; Kyla Skiple (TRF) def. Tiffany Johnson 6-1; Eeva Young (TRF) def. Amy Paul 6-2; Toni LeMoine (TRF) def. Katie Olson 6-2; Caryn Omdahl (TRF) def. Amanda Schoenborn 6-4; Amy Paul (Mahnomen) def. Pauline Cullen (TRF) 6-2; Jenna Tsukichi (TRF) def. Tiffany Johnson 6-3

Doubles - Beth Nelson-Bridgette Stock (TRF) def. Amanda Schoenborn-Katie Olson 6-4; Ann Gustafson-Angeline Gunstad (TRF) def. Amanda Bray-Tiffany Johnson 6-7 (6-6); Katie Harbott-Kyla Skiple (TRF) def. Katie Olson-Amanda Schoenborn 6-6; Rebecca Kanner-Leah Helgeson (TRF) def. Amy Paul-Amanda Bray 6-1.

Deer Hunters meet Thursday at Eagles hall

Thief River Falls chapter of the Minnesota Deer Hunters association will hold its first meeting of the 1995-96 year Thursday, August 31, at 7 p.m. at the Eagles hall in Thief River Falls.

Main topic of discussion will be applications for permits to take antlerless deer during the 1995 season. The meeting is open to the public and all persons interested are invited to attend.

RLCC volleyball team looking for good year

Red Lake County Central won just two high school volleyball matches last year. The figure should be dramatically improved in 1995, according to Mustangs coach Nancy Bray.

"This should be the best all-around team we've had in a long time," said Bray. "We've got a lot of good hitters, and a couple of pretty good setters. We should do well."

Four returning regulars who will carry the load include seniors Patty Greenwald, Meckenzie Malwitz, Maria Austad, and Kelly Bjerklie.

Sophomores Kelly Hofstad, Jenny Brekkestran and Angie Chervestad are also expected to help out.

Red Lake Co. Central Volleyball

Tuesday, Sept. 5 - at Kittson County North, Thursday, Sept. 7 - Fosston (at Oklee); Saturday, Sept. 9 - University of Minnesota-Crookston Invitational; Monday, Sept. 11 - Thief River Falls (at Plummer); Thursday, Sept. 14 - Fertile-Beltrami (at Oklee); Tuesday, Sept. 19 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Thursday, Sept. 21 - at East Grand Forks; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - East Grand Forks Sacred Heart (at Plummer); Thursday, Sept. 28 - at Red Lake Falls; Saturday, Sept. 30 - Thief River Falls Invitational; Thursday, Oct. 5 - Waubun (at Oklee); Saturday, Oct. 7 - Red Lake County Central Invitational; Tuesday, Oct. 10 - Crookston; Thursday, Oct. 12 - at Win-E-Mac; Monday, Oct. 16 - at Fisher/Climax; Tuesday, Oct. 17 - at Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail

Prowlers playing host to pair of volleyball jamborees

Thief River Falls is playing host to high school volleyball jamborees today (Wednesday) and Friday.

Varsity and junior varsity scrimmages will be played today. Varsity-only matches are scheduled Friday.

Both jamborees start at 3:30 p.m.

Jamboree Schedules

■ Wednesday - (varsity in main gym/junior varsity in auxiliary gym) 3:30 p.m. Blackduck vs. Cass Lake-Bena; 4 p.m. Red Lake County Central vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; 4:30 p.m. Argyle vs. Marshall County Central; 5 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. East Grand Forks; 5:30 p.m. Cass Lake-Bena vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; 6 p.m. Red Lake County Central vs. Blackduck; 6:30 p.m. East Grand Forks vs. Marshall County Central; 7 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. Argyle; 7:30 p.m. Cass Lake-Bena vs. Red Lake County Central; 8 p.m. Blackduck vs. East Grand Forks; 8:30 p.m. Argyle vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; 9 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. Marshall County Central.

■ Friday - (main gym/auxiliary gym) 3:30 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Fisher/Climax vs. Crookston; 4 p.m. Red Lake County Central vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Crookston vs. East Grand Forks; 4:30 p.m. Crookston vs. Red Lake Falls; East Grand Forks Sacred Heart vs. East Grand Forks; 5 p.m. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart vs. Red Lake Falls; Fisher/Climax vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; 5:30 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. Crookston; Fisher/Climax vs. Red Lake County Central; 6 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. East Grand Forks; Red Lake Falls vs. Red Lake County Central; 6:30 p.m. Red Lake Falls vs. East Grand Forks; Crookston vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; 7 p.m. Crookston vs. Red Lake County Central; Fisher/Climax vs. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart; 7:30 p.m. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo vs. East Grand Forks; Thief River Falls vs. Red Lake Falls; 8 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. Red Lake County Central; Fisher/Climax vs. East Grand Forks; 8:30 p.m. Fisher/Climax vs. Red Lake Falls; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo vs. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart; 9 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart; Red Lake County Central vs. East Grand Forks.

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Aug. 30

■ Volleyball - Prowler Jamboree, 3:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 31

■ Swimming - LHS girls at Fergus Falls, 6 p.m.

■ Football - LHS vs. Detroit Lakes, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 1

■ Volleyball - LHS Sub-Section 2 Jamboree, 2:30 p.m.

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RLCC should be competitive

■ Mustangs open football season vs. Fosston

They're not as big nor as fast as they were last year, but don't sell the Mustangs short, said Red Lake County Central coach Gary Brandt. The Oklee/Plummer cooperative should be competitive during the 1995 high school football season.

The Mustangs went from 2-7 in 1993 to 4-5 last fall – losing to Mahnomen 26-6 in the Section 8C playoff quarterfinals. The 47 players in grades 9-12 out for the sport this year include a nucleus of 13 seniors and 10 juniors.

"We're not as big, and we're not as fast as we were last year," acknowledged Brandt, "but we've got some good kids who work hard and have improved every day since the start of practice. You always set your goals high, but basically you just want to do the best you can and improve from game to game, and hopefully be ready for the playoffs."

Three starters return on offense, including the passing combination of quarterback Bryce Huotari and wide receiver Aaron Chaput, along with Jamie Carriere, who is being switched from center to tackle. All three are seniors.

A year ago Huotari passed for 426 yards and Chaput caught 14 passes for 144 yards.

"We're going to have to put the ball in the air," said Brandt. "Bryce throws the ball pretty well, and Aaron is a good receiver."

Both starting runningbacks were lost to graduation, leaving the spots open for seniors Jake Anderson and Derick Vettleson or juniors Brett Bishop and Nate Lundeen.

Joining Carriere as leaders in the offensive line will be four other seniors – Scott Waldal and converted runningback Paul Peterson at the ends, along with Sam Lerohl and Brian Lundeen inside.

The Mustangs return six starters on defense, including Carriere and Waldal in the line, Bishop and Anderson at linebacker, Chaput and Huotari in the secondary. Bishop led the team in tackles as a sophomore last year.

Red Lake County Central will open the 1995 season Thursday vs. Fosston in Oklee.

Red Lake Co. Central Football

Thursday, Aug. 31 - Fosston (at Oklee), 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 8 - at Ada-Borup, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 15 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Middle River), 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Waubun (at Fargodome), 10 a.m.; Friday, Sept. 29 - at Hawley, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 6 - Lake Park (at Plummer), 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 13 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 18 - Red Lake Falls (at Oklee), 7:30 p.m.

Mumm, Holmstrom at Sports Boosters

Lincoln High School football coach Jeff Mumm and cross country coach Caara Holmstrom will be the guest speakers Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting at the Elks.

The public is invited. Sports Boosters memberships can be purchased at the meeting.

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Gators' football improving

Football interest, and coincidently football success, is on the rise at Badger/Greenbush-Middle River. The Gators were 2-7 in 1993 with 28 players. They improved to 5-4 last year, and with 53 players out in grades 9-12 this fall, coach Steve Willman is looking for another bump in the win column when the 1995 high school football season kicks off this week.

"We're definitely looking for the progress to continue," said Willman. "I think the foundation is in place. Hawley is the top team in the conference, but we should be right in the battle with teams like Warren (Warren-Alvarado-Oslo) and Red Lake Falls. I'm really looking forward to the playoffs. Give us some time to put things in place and I think we'll be okay this year."

Top returning veterans include Josh Kujava, a starter at both runningback and linebacker last year, and Joel Howard, a linebacker who led the team in tackles in 1993. Kujava isn't big, acknowledged Willman, but he has good speed, and he's a strong runner.

There will be a new quarterback directing the Gators' offense this fall, but Willman says Chris Haarstick is more than qualified for the job. "He has a great arm," said Willman. "We will definitely put the ball in the air."

Justan Rose, Roy Larson and Jesse Pulczinski provide some experience in the offensive line.

Joe Melby joins Howard in a strong linebacking tandem.

The Gators open play Thursday vs. Ada-Borup in Badger.

B/G-Middle River Football

Thursday, Aug. 31 - Ada-Borup (at Badger), 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 8 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 15 - Red Lake County Central (at Middle River), 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - Red Lake Falls (at Fargodome), 3 p.m.; Friday, Sept. 29 - Waubun (at Badger), 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 6 - at Fertile-Beltrami, 7:30 p.m.; Friday, Oct. 13 - Hawley (at Middle River), 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 18 - at Fosston, 7:30 p.m.

High school volleyball...

MCC features four returning starters

Veterans Tricia Pederson, Darlene Nelson, Jackie Magner, and Amanda Myhrer provide Marshall County Central with a solid group of seniors to build around for the upcoming 1995 high school volleyball season.

The task facing head coach Mark Jorgenson is to find the other two starters, and enough depth produce a team that can match last year's success – an 18-10 record and a Section 8A Sub-Section 4 runner-up finish.

Two other seniors on the squad include letter winner Melanie Blawat and Jessica Rokke, who did not play volleyball last year.

"We've got a good nucleus, and the kids are working hard," said Jorgenson.

Marshall County Central will open the season Tuesday against Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke in Newfolden.

Marshall Co. Central Volleyball

Tuesday, Sept. 5 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; Thursday, Sept. 7 - at Warroad; Monday, Sept. 11 - Stephen; Thursday, Sept. 14 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Greenbush); Saturday, Sept. 16 - Marshall County Central Invitational; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - Roseau; Thursday, Sept. 21 - Warroad; Friday, Sept. 22 - at Lake of the Woods; Monday, Sept. 25 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Tuesday, Sept. 26 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Saturday, Sept. 30 - Thief River Falls Invitational; Tuesday, Oct. 2 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Grygla); Thursday, Oct. 5 - Lake of the Woods; Tuesday, Oct. 10 - at Roseau; Saturday, Oct. 14 - Warroad Invitational; Monday, Oct. 16 - at Crookston.

Schedule changes made for FMS pool

Franklin Middle School pool will be closed Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Sept. 2, 3 and 4.

New hours after the Labor Day holiday will include lap swimming from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m. and open swimming from 7-9 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and from 1 to 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

For additional information concerning pool rentals or other activities call pool director Kathy Huschle at 681-8065.

Sportsmen's Club sponsoring youth firearms safety program

Reminder that the Pennington County Sportsmen's Club-sponsored youth firearms safety class – the final program of the year – will begin Monday, Sept. 11.

Classes will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. at Franklin Middle School on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, Sept. 11, 12, 14 and Sept. 18, 19, 21. A field test will be held Sunday, Sept. 24, from 2 to 6 p.m. at the Pennington County Sportsmen's Club.

All instructors are encouraged to participate or attend the sessions. To be part of the program call Jim Counter at 681-1901 or 681-1270.

An Advanced Hunter Education instructor training session, sponsored by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources in an on-going effort to foster responsible hunter behavior, was held in Thief River Falls Aug. 12. Seven firearms safety instructors from Thief River Falls and two from Humboldt took part in the program. Plans are currently being made to offer a Pennington County Sportsmen's Club-sponsored Advanced Hunter class in the near future.

There are currently 40 certified firearms safety instructors in the Thief River Falls area. Those volunteer instructors share their knowledge and enthusiasm to promote safe gun handling in the youth firearms programs.

"Responsible gun handling means to think and care about wildlife, landowners, other hunters and themselves," explained program organizers. "Written laws cannot cover all situations. Responsible hunters also follow a hunter's code. This code is based on respect for what is safe and fair. This is where the volunteer instructor – individuals who possess a sincere interest in hunting and has a desire to help others by sharing their knowledge and enthusiasm – comes in."

Playoff champions in the 9-10-year-old portion of the Thief River Falls Park and Recreation Department summer baseball program were the Mets. Members of the team included, front row left to right, Ross Erdman, Michael Carpenter, Mitch Pribula, Dallas Berg, Ryan Broden, and Randy Olson; back row left to right, Cory Berg, Anthony Wold, Justin Klinkhammer, Reid Sjoeholm, Dane Kjoeo, Travis Klinkhammer, and Bryan Sorvig. (Submitted photo).

Henry Boucha to be member of the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame

Henry Boucha of Warroad has been selected as a member of the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame Class of 1995, it was announced recently.

He will be joined by Ken Morrow and Jim Claypool at the enshrinement ceremonies, scheduled to be held Saturday, Sept. 16, at the U.S. hockey Hall of Fame in Eveleth.

Boucha was one of the most electrifying performers in Minnesota high school hockey history who played both defense and center for five seasons, captivating the entire state while leading Warroad to the finals of the 1969 state tournament.

After a year of junior hockey in Winnipeg, Boucha played on the Silver Medal-winning U.S. Olympic team in the 1972 games in Sapporo, Japan. He signed with the Detroit Red Wings immediately following the Olympics and set a team record by scoring a goal six seconds into a game against Montreal a year later.

The Minnesota North Stars acquired Boucha to capitalize on his crowd appeal, but he suffered a severe eye injury in an altercation against the Boston Bruins that curtailed his career, even though he tried to play later with the Minnesota Fighting Saints of the Hockey Association and the Kansas City Scouts of the NHL.

Morrow, who is from Flint, Mich., was the first All-America player at Bowling Green University and the CCHA Player of the Year in 1978-79. A 6-4, 205-pound defenseman, Morrow had a magical season the next year, playing on the Gold Medal-winning U.S. Olympic team at Lake Placid, then signing with the New York Islanders, who went on to win the Stanley Cup championship that season.

Morrow remained with the Islanders throughout the next decade – skating on all four Islanders Stanley Cup championship teams.

Claypool played hockey at the University of Michigan, then became manager for amateur teams in Duluth in the late 1940s, rose to president of the Minnesota Amateur Hockey Association, and served as manager of the U.S. Olympic team that won the 1960 Gold Meal in Squaw Valley, Calif.

Nominations for the U.S. Hockey Hall of Fame can be made by anyone. Nominees are voted on by a nation-wide committee.

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Firearms class starts Sept. 5

Fall youth firearms training class will begin Tuesday, Sept. 5, in the basement meeting room of the Thief River Falls city auditorium.

Classes will be held from 6 to 9 p.m. Sept. 5, 7, 11, 12 and 14, followed by a 3-to-4 hour Saturday field test.

Enrollment is open to all individuals who will be 12-years-old before Dec. 31, 1995. Both boys and girls are encouraged to attend. Adults are also welcome.

Instructors will be certified in safety training by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and experienced in conducting the safety program.

Cost of the course is $5 per person, playable on the first night of class. The fee includes books, other instructional materials and .22 caliber ammunition for the field test.

State law requires that all youth age 12-16 must have a firearms safety certificate to be eligible to hunt in Minnesota.

For additional information about the class, contact program coordinator Allan Paulson at 681-2109.

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DNR News

It's not too early to begin planning for next spring's tree planting projects, according to the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. And this year, planning can be done a little sooner, since DNR state forest nurseries began taking orders Aug. 15, two weeks earlier than in past years.

"A lot of people like to get going on their planting efforts, said Mike Carroll, Nursery Program leader, "so we moved up the order date to give everyone a little more time."

A wide variety of trees and shrubs are available for reforestation, windbreaks and shelterbelts, erosion control, and wildlife habitat plantings. Several new packets, which offer combinations of trees and shrubs, are also available this year. The minimum order is 500 trees, but thanks to a change in statutes last year, non-profit organizations and local units of government may buy trees in lots of 10 or more.

A variety of hardwood and conifer seedlings are available. The minimum order is 500 trees. Prices range from $45 to $138 for 500 seedlings, and $160 to $175 for larger pine transplants. Sales will continue until the supplies are exhausted.

For more information and an order form, call DNR Forestry at 612-296-4480.

Public being asked to report sightings of trumpeter swans

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources is requesting the public to report sightings of trumpeter swans. The data is needed to monitor the distribution and breeding success of the swans in Minnesota.

Trumpeter swans are large white birds with 8-foot wing spans and weighing 25-30 pounds or more. The only non-white portions are the feet and bill, which are black. They can stand four feet tall. Their call is melodious, resonant and horn-like.

The swans may be marked with orange wing tags (males on the right and females on the left side), or yellow or green collars. Each marker has a code of number or letters unique to that bird to assist in gathering information. Aluminum bands are placed on the legs.

It is important to report the sightings to the DNR providing, if possible, the date, location, number of white adults and number of grey young.

Trumpeters disappeared from Minnesota in the 1880s. The Nongame Wildlife Program effort to restore the native bird began in the early 1980s with planning and locating sources of swans at zoos, propagators and the wilds of Montana and Alaska.

Approximately 230 swans have been released in the state since 1987. They began nesting in 1988 and have hatched more than 150 young in the wild. This year's release took place at Heron Lake in southwestern Minnesota. Previous releases were in the northern part of the state.

The restoration project is funded with monies from the Nongame Wildlife Checkoff on Minnesota income tax forms.

To report sightings, call toll free, 1-800-766-6000.

Outdoor News

Youth Deer Hunting Option

Rumors of a new $5 deer hunting license for youth have created some confusion among the 400,000-plus resident deer hunters who look forward to Minnesota's big game season every fall.

"The new $5 youth license option is separate from the antlerless option, which was introduced in the 1993 season, for youth who purchase their own deer license," said Capt. Byron Dyrland, Regional Enforcement Supervisor with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources at Bemidji.

"The $5 youth license does not include a deer tag," explained Dyrland. "Rather, it allows resident youth, ages 12 to 15, to carry a firearm and hunt in the company of one or more licensed adult hunters, age 18 or older, and shoot a deer to fill the tag of one of those adult hunters. It can be an antlerless deer only if there is an antlerless tag issued to an adult hunter in the party.

"The $5 option is a chance for families to introduce a young hunter to deer hunting without having to purchase a separate $22 license," said Dyrland.

Both of the youth deer hunting options are explained on page 40 of the 1995 Minnesota Hunting and Trapping Regulations booklet. A table on page 10 also explains all of the minimum age licensing, and firearms safety training requirements for hunting and trapping activities conducted by persons under age 18. Copies of the booklet are available at county license centers, sporting goods stores and other retail outlets, free of charge, wherever hunting licenses are sold.

Bird Feeding Book

'Wild About Birds: The DNR Bird Feeding Guide' is off the presses. Published jointly by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and Minnesota's Bookstore, the book contains information about 68 bird species that visit midwest bird feeders. The 278-page book, which features more than 425 color photos, is believed to be the most comprehensive and thoroughly illustrated book on bird feeding available today.

Author Carrol Henderson, supervisor of the Nongame Wildlife Program for the Minnesota DNR, spent three years researching and writing the book.

The book, published as a companion to Henderson's two earlier books, 'Woodworking for Wildlife' and 'Landscaping for Wildlife,' includes information on 44 different kinds of bird foods and 55 different feeders. The book features 26 simple plans for cutting out and building bird feeds in a home workshop.

"The response has been very enthusiastic," Henderson said. "The Minnesota Bookstore has printed 50,000 copies – its biggest printing ever – but they're expecting the books to go quickly."

The book, which sells for $19.95, can be obtained by visiting Minnesota's Bookstore, located near the State Capitol in the Ford Building at 117 University Avenue in St. Paul. To order by phone, call 1-800-657-3757 outside the metro area. Phone customers may use VISA, MasterCard, American Express, or Discover for their purchase.

Outdoor News

Nuisance Bears

Nuisance bear complaints among campers, cabin owners and rural residents in northern Minnesota could well be approaching an all-time high this summer, according to conservation officers and wildlife managers with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

Authorities speculate that a poorer-than-average berry crop this year, combined with a large population of black bears, and an ever increasing number of homes, cabins and campsites being built in the wooded areas of northern and central Minnesota have provided increased opportunities for bears to come in contact with people. And when natural food supplies become scarce, bears become bolder.

Bears have been reported within the city limits of towns from Bemidji to Duluth. In the Thief River Falls area, farmers have reported as many as nine bears at one time eating green oats in their fields. A man reported being chased by a bear near Waskish. A woman who was out picking raspberries near Blackduck reported coming face to face with a bear, which scared her away when it stood up on its hind legs. An elderly couple called to say they were afraid to leave their house for several hours while three bears were sniffing around their garage and deck. And a rural Blackduck family was awakened one night by a black bear that had crawled through the screen of an open window and made a midnight raid on their kitchen pantry and refrigerator.

"Bears will sniff out and investigate anything that smells like food," said Capt. Byron Dyrland, DNR Regional Enforcement Supervisor at Bemidji.

"Around homes and cabins, you should store garbage, pet food and barbecue grills out of sight," advised Dyrland. "Don't leave anything out in the open that would attract bears or encourage them to stay around or come back again.

"In parks and campgrounds, campers should burn all food wrappers, or discard them in camp garbage cans or dumpsters before turning in for the night," said Dyrland. "Food should be stored in coolers and air tight containers, and locked away in a motor vehicle if possible. Never take food items into your tent overnight.

"If you're wilderness camping, you should expect that bears will find you, and prepare for it," said Dyrland. "Use dried foods and non-perishable foods in air-tight containers as much as possible. Suspend food packs out of reach, and well away from tents and sleeping bags."

DNR conservation officers and wildlife managers often assist homeowners, farmers, beekeepers, and report and campground owners with nuisance bear problems. This time of year, they frequently set portable live traps to trap nuisance bears and relocate them to less populated areas.

In cases where problem bears are destroying grain crops or threatening livestock – or unusual cases involving very persistent bears – conservation officers can issue a nuisance bear permit. Nuisance bear permits allow a licensed resident hunter to stalk and shoot a nuisance bear, usually prior to the Sept. 1 start of the regular bear season, and keep the bear as their registered game animal for the season.

The DNR offers an informational brochure about how now to attract bears to your home, farm, cabin or campsite, and what to do if the do show up. It includes plans for bear proofing dumpsters and garbage cans. For a free copy, call the DNR Information Center toll free at 1-800-766-6000.

Cooperative Bird Effort

Minnesota departments of Natural Resources and Agriculture are teaming with the nation's wild bird food manufacturers to create an innovative new voluntary funding program to help preserve wild birds – the first program of its kind in the nation.

The state agencies are cooperating with manufacturers to create the Minnesota Wild Bird Food Conservation Program. Wild bird food manufacturers who register in this program agree to contribute $2 per ton for wild bird food sales in Minnesota. They will keep their own sales records, and contributions will be made to the new program every six months. All contributions will be tax-deductible.

At least $65 million is spent by Minnesotans annually for wild bird food. This includes about 200 million pounds of bird food. Nineteen bird food manufacturers have indicated their intention to register for this program. Officials said they hope that in its first year, the program will raise at least $100,000 for wild bird conservation work.

The program's long-term goal is to raise at least $500,000 per year and to have that money matched by state Reinvest in Minnesota funds.

DNR Nongame Wildlife Program would use 90 percent of these contributions for conservation projects that benefit wild birds and their habitats. This includes habitat management and enhancement, surveys, research, protection, educational products about birds for teachers in elementary schools, conservation of neotropical migrant songbirds, and continuing collaboration with wild bird food manufacturers to promote increased enjoyment and understanding of wild birds.

The other 10 percent of funds contributed will go to the Division of Agronomy Services in the Minnesota Department of Agriculture for the inspection of wild bird feed. This will help reassure the public that wild bird food meets state inspection standards regarding noxious weed seeds, impurities, and agriculture industry labeling requirements.

Manufacturers who register to participate in the Minnesota Wild Bird Food Conservation program will be licensed to display a special logo on their products and at their point of sales. The DNR will also begin a new advertising campaign to encourage Minnesotans to buy wild bird food bearing the logo of the new Minnesota Wild Bird Food Conservation Program. This will provide a marketing advantage and opportunity to the participating companies.

Red River Valley of northwestern Minnesota, a major source of black oil sunflower seeds, is expected to benefit from this new program. These seeds comprise the bulk of the feed used to attract wild birds. Farmers of the region should benefit by the increased sale of sunflower seeds that result from this coordinated effort to promote bird feeding.

The program began July 1, 1995. First of the semifinal contributions for helping wild bird will be sent by wild bird food manufacturers in January of 1996.

State Parks Photo Contest

No matter what the season, a camera is one item visitors don't want to be without when they enter a Minnesota state park. Whether a photographer's best photos capture the icy beauty of winter or the lush splendor of summer, they may have a place in the 1997 Minnesota state parks calendar.

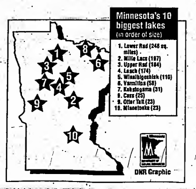
Both amateur and professional photographers may submit their work to the Minnesota state parks calendar photo contest. Photos chosen to be included in the 1997 calendar will be published with photo credit. Contest winners will received $25 cash and five complimentary calendars.

To enter, submit up to 20 original slides taken in Minnesota state parks of scenery, wildlife, flora, historic sites, or people enjoying outdoor creations.

Slides should be horizontal in format to best fit the format of the calendar. Black and white or color prints are not acceptable.

Each slide should be labeled with the photographer's name, the name of the park in which the photo was taken, and the subject matter. Also note the film speed, shutter speed and f-stop setting, and if a special filter was used. Slides should be submitted in a clear plastic 35mm slide sheet. Enclose a self-addressed, stamped return envelope.

The deadline for entries if Friday, Jan. 19, 1996. Entry forms are available at all state parks.



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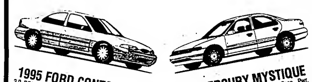
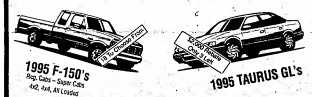

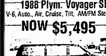

Richard Dummer cow leads DHIA

Richard Dummer had the top producing cow in dollar value of production in the Red Lake County Dairy Herd Improvement Association for the month of July. The Dummer herd also had the sixth and ninth place cows and two others in the top 34.

The leading five-year-old cow in its fourth lactation had a 305-day record of 25,548 pounds of milk, 886 pounds of butterfat and 812 pounds of protein.

Second place cow was owned by Tom and Diane Kolstoe. The six-year-old in its fourth lactation produced 25,382 pounds of milk, 871 pounds of butterfat and 779 pounds of protein.

Third place animal was owned by Greg and Susan Zak—a four year old which produced 24,420 pounds of milk, 945 pounds of butterfat and 757 pounds of protein in its third lactation.

Other cows in the top 10 came from the following herds with pounds of milk, butterfat and protein listed respectively: Northwest Experiment Station, 24,562, 838 and 799; Tom and Diane Kolstoe, 24,841, 844 and 759; Richard Dummer, 25,089, 879 and 704; Northwest Experiment Station, 24,709, 761 and 764; Randy and Jo Gast, 24,242, 725 and 775; Richard Dummer, 22,997, 801 and 767; and Northwest Experiment Station, 23,834, 763 and 742.

A total of 34 cows in the association achieved production of at least 22,000 pounds of milk, 750 pounds of butterfat and/or 700 pounds of protein during 305-day or less lactations ending in July.

The 24 cows not in the top 10 came from the following herds: Northwest Experiment Station (8), Wayne Vettleson (2) John and Warren Malwitz (4), Greg and Susan Zak (3), Tom and Diane Kolstoe (2), Richard Dummer (2), Randy and Jo Gast, Gary and Grant Gallickson and Arnie and Barb Schmitz.

Green kernels problem in '95 small grain crop

Green kernels have shown up in small grains now being harvested in some areas of Minnesota and producers are concerned about drying and storing that grain.

Bill Wilcke, agricultural engineer with the University of Minnesota extension service, says that there is no research on drying and storing grain with small green kernels. He said some "best guesses" can be extrapolated from experience with crops like corn and soybeans.

"Don't expect green kernels to ripen or turn the color of ripe kernels in storage," Wilcke said. "Many people believe that green soybeans turn yellow in storage, but in a laboratory study, green soybeans didn't show much color change after a year in storage. I would expect similar results for small grains."

Wilcke says a few kernels scattered uniformly throughout a bin of adequately dry, (less than 14 per cent moisture) grain aren't likely to cause serious problems.

"Aerate the grain to keep it cool, watch it a little more closely than normal, and be prepared to move it for feeding, selling or drying if problems develop," he says.

A lot of green kernels scattered uniformly throughout a bin of grain could cause problems, he notes, even if the other kernels are dry. The green kernels could raise the average moisture content of the bin, leading to mold, heating and insect problems. Even if the average moisture in the bin is acceptable, the green kernels are likely to be wetter than the average and could mold.

Intentional over-drying might be one option for reducing storage risk, he says, but early disposal of the grain is probably a better idea.

"Concentrated pockets of green kernels will undoubtedly cause problems," Wilcke says. "If green kernels have a different size, shape or density than mature kernels, they could segregate during handling and end up in concentrated areas—such as under the spoutline. These pockets are likely to mold, heat and attract insects.

"If it looks as if green kernels will segregate during handling, use a grain cleaner to remove them, use spreaders to distribute them uniformly in bins, or pull the centers out of bins that don't have spreaders to remove material that accumulates under the spoutline."

Very wet, immature grain that is rapidly dried in a high-temperature dryer could end up having a poor test weight, the engineer adds. Gas-fired drying would be a better choice than natural air drying for small grain wetter than about 20 per cent moisture.

"But keep checking the quality of grain coming out of the dryer and reduce the dryer temperature if necessary to avoid large quality losses," Wilcke advises.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
288-4542

Pastor P. Lehmann of Oklee called on Rose Aaknes on Thursday afternoon.

Wayne and Kathy Bakke, Wade and Rory Bakke and Samantha and Weston, Scott and LeeAnn Bakke, Megan and Brennan and Kurt Bakke all of Gonvick. Visited with Rose Aaknes on Saturday evening. They all enjoyed the fireworks.

Adolph Hofstad and Leone Vie of Oklee took in the Trail VFW and Community Club potluck supper at the VFW Hall in Trail on Saturday. They also visited with Howard and Sylvia Flateland.

Adeline Prevost of Oklee was a dinner guest of Rose Aaknes on Sunday.

Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes were Sunday evening visitors with Adeline Provost at Oklee.

Sylvia Flateland call on Rose Aaknes on Monday forenoon.

Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Wednesday. They also visited with Norma Carlson and Melissa.

Sunday supper guests at the John and Darlene Eisbrener home of rural Trail were Adeline Prevost and Lillian Tanem of Oklee, Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes. Also Steve and Virginia Royse and Brian of Mason City, IA. They spent the weekend with her parents John and Darlene.

The Trail Community Club and the VFW Post and auxiliary held a pork roast supper and dance and the 4th of July postponed fireworks display on Saturday, August 12 with a good turnout. winners of the prizes given away were Helen Sordahl, Olive Bergh, Gloria Rustan, Norma Quam, Emma Nyland, Janet Halvorson, Leonard Schmit, Chris Mowitt, Elaine Lovland, John Handyside, Dorothy Wager, Courtney Halvorson, Tony Weber, Ben Tofstad, Ed Eskeli and Bob Clark.

Word was received that their sister Frances Sunsdahl is a patient at the Virginia Hospital at Virginia. Frances Sunsdahl is a sister of Rose Aaknes, Vi Radniecki, Adeline Prevost and Lillian Tanem of Oklee.

James Jansch of East Grand Forks was a caller on Rose Aaknes and Howard and Sylvia Flateland homes on Monday evening.

Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and her grandchildren Megan and Brennan Bakke were callers on Rose Aaknes on Wednesday evening. They came to pick up the tables that we will use at the Mt. Olive Ladies Guild fancy and bake sale at Bakke service at Gonvick. On Saturday, August 26 they will also draw for the Log Cabin quilt will be given that day.

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Friends and neighbors are priceless when it comes to helping. Elmer, Mary, Leslie and Betty Borg after the tornado hit their place.

The next morning early, the following men came in with tractors and whatever equipment. Larry Hedlund and his back hoe, Blaine Sovick of Clearbrook, John Hedin, John Godtland, Frank and Paul Buer, Pete Hopperstad and Duane Sorenson.

Betty came to spend the weekend with the folks from Grand Forks. Got home about 4 p.m. Elmer was home alone as Mary worked at our church serving the lunch for a funeral. So we are so thankful that Betty was there and the folks are Okay.

Floyd and I drove over on Saturday afternoon to see the damage. It is unbelievable what a few seconds of weather conditions can do!

Alice Forsberg stopped in at Elmer and Marys on Sunday as did Oscar Johnson.

Howard and Adelyn Munort from Fosston were there after the tornado on Friday evening.

Scott and Lisa Brovold from Omaha, NE, Bruce Brovold, Stacie Nordland and boys, Nolan and Nathan were all dinner guests at Elmer Brovold's and visited with other friends.

Lloyd and Vina Anderson of Proctor and Idlea Bergerson of Gonvick visited at Elmer and Millie Brovold's Monday evening.

Leslie and Larry Emerson called on Effie Handy Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Emerson and daughter, Vicky were at Effie's Sunday forenoon. Lyn Turenne was at her moms Sunday and stayed over until Monday.

Emma Nyland and Diane Plante came home Monday after spending a week in Wisconsin visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Nelson.

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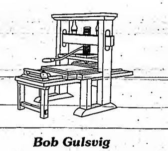

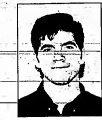

Bob Gulsvig

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Production Supervisor

Having been with the company for only three months, Bob Gulsvig is one of the newest faces at The Times and Northern Watch. If you haven't met him yet, you probably will. He is the production manager. That means he works with the customer on print jobs and monitors the progress of print jobs as they make their way around the shop. He also is in charge of purchasing and assists in laying-out the paper.

Bob's other job title is Safety and Health Coordinator. He makes sure everyone working at The Times is aware of safety regulations and that the shop and office meet or exceed OSHA standards.

Although his job keeps him busy, Bob does find time to do things outside of work. He enjoys many sports, including basketball, hockey and skiing, both water and winter. Other hobbies include photography, woodworking, hunting deer and grouse and fishing.

He is the son of Rey and Betty Gulsvig of Crookston and has two younger sisters, Sue and Nancy. Bob graduated from Central High School, Crookston. He is also a graduate of Moorhead State University with a major in Graphic Communications and a minor in Mass Communications. He interned at 3M where he worked in internal business research. He later worked for RCM Associates in Minnetonka where he worked in the inhouse production department. Prior to his internship, Bob had several jobs which he describes as "labor intensive."

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Several theft reports listed in law enforcement reports

Law enforcement officials responded to several reports of theft during the past week.

Thefts. Pennington county sheriff's department has charged the following with felony theft by check: Jack Daniel Hageman, 41, Thief River Falls, who allegedly wrote $3,025 in bad checks; Keith Robert Bause, 19, for allegedly writing $2,114.70 in bad checks; Rocky Charles Scheving, 38, East Grand Forks, for allegedly writing $23,295.76 in bad checks; and Jennifer Lynn Alepeter, 22, Thief River Falls, for writing $1,227.97 in bad checks.

On August 23 police cited Keith Robert Bause, 19, Thief River Falls, with falsely reporting a crime in connection with his report of stolen or forged checks. An investigation revealed that he wrote the checks.

On August 23 at 6:09 p.m. a resident in the 1200 block of Edgewood Drive reported that while his car was parked, tennis rackets, $50 in cash, a radar detector, and in-line skates were taken from the vehicle. The theft loss was estimated at $650.

On August 24 at 2:41 p.m. police received a report of a shoplifting incident at Kmart. A 15-year-old male from Thief River Falls, left the store without paying for some baseball cards.

On June 22 police received a report that a bike was stolen. On August 26, a 13-year-old male was charged with theft over $200 after the frame of the bike was recovered from another individual.

Assault. A 17-year-old girl from Thief River Falls is being charged with fifth degree assault in connection with an incident on August 20, in which another girl was allegedly struck several times.

On August 26 at 9:02 p.m. police received a call from a woman who requested assistance. Randy Wayne Swenson, 35, Thief River Falls, is being charged with fifth degree assault.

Consumption under age. On August 22 at 9:28 p.m. police received a loud noise complaint at Northland Village. Upon investigation Alissa Lee Hietla, 18, Thief River Falls, was cited for consumption by a minor.

Accidents. On August 23 at 3:55 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 600 block of South Brooks. A car driven by Julie Ann Osborn, Thief River Falls, was traveling south on Brooks. Osborn stopped in traffic and a pickup driven by Joseph Edward Sabol, Thief River Falls, collided with the rear of the Osborn vehicle. Sabol was cited for inattentive driving. Damages were estimated at $2,000 to the Osborn vehicle and $700 to the Sabol vehicle.

On August 26 at 3:31 a.m. police was dispatched to an accident with injuries at Third and Kneale. Terry Allen Benson, 23, Thief River Falls, was driving a 1995 GMC Sonoma, east on Third Street, left the roadway went across the median, went into the westbound oncoming traffic, damaging a light pole. The vehicle was found parked in Birchlane Drive. There were no injuries. Damage was estimated at $2,500. Benson faces a charge of driving while intoxicated. Damage to the light pole was estimated at $1,500.

On August 28 at 12:39 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 600 block of East First Street. Nancy Irene Homme, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on First Street, collided with a vehicle driven by Ernest Leonard Holmstrom, Thief River Falls, which struck a van driven by Clifford Swanson, Thief River Falls. All of the individuals involved complained of head and neck injuries. Damage to the Swanson vehicle was estimated at $1,000. Damage amounts for the other vehicles were undetermined. Nancy Homme was cited for no insurance and inattentive driving.

On August 28 at 10:03 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 400 block of South Spruce Street. Pauline Joann Cullen, Thief River Falls, was driving north on Spruce Avenue in a car when she struck a parked vehicle, owned by Robert and Mary Almquist, St. Hilaire. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Cullen vehicle, and $3,500 to the Almquist vehicle. Cullen was taken to Northwest Medical Center with head injuries.

On August 28 at 10:26 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 200 block of Spruce and Mussey. Lavon Dorene Sunram, Thief River Falls, was driving south on Spruce in a car when she swerved to miss oncoming traffic and hit a city light pole. Damages were estimated at $150 to the Sunram vehicle and $1,500 to the light pole.

Driving while intoxicated. On August 23 at 9:10 p.m. police stopped a vehicle traveling south on Highway 59. A 16-year-old girl from Erskine was cited with driving while intoxicated, a 16-year-old female was cited for consumption under age, and a 17-year-old male of Oklee was cited for consumption under age.

Violation of protection order. On August 24 at 11:34 p.m. the sheriff's department received a call that Jeffrey Scott Olson, 32, Greendale trailer court, Thief River Falls, was in violation of a restraining order. He was cited for violation of a protection order.

On August 27 at 9:39 a.m. police received a report from a resident in Greendale trailer court. Jeffrey Scott Olson, 32, Thief River Falls, violated a protection order and was taken into custody.

Arrest. On August 24 Adin Mercado Guzman, 18, Thief River Falls, was arrested by the Pennington county sheriff's department on a warrant received from Mahnomen county. The warrant is in connection with an incident on August 3. Charges include controlled substance crime in the fifth degree, giving false name to a peace officer, and minor in possession. A warrant for him also exists from California.

On August 26 at 12:25 a.m. Peter Allen DeBenedet, 20, Thief River Falls, was arrested on a warrant for failure to appear in court on a charge of possession of marijuana. Upon being booked into jail, another small amount of marijuana was discovered and he will face another charge of possession of a small amount of marijuana.

Shooting. On August 28 at 9:45 p.m. police received a report that a young female had just been shot with a B-B gun. She was standing at Eighth and Horace and was struck by a B-B in the stomach. She then went south a block and brought some friends back to the area. She was shot again in the lower left neck and shoulder area. The shot came from an open window of a house. A 17-year-old female came with the gun and admitted doing the shooting. The gun was taken into evidence. Charges are pending against the girl.

Court citations list check charges

Several citations for dishonored checks were in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for th epast week.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Charitie Dawn Dalzell, Thief River Falls, 20, issue dishonored checks, $167.50, $118.97 restitution, 20 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Robert Douglas Leach, Thief River Falls, 37, issue dishonored checks, $162.50, $135 restitution; Randy Wayne Knutson, Williston, ND, 31, issuance of dishonored checks, $142.50, $75 restitution; Jill Elizabeth Jenkins, Warren, 37, issue dishonored checks, $147.50, $249.59 restitution; Keith Arden Simon, Crookston, 41, 68/55, $76; Jody Lynn Stenvik, Thief River Falls, 26, issue dishonored check, $142.50, $58.51 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Kelly Ann Barry, Thief River Falls, 27, issue dishonored check, $142.50, $60 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Troy Allen Blumhagen, Drake, ND, 26, 68/55, $76; Myrtle Carroll Hickey, Thief River Falls, 69, issue dishonored check, $142.50, $60 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Jeremy Lynn Engen, Fargo, ND, 21, 75/55, $87.50; Eloine Kloth Goodman, Woodstock, IL, 47, 70/55, $87.50; Marvin Olaf Harmorine, Prior Lake, 71, 65/55, $64.50; Patrick Jerome Myhrer, St. Hilaire, 22, 65/55, $64.50; Eugene Andrew Gorchynski, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 45, 65/55, $64.50; Kenneth Florgan Szmanski, Thief River Falls, 62, 72/55, $87.50; Carole Ann Grindy, Roseau, 49, 65/55, $64.50; Marvin David Hermreck, Thief River Falls, 31, failure to use child restraint, $76; Dan Jay Klopp, Thief River Falls, 18, 68/55, $76;

Steve Danley, Laport, 57, stop sign violation, $76; James Edward Gowing, Cambridge, Ontario, Canada, 78, 69/55, $76; James Kilen Keller, La Habra Heights, CA, 68, 80/55, $99; Todd Kenneth Kleinschmidt, Warroad, 23, 65/55, $111.75; Shelva Jean Larson, Staples, 56, 79/55, $99; Nancy Elayne Maurstad, Argyle, 36, 65/55, $64.50; Randolph Allen Rowley, St. Hilaire, 28, 65/55, $64.50; Tom Lee Samson, Clarkston, MI, 34, 71/55, $87.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Bonnie Jean Brockemeier, Thief River Falls, 64, pett misdemeanor speeding, $65; William John Smith, Mahnomen, 47, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Louann Hoard, St. Hilaire, 34, disorderly conduct, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Timothy Lloyd Johnston, Thief River Falls, 25, driving after revocation, fraudulent use of plates, $820, 40 days in jail stayed for one year; Jennifer Lynn Norby, Goodridge, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Leslie Roy Rhode, Casselton, ND, 41, driving after revocation, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Michelle Roath Voeller, Red Lake Falls, 33, theft, $137.50, $54.50 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year;

Craig Allen Blille, Thief River Falls, 28, inattentive driving, $76; Steven Michael Engstrom, Thief River Falls, 22, permitting a public nuisance, $76, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Randy Wayne Knutson, Thief River Falls, 31, public nuisance, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Darin Scott Teie, Thief River Falls, 23, overtime parking violation, $22.50; Vickie Jolene Bergeron, Thief River Falls, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Curtis John Ditterick, Thief River Falls, 26, discharing fireworks within the city, $48.50.

Heaviest Labor Day Travel in 11 years is expected

Sizzling summer weather and cheaper gas prices should make this the busiest Labor Day weekend for motorists in at least 11 years, according to AAA Minnesota.

AAA estimates 29.6 million motorists plan to vacation 100 miles or more from home over the holiday weekend, up 2 per cent from last year's total of 29 million. Eighty-eight per cent of all holiday travel will be by auto, light truck or recreational vehicle. This is the highest since AAA began reporting on Labor Day travel in 1985.

Another 4.1 million people are expected to take a trip by airplane, train or bus, a 2.5 per cent increase from 4 million in 1994. This modest rise comes after last year's 11 per cent jump in travel by air, train or bus.

Muddy banks of reservoir pose dangerous hazard

The exposed muddy banks of the Red Lake River Reservoir in Thief River Falls have become somewhat of an attractive nuisance. Since an incident on Tuesday in which a youngster became trapped in the mud, law enforcement officials are encouraging people to stay away from the exposed mud.

Law enforcement officials received an emergency request for assistance at about 2 p.m. Tuesday. A nine-year-old boy had become trapped in mud between the beach area and the Eighth Street bridge. Before rescue personnel arrived, somebody was able to reach the youth and pull him from the mud.

Officials are warning residents that it's not safe to walk in the exposed mud of the reservoir. At some points, a person could easily sink up to their chest in mud.

4-H leaders meet Sept. 5

Pennington county 4-H leaders council will meet Tuesday, September 5, because of the state fair dates and Labor Day on September 4. The meeting will be at 8 p.m. in the courthouse meeting room in Thief River Falls.

Items on the agenda for discussion will be the state fair, record judging and election of officers to be held at the October meeting. At least one leader from each club is expected to be in attendance.

Regan Rohl, chamber of commerce president, presented a beautification award to Diane and Duana Lillevold. The Lillevolds received the award for the work they have accomplished at their residence.

Local woman injured Friday in accident

Elaine Anderson of Thief River Falls and Roseau was injured Friday when her car left Highway 32 and struck an approach.

Minnesota State patrol spokesperson said they received a report of the accident at 6:30 a.m. According to the accident report, Anderson was driving a Geo Metro south on Highway 32 when some deer crossed the road in front of her two miles south of Middle River. She swerved to avoid hitting the deer and her car went off the road, hit an approach and landed upright. Anderson was taken to Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Damage to the car was considered extensive.

Pennington Co. 4-Hers win at MN State Fair

Six Pennington county 4-H club members earned purple championship ribbons at the Minnesota State Fair in St. Paul, according to Van Swanson, Pennington county extension educator for 4-H.

Earning championships were Laura Steiger, Smiley 4-H club, Home Environment; Trevor Larson, Smiley, Shooting Sports; Jocelyn Helgeland, Smiley, Youth Leadership; Katy Olson, Kratka, Child Care; Randine Hall, New Solum, Indoor Gardening; and Robby Molskness, Happy Acres, Pets.

Blue ribbon winners were from the following clubs:

Smiley—Senja Lopac, Cats; Brandi Larson, Clothes You Buy; Josh Clark, Aerospace; Amanda Clark, youth Leadership; and Brandi Larson/Jocelyn Helgeland, Community Pride;

Silverton—Darren Nelson and Andrea Vigen, Team Demonstration; and Kim Kirkelde, Food Revue;

Highlanding—Adam Kassa, Geology;

Steiner—Kristen Muzzy, Demonstration; and Billy Lublitz, Food Preservation;

New Solum—Wayne Johnson, Self Determined; and

Sanders—Rebecca Wegner, Forestry.

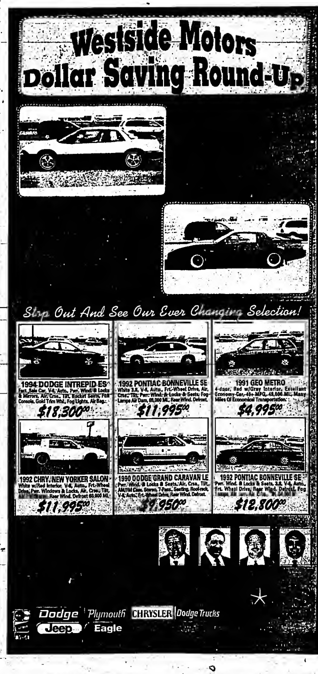
Red ribbons were received by the following Pennington 4-H members:

Highlanding—Ben Hanson, Shop; and Kristian Solberg, Plants & Soils;

New Solum—Beth Olson, Photography; and

Smiley—Lisa Sorteberg, Needle Arts.

Taking part in Creative Arts where only participation ribbons are given were Katie Jorde of New Solum and Kelli Muzzy from Steiner. The Kratka 4-H club's banner also received a participation ribbon.



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The Second Section

Plan calls for 20 to be recruited for AmeriCorps projects in Minnesota

Efforts are underway to recruit 20 AmeriCorps members to serve among four Minnesota projects in the U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), according to Bill Hunt, state conservationist for the NRCS.

"We're actively seeking a diverse group of people who want to serve their community, help complete required AmeriCorps projects and in return receive many benefits," Hunt said. He pointed out that AmeriCorps "is not a jobs program. It is a service program designed to get things done to solve America's problems."

Each AmeriCorps membee selected to work for the NRCS in Minnesota will receive a service stipend of $7,945 or $12,000 (depending upon whether they are selected as an environmental corps or a rural development team member), a $4,725 education award, basic health insurance and a child care allowance, if qualified.

The education award may be used to repay student loans or to pay for college for two-year, four-year or graduate programs.

NRCS AmeriCorps projects will be located in Warren, Thief River Falls, Mahnomen and Waseca.

"We are seeking 20 people who will commit themselves to serve a 1,700-hour term (approximately 11 months) beginning October 2, 1995," Hunt said.

The nine-member project in Warren and the eight-member project in Waseca are designed to assist citizens to rehabilitate riparian corridors, enhance wildlife habitat, improve water quality and insure public safety.

The one-member project in Thief River Falls is designed to increase landowner awareness of waste management systems that reduce feedlot runoff and water quality degradation.

The two-member project in Mahnomen, a renewed AmeriCorps project, is aimed at promoting multi-use trail development.

An AmeriCorps project application and a fact sheet about AmeriCorps projects in Minnesota are available from any USDA NRCS office in the state, or potential applicants may call Michael Price, NRCS AmeriCorps State Project Director at (612) 290-3677. Applications are due by September 13.

AmeriCorps is a national service program which engages 20,000 Americans in performing service that meets community needs in return for an educational award, which may be used to pay for college, job training or graduate school, or to pay back student loans. The majority of AmeriCorps members are working in partnerships with states, local governments or non-profit organizations.

Annual Beautification awards were recently awarded by the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce. Duana and Diane Lillevold were awarded the residential beautification award. Above, they survey their back yard. A total of 58 rose bushes, and numerous perennials, paver stone and other decorations adorn their yard and house at 524 Red Lake Boulevard in Thief River Falls.

Solorag plans EGF gathering

Solorlag of America will hold its 1995 stevne September 14-16 at the Comfort Inn on highway 2 at East Grand Forks. The event is open to anyone but of particular interest to those who have family roots in Norway.

According to information from the organization, Solorlag of America has members with roots in nord-Odal - and — Sor-Odal, Kongsvinger (with Austmarka), Eidskog (with Vestmarka), Elverum and surroundings, Loten, Stange, Romedal, Ringsaker, Nes in Hedemarken, Trysil, Tynset and Engerdal.

Persons in this area of northwest Minnesota who would like to know more about the organization or the three-day event in East Grand Forks may contact Gladys Barron in Thief River Falls at 681-6901 or 681-3684, or Ron or Pat Braaten at 681-1078.

Duana and Diane Lillevold of 524 Red Lake Blvd. North, were recipients of the 1995 residential Beautification Award. The Lillevolds have lived in their house for many years, but in the past few years, many sigificant changes have been made to the property. The changes have been to structure and landscape. The Lillevolds picked the spot because of its lovly spot on the river. In addition to the many trees, paver stone walkways and ornamental decorations, the Lillevolds have planted 58 rose bushes, and just this year, 70 to 80 perennials. They also have an apple tree in their yard that dates back to when missionaries occupied a hospital next to their home. At one time the missionaries had live lots of apple trees. The Lillevolds have the one remaining apple tree from that orchard in their yard.

Study planned of work force in trade corridor

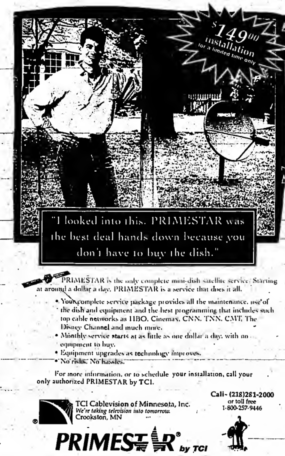
Red River Trade Corridor, based at the University of Minnesota—Crookston, has initiated a one-year study to determine the current skills of the region's labor force and the needs and perceptions of the region's manufacturers regarding training currently provided and training that needs to be developed in the region.

The study will be conducted by Dr. Curtis Stofferahn, associate professor of sociology and director of the Social Science Research Institute at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. It will be an extensive survey of the region's employers and labor force.

Funding for the effort will be provided by the Cooperative States Research Service of the United States Department of Agriculture and the Northwest Area Foundation.

The study is intended to assess the current level of employer-provided training and the attitudes of employers in regard to the value of training in a variety of skill areas. It will also appraise the skills of the workforce, assess the workforce's level of interest in improving its skills, and determine the current status of training provided within the region.

The survey is prompted by the situation where companies in the region experience labor shortages and lack of appropriate training opportunities and find themselves competing for the some workers with technical competencies.



Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
696-4470

Mrs. Dannile Peranteau and boys of Fargo visited at the Home of Marc and Connie Peranteau from Wednesday on and to attend the anniversary of her parents Virgil and Theresa Radniecki of Oklee.

About thirty one children of the St. Joseph, St. Vincent De Paul and St. Frances parishes attended the camp corbett Bible camp with Fr. Duane Pribula as supervisory and Mrs. Pam Paradis, Mary Lynn Bachand, Janet Halvorson, Jerry Rosten and Cindy Datsimen as cook and coordinator Tuesday and Thursday.

Thursday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Joann Delage, Mamie Riendeau, Myrtle Hamrum, Vi Gagner, Martha Gagner and Mrs. Dorothy Myhre, at noon Dorothy was the honored guest of the ladies at noon at Joe DiMaggio's at Erskine to help Dorothy celebrate her birthday.

Monday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Mabel Sabourin, Evangeline Grove and Shawn Hince.

Mrs. Joan Delage daughters Ceie, Tammy Paradis and children of Warroad visited with Wayne and Robin Krebs in Grand Forks on Friday.

Monday evening John and Karen Larson hosted a dinner party in honor of their daughter Andrea to celebrate her 4th birthday with grandparents Frederic and Delores Berbench, Melvin and Marie Mercil of Milwaukee, WI, Mark and Sue Berbench and Cathy View of St. Marie and Kelly of Terrebonne, Derek Gagner, Milo and Pat Larson and grandson Joseph Larson of Erskine to help Andrea celebrate her 5th birthday. Happy Birthday Andrea.

Mrs. Robin Deakens, Kelsey and Bryant left on Tuesday for her home to Milwaukee, WI after a five day holiday with her parents, Wesley and Carolyn Myhre.

Tuesday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Courtney Gustafson of Oklee, Renie Grove, Brandt and Dusty of Erskine.

Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum and sister Mrs. Hilda Oveele of Gully, returned on Tuesday from a two week holiday trip to Delta Junction, AK where they visited their daughter and niece Susan Heller and family and enjoyed many miles site seeing.

Ray and Ann Capp traveled to Canby where they visited their uncles and aunts Monday to Friday. Their daughter, Tracy and Cathy Woeke of Sioux Falls, SD met them and grandchildren Erin and Mariah who were visiting here returned home with their parents.

Mrs. Albany Riendeau, Willard Hince of Thief River Falls, Evangeline Grove, Kevin Gerhat and Kay Aitken visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday.

Wayne and Robin Krebs and Alyssa of Grand Forks were Friday and Saturday guests of Mrs. Joann Delage.

Ernie and Anna Cardinal were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Darwin of Red Lake Falls.

Russell and Cheryll Hince, Evangeline Grove and Mabel Sabourin visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Dale and Carol Gagner, Dawn and Joel of Ogilvie were weekend guests of his parents Arthur and Martha Gagner. Dawn and Joel remained for a longer holiday.

Alex and Jessie Hamrum were Sunday overnight guests of their grandmother Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum.

Mrs. Vi Gagner, Gene and Pat Proute traveled to Grand Rapids on Saturday to attend the fiftieth wedding anniversary and reception of Leonard and Marge McMillin and were overnight guests of Mrs. Doris Gagner of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Renie Grove, Russell Hince and Mrs. Mable Sabourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Sunday.

A surprised birthday dinner party was held in honor of Mrs. Willie Katschke at the home of her daughter Mike and Ann Turra in Greenbush with Justin and Jenna Rewertz of Greenbush, Jason and Sharin Engen and boys of Thief River Falls, Lowell and Cindy Arlt, Ross and Arnie of Plummer, plus the many greetings and phone calls from son Karl Magers of Plummer, daughters Marsha McPhersen of Frankfurt, IN, Linda Esterline of South Whitley, IN, and evening guests were Pam Paradis, Ryan, Chelsey and Ethan to wish Willie a Happy Birthday.

Dale and Bonnie Fantaina and granddaughter Corrine of Bremerton, WA were Friday overnight guests of their cousin, Mrs. Pearl Laniel, Friday evening they visited Roger and Janel Walter home of Plummer.

Leonard and Veronica Boucher traveled to Grand Rapids, on Saturday to attend the Fiftieth Wedding celebration of Leonard and Marge McMillin, Veronica was a bridesmaid of Marge 50 years ago and again was at Marge's side. "Happy Anniversary Leonard and Marge".

Fr. Larry Wieseler of Venezuela celebrated the services on Saturday evening of St. Vincent DePaul Catholic church of Plummer and St. Anthony Catholic church Sunday morning, a reception was held for Fr. Wieseler at both celebrations. Before Fr. Wieseler went on his mission to Venezuela, he was a parish priest of Brooks.

Many of our friends and relatives attended the wedding of Carrie Fallon daughter of Tom and Judie Fallon and Ryan son of Kenneth Hedlund held at the St. Bernard's Catholic church in Thief River Falls on Saturday, August 19, 1995.

Tony Martell, son of Bob and Peggy Orrack of Becker and a friend visited with his grandparents, Doris and Joyce Rock, Fritz and Crystal Martell of Red Lake Falls.

Fr. Joe Cain of Phoenix, AZ and Mrs. Helen Finn and son Kevin of Minneapolis arrived on Wednesday to visit with Milo and Pat Larson, Fr. Cain will be celebrating service of the St. Frances of Oklee, St. Vincent DePaul of Plummer and St. Joseph Catholic churches in observes of Fr. Duane Pribula.

Mrs. Donna Josephson of Thief River Falls was a Sunday dinner guest of her parents Arthur and Martha Gagner and visited her brother, Dale and Carol.

Church Directory

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
101 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rothchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
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Rural St. Hilaire
Wes Mathre, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Worship Services – Redeemer: Sundays at 10 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
246 Kendall Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Curtis D. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sch, Associate
Edsel Lindquist, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-3 • 681-3855
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m., Evening service at 6:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Nondenominational
Highway 1 East; Rt. 4 Box 11A, Thief River Falls
Curtis Jacobson, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 9-3 • 681-2285
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:00-5:30 • 681-4388
Worship Services: This Sunday is the Labor Day Sunday Outdoor service at 9 a.m. with Rev. Bill Kerr leading the service; Coffee fellowship will follow the service that day and all those who attend are invited to gather in the basement area of the church for refreshments; There is an areawide extended invitation to join together that morning. In case of rain, the service will be held in the church sanctuary.

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1563 Highway 59 Southeast, Thief River Falls
Cameron Stratton, Pastors
Peter and Greer Mavis, Children's Ministers
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move Children's church and preschool and nursery every service.

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1802 Pennington Avenue, Thief River Falls
Wesley Langaas, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

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Father Joe DeCrans, Pastor
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Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

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Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
401 South Saint Paul Avenue, Thief River Falls
Del Palmer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed.-Fri., 9-4:30 • 681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Baptist General Conference
414 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Carroll Erickson, Senior Pastor
681-2477
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wollenzien, Pastor, Timothy M. Bauer, Pastor.
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
1024 Tindolph Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Robert Forbes, Pastor
681-7685 Office or 681-4606
Worship Services: Saturdays at 11:05 a.m.; Sabbath school at 9:15 a.m.

PRECIOUS SEED BAPTIST CHURCH
Independent
1007 County Road 62, Thief River Falls
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-12 Noon • 681-3842
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Evening services at 7 p.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4716
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. - Joy 4 Kids Children's church, Sunday school (Ages 2-Adult) at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Neil R. Bonkosu, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m., Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

ST. PAULI LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
County Road 20 South of rural Thief River Falls
Terri Jo Skicum, Pastor
964-5447
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Water Street, St. Hilaire
964-5447
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.

CHC CHAPEL
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 2:30 p.m. This Sunday is Communion (September 3).

FAITH LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:15 a.m.

SILVERTON LUTHERAN CHURCH
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN UNITED AND OUR SAVIOR'S PARISHES
Gatzke-Thief Lake area
Arlen Lloyd, Pastor
459-3357
Worship Services – United: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.
Worship Services – Our Savior's: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
Brooks
Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
796-5844
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH
Oklee
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

ST. VINCENT dePAUL CHURCH
Plummer
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.

IMMANUEL/EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Box 98, Plummer
Clarence J. Johnson, Pastor
465-4525
Worship Services – Immanuel: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Ebenezer: Sundays at 11 a.m.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH, MT. OLIVE, NAZARETH, OAK PARK, ST. PETRI, ELS
P.O. Box 26, Oklee
Daniel Faugstad and Philipp Lehmann, Pastors
796-5597 (Pastor Lehmann)
Wednesday, Aug. 30— Oak Park Sunday school teachers' meeting at 7:30 p.m.
Worship Services – Mt. Olive: Sundays at 8 a.m.
Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Services – Oak Park: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

GOODRIDGE LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Box 157, Goodridge
Robert W. Dahlen, Pastor; David Dahl, Intern Pastor
Office Hours: Tues., Thurs., Fri. 9-12 Noon
378-4191
Worship Services – Ekelund: Sundays at 11 a.m.
Worship Services – Faith: Sundays at 10 a.m.
Worship Services – Betheny: Sundays at 9 a.m.

REINER FREE LUTHERAN, AFLC
Highway 1, Goodridge
Del Palmer, Pastor
681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays at 11:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

VIKING COVENANT CHURCH
Viking
Gerald Deppa, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-4 • 523-4735
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.

TELEMARKEN LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
Rural Goodridge
Raynard Huglen, Pastor
Pastor's 874-8465
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; This Sunday is Holy Communion (September 3).

NEWFOLDEN FREE LUTHERAN PARISH BETHANIA AND WESTAKER CHURCHES, AFLC
P.O. Box 187, Newfolden
Rev. Leroy Flickinger
874-7925
Worship Services – Bethania: Sundays at 9 a.m.
Worship Services – Westaker: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH, EFCA
P.O. Box 86, Newfolden
Gary Barrett, Pastor
874-8785
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:25 a.m.

NEWFOLDEN NEW HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, A.A.L.C.
P.O. Box 185, Newfolden
Curtis Paulson, Pastor
874-6611
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

NAZARETH AND SILVER CREEK, ELCA
Rt. 1 Box 132, Newfolden
Nancy Warner, Pastor
449-3841
Worship Services – Silver Creek: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Box 39, Newfolden
John Jorgensen, Pastor
874-7115
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

VIKING LUTHERAN PARISH ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
P.O. Box 37, Viking
Paul A. Chell, Pastor
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:45 a.m.; Sunday church school at 9:30 a.m.

OAK RIDGE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rural Thief River Falls
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The Long Gospel Team from Sisseton, SD, will be presented in a program of music and spiritual message Sunday, September 3, at 10:30 a.m. at the New Life Assembly of God in Thief River Falls. Rev. Sandy Stevenson and congregation invite the public to attend. The Long family includes Curtis, his wife Linda and their sons Grayson and Grady and their music ranges from light contemporary to traditional. Curtis Long has been in evangelism since 1967.

4-H NEWS

Highlanding 4-H club met Thursday, August 3, at the Goodridge Senior Citizen Center. There were nine members, five parents and four visitors present. Flag and club pledges were said and roll call was answered by naming a favorite summer activity.

The secretary's report was given by Dawn Hanson and the treasurer's report by Paulette Kassa.

4-H Day Camp will be held in Goodridge on Monday, August 7 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. All children ages 5-10 years are welcome and are to bring a sack lunch and $2 to cover the costs of materials. Heather Olson will be in charge, and Ben Hanson, Angie Holen and Penny Fredrick will serve as counselors.

The report on the county fair was given. The club had excellent help for the food stand with 100 per cent of families helping out. Adam Kassa, Amy Langseth, Kristian Solberg and Ben Hanson won trips to state fair and Arlen Stenvik will compete in the State Horse Show in September. All members were reminded of the State Fair Orientation on Thursday, August 17, at 2 p.m. in the courthouse meeting room. A practice session for Share the Fun at the state fair after Hanson and Penny Fredrick return from the *New York Exchange trip*. Participants will be notified of the details.

Community Pride was discussed and it was decided to participate in the St. Jude Hospital Bike-a-thon with Penny Fredrick in charge. Records are due September 18. Dawn Hanson will set up a time after state fair to help members with records. Completed records are to be brought to the September meeting.

Shooting Sports members were reminded of the campout to be held August 11-12. Pam Fredrick gave a demonstration on no-bake cookies. The meeting was adjourned.

Lunch was served by Lorraine Stenvik. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, September 14, at the Jean and Bob Halvorson home. Hot Dog award was given to Aaron Swanson for getting a grand champion ribbon at county fair in the computer project — his first year in 4-H.

Dawn Hanson, reporter

Outstanding senior citizens from around the region were recognized at the Fall Conference on Aging at the University of Minnesota Crookston on August 23. In row one are Georgine Arness, Fisher, Polk county, Merle Comstock, Roseau, Roseau county, and Evelyn Niemela, Middle River, Marshall county. In row two are Arnold Person, Oklee, Red Lake county, Paul Gisdvig, Fertile, Polk county, Al Sollom, Thief River Falls, Pennington and Lloyd Larson, Thief River Falls (Holt), Marshall county.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

In Northwest Minnesota, Monday morning has brought us weather that is only dreamed about. The sun is shining and the temperature is 60 and expected to reach 75 today. The lawns are sporting their weekend grass-cuts and with the rain last week everything outdoors looks satisfied and restful. On Thursday we got a couple of inches of rain and sympathized with North Dakota where they took the brunt of the storm.

Last Sunday a group of the Strandquist seniors took a bus ride to the big doings at Strathcona and really enjoyed themselves. On Wednesday they went to Newfolden, had their dinner and stayed for a birthday party. Alvina Stephans and Vi Moen provided the music and some readings after which coffee, cake and ice cream was served.

On Thursday they met at the Center with 11 members and 7 guests, Clara Nelson, Naomi Anderson, Lillian Gormundsen, Elsie Lefrooth, Mary and Donna Renstrom and Myrtle Vagle. Elphie Adlis presided at a business meeting and after the reports were read and approved, they planned on more trips. They are a very active group and seem to really enjoy themselves both working and playing. It seems to keep them young and happy.

Elmer and Minnie Amundson of Grand Forks spent Friday visiting old time friends and neighbors. In Thief River Falls they visited Elle Thun and Emma Shoy. They failed to find Elphie Adlis at home so stopped to say Hi to Elsie Lefrooth, who accompanied them to the Karlstad Nursing Home where they spent time with Minnie's cousin Hugo Nelson and some of Elmer's hunting pals.

On Sunday, Lowell Lefrooth and Claudie Berggren, Jessie and Kali visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter and enjoyed a cookout in the evening. On Monday, Lorina Berggren, Pete Kostrezewski and Clifford Brosdahl visited them.

On Wednesday afternoon, Ruby Swanson and Yvonne Boon hosted a going away party at the Swenson home for LaVel Thun who is moving to Moorhead. More than 20 ladies enjoyed the afternoon and we are going to miss hearing from LaVel each week. Thanks LaVel for contributing as you have done in the past and we will be happy to hear from you in your new home.

Morris and Hazel Anderson attended the Heritage Days in Grand Forks on Saturday and they were impressed by the various old time trades that were shown especially the carding and spinning of buffalo hair into yarn. They also visited with Jim, Cindy and Christy Wattorlund and went shopping.

Dr. Larry and Shannon and children of Red Wing were Saturday afternoon visitors at Don Carlson's in Karlstad. LaVoi visited them also.

Claudia Berggren, Jessie and Kali and Kari Kasprowicz visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter on Wednesday and Thursday Kari Kasprowicz was joined by Brittany and Matthew Nelson, Larina Berggren and Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle to visit Grandpa and Grandma.

LaVonna Johnson helped her mother Pearl Thompson pick and freeze beans on Monday. In the evening Pearl visited at Danny and Becky Johnson's.

Isaac and Betsy were among a host of friends and neighbors who attended the 50th Anniversary for Ed and Helen Falk at their home near Karlstad.

Friday, Margaret, Alaure and Sara Donaldson visited Elsie Lefrooth, Pearl Thompson, Vance and Adrianne Lefrooth and Walter Thompson visited her on Saturday evening.

Scott Thun and Mike and Debi Bruggeman of Moorhead were weekend visitors at LaVoi Thun's. They moved LaVel's belongings to Moorhead where she will be living soon.

Becky and Jeremy Johnson and LaVonne Johnson left for Bloomington on Wednesday to visit Sherrie, Scott and Stettenie Stewert. They came home on Sunday.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's on Friday were Julius and Toni Kleinvochter, Lowell Lefrooth, Chad Nelson, Claudie Berggren, Kali and Jessie, June Kasprowicz, and Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle. On Saturday evening Jean and Alan Gerhis of Inkster, ND visited them.

Wally and Phyllis Larson and Arnold and Vernice Larson were Thursday evening visitors at LaVoi Thun's.

Sunday was perfect for a picnic and the folks around here took advantage of it. Over 100 people gathered at the Zion Lutheran church for their annual picnic and two large tables couldn't hold all the food. Elsie Berggren played her violin as she has done for many years. Her music was enjoyed by all.

Betsy Thompson had coffee with Peter and Pearl Thompson on Thursday.

Brooks . . . .

Arnie and Pam Paradis traveled to Brainerd at Breeze Point where Arnie golfed in the Minnesota Trucking Association Friday to Sunday.

BreAnne Determen was among those who helped Kristine Walter of Plummer celebrate her birthday on Saturday with swimming at Red Lake Falls, games and lunch and a special Pocahontas birthday cake. Happy Birthday Kristine.

Star News

Our community was sadden by the sudden death of Gilmer Manderud who passed away at his home on Friday morning August 11th. Our sincere sympathy to the Manderud family. May his memory be blessed. His funeral was held on August 15th at the Ecklund Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel met Mr. and Mrs. Darcey Moses and Tammi and camped with them at Brainerd from Friday until Saturday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes visited briefly with Tillie Eliason in Hibbing.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Verner Arveson were visitors and coffee guests at the Adeline Hanson home.

Sunday evening Jean Johnson made supper and brought it over to the Clarence Johnson home and they all enjoyed supper together.

Jean Johnson and Michelle and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were among others that attended the prayer service for Gilmer Manderud at the Green Funeral home in Thief River Falls on Monday evening.

Sunday morning Gary Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Andersen home.

River Valley News

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Guests this weekend at the Jim and Kathy Dulka home were Matt, Kelly, Katie, Mike and Annie Dulka who drove here from Castro Valley, CA. Other guests over the weekend were Jon and Jeanne Lindquist, Emily, Ben and Megan of Lake Park, Andy Dulka of St. Joseph, T.J. Kern, and Ian Dulka of Minneapolis. The family celebrated Ian's first birthday, Jim's birthday and Jeanne and Jon's Wedding Anniversary.

Get well wishes go out to Robby and Katie Lundean who recently had surgery in Grand Forks to have their Tonsils removed. They are both feeling much better now after a painful surgery.

Vincent, Galine, and Robby and Katie Lundeen attended David and Judy Lundeen's 30th Wedding anniversary party at Red Lake Falls. Vincent and Galina also attended the wedding of Michelle Lundeen and Ryan Bekken in Grygla on Saturday.

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Josh Behl is new scout executive

Josh Behl

Josh Behl currently of Grand Forks, ND, has been appointed district executive for the Voyageur Trails district of the Boy Scouts of America effective August 1.

The district includes scouting units in nine counties of northwestern Minnesota.

Behl, 23, is a 1990 graduate of Wheaton high school and earned a bachelor of arts degree in social studies education from Concordia College in Moorhead in 1994. He also has a coaching certificate in track.

A participant in track and cross country in high school, Behl was also a member of the varsity track team at Concordia, participating in the high jump until a training injury ended his participation as a senior.

While attending Concordia he was also a member of the Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) program at North Dakota State University and a field artillery unit member with the National Guard in Ortonville.

Behl participated in the Boy Scout program for 11 years, earning the Arrow Light award in Cub Scouts, the Order the Arrow and Eagle rank in the Boy Scouts. He said one of his objectives as a district scout executive will be to assist with establishment of Explorer Posts in Thief River Falls.

Josh's wife Audra is from Sykeston, ND, and they have a one-year-old daughter, Morganne.

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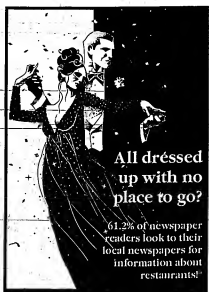
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Star News

Mayme Johnson
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Mrs. Vernon Holthusen of Thorhult was a visitor and lunch guest at the Clarence Johnson home on Monday afternoon.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Kelly Dahlen was a visitor and coffee guest at the Leonard Johnson home.

Mrs. Norman Adams was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor at the Jean Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Dustin and Deanna were visitors and coffee guests at Debbie Henson's home in Thief River Falls during the week.

Jared Haugen was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home on Thursday evening.

Justin Qualey was an overnight guest of Brady's at the Elva Fiedler home on Wednesday.

Alfred Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland's one day during the week.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Alvin Kompen home were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jensen of Thief River Falls and Hilda Hoffman.

Art Olson of Grand Forks was a visitor and coffee guest at the Henford Roisland home one day during the week.

Kenneth Borseth of McIntosh was a caller late Sunday afternoon at the Lorraine Watne home.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Radniecki at the Community Center in Oklee.

Lorraine Watne visited on Saturday night at the Lowell Watne home in Grygla.

Wednesday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Obert Hovet and Dennis were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Jean Johnson and Jessica were visitors and coffee guests Monday evening at the Merle Naeseth home.

Elva Fiedler and June Johnson were among others that attended the shower for the Intern David Dahl and his wife at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Tim Radniecki of Oklee visited and had dinner on Monday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors at the Richard and Sandra Johnson home in Fosston. Then on their way home Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson stopped and had coffee with Adeline Hanson.

Elva Fiedler was at a homemakers brunch on Monday at the Deb Zak home.

Thursday night, Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Arnie and Melinda were visitors and coffee guest at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Mrs. Hank Kuznia and Tina and Tina's friend Autumn were visitor's and coffee guests at the Martin Kotrba home on Sunday afternoon. Then later Tina, Autumn, and Tiera were overnight guests with Jennifer Kotrba in Thief River Falls on Sunday night.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Michelle and Monica Johnson were visitors and lunch guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Sunday, Mildred Hovet of Thief River Falls and Max Stucy were visitors at the Eddy Stucy home.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Helel, Elizabeth and Rebecca of Dubuque, IA and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gena, Arnie and Melinda were visitors and supper guests at the Vance Wiseth home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill of Oklee and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson went to Hallock to visit at the Harlen Iverson home, where they celebrated the birthday's for Janet Iverson and Kyle along with Mike Langan and Harlen Iverson and Marge and Jenny. A lunch was served along with a decorated birthday cake. Happy Birthday Janet and Kyle. The birthday guest also received gifts and cards.

Delbert Sherry of Warren was a brief caller of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba's on Sunday.

Mildred Hovet was a visitor, lunch and coffee guest at the Lorraine Watne home on Sunday afternoon.

Friday, Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Kjell Johnsrud was an overnight guest of Brady's on Saturday at the Elva Fiedler home.

Robert Myron was a visitor and coffee guest at the Henford Roisland home during the week.

Elva Fiedler attended the retired teachers banquet at the Best Western in Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening.

Friday forenoon, Mrs. Vernon Holthusen of Thorhult visited by phone with Michelle Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Juel Chervestad of rural Oklee were visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home Thursday night.

Mrs. Arvid Sisted of Grygla was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday morning at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba were callers at the Paul Odette home.

Jean, Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson were visitor's and supper guests at the Clarence Johnson home on Monday evening.

Jessica Johnson visited with Joanna at the Gary Johnson home on Thursday night.

Fr. Joe DeCrans of Thief River Falls visited with Clarence Johnson and also brought him communion on Sunday.

Mrs. Hank Kuznia and Tina of Coon Rapids and a friend of Tina's Autumn of Elk River were visitors at the Agnes Eidelbes home. They came on Friday and left for their home on Monday.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Derrin Potucek and Bethany of Warroad were visitors and coffee guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

A birthday party was held at the Rindahl home for Doris Rindahl, her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet.

Lesley Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Henford Roisland home during the week.

Visitors and supper guests Saturday evening at the Clarence Johnson home were Joanne Johnson, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica. Joan made supper and brought it to her parents home.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at the Allen Hawk home on Tuesday. Then on Wednesday evening Jessica Johnson, Mrs. Allen Hawk, Zano, Jesse and Jenny went bowling in Thief River Falls.

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Funding for trips by youth of Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls was assisted recently when a $600 check was presented by Patty Schob (left), secretary-treasurer of AAL Branch 9591. The branch supplied matching funds for the proceeds of a youth-sponsored pie auction. Accepting the check are Berta Peterson, youth director at Zion, and youth group members Stephanie Henney, Casey Reed, Jessica L. Nelson and Sam Adams.

Reminder issued on pre-harvest use of herbicides

Minnesota Department of Agriculture has reminded farmers, agricultural input dealers and applicators that herbicides not labeled for preharvest application can not legally be used to combat late emerging tillers, broadleaf weeds or grass weeds.

Unusual weather patterns this year have left some small grain fields in Minnesota dotted with late emerging broadleaf and grass weeds, as well as new shoots known as tillers coming off grain stalks. Both weeds and tillers can significantly interfere with harvest.

MDA Commissioner Gene Hugoson said his department has had reports of commercial applicators being asked to apply certain herbicides in an off-label use to burn down the green tissue of new tillers and weeds.

"We want to remind growers, dealers and applicators that the use of a herbicide, or any pesticide, in a manner inconsistent with the label is illegal. The use of a herbicide as a harvest aid in a small grain crop would require the product be labeled for that specific use and for that specific crop."

MDA noted that the herbicide glyphosate, including the brand name "Roundup," is not labeled for pre-harvest applications in barley and the herbicide paraquat, including the brand name "Gramoxone Extra," is not labeled for pre-harvest application in any small grain.

As part of its program to regulate the use of pesticides, the United States Environmental Protection Agency establishes amounts of residues that may remain in agricultural commodities and animal feeds. No residue levels of glyphosate are allowed in barley and no residue levels of paraquat are allowed in any small grain.

"Off-label use of products such as these is an on-going problem," Commissioner Hugoson added. "But the repercussions for such usage can be severe. Small grains found to contain residues of an unlabeled herbicide become useless and can not be sold. Additionally, persons caught misapplying pesticides may be subject to fines of up to $5,000 per occurrence and suspension of their applicator's license."

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Friday afternoon, Mrs. Galen Dahlen, Mrs. Justin Dahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Mrs. Robert Pamow of Thief River Falls visited with Justin at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Dahlen brought birthday greetings to Justin Dahlen at his home on Monday afternoon. They just returned home after spending a few days at Sturgis, SD. They along with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dahlen of Washington also spent some time visiting at the Kent Rindahl home in Wyoming.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Holte of rural Grygla visited at the Justin Dahlen home.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lovly brought birthday greetings to Justin Dahlen at his home.

Mrs. James Merty of Pelican Rapids called to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dahlen on Sunday afternoon.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Gilmer Menderud whose funeral was last Tuesday at the Ekelund Lutheran church. May his memory be blessed.

Saturday afternoon, Gene Fjeld of rural Thief River Falls visited at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Robert Pamow of Thief River Falls was a visitor and coffee guest at the Neil Liedberg home on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Bob Purdy was a visitor at the Neil Liedberg home during the week.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Bob Purdy and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home.

Visitors Saturday at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Sue Converse of Halma, Francine Liedberg, Roger Nelson, and Jodi Gustafson.

Mrs. Donnie Jensen visited and was a coffee guest at the Neil Liedberg home on Friday afternoon.

Russ Culkins of rural Thief River Falls was a caller at the Neil Liedberg home on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg were visitors and coffee guests at the Clarence Dahlen home on Saturday afternoon.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg were among the many that attended the dinner and Musical Comedy entitled "Nunsense" at the Golf Club in Thief River Falls.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg, Mrs. Justin Dahlen, Corrine Roisland, Gladys Rindahl, Evelyn Lillo and Gena Fjeld visited with Justin Dahlen at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

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Plummer News

Ellie Byer
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Bill Swick of St. Paul was a Sunday dinner guest of Art and Avis Frolland, having come north to attend the funeral for his mother-in-law, Inez Gjovik of Strathcona.

James and Lydia Waldal of Vancouver, WA were Friday afternoon visitors of Art and Avis Frolland.

Ruth Wilkens visited with her daughter Diane and Lowell Rosenberg on Sunday at Mentor.

Leonard and Bernice Peterson visited on Sunday at the Milton Peterson and Marvin Engesether homes.

George and Hazel Olie were Sunday afternoon visitors of Bunnie and Ellie Byer.

Neilden and Pam Vatthauer and girls of Rochester visited at the Harold Vatthauer home from Friday to Wednesday, having come to attend the All Church reunion of the Evangelical Free church in Thief River Falls on Sunday. Renate and Greg Schmitke also attended the reunion before returning to their home in Lakeville. The reunion was a great success and a full day of festivities was enjoyed by all.

Edna Hyde and Bunny DuChamp were Sunday evening visitors of Eleanor Hodgson.

Howard and Myrtle LaFayette were Monday noon luncheon guests of Wally and Marie Seeger of Red Lake Falls, to visit with James, Lydia and Wayne Waldal of Vancouver, WA.

Eleanor Christianson of Oklee visited her sister Bernice Peterson last week. Other recent visitors were Lorna Huotari and Leroy Engesether.

Margaret Greenwald enjoyed lunch with Lorraine Barber, a former classmate and now of Sun City, AZ on Tuesday. She has been visiting in Red Lake Falls with her sister Hazel Parris.

James and Lydia Waldal and son Wayne of Vancouver, WA were Monday supper guests of Albert and Evelyn Tervo.

Marilyn and Robert Shinabarger of Beloit, WI visited her brother John and Clara Helley on Tuesday. Another sister Dolores Burkhart, who is a nurse in Crookston but is now hospitalized, had been on their list of "must see" visits.

Lowell and Cindy Arlt visited recently at the home of Les and Mary Arlt of Red Lake Falls.

Harold and Marlen Vatthauer, Neilden and Pam Vatthauer and girls of Rochester toured Itasca Park, Smoky Hills and the LumberCamp on Tuesday viewing the storm damage and the cleanup activities being done.

Birthday

Wavell Sorenson and Emilie Skjerven visited Gerda Koskela on Tuesday to help her celebrate her birthday. In the evening friends Art and Alma Henson, Lorna Huotari, Donna Kvaseger and Eddy Eskell carried on the celebration.

Bunny DuChamp, Gertie Haugen of Goodridge, Knute and Stella Nesland of Thief River Falls helped their cousin Inga David of Oakland Park Nursing Home of Thief River Falls celebrate her 89th birthday on Friday. Others there were her brother Andy Nesland of Thief River Falls and sister Tillie Nesland of Valley Home. Bunny and Gertie also visited with Hazel DuChamp there.

Anniversary and Birthday

Kern and Alice Tillmen observed their 45th wedding anniversary and Kern's birthday on Saturday. Don and Glenyce Herrington of St. Paul treated them to dinner at the Evergreen in Thief River Falls. Evening visitors at their home were Arnie and Wilma Arlt, Evelyn Ulrich, Burton and Joyce Carlson, Paula and Jason Cater.

James and Lydia Waldal and son Wayne of Vancouver, WA and Helen Waldal Ober of Flat Rock, MI spent a few days in the Red Lake Falls-Plummer area, visiting Marie and Wally Seeger of Red Lake Falls, Bea and Clayton Larson of Plummer and Selma Waldal of Thief River Falls as well as visiting other friends and relatives. Rick Greenwald of Stacy visited his parents Howard and Margaret Greenwald from Tuesday to Friday.

Birthday Threshing Bee

Howard and Myrtle LaFayette went to Grand Rapids on Saturday to take in an annual Threshing Bee using old tractors and equipment. They were overnight guests of Budd and Karen Burthwick.

Wedding

Congratulations to Bernie DeHate and Jill Tvedt who were married on Saturday at the Red Lake Falls Catholic church, with the reception in the church basement. Visitors at the home of Bernie's grandmother Wilhelmina Gallant and attending the wedding were Don and Margie Ranstron of Bloomington, Nicholas Gallant and wife Karen, son Rodney and friend Terri Grant, all of Des Moines, IA, Diane DeHate of New York, Marlene and Steve Haugen and family of Oklee, Martin and Linda Hoganson and family of Thief River Falls, Teresa and Kevin Tvedt. The couple hosted a wedding dance at the Plummer Hall.

Montana Trip

Lorna and Bryce Huotari returned on Sunday evening from a trip to Montana where they visited Lorna's daughters DeeAnn and Jon Egeland, infant son Jorey and Jonnie; also Cindy and Eric Nielsen, Taylor and Brett of Westby, MT. The Egelands live in Billings.

Albert and Evelyn Tervo spent the weekend in New York Mills visiting her brother and sister who had just returned from a trip to Finland. I'm sure they had a lot to relate.

Sidney Schiefert and family left on Tuesday after the funeral for his father Art Schiefert, returning to their home in Bloomington. Harley Schiefert and his family also left on Tuesday for their home in Fargo.

Redeemer Ladies Aid held their meeting at the church with Pastor Brockopp leading the Bible study. Fern Hesse conducted the business meeting and JoAnn Brockopp was the hostess.

Lowell and Ross Arlt were supper guests at the Arnie Arlt home on Thursday evening.

Birthday

Pearl Laniel was entertained on August 10th at a dinner in Thief River Falls honoring her birthday. Present were Bunny DuChamp, Dorothy Myhre, Veronica Boucher and Ruth Wilkens.

Bike Trip Across America

On Thursday, August 10th, Harold and Marlen Vatthauer and the Schmitke children of Lakeville had an overnight guest Keith Weber of Red Deer, Saskatchewan. Keith, a bicyclist, is fulfilling a dream of biking across America, starting at Halifax, Nova Scotia, and hopes to reach his final destination in Vancouver, British Columbia by early September after which he will return to his studies at the University of Alberta. Keith's visit resulted from a chance meeting with Harold and developed into a sincere friendship. The Vatthauers, as gracious hosts, took care of his needs and sent him on his way, leaving pleasant memories of an interesting visit.

Recent callers at the home of Sheila and Tony Gerardy have been Connie Hughes, Carolyn Myhre, Robin Deaktens and children Kelsey and Bryant. Sheila and Robin were chums in high school and with Robin living in Milwaukee, WI, they don't see each other very often.

Ken and Doris Lakbarts of Mesa, AZ were Thursday visitors of Art and Gloria Fossum.

Myrtle Patnode, Pat Larson, Nora Seibel of Grand Rapids and Lorena Westerlund visited at Lester Larson's in Thief River Falls with Clara Mickelson who recently returned home from the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center after recuperating from a broken hip.

Nora Seibel and Lorena Westerlund visited with Winifred Johnson of Red Lake Falls on Friday. On the way home they stopped to see Fern and Floyd Hesse's new home.

Helen LaFayette returned home from the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Thursday following surgery and is recuperating at home.

Soiney gives recognition to supporters

Steve Soiney of Thief River Falls has acknowledged the help of many business places and individuals who contributed in one way or another to his ride from Thief River Falls to Warren on his battery-powered cart and the picnic reception held on his arrival in Warren.

Thief River Falls business places which assisted were T-59 Motel, Jubilee Foods, Dale's Foods, Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., Hugo's, Auto Hospital, Hardee's, Hartz Foods, Budget Electronics, Taco John's, Danny's Pizza, Joppru's, Inc., Domino's Pizza, Erl's Market, Kezar Music, McDonald's, Nintendo Queen, Subway and Pizza Hut.

Others making donations from Warren and Argyle were Amoco stations, Beaver's Cafe, IBC, The Hammer, Sundby's Cafe and The Town Square and Jacobs Trading Co. of East Grand Forks.

Individuals who provided special assistance included LaVonne Smith, Avis Mattson, Donald Lenhart, Dave Johnson, Arlyne Soiney, Betty Perfecto and Patty Anderson.

Steve said that he has collected more than $2,000 of the pledges made toward his trip and continues to seek additional donations to assist the four organizations he had selected as benefitting charities prior to attempting the ride.

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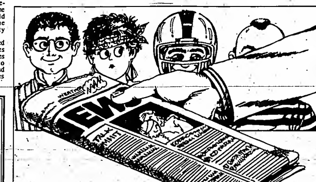
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Why Social Security?

Social Security recently observed its 60th anniversary as part of the "three-legged stool" of retirement. The other two legs of the stool are pension income and savings and investments. Financial advisors often tell people that when they quit work they will need about 70 per cent of pre-retirement income to live comfortably. By itself, Social Security replaces about 42 per cent of an average wage earner's salary.

Social Security and its companion Medicare program have been subject to some extreme criticism over the years, and particularly in the past several months. But the fact is that virtually all American workers pay Social Security taxes and all have a right to expect their investment to be protected and beneficial to them in the future.

There is no question that Social Security is costly to workers and employers. The present rate of 7.65 per cent of gross wages up to $61,200 is paid by the employee and matched by the employer for a total of 13.30 per cent. Self-employed people pay the full rate but are entitled to a deduction for half. In general, each Social Security tax dollar includes 12 cents for disability benefits, 19 cents for Medicare benefits and 69 cents for retirement and survivors benefits.

According to a publication of the Social Security Administration, the Social Security trust funds now take in about $5 billion more than they pay out each month. These funds are invested in U.S. Treasury bonds. In its 60-year history, the Social Security program has become the most successful domestic government program.

Most Americans living today were born after World War II and are unfamiliar with events leading up to creation of Social Security. The background is outlined in the publication mentioned above.

Before the industrial revolution, America was mostly a country of small farmers. But we soon became a country where more people worked for wages and fewer worked the land. This change helped make America strong, and it raised our standard of living. It also created new risks to family security and made it more difficult for families to "take care of their own" in hard times.

The Great Depression of the 1930s dramatized the fact that many American workers were financially dependent on factors beyond their own control. The Social Security Act, signed into law by President Franklin Delano Roosevelt in 1935, helped to alleviate this situation.

Ida May Fuller of Ludlow, VT, received the first monthly retirement check under the program on Jan. 31, 1940. The check was for $22.54. When she died at the age of 100, she had received over $20,000 in benefits over a 35-year period.

In the years that followed the signing of the Act, Social Security was broadened to include survivors benefits, disability benefits and health care benefits.

Philosophy of the Social Security system is that it provides a minimum "floor" of protection for retired workers and for workers and their families who face a loss of income due to disability or the death of a family wage earner.

Social Security payments are based on two underlying philosophies.

First, the system is designed so that there is a clear link between how much a worker pays into the system and how much he or she will get in benefits. Basically, high wage earners get more, low wage earners get less.

Secondly, the Social Security benefit formula is weighted to favor or low wage earners, who have fewer resources to save or invest during their working years. Social Security retirement benefits replace approximately 60 per cent of the pre-retirement earnings of a low wage earner, 42 per cent of an average wage earner and 26 per cent of a high wage earner.

Basically, the Social Security program is a way of providing a base of economic security in today's society. It allows older Americans to live independently and with dignity and relieves their families of the financial burden for their retirement years. And Social Security provide a valuable package of disability and survivors insurance to workers over their working lifetimes.

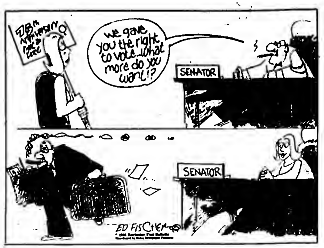
As Social Security has changed over its 60-year history to meet new needs of workers and beneficiaries, it is likely to continue to change in the future. It is important that our government keep faith with the workers who have and those who continue to pay into this retirement, disability and survivors protection program.

Minnesota High School Graduates Well Prepared To Enter College

In a recent comparison of college readiness test scores, Wisconsin ranks first in the nation with Minnesota second. This is a positive indication of the effectiveness of the state's secondary education programs and at least to some extent runs contrary to the state's rank in certain test scores. If the college readiness study results are accurate, they would indicate that Minnesota high school graduates are among the best prepared in the country for post-secondary training.

When viewed by educators from outside Minnesota, the state's educational institutions have been admired and complimented. It is good to maintain a critical view of education with an objective of improvement, but it is also good to recognize that we are more than holding our own in preparing our children for successful futures.

Educators throughout Minnesota and the nation constantly stress the importance of parental involvement in successful educational programs. With school classes for the 1995-96 year to be starting in just a week from now, it would be a good time for parents to resolve to become more involved in their children's school experience. It will help assure that today's students are ready to meet the challenges of their post high school experience.



LETTERS

To The Editor:

Property rights is one part of the wetlands issue presented in your paper. Another part that needs to be considered is the topography of our land of northwest Minnesota and what goes on below. Wetlands are among the richest biological communities but the least appreciated and the first to be destroyed by filling and drainage.

So what is our serious and unique responsibility to our land? All the marsh, bogs, ponds, wet potholes are the top of a huge below ground bed that nourishes central North America! Yes, we live upon a unique below surface delta to the Mississippi River; to the Red River that flows to Canada. No other land in the U.S. has this vital responsibility to continue such a nourishment to two nations.

I believe farmers have lost sight of this total concept. So have legislators. When life gets tough, it is easy to get "me centered." True, DNR made mistakes; they were in the role of an unpopular disciplining parent. Who of you parents has not made a mistake? Only perfect parents can rightfully criticize DNR or legislators.

Let us realize we all awakened to this environmental terror together. Only recently have many become aware of our interdependence to environment, of our public role to it.

Our legislators need to retreat to a place where they represent the total concept, the total constituency. They need to consider our unique privilege and responsibility to our land.

We the people have a view of all this and can bring creative and balanced solutions to this chaos and still respect our farm families, our business families and our legislative families who strive to keep our land and country in a pleasing respect to our sacred earth.

Respectfully Submitted,
Eunice Wages
Warren, MN 56762

To The Editor:

Education entered a new era in Minnesota July 1 as three public higher education systems were merged. As another academic year begins, I would like to thank a legislator who has helped to make this transition easier.

Senator LeRoy Stumpf pushed hard to increase funding during the 1995 legislative session for appropriations to help Northland Community College and Northwest Technical College come together. Thief River Falls is one of only a few Minnesota cities to have adjacent campuses coming under one administration this summer. Senator Stumpf's leadership has helped to give people on these campuses a boost as they put together a new type of college.

Sincerely,
Rick Nelson
Northland Community and Technical College

Gatzke

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were to the wedding of Lee Ann Ruud at Middle River and also the wedding of Ryan Bekkan at Grace Lutheran church in Grygla.

Sunday visitors at the Juel Aune home were Mrs. Greg Harris, Nicholas and Kayla, Kila Ganereux of Thief River Falls and Cody Saverts of Middle River.

Visitors last week at the Cheslie Ruud were Ione Aune of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Mardy Anderson and family and Mable Peterson of Middle River, Bob Engelstad, Deia Rogers, Michelle Lunsettar, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylene and Kelsey and Walter Lunsettor.

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

Letters To The Editor: The Times encourages written responses to editorial comment or letters with original thoughts or ideas of general interest. Letters should be intended for publication in The Times exclusively; letters sent to multiple publications will generally not be accepted. Right is reserved to edit letters for length and clarity and to reject letters deemed to be promotional in nature or in poor taste.

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Friday, Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Monica Johnson made a business trip to Erskine. Then on their way home Mrs. Johnson and Monica stopped and had dinner at a restaurant in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon, and Alissa were visitors and coffee guests at the Ida Haugen home on Sunday afternoon.

Delbert Sharry of Warren was a visitor and coffee guest on Sunday afternoon at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Mrs. Vance Wiseth, Dana and DaNae were visitors and coffee guest on Sunday afternoon at the Larry Kotrba home.

Tuesday, Shirley Johnsrud and Jared Haugen were visitors and coffee guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

Monica and Michelle Johnson had supper with their grandmother Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hefel, Elizabeth and Rebecca of Dubuque, IA spent from Sunday night until Thursday morning at the Larry Kotrba home.

Tuesday evening, Dana and DaNae Wiseth spent the night with Amie, and Melinda and Elizabeth and Rebecca Cornwall at the Larry Kotrba home.

One day during the week Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the June Johnson home.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls.

Visitors and lunch guests on Thursday forenoon at the Marie Naeseth home were Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Monica Johnson.

Friday evening, Mrs. Gary Johnson visited and had coffee at the Mr. and Mrs. Warren Syverson home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home on Wednesday.

Wednesday, Alissa Lundeen was a visitor at the Kory Chervested home of rural Oklee.

Thursday evening visitors at the Clarence Johnson home were Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Amie and Melinda and Jean Johnson.

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—The county board thinks railroad lands should be taxed.

—The granaries of the farmers of this county are filled, the harvest of the crop is assured and all danger from freezing or hail is a thing of the past.

—Sixteen-inch wood was advertised: "delivered to your house for $1.00 per cord."

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—The Soo Line has announced new rates for goods shipped from Thief River Falls to points within 325 miles, which will insure the city's success as a wholesale center.

—Statistics as to the age of teachers in northern Minnesota show that the average person is under 17 years of age.

—The Germantown creamery was opened for business last Monday.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The first official automobile tour to be made from this city under the auspices of the commercial club will take place September 15, with Roseau at the end of the trip.

—More than 1,000 persons visited the new Physicians hospital at its formal opening August 31.

—The Citizens state bank of Grygla is preparing to open for business with A. J. Anderson as cashier.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Annual convention of the Minnesota Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held here in 1926, it was announced in Montevideo.

—St. Bernard's school will open this fall in new quarters in the remodeled former Knox school building.

—Mayor J. S. Arneson resigned from office to move to Hibbing.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—District Judge M. A. Brattland of Ada announced that he will move to this city October 1.

—Joseph Bruneau, salesman for the Northern Chevrolet company here, was killed in a car accident on highway 32 near this city.

—T. O'Malley of Brainerd succeeded Donald L. Snyder as manager of the local employment office.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Local American Legion post was organizing a clown band to be directed by Joseph Hoverstein.

—City council voted to build a new power dam, rather than to attempt repairing the present structure.

—An accidently discharged bullet took the life of Willis Torkelson, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Torkelson of Smiley township.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—The American Legion sold 300 American flags to local residents Wednesday.

—Recently completed addition to Knox school will be put to use at the opening of the school term September 6.

—Hans Eck and his wife Adina, German refugees recently of Yugoslavia, are coming to Thief River Falls under the sponsorship of Dr. Vernon L. Carlson.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Orientation Week for the new Thief River Falls junior college will be held September 13-17.

—The Thief River Falls Times will hold an open house at its new location.

—Excavation began for a new administration building for St. Bernard's Catholic church in Thief River Falls.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Newest residents of Thief River Falls are Ngoc-Thuan Do, his wife, Duong Le Tri and their daughter, Do Thi Hang, refugees from Saigon, South Vietnam.

—Sweeping across the Times area from west to east on Sunday afternoon, a storm containing heavy rain, hail and probably tornadoes caused extensive damage to buildings on at least seven farms and resulted in two people being hospitalized with injuries.

—Jack LaSalle, owner and operator of Bruce Pharmacy, was appointed to chair the downtown business area during the annual Thief River Falls United Way campaign.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Minnesota Agriculture Commissioner Jim Nichols spoke about farm policy at a luncheon Friday in Thief River Falls sponsored by the agribusiness committee of the local chamber of commerce.

—The new air ambulance service of St. Luke's hospital in Fargo can fly from there to Thief River Falls in 45 minutes.

—The annual meeting of the Northwestern hospital association will be held Monday at the Best Western.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Linder and Dane and Gene Engen visited at the Alen Severts home. Evening visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune who celebrated their 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited at the Orvin Anderson home at Goodridge on Thursday afternoon.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Grondahl of Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie McMillin of Roseau and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roen of Fourtown were supper guests at the Karyl Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were coffee guests on Monday afternoon at the Russell Franzman home near Grygla.

Sunday, Karyl Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie McMillin and Mrs. Philip Roen visited at the Ray McMillin home.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited at the Bill Bornstein home.

Thursday, Mrs. Juel Aune visited at the Greg Harris home in Thief River Falls and Kayla and Nicholas returned to their home after spending a week with their grandparents.

Visitors during the week at the Cheslie Ruud home have been Ione Aune, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kelsey and Kylene, Chris Howard of Warren, Torry Ruud of Moorhead, and Walter Lunsetter.

Supper guests on Saturday at the Marlin Klamar home were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sistad of Grygla. They brought Wedding Anniversary wishes and a cake to the Klamars.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik attended the Team Penning at Red Lake Falls last weekend.

Recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home have been Harman and Art Ruud of Goodridge, Mrs. Chris Osagie and sons of Dilworth, Katie Peterson and a friend, Kelly of Moorhead, Tami Breiang, Jordan and Ashley of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson and Maria of Middle River.

Thursday afternoon visitors at the Juel Aune home were Roger and Connie Grail and McKayla of Alaska.

Mr and Mrs. Marlin Sistad attended the wedding of Julie Sistad at Fosston on Saturday evening.

Sunday, Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mrs. Marlin Klamar and Mrs. Clifford Klamar attended the Baby shower for Deanna and infant daughter Kasey Nordby at Grace Lutheran church at Grygla.

Wende Johnson visited recently with Mrs. Arvin Oehl.

Friday evening, Ed and Nadine Wold of Minneapolis visited at the Juel Aune home.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik visited at the Hjalmer Nelson and Catherine Anderson homes at Alvarado.

Birthdays

Birthdays for the month of September are Hope Oehl, Ordean Anderson, Mylan Ruud, Wayne Ruud, Jarod Lunsetter, Tom Morrissey, Scott Larson, Dwight Ruud, Melissa Bornstein, Mary Amundson, Orin Oslby, Dwight Peterson, Clayton Carlson, Gerald Ruud, Carol Klamar, Ann Peterson, Jason Engen, Gerry Lunsetter, Marcus Wallace, Lorrie Linder and Diane Lunsetter.

Anniversaries

Those celebrating wedding anniversaries are Sanford and Colleen Klamar, Dean and Kori Oelezol, Bruce and Oland Lunsetter and Reuben and Deloris Engevik.

Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited at the Reuben Brewley home.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Darwin Klamar, Amber and Heather visited at the Arvin Oehl home.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune attended the wedding of LeeAnn Ruud at Middle River.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lian of Grygla, Bernice Posser of Great Falls, MT and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter have been recent visitors at the Marlin Sistad home.

Sunday those attending the 80th birthday party for Florence Lowrance at Grygla were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Sistad, Bob and Linda Engelstad, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter, Mrs. Arvin Oehl and Walter Lunsetter.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bornstein at the Howard Lunsetter home.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota August 30, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Entirely New Dam Approved By City Council

"The city council at a special meeting Monday evening took action to authorize Hitchcock & Estabrook, Minneapolis Engineering firm, in charge of plans for reconstructing the power dam in Thief River Falls, to proceed at once with plans for an entirely new structure. Plans, as developed to date for the installation, call for three gates in the dam, and for spillways at both the east and west sides. J. A. Lindsey, representing the Minneapolis company, estimated tentatively that the project would involve the expenditure of approximately $85,000."

Legion Post Will Organize Clown Band In City Soon

"At a meeting Wednesday morning in the Palm Garden cafe, the executive committee of the local Legion post authorized Post Commander M. R. Levorson to proceed with the organization of a Legion clown band to be directed by Joseph Hoverstein, World War II veteran, connected with the local employment office."

Victory Loan Drive To Commence October 29

"With a national quota of eleven billion dollars, the victory loan drive will open October 29, and will continue through December 8, it was announced last week by the Treasury department in Washington. Of the quota, seven billion will be assigned to corporations, while individuals will be asked to buy four billion dollars worth including two billion in Series E bonds."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Monty Woolley
Gracie Fields
"Molly and Me"
Falls Theatre
Buy Defense Stamps at Our Box-Office!

Aug. 31 Last Day To Seek Added Sugar For Canning

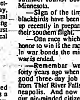
"Waldie Christensen, chairman of the local ration board, announced today that any applicant needing more than ten pounds of sugar per person should make application by letter not later than Friday, August 31. He added that rural applicants and those growing fruit crops will be given first consideration within the local quota."

Butter Points Reduced To 12 Monday, Sept. 2

"Butter will be reduced from 16 to 12 red points a pound beginning Monday, September 2, OPA officials revealed Tuesday. The reduction is being made they said, because of improvement in supplies. This will make the red point value of butter only half of what it was until mid-July when it was reduced from 24 to 16 points a pound."

Six Wheel Chairs Now Available For Use

"Fire Chief Roy Langevin announced today that the local fire department now has available six wheel chairs which were supplied by the Crowell-Colliers Publishing company through the recent magazine subscription campaign here. He stated that the chairs will be loaned free of cost to anyone in this city or surrounding communities. In addition the department also has available for local use a fracture bed, oxygen tent and inhalator, also supplied by the Crowell-Colliers company."



—Lend-lease may be all right, but Americans should bear in mind that all the cash the U.S. is advancing is borrowed money.

—We shudder to think about it, but the old heating plant is itching to get into action.

—They tell us that if you want your troubles to be all over, you should tell them to a gossip.

—It now appears that the ladies may confidently expect nylon stockings for Christmas.

—While nearly 260,000 Americans gave their lives in the war, 90,000 were killed in traffic accidents since Pearl Harbor. It doesn't seem necessary.

—Random though: Bet the street-cleaners are glad that a war doesn't end every day.

—Government officials, it would seem, were a bit premature in hinting at tax reduction the day that fighting stopped.

—The smart youngsters are those who go back to high school next week.

—Lono Turner of the movies last week suffered a heat stroke, but we'll bet it wasn't due to wearing too much clothing.

—Putting an end to gas rationing didn't hurt the late summer tourist business in Minnesota.

—Sign of the times: The blackbirds have been ganging up recently in preparation for their southern flight.

—One race which it is no honor to win is the race to cash in war bonds the minute the war is ended.

—Remember way back forty years ago when it was a good three-day job to drive from Thief River Falls to Minneapolis. And now some of our air-minded citizens make the round-trip in part of one day.

N.A.H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota August 28, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

News of the New Dam

"A visit to the dam found the structure about finished. The bridge is also completed and is now in use and proved a great convenience to farmers living northeast of here. It was deemed advisable to put a heavy coat of gravel on the fill and a crew of men and teams are now working at it. There is now a ten-foot head-on which can be raised to about 16 feet. It is considered by competent judges to be the most substantial structure of its kind in northern Minnesota and the facilities it offers for milling purposes cannot be beat. The area of the mill pond will be 16 acres which will furnish boomage facilities for any number of mills which can be located."

Widows group to meet August 31

All widows of northwestern Minnesota are invited to enjoy supper together at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Thursday, August 31 at 5:15 p.m. Reservations are needed at the Evergreen, so the staff can be prepared. Call either 436-2644 or 681-2838 and leave a message on the answering machine. All widows in the area are urged to attend and share the evening of fellowship and informal support.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

On Tuesday morning the prayer coffee and executive board for the Christian Women's Club met at the home of Carmen Gustafson. Those present were Ivadelle Reierson, Marge Green, Claudette Forsberg, Varne Christensen, Alma Peterson, Clance Rooker, Sandy Sorter, Arlette Komplien, Connie Merthins and Cathy Spengler from Thief River Falls. Also Katherine Knutson and Valborg Hugien from Newfolden and Linda Nelson and Shirley Sorvig from Red Lake Falls.

Beverly Pietrowski from Shakopee was a weekend guest at the home of Ethel Nelson.

Alice Dagen and Stephenie were Saturday evening visitors at the Bernice Knutson home.

Martha Torgerson, Debbie Williams, Jeannie Williams, Janet Reed, Marge Grisamb and Fritz Olson enjoyed the supper theater together at the Golf Club house on Sunday evening. The play "Nunsense" was presented.

Karla and Chris Thune from St. Paul were weekend guests at the Bev and Roger Rupprecht home. They also visited with Edna Rupprecht at her home. Sunday visitors at Edna's were Ethel Nelson, Shirley Hagrenes, Beverly Pietrowski, Pastor Eugene and Iris Flostad.

Ida Rupprecht was an afternoon visitor and supper guests at the home of Judy and Ray Jones. David and Casey in Goodridge. David's birthday was also celebrated.

Ethel Nelson, Shirley Hagrenes, Cathy Nelson, Beverly Pietrowski, Howard and Marge Nelson, Allie Witt, Helanse Grimsley and Jean Nelson were among those who helped Rene and Steve Doebler celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary at the City Hall in Warroad on Sunday afternoon. Rene is Ethel's granddaughter. They also helped Susan Clavan celebrate her 40th birthday. Susan is from Tulsa, OK.

Lois Dalager and David Barth were Saturday dinner guests at the Ray and Bernice Barth home.

Barbara and Mary Champ from Atlanta, GA, Kim Champ and daughter, Misty from St. Paul were houseguests at the home of Dons Kaushagen from Sunday through Wednesday. On Tuesday evening, Dean, Joan and Chad Kaushagen joined them for supper.

Monday night supper guests at the Cathy and Richard Nelson home were Ethel Nelson, Allie Witt, Helonse Grimsley, Shirley Hagrenes, Beverly Pietrowski, Kevin and Heidi Nelson and Chris Nelson from Red Lake Falls.

Margaret and Rust Restemayer from Snohomish, WA spent a weeks vacation at the Irene Nelson home. They also visited with Jerrold Nelson at CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and other relatives in the area.

Bill and Olene Barth from Warroad were Saturday overnight guests and Sunday dinner guests at the Ray Barth home. In the afternoon, Bernice, Ray and David Barth and Lois Dalager went shopping in Grand Forks.

On Thursday afternoon, Marlene Beady and Bernice Danielson from Grand Forks visited at the Bernice Knutson home.

Carmen Gustafson attended the funeral for Florence Drotts on Friday afternoon.

Larry Gustafson was a supper guest at the home of Bill and Ione Brinkman in Crookston on Friday.

Alvin Grandstrand was a Tuesday afternoon visitor at the Ida Rupprecht home.

David and Andy Barth went to Minneapolis on Wednesday where Andy had a medical check-up.

Martha Torgerson visited with Carmen Gustafson at her home on Friday morning.

Bernice Knutson and Alice Dagen were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Bill Stock home.

Carmen and Larry Gustafson and John and Leona Gustafson were Sunday afternoon luncheon guests at the Annie Gustafson home near Viking.

Harriet and Tom Sellers from Edmore, ND were weekend guests at the Carla and Mike Torgerson home.

Katie and Kayle Barth spent the weekend with their grandparents Bernice and Ray Barth.

Bernice Knutson and Florence Nebben visited at the Barnie Weigelt home one day last week.

On Tuesday afternoon, Allie Witt, Ethel Nelson, Helonse Grimsley, Betty Wilkens and Adeline Fontaine were luncheon guests at the Alma Melhouse home in Crookston.

Carmen and Larry Gustafson were Wednesday night guests to birthday cake and ice cream at the Stacy and Steve Bairman home honoring Mathew on his 2nd birthday.

Single's Christian Fellowship to meet

All single people are invited to the meeting of the Singles' Christian Fellowship will be held at the Embassy Community Center in Fosston at the corner of Third and North Eaton Avenue. The day's schedule will include Rev. Orlin Ness of Crookston who will talk about his trip to Tanzania, west Africa. Slides will illustrate his afternoon's presentation. A short devotional, special music, an attendance gift, brief business meeting and a potluck supper at 5 p.m. will also be on the day's docket of activities. (Small prizes will be needed for the day's events.) A time for planning coming months will also be discussed.

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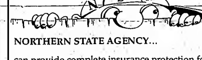

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HOME HEALTH aides. Home Health Aide applications are being accepted in the Thief River Falls office. We offer a top salary, vacation benefits and paid mileage. Prefer CNA or health care experience, but not necessary. Send resume to La Vonne McWilliam, HRD, Prairie Home Health Care, 201 Hillestad Ave. N., Fosston, MN 56542. Call 1-800-864-3758 for an application. E.O.E. 2t70c

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Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Needed immediately: Cooks and waitresses, we need you. Will pay $5.00-$8.00/hour depending on experience. Send your job history and personal info to: Attention Manager, P.O. Box 798, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 6t9c

FABRIC CONSULTANT- Part time position. Apply at Annette's Fabrics, 212 Third East, TRF. 3t71c

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Help Wanted

WANTED- Sports and general reporter/photographer at the Warren Sheaf. Call 218-745-5174 for interview. 6t72t

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WANTED- Someone to babysit in my home weekdays, from 8-6 for 4-year-old boy and for my two-after-school children. Call 874-2301 anytime weekends or weekdays before 7:30 mornings or after 8:00 evenings. 2t69c

HELP WANTED- Automotive repair technician, full or part-time help wanted, can work morning, afternoon, or evening hours, wage negotiable, depending on experience. Apply in person at the Auto Hospital, Hwy. 1 & 59 west. 5t70c

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SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST

EFFECTIVE: 1995-96 School year

DUTIES: Psychological assessments, report writing, counseling students, working with E.B.D. teachers as a support person, providing services to E.B.D. students and case management.

REQUIREMENTS: Minimum of a Minnesota School Psychologist license with experience with E.B.D. students and counseling.

SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, School District Service Center, 230 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Thursday, August 31, 1995.

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HELP WANTED- Part time Deli Cook, 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, Clerk, 11 p.m. to 6 a.m., pick up application at Petro Pumper. 6t9c

HOME HEALTH AIDE- North Valley Home Health (formerly Marshall County Nursing Service) is accepting applications for home care RN's. Previous home care experience preferred. One full-time position 40 hours per week, and one part-time position 20-34 hours per week, could develop into full-time. Must provide own transportation. Primarily daytime hours, but does include evenings and weekends. Current Minnesota RN registration required. Come and join our progressive growing agency which serves Marshall County. Contact Barbara Costerier, Director, North Valley Home Health, Warren, at 218-745-6154. 2t69c

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SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract.

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NEEDED- RELIABLE person(s) to care for my kids, M-F, 4-11 p.m., maybe some days and weekends. Also, references required, please call Susie, 964-5021 P4t71p

EARN EXTRA money delivering the Grand Forks Herald, ages 10 to 100 welcome to call 1-800-477-6572. 4t72c

HELP WANTED- Bartenders, apply in person at the Wagon Wheel, Middle River, MN. 222-3512 6t71c

HANSON'S BOARDING HOME is taking applications for a Resident Aid position. Applicant must be 18 years or older. For more information, call 681-4527. 4t71p

CLERICAL PERSON to do various duties, seasonal position includes answering phones, typing, entering orders in computer and filing. Computer experience helpful and must be able to type. Send resume to: #2898, C/O The Times, P.O. Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 4t69c

HELP WANTED- Truck drivers and warehouse help for potato harvest, starting about Sept. 10th, 218-478-3846. P4t70p

NORTHERN PRIDE INC. is accepting applications. Starting wage is $6.00 per hr., with an increase after training and a bonus in December. Apply At: NORTHERN PRIDE, Inc., Nora & Pennington Ave., Thief River Falls, MN 56701 Or Call 218-681-1201 For More Information/E.O.E.

Help Wanted

NURSING ASSISTANT

Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at: Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716. 218-281-4682 EOE 10t9c

HELP WANTED- Part time delivery person, early morning hours, and full time doughnut fryer, evening hours. 681-1222 Gary's Bakery. 5t9c

DISPATCHER/JAILER- Part time. Applications will be received by the Pennington County Sheriff for the position of Dispatcher/Jailer until Monday, September 18th, 1995 at 4:00 p.m. Apply in person at the Law Enforcement Center. Responsibilities of this position: Handling 911 emergency calls, dispatching officers, deputies and ambulance, answering phone lines and logging all calls for service on in house computer, monitoring of prisoners, operation of state computer, etc. Pennington County does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or handicapped status in employment. 2t70c

VALLEY HOME, INC. has part time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply by calling for an application at 218-281-5113 or 1-800-532-7855. E.O.E. 6t2c

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BABYSITTER NEEDED- Three to four hours, Mon. and Wed. for newborn. Starting Aug. 28. Call 681-1730, and ask for Jill, references required. P4t69p

SEASONAL SHIPPING and Receiving Clerk needed. Day and evening hours available. Must be able to lift heavy packages. Send resume or note explaining past experiences to: #2697, C/O The Times, P.O. Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 4t69c

AVON WANTS individuals interested in earning $8-$15/hr. No door to door. 1-800-736-0168 IND REP. P4t69p

FOR SALE BY OWNER:

SINGLE-STORY 2-BEDROOM HOME Bath on main floor, open kitchen living, dining area with patio doors and large deck. Full basement has rec room, laundry, storage and work shop. Located At... 210 CROCKER NORTH — THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN $39,900—681-6796

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August 30, 1995

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IMPRESSIVE SETUP...BUY ALL OR DIVIDE!!!

☐ 1614...SEE THIS PROPERTY ONLY 1-MILE SE OF THIEF RIVER FALLS...HIGHWAY FRONTAGE. AND HOME (3-4-BEDROOM, MAIN FLOOR LAUNDRY, DECK, GOOD SIZE KITCHEN AND MORE). BARN AND CHICKEN HOUSE...ON 35 ACRES...PLUS SHOP WITH LARGE DOORS AND 3 FURNACES, PARTIALLY FINISHED...ON 2 ACRES...ALL OFFERS TO BE CONSIDERED IN WRITING...HOUSE AND 35 ACRES...$80's...SHOP 40 X 60 AND 2 ACRES, $30's !!!!

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CALL A PROFESSIONAL TO HELP YOU WITH ALL YOUR REAL ESTATE NEEDS!!

WE NEED EARLY CALLS FOR THIS WEEKEND APPOINTMENT...WE ARE ONLY TOO HAPPY TO WORK...BUT WE NEED TO SPEND TIME WITH YOU!!

☐ 1513...10 ACRES ON EDGE OF THE HIGHWAY...1 MILE FROM CITY LIMITS...LOVELY 3-BEDROOM RAMBLER, 2-CAR ATTACHED GARAGE...MATURE TREES (EXCELLENT WINDBREAK). MANY EXTRAS. IF YOU ARE QUALIFIED FOR THE 100TH RANGE...DO CALL FOR APPOINTMENT!!!

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Help Wanted

TRUCK DRIVERS- Semi in area. CDL required, semi clean driving record, 150 mile radius of Grand Forks, home nights, hauling available potatoes and beets. 800-[illegible]-3467 PF4t74c

PARTS SALESPERSON WANTED- Have an immediate opening for a parts salesperson with automotive background. Apply to Jeff Tunberg, Tunberg Ford Lincoln Mercury, TRF. 6t2c

HELP WANTED- Assistant resident manager at new college apartments, responsible individual. For more information call Melva 681-2341 6t9c

The Jewel Box Jewelry Sales Full time position available in Thief River Falls. Retail sales experience, computer skills, and enthusiasm required. Competitive salary. Mail confidential resume to: Scott Hepper, The Jewel Box, Inc., P.O. Box 597, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

PART-TIME HOUSEKEEPING positions available. Benefits available. Rotating weekends, day shift. Apply to: Human Resources Department, Northwest Medical Center, 120 LaBree Ave. S., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, 218-681-4240 Ext. 407. Equal Opportunity Employer 2t70c

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WANTED: HIRED HELP FOR HARVEST & FOR FALL WORK (GOOD PAY FOR GOOD HELP) **874-7211**

HELP WANTED- Part time janitor at Gary's Bakery, after school hours, call 681-1222. 4t71c

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DOMINO'S PIZZA — DELIVERY PERSONNEL WANTED Earn up to $7 - $10 per hour, flexible hours. Must be 18, have your own car and proof of insurance. Apply at DOMINO'S PIZZA OR Call 681-6000.

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HELP WANTED- Large dairy needs herdsman and/or general farm laborer, 4 miles north of TRF, morning hours, salary/wage D.O.E., please call 218-681-5900 P4t72p

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#5022 . . . JUST LISTED! Nice split foyer home south edge of town! 3-Bedrooms, 2-baths, family room, double car garage. NICE LOT. CALL TODAY! $70's.

#9972 . . . NICE COUNTRY HOME NW OF TOWN! 3 levels, main floor has kitchen, living room, and dining room, up a few steps to 3-bedrooms and 2-baths, family room, and 4th bedroom in the lower level! GORGEOUS 5-ACRE YARD! $70's.

#9038 . . . NW PART OF TOWN! Lots of new remodeling! Lots of knotty pine! 3-bedrooms. Very nice 3-car garage, nice deck! $40's.

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Help Wanted

WIREFEED WELDER- Full time year around, medical, vacation, holiday pay, some experience required. call 218-773-1750. 6t4c

HELP WANTED- Concrete Construction Workers. OPP Construction Company, Highway 81 North, Grand Forks, ND. 701-775-2322 6t74p

Real Estate

STAN GIBSON REALTY

1. SEE THIS NEW LISTING! - 3 bedroom - 2 1/2 baths - fireplace in living room - double garage attached at 106 Parkview Place on 140'x171' lot in 90's.

2. SEE THIS NEAT - 3 bedroom 1 1/2 story bungalow at 103 Duluth Ave. North - 2 baths - electric fireplace - right by Lincoln High School - double garage - much more - Call To See!!!

3. 275 ACRE LIVESTOCK RANCH - Nice 5-bedroom, 2-bath rambler - double garage attached - large deck - good outbuildings - new 350 ft. well - 150 acre tillable - priced at $110,000

4. USED CAR LOT & ACREAGE - on US #2 & 59 - $48.58/Acre - office building & 32 x 80 pole barn - 1,600 ft. of #2 frontage. Call Harry Nohre, 218-945-6849 or Stan Gibson.

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6. COMMERCIAL BUILDING in excellent location with approximately 1,700 sq. ft. of office space, plus 2 rental apartments with a total of $700.00 monthly income. Also has double garage.

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Real Estate

FOR SALE- 3 bedroom country home with ten acres, plus barn, 2 1/2 miles east of Viking, call 701-847-3108. P8t72p

FOR SALE by owner. One unit of newly constructed duplex. Prime location, all on one level, great retirement home. For appointment call 681-3834. 6t6c

FOR SALE or rent. One-bedroom home, for more info. call 681-7492. P4t71p

HOUSE FOR SALE- 3 bedroom, shop, garage in Middle River, 218-449-3081. P4t70p

FOR SALE- Adorable 1-bedroom house with full basement and nice double garage on corner lot in Greenbush. Newly remodeled. Why rent when you can own for less! Call 218-782-3651, viewing by appointment. 2t69p

OLD HOUSE- to be moved, would be good hunting cabin! Sold as, as is condition. 449-3945, owner/agent. 33tfc

FOR SALE by owner- 3-bedroom rambler, 1-bath, detached 28x36 garage/workshop on five acres, 8 miles to TRF. Call evenings at 681-6561. P4t71p

REAL ESTATE for sale by owner. New 3-bedroom rambler with all appliances, garage all finished, corner lot. For appointment call 681-3834, leave message. 6t6c

COUNTRY HOME for sale- 3-bedroom rambler (28x52) on 7 acres. Attached garage, deck, family room, full basement, stove and refrigerator included, 40x100 quonset. Call 874-6321. P4t69p

TWO LARGE residential lots in Southtown near Challenger Elementary School, 681-4886 days, 681-2518 eves./weekends. 33tfc

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10% RETURN- on investment. For sale. Commercial Rental. FULLY RENTED, 1600 square feet apartment, 7800 square feet warehouse. (218) 465-4242. 47tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER 4-bedroom home on 3 1/2 acres, 3 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfc

Buying Or Selling Real Estate? WE HAVE COMPLETE TITLE SERVICES. Lawrence McDowell, Licensed Abstracter. THIEF RIVER FALLS AREA ABSTRACT CO. 218-681-3119. Professional Bldg., 4th St. & LaBree, Thief River Falls, MN

OLDER HOME, remodeled, 3-bedrooms, 2-baths, basement, single garage on 3/4 acre lot, quiet neighborhood in Thief River Falls. 681-5864. P8t75–

FOR SALE- Antique shop, main street, Karlstad. Call 782-2630 or 436-2657. P4t69p

Real Estate

FOR SALE- Picture perfect hobby farm, 40 acres, ranch home, 40x80 metal shed, double garage. Just 2 1/2 miles east of Thief River Falls Tech. Price reduced. Owner financing to serious qualified buyer. Contact United National Hjelden Realty at 701-746-9529 for showing appointment. P4t70c

Home For Sale Newly Refurbished, 3-Bedrooms, 1-1/2 Story, Includes Appliances. Red Lake Falls. Call Evenings 253-2262

Machinery

FOR SALE- 18 ft. Oliver 503 self-propelled swather, $350.00, call 681-7217. P4t69p

WD ALLIS, 1952 model, wide front, sawing attachment, new rubber, make offer, 222-3403, 222-3369. P4t69p

MANURE SPREADER for rent- New Holland, 424 bu., 1,000 p.t.o., $10.00 a load, $90.00 a day, 681-7026. P4t72p

FOR SALE- 7700 gas combine, shedded, excellent condition, field ready, $5,500.00/o.b.o. 18' sack loader, $100.00. 218-437-6678 or 218-478-3063. 8t69c

FOR SALE- 6x18 John Deere 3200 plow, field ready, call 378-4422, Goodridge. P4t72p

FOR SALE- MF 655 Hydro, 18 ft. S.P. swather, good working order. Call 218-681-1530, south of TRF. 4t71c

FOR SALE- 510 and 410 Massey combines, 327 and 292 engines, 3 Owatonna 835 swathers, some machines are field ready, all have good engines, 218-465-4449. P4t71p

7", 41-FT. Versatile auger with 18 h.p. Briggs and Stratton engine, 378-4618, 378-4373. P4t69p

FOR SALE- John Deere, 215, self-propelled swather, always shedded, call 478-2405. P4t70p

FOR SALE- 1976 IH 914 combine, good condition, 2 headers, pickup and straight, 745-4758. P4t69p

TAYLOR CRAFT- BC-12D, year 1946, engine, 75 Cont., 308 hr., total time 1,576, price $10,500.00, 218-222-3369. P4t72p

FOR SALE- Pickup header for 750 or 760 Massey combine, complete with 7-belt Melroe pickup, in good condition. Also, 1973 Chev. tandem truck, 366 engine, 4-2 transmission, 18-ft. steel box and hoist. Lowell Lindemoen, 218-874-7211, Newfolden. 8t71c

FOR SALE- 21-ft. MCO pull-type swather; 32-ft. MCO cultivator; 15-ft. Bush Hog #245 offset disk; 15-ft. 103 Versatile swather; 5-bottom auto. reset plow; 510 combine, call 681-2030. 4t70t

FOR SALE- 20-ft. pull-type John Deere swather, good condition, $850.00, call 218-449-4715. P4t72p

TRACTORS FOR SALE- B John Deere, running, others for parts or restoring, 2 A's, OAR 80, 730 B Int. Har., F-20, F-12 and twin city, come take a look, all to go, $4,500.00, 436-2620 or 436-3481. 2t69p

FOR SALE- 16' Case chisel plow with drag, in very good shape. Call after 6 p.m., 218-745-5134. P8t72p

THERE'S GOOD NEWS on the WANT AD PAGE this week and every week. Read for profit — Use for results. Call 681-4450.

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GOOD SOLID, OLDER UPDATED HOME WITH 4-5 BEDROOMS - FORMAL AND INFORMAL DINING - LAUNDRY ON MAIN FLOOR - 3 BATHS - LARGE DETACHED 2-CAR GARAGE WITH FINISHED WORKSHOP - $67,500.00.

GOOD EASTSIDE LOCATION - A TRUELY CLEAN NEAT 2-BEDROOM HOME - FULL BATH - KITCHEN AND DINING PLUS FORMAL DINING - UPDATED ELECTRIC AND HEATING SYSTEM - FRESHLY PAINTED - RECENTLY BUILT OVER SIZED 2-CAR DETACHED GARAGE - $37,900.00.

4-5 BEDROOMS IN THIS 2-STORY HOME - LARGE CORNER LOT - WASHER AND DRYER ON MAIN FLOOR - DINING ROOM - WALKING DISTANCE TO DOWNTOWN - 2-CAR DETACHED GARAGE - PRICE REDUCED TO $32,000.00.

14 UNDEVELOPED, BUT PLATTED LOTS TO BE SOLD AS PACKAGE - SOUTHEAST THIEF RIVER FALLS...

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85' X 183.30' LOT ON WEST GREENWOOD - LOTS OF TREES...

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FLYNN REALTY, INC. Professional Bldg. 4th and LaBree Thief River Falls, MN

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1984 Chevy 1/2 ton, 4x4, 7" lift kit, 33" tires, very nice paint job, asking $8,000.00 or best offer, call 681-2178. 1t69p

1994 DAKOTA 4x4, loaded, extended cab, 14,000 miles, $6,850.00 or best offer, 253 2673 P4t72p

BUS- 1987 Ford bus, fixed up like camper, good shape, burns no oil, $1,200.00/o.b.o., call after 8:00 p.m., 681-5455. P4t72p

'88 OLDS. Regency Brougham, loaded, new tires, excellent condition, $5,700.00, 218-681-6665 P4t72p

The Pennington County Sheriff's Department will auction off a 1987 Oldsmobile 4-Door Sedan w/50,000 miles at 10 A.M. on Thursday, September 7 at the Law Enforcement Center in Thief River Falls

Paying Risk Insurance? Call 681-4683

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A Three-room apartment Downtown Thief River Falls location (above Midwest Vision Center). Fridge & Heat furnished. Rent $225.00 per mo. Deposit required.

CALL 681-3232 OR AFTER 6 PM 681-2323

1- AND 2-bedroom apartments available, all utilities paid, HUD approved, call 681-7803 for application 4t71c

ROOMMATE WANTED- Responsible non-smoking individual to share a furnished, 2-bedroom apartment in TRF, $155.00/month plus 1/2 of electricity, phone and cable, and $150.00 deposit. Call 681-8966, after 5 p.m. 64tfc

FOR RENT- Large 1-bedroom apartment, in Holt, available Sept. 1, all utilities paid, washer and dryer included, $275.00/month, deposit required, no pets, call 449-3601. P4t71p

TWO-BEDROOM PARTIALLY furnished apartment, available now, 681-2057. 1t69p

TWO-BEDROOM APARTMENT, HUD assisted, includes utilities, must have a dependent or be pregnant, 681-6797. 69tfc

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartments available, ground level or balcony, $350.00 to $370.00 monthly. Call 681-7168 after 4 p.m. 66tfc

3-BEDROOM HOUSE in St. Hilaire, $325.00 plus utilities, available immediately, 523-5001. 94t72c

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT- 200 sq. ft. office space, heat, air and electric furnished, call 681-2804 or 681-1817 58tfc

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom furnished upstairs apartment, all utilities paid, deposit required, no pets, 681-4667

FOR RENT- Nice, small house and large garage in quiet neighborhood, two references required, 681-6491. 2t70f

FOR RENT- 3-bedroom trailer, will accept HUD, deposit required, located in TRF. Call and leave message. 449-4331

APARTMENT FOR rent- Clean, furnished, close to downtown, available Sept. 1, call 681-4280 after 5:30 1t69p

ROOMY 3-BEDROOM apartment (basement), new home, Plummer, private entrance, heat, lights, washer, dryer. Ideal for working couple, references required, 465-4278 mornings or evenings. 2t70p

ROOMMATE WANTED to share a two-bedroom house in TRF, furnished. If interested call 681-8143, leave message and will get back to you. 56tc

Motorcycles-ATVs

'91 YAMAHA RT 180 dirt bike, very good condition, runs great, $1,200.00, call 681-2904. 2t71p

1978 HARLEY Davidson Centennial, 7,200 actual miles, 1,000 cc, black, very nice, $5,200.00 firm, 218-281-4521.

FOR SALE- 1984 Honda Magna 765, 10,764 miles, excellent condition, asking $2,800.00, call 681-1378 evenings

FOR SALE- 1993 Polaris 250 Trail Boss, great condition, new tires, battery starter, 218-523-4955. P4t71p

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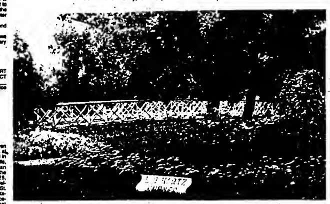
COUNTRY ACRES APARTMENTS Thief River Falls, MN 681-3370

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT 681-2845

STORAGE SPACE 12'X24' STORAGE UNITS FOR RENT MONTHLY $40.00/ $50 DEPOSIT Thief River Falls, MN 681-3370

Legal Notices

Pennington Square was the recipient of a beautification award from the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce. Mike Berry, owner, said this year's landscaping was maintained by M & K Lawn Care operated by Mike Beaudoin.



L.B. Hartz Corner at the Thief River Falls Golf Club was the recipient of a Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Beautification award. The garden was planted by Bob Carlson and Dwight Tengquist and is maintained by Carlson. The three separate plots at the corner contain roughly 3,000 flowers. Carlson said they hope to improve on it in years to come. He said one addition might be a marker that provides a brief history of L.B. Hartz. The flowers were funded by the Hartz Foundation.

Legal Notices

August 9, 16, 30, 1995
NOTICE OF FILING DATES FOR ELECTION TO THE SCHOOL BOARD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the period for filing affidavits of candidacy for the office of school board member of Independent School District No. 564 shall begin on August 29th, 1995 and shall close at 5 o'clock p.m. on September 12th, 1995.

The general election shall be held on Tuesday, November 7th, 1995. At that election, 3 members will be elected to the School Board for terms of three years each.

Affidavits of candidacy are available from the school district clerk and/or the School District Administrative Office at 230 South LaBree, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. The filing fee for this office is $2. A candidate for this office must be an eligible voter, must be 21 years of age or more on assuming office, must have been a resident of the school district from which the candidate seeks election for 30 days before the general election, and must have no other ...

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson 681-3852

Gordy Skjerven of Mendota Heights and his children, Ben and Karen are spending the week in the Viking, Alvarado area visiting family members. Sunday was spent at the Gordon and Adolle Skjerven home celebrating July, August and September birthdays visited Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Susted Alma Dotts at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

LeRoy and Ruth Susted attended the family night service at the Silverton Lutheran church of rural Thief River Falls where the string band from Newfolden presented a program. Also there to share was gospel singer Winifred Larson from Florida.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson visited at Vernon Scholins on Sunday evening.

Evelyn Skjerven from Newfolden was a lunch guest at the LeRoy Susted home on Tuesday.

Pearl Johnson attended home Councilors brunch at Deb Zak's home near St. Hilaire Monday morning.

Bert and Joyce Kran attended a Historical Board meeting in Warren to make plans for a fall supper to raise money for the museum. Potato Klub (dumplings) will be featured in the menu.

The Sustad family celebrated Jenny's birthday at sister Dayna Molovis home on Tuesday night. Guests were Don, Donna, Holly and Dawn Sustad, Carey Gustafson of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Noss, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad and Mr. and Mrs. Emie Molvie.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson attended Heritage Days in East Grand Forks on Saturday.

On August 12, Lillian Sundby, Adolle Skjerven, Marlys Kennedy and Linnette Sunby were dinner guests of Anna Carlson for her 67th birthday at the Good Samaritan Home in Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand visited Florence Drotts at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Alvin Grandstrand visited with Ida Rupprecht in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Pearl Johnson and Lyla Duom attended a salad luncheon at Redeemer church on Monday night and later called on Liz Swenson.

Melvin and Irene Grandstrand visited at the Bernice Hultgren home in Kennedy on Sunday.

Allen Swenson and Liz Swenson drove to Carrington, ND on Friday to spend the weekend at the Anne Larson home.

The Hope circle met at Zion church on Monday night. Those attending were Amy Hjelle, Patti Grondstrand, Joan Anderson, Gloria Nass and Irene Grandstrand.

Mike Foyette visited with Leonard Larsen Monday morning. On Tuesday morning he visited with Raymond De Moyers of Thief River Falls and visited with Paulette at the Grindeland home in rural Thief River Falls and with the Bruce Larsons on Monday night.

Clark and Sherry Hjalle from Chaska and children, Troy, Mindy and Ryan came yesterday to spend a few days at the Virgil Hjalle home.

Melissa Skjerven spent Sunday and Monday night at the Arnold Woleski home.

Debbie Price attended Christian Womens on Tuesday night. Also attending from Viking were Betty and Lori Ronum, Ruth Susted, Ruth Sockett, Jamie Distel, Amy Hjelle and Ardelle Anderson.

Irene and Melvin Grandstrand visited at the Diger Foss home with Garde and Allen Anderson from Yuma, AZ.

Lyla Duem, Ardelle Ostgarden and Liz Swenson were Wednesday afternoon coffee guests at the Walter Lambert home in Thief River Falls.

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Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ruud were to Fargo where Chester had a checkup. Enroute home they visited at the Harley Bulcholz home at Grand Forks.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik were to the Gideon meeting at the Rex Cafe in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter attended the Deactivation Ceremony of 311 unit of the Army Reserve at Fargo for Kristi Scharmer. Mrs. Alan Lunsetter, Ashley, Andrew and Andrea of Wahpeton also attended and they all enjoyed a picnic at the park and went to the Air Show.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Tera Larson and Spencer Grolthen who were married on Saturday at the United Lutheran church of Gatzke.

Recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home have been Mrs. Craig Swenson of Oslo, Tami Bratong and Jordan of Grygla, Sallvina and Ashley accompanied their mothers home after spending several days with their grandparents.

Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson and Merla of Middle River, Betty Peterson and a friend of Thief River Falls and Betty's grandson, Chris of Minneapolis.

Glenn Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune attended the 25th Silver Wedding Anniversary for Roger and Connie Graff of Alaska at the Best Western on Sunday.

Recent visitors at the Clifford Klamar have been Mr. and Mrs. Donald Newhouse, Brandon and Ryan, Mrs. Michael Tosarak, Ashley and Timothy, Adam Tosarak, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar all of Roseau, Russell Elseth of Newfolden, Mrs. Ronnie Klasow, Kayleni and Justin of Goodridge, Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Darwin Klamar, Amber and Heather, Mrs. Merlin Klamar, Christopher and Kyle and Gene Engen.

Rep. Tunheim vows to continue wetlands fight

Rep. Jim Tunheim of Kennedy was one of eight rural House members and four from metro-area Minnesota who voted against the Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act passed in the final moments of the 1991 Legislature Session. He now has vowed to continue efforts to make corrections he feels necessary on the law.

"We recognized the environmental importance of wetlands in 1991 and we were not opposed to protecting areas that were clearly wetlands," he says as retrospect. "We also recognized that this bill, carried by Rep. Willard Munger of Duluth, meant trouble for Minnesota farmers, particularly those in areas of the state where most of the pre-settlement wetlands still existed."

The Wetlands Conservation Act of 1991 and the administrative rules adopted by the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) have created a comprehensive program for wetlands throughout the state. Rep. Tunheim said the law and rules fail to acknowledge substantial differences between wetland conditions in various parts of the state.

"In northern Minnesota it is often more difficult to find a dry patch than a wetland," he said. This is not a comparable situation to southwestern Minnesota where almost all of the wetlands have been drained and cultivated.

"By June 1, 1994," he said, "when the final BWSR rules became effective after being postponed once by the legislature, it was clear to many that the law simply fits all approach to wetlands conservation as contained in the 1991 act, would not work successfully throughout the broad range of Minnesota wetland habitats."

Early in the 1995 Legislative Session Rep. Tunheim introduced a bill which has defined by a coalition of northern Minnesota counties, to amend the 1991 law by easing regulations for land owners and by allowing more local control over wetlands issues. Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls offered a companion bill in the Senate.

Tunheim's bill was approved by the House Agriculture Committee and re-referred to the House Environment and Natural Resources Committee where chairman Manger refused to hear it and pushed his own wetlands amendment bill instead. Rep. Munger's bill was approved by the House, with Rep. Tunheim's support, and referred to a conference committee of which Rep. Tunheim was a member.

The 1995 regular legislature session ended without a conference committee agreement. A number of conferees continued to meet during the special session, working out an agreement that Rep. Tunheim introduced as Special Session House File 5 in the House and Sen. Stumpf carried as the companion bill. It was approved by the House on July 31 on a vote of 74-51 but was defeated in the Senate on a procedural vote.

"This assures us that this issue will be back before the 1996 Legislature," Rep. Tunheim said. "My bill recognized local differences in wetland conditions and allowed local governments to develop wetland conservation plans and goals based on those local conditions."

The Kennedy legislator said his bill included the following provisions:

- Local governments were authorized to adopt their own wetlands protection plans as an alternative to state rules, subject to approval by BWSR.
- Counties could choose to assume enforcement powers over wetlands regulations. If a county chose to do so, the state would not enforce orders requested by the county. The exception would be when BWSR determines that a county is not uniformly exercising enforcement powers, and authorizes state enforcement.
- The de minimus exemption — the threshold that requires replacement when a wetland is drained — was increased for certain situations.
- Exemptions from wetland replacement plans were expanded giving local units responsibility for determining the scope of projects and wetlands to be replaced.
- Agricultural land was defined more broadly, including exemptions of small pockets of wetlands.

It allowed the state to assume liability for legal costs incurred by local units of government as a result of actions taken under the act, but only in the extent that they implemented standards required by law, as determined by the court.

"My bill was a reasonable approach to resolving the problems created by the 1991 wetlands act," Rep. Tunheim said. "Fortunately, during the 1996 Legislative Session, we will not have to start from ground zero. The wetlands legislation is still alive and needs only to be sent back in conference committee.

"I will continue to represent the position of those who are so adversely affected by Rep. Munger's original legislation. The current law is simply unacceptable to me and the residents of northwestern Minnesota."

S & S Espresso held its ribbon cutting ceramony last week. Owners are Sharyell Stevenson and Steve Wasnick. Representing the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce are Norm Wassink, far left and Rick Gustafson, far right. S & S Espresso is open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sundays. They serve a variety of hot and cold coffees and Italian sodas. S & S Espresso will add a drive thru in September.

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Congratulations
Therese and Virgil Radinovich!
A reception was held on Saturday, August 19 in Onska for Therese and Virgil Radinovich in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Many friends and relatives helped them celebrate. Congratulations Therese and Virgil and many more happy years together.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Lundeen were dinner guests at the Glen and Crystal Berg home in honor of their 25th guest. Dinner for a total of 25 was served in Alexandria. Steve and Linda Lundeen and family from Chad Hansen, Kim and Dan Wieritzema from Rothsay and Travis Carlson and Tracy Driscoll from Goodridge.

Many friends and relatives attended the wedding of Charlene Howard and Stephen Hall in Ada recently. The couple is now residing in Golden Valley. Stephanie Howard was a former resident of Onska and a member of the Oak Park church.

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Rodeo Photos
Photographers for The Times worked overtime this Labor Day weekend to take several Rodeo and Time Posting photos.

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Mark Blindaig, new Superintendent for School District 564 in Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire, is introduced.

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Dr. Judith Eaton, Chancellor of Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, visited NCTC.

Chancellor Judith Eaton visits Northland College

In her 15th day on the job as Chancellor of Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MnSCU), Dr. Judith Eaton paid a visit to Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls Wednesday, August 30.

She met with Northland President Dr. Orley Gunderson; spoke to college staff members, Northland Foundation board members and invited citizens of the community; and participated in a press conference with area news media.

The chancellor said that prior to coming here from New York she had purchased the book "How To Speak Minnesotan" and quipped that it had been useful. She said she had eaten walleye at least twice since her arrival. She said colleagues in Minnesota had sent her a fur-lined hat which they assured her would be good though September.

Eaton said that the MnSCU program represents "the most important experiment in post high school education in the country today. Minnesota stepped out in front to try to bring about needed change," she said, "and I am thrilled to be a part of it with you."

She said that the system will be challenged to meet the demands for quality, efficiency (doing more with less) and social responsibility. Pitfalls to be avoided, she said, include bureaucracy, indifference and cynicism, failure to deliver what the public says it wants and not listening to the public.

Noting that the public said, in further articulation the fundamental educational purpose of the system, define the title of the new system office (including what it should not do), develop strategies to meet the expectations of students and public and define the MnSCU role in public higher education in the state.

In speaking of the direction MnSCU will be taking, she quoted the eminent educational theorist Wayne Gretzky who, when asked the secret of his phenomenal success in hockey, said: "I only skate to where the puck is going, not to where it's been."

Delivering education for tomorrow, she said, will require investment in the system working together to meet the many challenges with the shrinking resources.

Eaton, 53, was selected by the Minnesota Higher Education Board in June following public interviews of three finalists. She served as president of the nonprofit Council for Aid to Education in New York City, a position she held since 1989.

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Dr. Orley Gunderson at news conference

Sen. LeRoy Stumpf at news conferance

Seek leadership for auditorium at Lincoln high

Community advisory members studying a proposal to remodel the Lincoln high school auditorium are treading water until someone comes forward and says they'll make a leadership role.

Lincoln high school principal Terry Squier, who has served as the group facilitator, has declined the leadership role because of the impression it might create among residents. He also discouraged other school district employees from taking leadership roles.

Squier said a significant vice-president, school auditorium, is an overuse word, which should be supported by the public.

There were about 20 individuals at the meeting. Some said he sent one about 72 letters inviting individuals to attend the meeting.

Jean Lanton, school board member, wondered whether there is any interest in the project.

The Lincoln high school auditorium is in need of improvement. An earlier estimate put the cost at over $1 million, but after a meeting of the committee, it was decided to pare the project down into separate phases and eliminate some items, such as a lobby expansion, air-to-location and air conditioning unit. The cuts bring the cost of the project down to between $700,000 and $800,000. The project calls for improvements to the sound system, stage lighting, electrical system, acoustic panels, ceiling soffits, doors and frames, balcony railing, aisle carpet and lights, and re-painting of the facility.

Financing the project has been a major concern since the beginning. Admission or a surcharge on admission, as an avenue toward raising funds, was discussed. Concerns were expressed that the auditorium is not owned by a non-profit organization. The only cost assumed by those who use the facility is for janitorial service, if it is needed, or if it is a for profit venture.

"One method of raising funds for the project, which has attained support among committee members, is selling seats at an inflated cost. The cost of improving a seat has been estimated at $150 each.

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Enthusiastic crowds at fourth annual Stampede

Doing his job in a professional manner, bullfighter Shane Anderson takes on a big and belligerent bovine to get a cowboy out of a precarious spot during the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Anderson managed to stay a step ahead of the bulls throughout the rodeo, but seemed to always be where he was needed.

Enthusiastic crowds which seemed to get into the spirit of the action and show support and excitement for the performances at three performances at the Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday in the Black Oaks Memorial Civic Center.

Bareles were a little light in bareback riding and calf roping but the quality was high and, as usual, there were a few surprises—proving once again that rodeo is a spontaneous and unpredictable sport even at the professional level.

Red Lateral of Mud Butte, SD, lived up to his world ranking and advance billing by winning both the first and second go-round of the saddle bronc riding Saturday night and winning the three-performance sum-total with 148. He earned $1,000.

Lateral had a high point ride of 76 on "Where Thing" in the second go-round, four short of the record 80-point ride turned in by Shawn Frey of Norman, OK, at the first Stampede held outdoors in 1992 and three shon of the indoor mark of 79 set by Marvin Garrett of Belle Fourche, SD in 1993 and tied by Ken Lanagrow of Rapid City, SD, last year.

In the steer wrestling, Todd Suhn of Laramie, WY, turned in a run of 5.0 seconds Friday night, tying the indoor mark set by Ross Rote of Madison, WI, in 1993. Rote had a 7.1 run on Friday this year for third place. Suhn pocketed $600.40 for his first place.

Cory Lockhart of Grist, SD, was the calf roping with a 9.4 second run Friday night and claimed $600.40. Brian Pallan of Valentine, NE, was second in 10.9. A surprise was the 1993 world champion calf roper Troy Pruitt of Minature, NE, who has been a regular at the Stampede, missed his calf and did-n't place this year.

Carm Schneider of Torrah, WI, won the barrel racing in 17.24 seconds to claim the first place prize of $400.40. She was 11 second off

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Two Black Bear Cubs blunder into town

Two bear cubs wandered into Thief River Falls Monday morning and caused quite a commotion.

At about 9:30 a.m. Paul Kayser notified the law enforcement center that two bear cubs were in a tree in his property near Long's Bridge. A Marshall County deputy was called and notified Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. Apparently the cubs decided to visit town because they were not reported in a tree near Eighth and Hector.

Traffic came to a standstill as residents parked along the road and got out of their vehicles to see the bears. A bear had been reported in the Oakland Park area, but it has been roughly 15 years since a bear was last reported in the community. At about 11 a.m. law enforcement officers responded and blocked off the area.

Department of natural resource officials decided to transplant the bears to a remote area of the county. The fire department was called in, but officials later decided it was a city utility department bucket truck.

Conservation Officer Tom Provost said he used a small dose of a tranquilizer and put the cubs in kennels. The cubs were then transported to an area where the last sight of the mother was found, which was near the Marshall county line. Provost said just short of the area where they were going to release the cubs, one of the cubs broke out of the kennel and escaped. They then released the other cub.

Unfortunately, one of the cubs returned to the community and was killed by a vehicle on Highway 1 east and was to be destroyed. There was no sign of the other cub for the weather.

The cubs weighed about 40 pounds and were probably born last March.

Provost reminds residents that because of a lack of food, bears are being observed outside their normal territory. When they see a bear, he said, they should give it plenty of room and let it do what it needs to do to leave the area. The fewer people around, the better. He also suggested that law enforcement personnel should be contacted.

Law enforcement officials in Thief River Falls began receiving reports of two bear cubs in trees early Monday morning. The first reports came from the Paul Kayser residence north of Long's Bridge. The two little bears apparently decided to visit town. Traffic came to a halt and a large crowd gathered on Eighth Street near Erk's Market when about one hour later they were discovered in another tree. The fire department was called and eventually the two cubs were captured. They were taken north into Marshall county. One of the cubs escaped and they released the other cub. Unfortunately, one of the cubs came back to town and started making more of a nuisance of itself and had to be destroyed. The whereabouts of the other cub is unknown.

Enthusiastic crowds attend fourth annual Stampede

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the record of 13.13 set by Rayna Prewitt of Sidney, MT, in 1994. Troy Pruitt's wife Martee had a fifth place finish in the barrels in 14.57 to win $124.41 for gas, hay and burgers.

Thad Bothwell of Ft. Pierre, SD—which is also the hometown of the Stampede bullfighter Shane Anderson—won both the first and second go-rounds of the bull riding Friday night with 79 on "Tiny Tim" and a new Stampede record 85 on "Naughty Boy." His aggregate score of 164 held up for first place overall and he won a total of $1,504.08.

Previous bull ride record in the Stampede had been 83 points set by David Bailey Jr. of Tahlequah, OK, outdoors in 1992 and tied by Scott Breding of Columbus, MT, indoors in 1993, both on "Tar Baby Jr."

There was a first place split in the bareback riding with a top score of 75 points turned in by Charles Oulley of Marion, IL on "Angel" Friday night and Rod Hughes of Grandview, MO on "Indian Nation" Saturday night. Each claimed a paycheck of $505.94.

"We're happy," stated Randy and Denese Jokela of Jokela ProWest Productions which produces the Thief River Falls Stampede.

"The crowds were about what we expected with harvest in full swing in the area and nice weather tempting people to take a last trip to the lake before school starts," Randy said. "We were especially pleased with the way the crowd got into the performances every night, yelling and clapping and encouraging the riders and ropers."

"Usually it's the Saturday night crowd that is the most enthusiastic," Denese Jokela added, "but we had Saturday night enthusiasm Friday night and Sunday afternoon. It shows us that people in this region are becoming more familiar with professional rodeo and appreciate the skills demonstrated by the riders and the livestock."

The Jokelas said that the Labor Day weekend rodeo makes it difficult to draw a lot of participants because of the number of large rodeos being held around the country on that weekend. They said they will be taking a hard look at the final results of this Stampede in relation to the three previous ones, including the one held in the spring of 1994, to make some decisions regarding scheduling of the fifth annual Stampede.

"We recognize that 1996 is the Thief River Falls Centennial year and we want to put out an extra effort to make the 1996 rodeo a special one in every respect," Randy Jokela said.

A list of money winners in the fourth annual Stampede as compiled by PRCA secretary Pauline Appledoorn of Gladstone, ND, includes the following:

Bareback

First place tie with 75 points: Charles Oulley of Marion, IL on "Angel" and Rod Hughes of Grandview, MO on "Indian Nation," $505.94 each; third place with 72 points on "Little Bud," Neil Ballard of Loretto, KY, $319.70;

Saddle Bronc

Red Lemmel of Mud Butte, SD, high score of 76 on "Wheat Thing" and 148 in the aggregate for first place money of $734.16; Jeff Miller of Faith, SD, second in the aggregate with rides of 71 and 75 for 146 points and $456.45; Phillip Kiemer of Colorado Springs, CO, third in the aggregate with rides of 72 and 73 for 145 points and $327.21; and Bill Harris, Terry, MT, fourth in the aggregate with rides of 71 and 72 for 143 points and $148.73; Darin Schoelke, second and third split in the second go-round, $148.73; Bud Longbrake of DuPree, SD and Kenny Taton of Mud Butte, SD, fourth place split in the second go-round, $29.74 each;

Steer Wrestling

Todd Suhn of Laramie, WY, first place in 5.0 seconds (ties the indoor Stampede record), $601.40; Tul Hart of Centerville, SD, second at 6.9 seconds, $451.05; Ross Rote of Madison, WI, third at 7.1 seconds, $300.70; and Tony Oftedahl, Pemberton, MN, fourth at 7.9 seconds, $150.35;

Calf Roping

Grady Lockhart of Oral, SD, first place in 9.6 seconds for $601.40; Brian Fulton of Valentine, NE, second in 10.9 seconds for $451.05; Tony Schneider of Tomah, WI, third in 11.5 seconds for $300.70; and Todd Pruitt of Tea, SD, fourth in 11.6 seconds for $150.35.

Barrel Racing

Carm Schneider of Tomah, WI, first in 13.24 seconds for $400.90; Sharon Orstad of Andover, MN, second in 13.56 seconds for $331.78; Patti Manor of Malden Rock, WI, third in 13.96 seconds for $262.66; Yvonne Skinner of Reedsburg, WI, fourth in 14.21 seconds for $193.53; Martee Pruitt of Minatare, NE, fifth in 14.57 seconds for $124.41; and Jamie Bradburn of International Falls, MN, sixth in 14.69 seconds for $69.12;

Bull Riding

Thad Bothwell of Ft. Pierre, SD, first in the aggregate with 164 points (including new record of 85 points on "Noughty Boy" in the second go-round Friday) for $1,504.08; Lance Dobler of Seneca, MO, second in the aggregate with 156 points on two 78-point rides for $1,135.80; Bob Smith of Britton, SD, third in the aggregate with 148 points on rides of 71 and 77 for $669.48; Troy Meech of Sebeka, MN, fourth in the aggregate with 145 points on rides of 75 and 70 for $275.74; Dove Navrkal of Sioux City, NE, third in the first go-round Sunday for $275.74; and Mike Hermanson of Bismarck, ND, fourth in the second go-round Sunday for $152.87.

Chancellor visits NCTC Wednesday

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City prior to accepting the new post in Minnesota and was previously vice-president at the American Council on Education in Washington; president of the Community College of Philadelphia (1983-1989) and president of the Community College of Southern Nevada (1979-1983).

Eaton holds baccalaureate and master's degrees from the University of Michigan and earned a Ph.D. in education from Wayne state University. She took office following the merger on July 1 which united seven state universities, 21 community colleges and 34 technical colleges under one governing board and one chancellor. The system expects to have about 163,000 students and 20,000 employees with a budget of about $800 million a year.

The chancellor was provided by the Minnesota Higher Education Board an annual salary of $108,780 plus a housing reimbursement of up to $20,000 a year. In her new job, the organization that she heads will spend a thousand times as much money and employ two thousand times as many people as her previous organization in New York.

Dr. Eaton has published two books: *The Unfinished Agenda: Higher Education and the 1980s* in 1991 and *Strengthening Collegiate Education in Community Colleges* in 1994.

Grand Jury hands down indictment

United States Attorney David L. Lillehaug has announced that a federal grand jury has handed down a wide-ranging, 44-count felony indictment alleging theft and embezzlement, election fraud, and other corrupt activities by elected officials of the White Earth Band of Chippewa Indians. The charges include alleged crimes arising out of the construction of the Shooting Star Casino in Mahnomen.

Six individuals were indicted including: Tribal Chairman Darrell "Chip" Wadena, 56, on 15 counts; Tribal Secretary-Treasurer Jerry Rawley, 48, on 18 counts; and Tribal Committeeman Rick Clark, 47, on 23 counts. Also indicted were Carley Jasken, 65, (2 counts), Henry Harper (6 counts), and Peter G. Pequette Jr., (6 counts). All of the defendants, except Pequette, are members of and reside on the White Earth Reservation.

According to a news release from the office of United States Attorney, district of Minnesota, "Wadena, Rawley, and Clark were each indicted for allegedly corrupt activities in connection with the construction of the Shooting Star Casino at the White Earth reservation. Money for the construction came from funds appropriated by Congress as part of a land settlement with the Band.

"As part of the project, allegedly Clark gave Wadena a secret interest in Clark's company, Northern Drywall and Construction, Inc., which received the drywall subcontract for casino construction. Wadena allegedly received $428,682 in illicit profits from the project and Rawley separately received $21,500 in direct payments from Northern Drywall.

"Wadena, Rawley, and Clark also allegedly cheated the Band by creating a tribal fishing commission separate from the Tribal Council, appointing themselves as commissioners, and voting themselves additional tax-exempt salaries of $65,000 to $75,000 per year. The indictment says that the tribal biologist and the tribal conservation officer, the employees responsible for fishing, were unaware of the existence of the secret commission.

"The indictment further identifies as illegal a number of payments from tribal funds — accounted for as 'gaming commission payments' — to the three officers. For example, in 1993 Wadena allegedly received $10,000 which he used to make a payment for his 1992 Cadillac automobile. Tribal money was also used to pay for snowmobiles for Wadena, Rawley, and Clark, and an all-terrain vehicle and a snowplow for Rawley, the grand jury contends.

"The largest alleged misappropriation listed as a 'gaming commission payment,' says the indictment, was a $11,000 check in 1993 to Rawley which he used to pay his federal income taxes.

"In 1993 alone, the indictment says, Wadena received $258,559 from the Band, Rawley $205,058, and Clark $221,525. Of these amounts, over $50,000 each was received in the form of 'gaming commission payments'.

"Each of the three tribal officers — Wadena, Rawley, and Clark — is charged with conspiracy, bribery, theft and embezzlement and money laundering. Wadena and Clark are also charged with mail fraud.

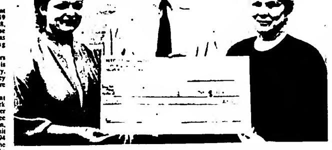
"In addition, the indictment charges that Rawley and Clark attempted to perpetuate their power by conspiring with at least three other persons — defendants Jasken, Pequette, and Harper — to commit election fraud in the 1990 and 1994 tribal elections. The means of the fraud, says the grand jury, were the preparation and submission of falsely filled out and falsely notarized absentee ballots.

"The grand jury has charged that Carley Jasken, the White Earth Band's election judge, requested that fictitious ballots be prepared for the two elections. Working with Jasken, Jerry Rawley and Rick Clark paid Band members to obtain absentee ballots by paying them money disguised as welfare assistance payments, it is alleged. Jasken herself became coordinator of the welfare assistance program in 1992. Hundreds of absentee ballots were allegedly falsely filled out and falsely notarized by Peter Pequette and Henry Harper.

"The indictment further charges that Jasken shredded election documents to cover up the scheme.

"Rawley, Clark, Jasken, Pequette, and Harper are together charged with criminal violations of the federal civil rights laws. Each except Jasken is the subject of mail fraud counts. Rawley's and Clark's use of assistance payments it the basis for theft and embezzlement counts against them. Harper and Pequette are charged with making false statements to a federal agency. Finally, the grand jury has charged Jasken with obstruction of justice.

"The charges of theft of Indian funds and mail fraud carry a maximum potential penalty of five years in prison and/or a $250,000 fine per count. All remaining counts of the indictment carry a maximum potential penalty of 10 years in prison and/or a $250,000 fine. If convicted, the defendants would be sentenced by a U.S. District court judge pursuant to the federal sentencing guidelines.



Wendy Kopkie (left) and Mark Appeil of the student senate from the Thief River Falls campus of Northwest Technical College made a substantial donation to the Northland Foundation during MnSCU Chancellor Judith Eaton's visit last Wednesday. A check for $19,500 was accepted by foundation board member Kay Wedul-Steiger. Appeil is president and Kopkie vice president of the student senate which will now be merged into the Northland Community and Technical College. The funds were donated for scholarships to technical students.

Volunteers needed for Multi-events center proposal

Joint powers board that has been working on the multi-events cultural center (also known as the community center) at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls is organizing planning groups for various parts of the entire facility, according to Rick Nelson, NCTC activities coordinator.

A meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, September 7, at 7 p.m. in the Northland Community and Technical College cafeteria. The meeting is open to the public with the purpose of soliciting volunteers to work on the various committees and improve the overall visibility of the project. Committee heads have been appointed to help facilitate the Thursday meeting.

"Input is needed in such areas as planning the football field, indoor walking track, softball field, fitness center, multi-use banquet and exhibit hall, swimming pool, locker rooms, main lobby and other areas and uses," Nelson said. "If there is an area of interest to you or an area of expertise where you can be of assistance, please consider attending this meeting."

Nelson has been asked by the joint powers board to create the planning groups and report back on the progress of each group at its October meeting.

For additional information or to have questions answered, contact Nelson at 218-681-0725 or 1-800-959-6282.

Artists to hold show and sale September 16

Northern Prairie Artists Association will conduct its annual art show and sale Saturday, September 16, at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

The show will be open to the public from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and there is no admission charge.

Seek leadership for auditorium project at LHS

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Instead, sponsorships to replace the seating could be increased to $250, for example. It should be noted that under the new plans, seating would be reduced from about 900 to 821.

Committee members were optimistic about the prospect of being able to sell sponsorships for the cost of seating. Many committee members suggested taking displays of seating and the proposed auditorium improvements to various public functions and displaying them at local businesses, such as banks, to generate interest.

Other alternate sources of funding are being explored, including private benefactors, Blandin Foundation, and Hartz Foundation.

The issue of who will lead this project kept returning to the table for discussion. Some said articles of incorporation are in place, and the tax free status applied for, but a leader and governing board are needed.

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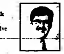
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Bow ties—and Mr. Krystosek—gone from Lincoln

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

A bow tie is his trademark. People would not recognize him without one, he says. But this year Mr. Krystosek's famous bow ties won't be seen in the classrooms and hallways of Lincoln High, and neither will he. After 38 years, two months and two days of teaching, Ed Krystosek retired on June 2, 1995. This fall, for the first time in many years, Mr. Krystosek won't be going back to school.

Krystosek was born in St. Cloud. In 1940 he moved to Willmar where his dad ran a meat market until 1953 and his mother was a teacher. He graduated from high school in 1948. As a young man he worked for a while with his father. Ed describes his father as a teacher because anyone who worked the senior Krystosek learned all about the meat business.

As the conflict in Korea intensified, Ed and his buddy decided to join what was then the Army Air Force. They signed up for three years of service, but as the Korean War progressed, President Truman extended their service to four years. While Krystosek was in the service, the Air Force became a branch separate from the Army.

"We went from Army green to Air Force blue."

Ed taught and trained privates serving in the Air Force and found he enjoyed teaching others how to operate equipment.

After his discharge from the Air Force, Ed took advantage of Uncle Sam's offer to pay for four years of college. He decided that the opportunity was too good to pass up and attended St. Cloud State Teachers College (now St. Cloud State University). Shortly after deciding to enter college, the railroad offered Ed a job. He declined the offer in pursuit of high learning.

Ed's mother was also an influence in choosing a career as a teacher. She was an elementary school teacher with a lot of energy. She and her classroom aide named Pat once took over 50 third graders Christmas caroling. Pat later became Mrs. Ed Krystosek.

Ed chose to teach history because he has always had an interest in the subject. He gained an interest in history from his own high school teacher who was a World War I veteran and gave first hand many accounts of the war.

In the 1950's teachers were in high demand and Ed was hired soon after graduating from college. His first teaching job was in Browns Valley. Ed was a senior in high school when Willmar had its first wrestling team and he continued to wrestle in college. So when the superintendent in Browns Valley said he wanted the school to start a wrestling team, Ed was selected as head coach.

After a few years in Browns Valley, Ed moved to LeSuer where he was an assistant wrestling coach. There, he says, he really learned the sport of wrestling from a great coach. After four years of learning the sport, Ed decided he was ready to be a head coach.

In the fall of 1964, he began teaching at Lincoln High School. The world history teacher Mr. Kne, he said, was a wonderful mentor. The two of them taught history together for many years.

Many of Ed's students couldn't believe that he had lived through the depression. The experience enabled Ed the ability to give the students first hand knowledge about what life was like for Americans at that time. Although the students knew he lived through the depression, Ed didn't tell his students how old he was. He liked to keep them guessing.

He recalls one day when a girl walked into his class and said," You know Mr. Krystosek, you had my mother in your class."

Ed says he always got along with the kids and that is what's most important. He never had to send a student to the principal's office because of a lack of control in the classroom. Over the years he really enjoyed the kids. He met the students when they where in tenth grade and watched them develop into senior high students.

"The main thing is to see kids advance and prosper...go out into the world and make something of themselves," said Ed. He has seen his students go on to be teachers and postmasters and achieve success in college.

"There will come a time when you're gonna appreciate your good schooling," Ed told his students. And many of them returned to say that he was right. He has students come back to Thief River Falls and talk about how much they enjoy reading about history or how easy their college history was after taking his classes.

Coaching also provided a lot of satisfaction for Ed. He recalls that it was exciting to see kids enjoy sports. Some, he said, excelled to untold limits and others just enjoyed the game. In his years of coaching wrestling, he only went one year without at least one wrestler advancing to the state level. In his last eight years as Lincoln's wrestling coach, his team won seven District titles and one Region title. Some of the kids he coached at state had never left town before the trip to the big tournament. Lincoln wrestling isn't the only place he found success as a coach.

In Browns Valley, there were only nine faculty members, so Ed was assigned to assistant coach football, basketball, baseball and track. In his third year of coaching football, they were undefeated. He also coached the baseball team that became district runner-up and had three players who were named all-conference. At Browns Valley he also took his first kid to state in wrestling.

Ed is not the only teacher in his family. His wife Pat teaches at St. Bernard's School. Ed and Pat have five children. Sharon is married to John Larson and they live in St. Cloud with their children Zachary and Petra. Mary and her husband Ralph live in Virginia. Sarah and her husband Rick Harrington live in Everett, WA with their two daughters Carey and Samantha. Eddie lives in Fargo, ND and is engaged to Missy Carrier. The youngest, Simon, entered the Army in August and is half way through basic training in Oklahoma.

Now that Ed has retired, he would like to do "the usual things" like travel and fish and hunt. He has already traveled in all the states west of the Mississippi River and in the south, but he has yet to visit New England. He also loves to go to flea markets and auctions. Hopefully he'll find time to indulge in these pleasures.

When Ed finished high school he said he would never set foot inside a school again. Ironically, since then he has spent little time outside of school. He went into the service, where they sent him to school. After that, the Air Force made him an instructor. Then they paid for college, so he went. Then, he became a teacher. So much for never setting foot inside a school.

"If I didn't enjoy it and wasn't able to get along with the kids, I would have found something else," said Ed. "I'm gonna miss it."

Ed Krystosek won't be going back to school this year. After 30 years of teaching American history at Lincoln High School, Ed has retired. Not only did he teach, but he was the wrestling coach for 13 year during which time several wrestlers went to State.

Sollom named MN Outstanding Senior Citizen

Al Sollom, of Thief River Falls was named Minnesota's Outstanding Senior Citizen for 1995. According to Heritage Center director, Shannon Olson, this is the first time someone from outside the metro area has won this award.

Sollom is the president of the Minnesota Senior Federation. He is politically active and fights to protect the interest of seniors. This spring he traveled to Washington, D.C. as a delegate to the National Conference on Aging.

Anthony Perreault receives promotion

Navy Ensign Anthony F. Perreault, son of Francis R., and Ann E. Perreault of Red Lake Falls, recently was promoted to his present rank while serving at Naval Aviation Schools Command, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, FL.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

Zion Leisure Fellowship to meet at 2 p.m. at the church.

Retired Ben Franklin Employees to meet at 11 a.m. at the Best Western Inn.

Friday

Holt Keenagers to meet at noon at the Holt Community Center.

Falls Squares Dance at the City Auditorium at 8 p.m. Lunch to follow. Everyone welcome.

Saturday

Women of Elks Harvest Dance with hayrides beginning at 5:30 p.m. and meal at 6:30.

Sunday

Sunday School Round-Up at Evangelical Covenant Church at 9:15 a.m. Everyone welcome.

Sunday School Kick-Off at United Methodist Church at 10:30 a.m. services.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

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Hausken and Kjelland to exchange vows Saturday

Melinda Kaye Hausken and Ronald Walter Kjelland announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Melinda is the daughter of David and Ella Hausken of St. Hillare. She is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1992 graduate of Northland Community College.

Ronald is the son of Donald and Sandi Kjelland of Perley. He is a 1987 graduate of Norman County West High School and is employed at Nelson Equipment.

A September 9 wedding is planned at St. Hilaire with a 4 p.m. reception to follow. Everyone is welcome.

Weber and Schmit exchage vows July 15

Shirley Weber and Les Schmit were united in marriage on July 15 at 4 p.m. in an outdoor wedding at their home in Thief River Falls. Judge Dennis J. Murphy officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Russel and Anne Marie Heden of Goodridge and the granddaughter of Ida Kees of Red Lake Falls. The groom is the son of Phillip and Mable Schmit of Trail.

Music was provided by vocalist Brent Waale. His selection was "Can I Trust You With My Heart" and the processional was "Keeper of the Stars." April Weber read the poem "Awake, My Heart, To Be Loved" by Lloyd Bridges.

The maid of honor was Laura Carlson of Thief River Falls. The bridesmaid was April Weber. The miniature bridesmaid and flower girl was Erin Schindler. Mindy Schneider, Deb Schindler and Dawn Agnes were the bride's personal Attendants.

Gene Sauve was the best man and the groomsman was Nick Weber. The miniature groom and ring bearer was Alec Weber.

Ushers were Mike Schmit, Robert Tio and Steve Weber. Host and hostess of the reception were Charles and Mary Tio. The attendant at the guest book was Rosanne Feragen. Flower hostess was Phyllis Schmit. Tom and Chris Schmit served refreshments while Leone Brule and Dorothy McCraw poured coffee. Serving cake was Audrey Schmit and Lorraine Yerbich. The gift carriers were Sarah Weber and nieces and nephews of the bride and groom.

The couple lives in Thief River Falls where both are employed at Arctco, Inc.

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The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
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- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

Amanda Hinden celebrates 90th birthday with family and friends

Amanda Hinden was honored for her 90th birthday on Sunday, August 27 at the Skylite Community Center. Family and friends gathered for an afternoon of reminiscing, singing and visiting.

Amanda wore a corsage, a gift from her brother and his wife, Maynard and Irene Molskness. The serving table was centered with a bouquet of wild flowers, gathered and arranged by her brother, Clarence Molskness. On each side of the bouquet were cakes decorated by two of Amanda's sisters-in-law, one by Juliette Molskness and the other by Arlene Molskness. A salad luncheon was served by the family, after which cards and gifts were opened.

Pictures were taken of the nine brothers and sisters present. Only one was not able to attend, her brother Bernard and his wife Om Molskness of Tacoma, WA, who sent their greetings.

Those attending were Amanda's older sister, Magda Russum, Grafton, ND and her younger brothers and sisters, Signe Jorgenson, Grafton, ND, Henry and wife Frances, Maynord and wife Irene, Dagny Irvin, Clarence and wife Juliette, Gerhard, Raymond and wife Arlene, all of Thief River Falls.

Also attending were nieces and nephews, Vernon and Dorothy Russum, Grafton, ND, Peggie Mostad and Kally of Bemidji, Donald Molskness, Lyle and Sue Molskness, Bryanne Molskness, all of Thief River Falls, Borb Molskness, Dals and Carol Penner, Nicole and Jaclyn, all of St. Hilaire, and other friends.

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Knutson and Delorme wed

Tami Knutson and Corey Delorme were united in marriage on Friday, August 18 at St. Joseph Church, Moorhead.

Tami is the daughter of Larry and JoAnn Knutson of Moorhead. Corey is the son of Russ and Karen Delorme of Moorhead. His grandparents are Agnes Kujanson and the late Arne Kujanson of Grygla and Ernest and Noella Delorme of Thief River Falls.

The couple resides in Dover, DE.

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Mark Hinckley was recently hired as Superintendent of Schools in District 564, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire. Hinckley says his goals for the district are fully focused on the kids.

New Superintendent says goals to fully focus on children

When the doors open on another school year, September 5, the day will also mark a new beginning for Mark Hinckley, recently hired as Superintendent of Schools in District 564, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire.

For the past 19 years Hinckley has been elementary principal and superintendent at Nicollet, MN, but his past includes quite a slice of life, much of it outside education. Hinckley is a former U.S. serviceman, and a lifetime member of the American Legion. He has been a small business owner, a welder, he has worked in heavy steel fabrication, as a mailman, as an elementary teacher, o school business administrator, a principal and a superintendent. He says he brings a full "field of vision" to his new job in Thief River Falls.

"I love kids. That's why I kept coming back to education, but, it's also important to know and understand what else is out there. Education is more than educators, it's communities working together to take care of their kids."

Hinckley graduated from Niles township high school in Skokie, IL, and went to college in Racine, WI. He taught third and fourth grade before returning to school for his masters degree from the University of Wisconsin. He was a building principal and taught sixth grade in the Park Falls school system before earning a specialist degree in educational administration from St. Cloud State University. He was the business administrator for the North Branch School District before accepting the job as principal and superintendent in Nicollet. He joined the Thief River Falls school district this summer.

He says his goals for the Thief River Falls district are fully focused on the kids. "We will pass an excess levy referendum in November. The Thief River Falls district is more than $450 below the state average in spending for educational programs for students. Below average funding eventually means a below average program, and our kids deserve better than that. The state will give us eighty cents for every twenty cents we approve with this referendum. Our fate is in our own hands. There is no other increase in state aid in our future, except the excess tax levy, to bring our schools close to the state average."

. . . My Hoarding Habit

We know fall is coming when animals begin to store away food for the winter. Our neighbors have a walnut tree and I have been watching the squirrels running off with the nuts for quite some time, so I am sure that fall is on the way.

However, in my house, there is something a little different that goes on not only in the fall, but throughout the year — a nut that squirrels away — just about everything.

Yes, it is me. I just never want to run out of anything, so I buy items on sale and tuck them away in pantries, cupboards and closets.

I blame this habit on my Nordic ancestry. I am sure that my hoarding habit came from my Norwegian foremothers, who had to have plenty of supplies to feed and care for their large families through the long Norwegian winters, as well as the long Minnesota winters, especially when blizzards came. Roads during and after the blizzard were, no doubt, often impassable, clogged with snow drifts, and there was no way to get to town to buy those things that could not be grown or made on the farm, like more flour to make bread with, or sugar to sweeten the coffee, or bacon to fry with potato dumplings or thread to sew with or nails to pound into things or . . .

Anyway, you can bet great-grandma stocked up on all of those good things in the fall and kept them tucked away in the cellar or pantry so she had them when they were needed, like if a blizzard came. Great-grandma probably also did plenty of canning, but I don't do that. I don't have time, even if every gene in my body is crying out to do it every year. I do, however, have a lot of canned goods tucked in my basement pantry.

I also make sure I have plenty of staple cooking items, like the flour and the sugar that were so necessary to great-grandma. I also consider some other things to be staple cooking items, like raisins, dates, walnuts, coffee, and tea, and then, of course, chocolate chips. Who can manage a blizzard without chocolate chip cookies, I would like to know?

I have a cupboard upstairs that is well-stocked with necessary paper items, too. I always buy paper towels and facial tissue when it is on sale, but the thing I buy most of is bathroom tissue. I just don't even want to consider what it would be like to run out of bathroom tissue in the middle of a blizzard. What with the quantity of it I have tucked away, the chances of running out of it, however, are pretty slim unless it is an awfully long blizzard.

It is true, too, that I have an abundance of cleaning soaps, dish soaps and laundry soaps tucked away. Well, wouldn't it be awful to have nothing to clean the house with, or wash the dishes, or do the laundry with in a blizzard?

My freezer is filled to overflowing with things I have frozen for future use. The problem is that I never remember to use any of those things I have tucked away and now I have to clean it out and get rid of many of the old things so that I can restock it again for this year.

I have also been known to stockpile things such as fabrics for making quilts (boxes and boxes of it), along with the batting for those quilts (of course I would have time to make a quilt in the middle of a blizzard!); yarn for knitting things which would surely be handy in the blizzard, writing supplies, which I could utilize in a blizzard and get my columns written ahead for the entire year; cookbooks, which would certainly come in handy when there was a blizzard raging; and several other things.

Never mind that we haven't had a really bad blizzard for several years and that the last big blizzard when we couldn't get out of the garage or down the street to the store was in 1966. This might be the year we have one of those bad ones and then I will be ready and then everybody will be glad I have a hoarding habit.

United Methodist returns to regular worship schedule September 10th

Beginning Sunday, September 10, the United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls will be returning to its regular worship schedule. Sunday School classes for preschool through adult will begin at 9 a.m. and the regular worship hour begins at 10:30. Likewise the weekly radio broadcasts will resume in the morning. These broadcasts will air over KKAQ-AM at 11 a.m. each Sunday.

Also planned for September 10 is the Sunday School Kick-Off, which will be during 10:30 worship. Sunday School staff will be officially recognized and students in Grade 3 will be receiving their Bibles.

Rev. Bill Kerr and the church family at Thief River Falls United Methodist Church welcome everyone to come and worship or to take part in any of the church activities. Call 681-4388 for more details.

Bridal shower for Becky Berggren

There will be a bridal shower to honor Becky Berggren at the Newfolden Community Center on Sunday, September 10 at 3 p.m.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Apple Smiles

Apples are plentiful at this time of year. The following activity is a different way to create an apple snack. You will need:

two large apples,
1/2 cup smooth peanut butter and
miniature marshmallows.

Cut two apples into eight slices each. Remove apple cores. Spread peanut butter on one side of each slice. Place marshmallows between two apple slices. When the two apple slices are put together, the apples will look like a smile with lots of teeth.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need crayons and paper.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Parish, Herman. Good Driving, Amelia Bedelia. Amelia Bedelia, America's favorite housekeeper, pushes Mr. Rogers to his limit when he gives her a driving lesson and she can't find the fork in the road, or the spoon either!

Velthuijs, Max. Frog Is Frightened. Frog and Duck take a reassuring look at things that go bump in the night, as Pig tries to calm them down without getting scared silly himself.

VIDEO VARIETY

The Sword In the Stone. Witness awesome miracles and fire-breathing dragons as the strongest and the bravest attempt to remove the sword and become the next king of England.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Laughter and Fun

Laughter and fun. How important is it? Some feel it is very important! Why? For one reason, life would be very dull and boring without it. If we laugh and have fun while interacting with another person it says that we enjoy being with that person. It's also a way of showing our approval of the other person or his actions. This is certainly true of parent-child interactions. If you doubt this to be true, simply smile or laugh at your child when he or she does something. The child will probably repeat that action again very soon! Children love having approval and attention. Make a point of enjoying your children; laugh with them and have fun.

As your toddler gets older, he will also enjoy jokes and pranks. In fact when one child discovers a "joke" other children will repeat it to get the same attention. Unlike adults, children's appreciation of their own humor increases with the number of times they repeat it. And so they may repeat and repeat something you laughed at. For children, repetition of their jokes only increases the fun. But for the listening adult, it may not be as much fun. Just try to [illegible]

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Enjoy your child and his/her style of humor. Encourage and even repeat what they find funny.

Beito and Halling to wed

Candy Beito and Tim Halling are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

Candy is the daughter of Gary and Corliss Bucklin of Thief River Falls and LaVonne Apland of Minneapolis. She is a 1986 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed at Gary's Bakery.

Tim is the son of Pat and Jan Halling of Thief River Falls. He is a 1987 graduate of Lincoln High School. He is employed by Stretar Masonry, Duluth.

A September 30 wedding is planned for Trinity Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.

Thief River Falls Kiwanis club has had an active year in 1995 with a number of projects involving the community. In the top photo, Dan Shafland presents a check for $100 to Bev Rupprecht for the Little Brother/Little Sister program. In the middle photo Madelyn Vigen receives a certificate of appreciation for spearheading the safety camp project. In the bottom photo, club secretary Earl Gibson (left) presents a "Vial of Life" to Mayor Bob Reave to kick off that program in the community.

School night for Scouting September 12

School Night for Scouting will be held in Thief River Falls Tuesday, September 12, from 7 to 8 p.m. at the Franklin middle school cafeteria.

All boys from first through 12th grade are encouraged to attend this sign-up with their parents and to join packs or troops with their neighborhood friends. All three local packs and troops—57 at St. Bernard's Catholic Church, 59 at Zion Lutheran and 199 at St. John Lutheran will be represented.

Adult leaders from each pack and troop will have application forms available as well as information on when and where the pack and troop generally meets. They can also answer questions about scout activities.

Boys in the first grade are eligible to join Tiger Cubs, an introduction to Cub Scouting for boys and their adult partners. In Tiger Cubs, four to eight boy-adult teams are formed into a Tiger Cub group. Each group is affiliated with a Cub Scout pack, gathers once or twice a month and chooses a Big Idea from the Tiger Cub Family Activity Book. These gatherings could involve a field trip, an enjoyable activity or an invitation to a special pack event.

Cub Scouts begins in second grade and members seek goals that promote character development, citizenship training and mental and physical fitness. Cub Scouts is divided into five ranks with each rank earned by completing the requirements outlined in the Cub Scout Handbook.

Cub Scout den (small group) meetings are held on a weekly basis and pack (a combination of dens) meetings are usually held once a month. Demonstration of skill and recreational activities take place at these meetings and badges are awarded.

Boy Scouts begins in the sixth grade. At this level more emphasis is placed on outdoor activities like camping, cooking and hiking and on all of the skills needed for them. In addition scouts are instructed on how to act in emergencies, be involved in community service activities and show leadership in their patrol and troop.

"Ultimately," stated Bill Fogarty, Voyageur Trails District coordinator, "a boy becomes a better citizen with his experiences in Boy Scouts."

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

To Kill A Cricket

It's 2 a.m. I'm awake. There's an intruder in my house, making noise. Lots of noise. I toss and turn and jam the pillow over my ears. I can't go back to sleep. It's annoying me. I guess I'll have to get up and kill that cricket.

From experience, killing a cricket is not an easy task. One must approach this much like any other hunting expedition – very seriously.

Get out of bed slowly and quietly, so as not wake the family or forewarn the prey. Dress quickly in the hunting clothes selected the night before: camoflage vest, boots with a strong sole, and a blaze orange cap.

Arm self with necessary equipment, such as flashlight, butter knife, one shoe, fly swatter, bug spray/cricket killer.

Sneak down the hallway, listening sharply as the intruder rubs his forewings together. The sound leads to the kitchen.

Flip the switch, but only for an instant, to ascertain the bug's location. Ah, there he is! Quick, stomp on him. Missed. Stomp. Missed. Stomp.

Darn, he's too fast; scurried under the electric heating element. Must have seen me coming. Shine flashlight strategically while trying to roust him into the open with the butter knife. Jab knife tip into the small spaces where only a cricket can squeeze.

The cricket ventures out. Hurry, squash him with the fly swatter. Be prepared; the little bugger is swift. Swat. Missed. Swat. Missed. Oh no, he slipped into the hall closet.

Sit on haunches in the dark in front of the closet waiting for the telltale chirp. Heart pounding. Seems like hours. Have to get up and go to work tomorrow. Would have taken time off if I'd known it would take this long.

Hear him. Again shine flashlight for position identification. Not able to locate.

Empty closet and wait for intruder to show his ugly eyes. There he is again, teasing. He's trying to escape. This time ready with the shoe in hand. Whack, whack, whack. Cover bottom of closet with striking blows. Crickets can be tough customers.

Silence. Must have gotten him, finally. For extra prevention, spray closet thoroughly with cricket killer spray. The strong stuff. Too much. Might have gassed myself. Still silence.

Tip-toe away from the site. Lay on couch for 10 minutes. Make sure the pest didn't survive. Not a sound. Ah, the thrill of the hunt and the conquest. Mission accomplished. High five.

Back to bed for sound sleep. Just about dosing off. Chirp! Chirp! Chirp! It sounds like it's coming from the hall closet. I groan. He must have invited his family to the party.

I'm relieved that closet contents were not returned. Easier to attack bug another time.

Insert earplugs. Get rest. Prepare for the hunt again tomorrow night. Dream about killing crickets.

Tri-Valley bus schedule set for September 11-15

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of September 11 through September 15. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, September 11

Departs McIntosh at 8:50 a.m. with stops in Erskine 9, Mentor 9:15, Red Lake Falls 9:45, Gentilly 10:15, Crookston 10:30 and Fisher 10:40. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Twin Valley at 8 a.m. with stops in Ada at 8:30, Shelly 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hendrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9:00 and Goodridge 9:20. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, September 12

Departs Crookston at 8 a.m. with stops in Mentor 8:45, Erskine 9, Mclntosh 9:10, Fosston 9:25, Lengby 9:40. Arrives in Bemidji at 11 a.m.

Departs Gary at 9:10 a.m. with stops in Fertile 8:30, Beltrami 9, Ada 9:30 and Borup 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Departs Stephen at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Argyle 8:45, Warren 9, Alvarado 9:20, Oslo 9:30. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, September 13

Departs Crookston at 8:15 with stops in Beltrami 8:30, Fertile 8:45, Winger 9:10, Erskine 9:35, Brooks 10, Oklee 10:15 and Plummer 10:30. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Gary 8:50, Twin Valley 9:05 and Flom 9:30. Arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Departs Strandquist at 9 a.m. and stops in Viking 9:45. Arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

Thursday, September 14

City-wide transportation in Crookston.

Transportation city-wide in Twin Valley from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9 a.m.

Friday, September 15

Departs Mentor at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Erskine 8:45, Brooks 9:05, Oklee 9:25, Plummer 9:45, Red Lake Falls 10:15, Crookston 10:30 and East Grand Forks 11:30. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Departs Stephen at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Argyle 8:45, Warren 9 and Viking 9:30. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

Sunday School Round-up at Evangelical church

Evangelical Covenant Church will hold its Sunday School Round-up on Sunday, September 10 at 9:15 a.m. There will be something for people of all ages.

Kids in nursery school through grade five will have breakfast, registration, games and music. Each child will receive a cowboy hat. Junior and senior high students will have breakfast and an outing. All adults will meet for brunch and discussion.

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to bring the whole family. Worship will follow at 10:30 a.m.

Jalowiecs have new baby boy

Alec Jon Jalowiec was born September 2 in Hutchinson to Bill and Nicole Jalowiec. He weighed 7 lbs. 2 oz. His grandparents are Cecil and Maryel of Anderson of Thief River Falls.

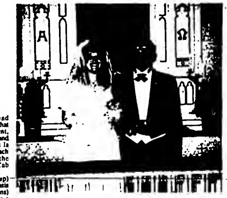
Falls Squares to host dance Friday

The Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, September 8 at the City Auditorium, Main Avenue and Second Street, Thief River Falls. The dance will start at 8 p.m. with Jerome Potucek calling the tips.

Lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.

Klasen to marry LaCoursiere on September 16th

Annette Klasen and Donald LaCoursiere announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding. The wedding is planned for 4 p.m. on Saturday, September 16 at St. Francis Church; Oklee with a reception to follow. All friends and family are invited to attend.



Heinle and Nelson exchange vows on June 2

Kim Heinle and Gregg Nelson were united in marriage on June 2 at Asphult Swedish Lutheran Church, Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village with Rev. Nancy Werner officiating.

Kim is the daughter of Elmer and Linda Heinle. Gregg is the son of Gary and Karen Nelson of Newfolden.

The couple lives in rural Thief River Falls. Kim is employed at Digi Key Corporation, and Gregg is employed at Brodin's Sheet Metal.

Local Lutheran Brotherhood rep earns underwriters award

Kay Wedul, FIC, of Thief River Falls, recently earned the National Sales Achievement Award from the National Association of Life Underwriters. Wedul is a district representative of Lutheran Brotherhood's Don Johnson Agency in Fargo, ND.

The National Sales Achievement Award honors those in the insurance business who achieve production standards of 100 paid policies in a 13 month period. "Paid policies" refers to policies that have gone into effect.

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Scott and his wife Melanie lived in Grand Forks since 1989. They have two children—four-year-old Megan and two-year-old Alec—all are excited to be in Thief River Falls. The next time you are in the store, say hello to Scott. He is looking forward to meeting you.

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Barbara Thompson, 55

Thief River Falls — Barbara Thompson, 55, died Wednesday, August 30 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held Saturday, September 2 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Gary Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by Diane Johnson. Selections were "Amazing Grace" and "Borning Cry." Congregational hymns were "The Old Rugged Cross," "Here I Am Lord" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were John Olson, Scott Klopp, Curt Howe, Ken Johnson, Bruce Hanson and Dennis W. Mills. Honorary casketbearers were her grandchildren and her special care givers. Interment was at the Holt Cemetery, Holt.

Barbara Vander Weg was born November 20, 1939 in Crookston to Jacob and Anne (Pederson) Vander Weg. She was baptized in 1940 at Crookston and confirmed in 1954 at St. John's in Red Lake Falls. Barb graduated from high school in 1957 at Red Lake Falls. She attended Aakers Business College in Grand Forks, ND and worked for Attorney Joe Harren in Red Lake Falls.

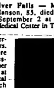
On August 15, 1959, she was united in marriage to Clayton (Bud) Thompson at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

She was an active member of Zion Lutheran Church and Girl Scouts of America for several years. Barb enjoyed her friends, camping at the deer camp and spending time with her family and grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband Clayton; her mother Ann Vander Weg of Red Lake Falls; three daughters, Deb Mathson of Thief River Falls, Vicki Rolling of Stillwater and Melanie Mills of Thief River Falls; five grandchildren; one brother Gary of Red Lake Falls and several aunts uncles, cousins, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father; maternal grandparents; her paternal grandparents and her mother-in-law, Gunda Thompson.

Gertrude Hanson, 85



Thief River Falls — Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, 85, died on Saturday, September 2 at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hanson were held on Tuesday, September 5 at 10 a.m. at the Evangelical Free Church with Reverend Curtis Anderson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Carolyn Trontvet and vocalist Ruth Christensen.

Casketbearers were Jami Peterson, Kari Hanson, Tana Hanson, Kristi Mikkelson, Jeff Hendrickson, Nancy Friedrichsen, Jim Weekwerth, Jr., David Weckwerth, Todd Solsten, Corey Solsten and Jennifer Solsten. Interment was in the Lonstad Cemetery, rural Thief River Falls.

Gertrude Josephine Lockrem was born on July 13, 1910 in Sanders township, Pennington county, the daughter of the late Rev. Andrew and Christine (Aaseby) Lockrem. She was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith and attended school in Thief River Falls.

In 1930 she graduated from Lincoln High School and then attended Teacher's Normal Training. Gertrude traught school in the Black River township schools and later in the Sunnyside School in Marshall county.

On July 26, 1937, she was united in marriage to Arvin Hanson at Norden Lutheran Church, rural Thief River Falls. The couple lived in rural Bagley following their marriage and returned to the Thief River Falls community in 1947. Gertrude worked as a nurses aid for ten years at the hospital in Thief River Falls.

In 1966 they moved to Minneapolis and there she worked at the Minneapolis Public Library. They returned to Thief River Falls when her husband retired in 1975 and have since lived here.

She was a member of the Evangelical Free Church and the Retired Teacher's Association.

Among her many interests were creative writing and rosemaling. Gertrude and Arvin made many beautiful wood craft items which were appreciated and loved by many people. She had a special interest and love for all her family.

Mrs. Hanson is survived by her husband Arvin; son, David of Thief River Falls; daughters, Arlys Hendrickson of Alexandria, Ruth Weckwerth of Thief River Falls and Judy Busch of Puyallup, WA; 11 grandchilren; several great-grandchildren; one sister, Lydia Hanson of Eden Prairie and brothers Quentin of St. Paul and Reuben of Schoeder.

She was preceded in death by one infant granddaughter, Lori Hendrickson; one sister Judith Lockrem and one brother Caleb.

Roy Storhaug, 61

Thief River Falls — Roy Storhaug, 61, died on Saturday, September 2 at his cabin in rural Grygla.

Private family services will be held at 11 a.m. at the Green Funeral Chapel in Thief River Falls with Father Joe DeCrans officiating.

Casketbearers were Brian Peterson, Gary Jordet, Jeff Storhaug, Paul Storhaug and Steve Storhaug. Interment will be at the Lone Oak Cemetery in Fourtown. Visitation was Tuesday from 4 to 9 p.m. at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls.

Roy Wallace Strohaug was born on July 18, 1934 in Thief River Falls to Haakon and Olga (Windsnes) Storhaug. He attended school in Thief River Falls and grew to adulthood in that community.

In 1952, Roy entered the Air Force and served for four years before returning at Thief River Falls. He was united in marriage to Fancha Conners on January 2, 1960 at St. Bernard's Church in Thief River Falls. The couple lived in the area where Roy worked at the Soo Line, Grain Bolt Distributing, Forsbergs and school district #564.

He was a member of the American Legion Club, Eagles and the Elks. Roy loved the outdoors, hunting, being at his cabin and spending time with his special friend Jayme.

He is survived by his wife, Fancha; three sons, Paul, Steve and Jeff, all of Thief River Falls; one brother Harold of Thief River Falls; one sister Marie Warnecke of Delaware; two sisters-in-law, Eunice Storhaug of St. Paul and Nellie Storhaug of Thief River Falls; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Vernon and Robert.

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Larry Belmont

Ann Homme, 78

Thief River Falls — Ann Homme, 78, died on Monday, September 4 at Northwest Medical Center, CNC Unit in Thief River Falls.

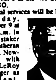
Arrangements are pending with the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls.

Eugene Carpenter, 72

Plummer — Eugene Carpenter, 72, of Plummer died on arrival at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Monday, September 4.

Arrangements are pending with the Peterson Funeral Home in Red Lake Falls.

Paul Flaten, 75



Newfolden — Paul Flaten, 75, died on Monday, September 5 at the VA Center in Fargo, ND.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 9 at 10:30 a.m. in the Westaker Free Lutheran Church, Newfolden with Rev. LeRoy Flickinger as officiant. Special music will be provided by organist Oonoa Mae Hogberg. Vocalists are: Pastor Douglas Norquist singing "Oh To Be Like Thee," Isaac and Betsy Thompson singing "My God and I" and Eunice Waterworth singing "I Went to See My Savior First of All." The Congregational hymn is "To God Be the Glory."

Casketbearers will be his nephews, Everett Aasand, Leslie Aasand, Mark Flaten, LaVerne Flaten, Mike Flaten and Michael Larson. The family considers all friends and neighbors as honorary casketbearers. Interment will be at the English Lutheran Cemetery, Strandquist, with military honors accorded by Strandquist American Legion Post.

Visitation will be at the Green Funeral home from 1 to 9 p.m. on Friday with a prayer service at 8:30 p.m. and at the church one hour prior to services.

Paul Rudolph Flaten was born on August 19, 1920 in Fork township, Marshall county, the son of Christopher and Dorothea (Barbo) Flaten. He was baptized in the Christian Faith and later confirmed. Paul attended a rural Marshall county school and grew to adulthood in Fork township.

He entered the U.S. Army in 1942 and served for three years. Following his discharge, he returned to the Stephen area.

On October 29, 1948, he was united in marriage to Ellen Westling Olson at Drayton, ND. The couple lived and farmed in Eagle Point township, Marshall county until 1954, when they purchased a farm in West Valley township, rural Newfolden. He retired from farming in 1987. He served as a lay pastor in the northwest Minnesota area in several churchs since 1976.

Paul is a former member of the Bethesda Lutheran Church of Strandquist, Hegland Free Lutheran Church of rural Karlstad and presently a member of the Westaker Free Lutheran Church of Newfolden where he had been serving as a deacon. He assisted for many years with the church's radio program, Trumpet of Truth, as an announcer and has served on the AFLC Home Mission Board. He is also a member of the Strandquist American Legion Post where he served as Chaplin. Paul also served on the West Valley township board and the Strandquist school board for many years.

He is survived by his wife Ellen; son Emory of Newfolden; daughters, Orpha Schaffhauser of Newfolden, Alva Oyrud of Moorhead and Mary Ellen Schaffhauser of Wagerswil, Switzerland; 13 grandchildren; three brothers, Andrew of Warren, Carroll of International Falls and Dwight of Oslo; four sisters, Helen Aasland of Warren, Ruth Larson of Stephen, Arlette Schoeder of Pelican Rapids and Ada Lou Werre of Grand Forks, ND; sisters-in-law Lorraine Flaten of Fergus Falls and Alice Flaten of Warren and a special friend Caara Holmstrom.

He was preceded in death by his parents; step-mother; brothers, Vernon and Clifford; sister Marie Aasand and nephew Russelbl Flaten.

Lenora Petterson, 86

Karlstad — Lenore Victoria Petterson, 86, died on Tuesday evening, August 29 at the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center.

Services were held on Saturday, September 2 at 10 a.m. at Community Covenant Church, Lake Bronson, with Pastor Carl Ramgren officiating. Special music was provided by pianist Shannon Christensen and vocalist Corienne Jacobson. Selections were "Standing Somewhere in the Shadows" and "In Times Like These." Congregational hymns were "Children of the Heavenly Father" and "What Friend We Have in Jesus."

Casketbearers were Jim Englund, Johnny Englund, Lars Englund, Leif Englund, Luke Englund, Nimrod Englund, Rodney Englund, Jr., Jeff Englund, Jeremy Englund and Jamie Englund. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Lake Bronson.

Lenore Petterson was born December 2, 1908 at Badger, the daughter of Oliver and Lydie (Rippenbark) Hams. She attended school and grew to womanhood in the area. She graduated from Badger High School.

Nora was baptized and confirmed at the Swedish Lutheran Church in Karlstad.

On December 31, 1927, she was united in marriage to Nimrod Englund.

On January 5, 1957, she married Ivar Petterson at Middle River. They lived at Halma and Lake Bronson. Ivar passed away March 11, 1986, and Nora continued to make her home at Lake Bronson.

She had resided at Karlstad Memorial Nursing Home since February of 1995.

She is survived by six sons, Jim, Chuck and Louie Englund, all of Karlstad, Richard Englund, Lake Bronson, Larry Englund of Anchorage, AK and Gene of Thief River Falls; 19 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one sister, Edith Penas of Roseau; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; one daughter, Charlotte; three sons, Rodney, Gary and Jackie; five sisters, Pearl, Dorothy, Edna, Ellen and Myrtle and three brothers, Edward, Harlan and Lawrence.

Willard Olson, 91

Argyle — Willard Olson, 91, died at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Friday, September 1.

Services will be held on Wednesday, September 6 at 10 a.m. at the Alma Lutheran Church of rural Argyle with visitation one hour prior to services. Interment will be at the Alma Lutheran Church Cemetery.

Willard Olson was born on April 1, 1904 at Argyle, the son of Eric and Justine Olson. He was a life long resident of the Argyle area. Willard farmed for a living and enjoyed being with family and friends.

He is survived by his nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Hilma, Jenny and Edith and three brothers, Carl, Gust and Oliver.

Michael Trentezsch, 46

Central Point, OR — Micheal William Trentzsch, 46, of Central Point, OR, died in his home on Thursday, August 31 after a brief battle with cancer.

A memorial service was held on Monday, September 4 at 4 p.m. at Medford Friends Church, Medford, OR, with family friend Marty Balzarini officiating.

Mike was born on April 8, 1949 at Seattle, WA, the son of John and Norma Trentzsch.

On October 18, 1969 he was united in marriage to Jay Noper at Thief River Falls. They moved to the Rogue Valley from North Dakota about six years ago.

He worked in the Mental Health and Development Disbilities field in Grand Forks, ND and Medford, OR for about 20 years because of his love, caring and concern for other people. Most recently, he was a Vocational Services Director with "Living Opportunites" in Medford, OR.

He enjoyed fishing, gun collecting, hunting, camping, reading writing stories and computers, but his greatest joy came from interacting with people.

He graduated from the University if North Dakota with a Master of Science degree in counseling and guidance.

He will be remembered by everyone for his wonderful sense of humor and putting others before himself.

He is survived by his wife Jay Trentzsch, Central Point, OR; one son, Jesse Wade Trentzsch of Central Point, OR; his parents, John and Norma Trentzsch of Salida, CO; three brothers, Paul of Canon City, CO, John of Denver, CO and Terry of Canon City, CO; two nieces, three nephews and countless friends.

Ernest Zavoral, 80

Butler — Ernest T. Zavoral, 80, formerly of Orygla, died at his home on Sunday, August 6.

Mass of Christian burial was celebrated on Wednesday, August 9 at St. Paul Roman Catholic Church. Interment was in Greenlawn Burial Estates, Mount Chestnut.

Ernest Zavoral was born March 6, 1915 at Thourholt, the son of William P. and Mary Kathern Hederly Zavoral.

He married Betty P. Zavoral on April 29, 1944.

He was a member of St. Paul Roman Catholic Church. He also belonged to the Slovak Sokal Society and was a life member of Tanglewood Center.

Mr. Zavoral retired from Local 66 of the Operating Engineers Union.

He is survived by his wife Betty, three daughters, Barbara Coucia of Lilburn, GA, Jane Slater of Butler, PA and Susan Chapla of Wynnewood, PA; two sons, Thomas W. Zavoral, Sr. of Atlanta, GA and Ernest J. Zavoral, Sr. of Canfield, OH; five sisters, Dolly Kramer of Goldbeach, OR, Millie Hendris of Palmas, WA, Irene Rising of Omaha, NE, Marion Vencill of Durand, IL and Lillian Mowris of Janesville, WI; two brothers, Bud of Lansing, IL and Ron of Arvada, CO; 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one brother and one granddaughter.

Richard Thorton, 72

Las Vegas, NV — Richard "Butch" Thornton, 72, died August 24.

Butch was born on May 10, 1923 at Ulen, the son of Alvin Thornton and Pauline (Starman) Thornton.

He worked with Dan Dugans Transport Company in Moorhead from December 1948 to 1987.

On February 20, 1948, he married Clarice Doyea of Brooks.

He is survived by his wife Clarice; three sons, Richard Jr. of Hampton, VA, Robert of Waseca and Gary of Papillion, NE and eight grandchildren. He is also survived by five sisters, Blanche Brown of Thief River Falls, Marion Helmer of St. Louis Park, Eldora Hovde of Barnsville, Shirley Helle of Las Vegas, NV and Maxine Perry of Kansas and two brothers, Clinton of Barnesville and Alvin Jr. of Orand Forks, ND.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two sisters, Marjorie Zaboral, Melva Helle and one brother Maurice.

Medical Association to hold elections at annual meeting

Northwest Medical Center Association will hold its annual meeting on Monday, September 11, at 7 p.m. in the Summit Room of the Best Western in Thief River Falls. During the meeting, five directors will be elected to serve on the board of directors.

In addition to the election, various reports from officers and committees will be presented along with a presentation reviewing the past year at Northwest Medical Center, Health Care Industry Trends and Dr. Dicken will make an educational presentation on Refractive Bye Surgery.

Free blood pressure screenings, will be provided to those attending the regular meeting of the association.

Registration for the meeting will be conducted in the corridor adjacent to the Summit room with registration beginning at about 6:30 p.m. The board chairperson will declare the polls closed on or about 7:15 p.m. on September 11.

Keith Steva, Ashok Patel, M.D., and Robert Flynn have been nominated for three year terms expiring in September of 1988. The association membership nominated Robert Dondelinger and Roger Reuter for three year terms.

In addition, Kenneth Froschheiser has been nominated for a two year term which will expire in September of 1997. He will fill the unexpired term of James Rogalla who resigned In December 1994.

Jaynae Stanina is being congratulated by president Dan Shafland of the Thief River Falls Kiwanis club for being awarded a $500 Kiwanis Foundation scholarship. Jaynae was recognized at the club's annual picnic recently.

Redeemer and Black River Churches have two new pastors, Galen and Marcia Sylvester. Beginning September 10, services at Redeemer will be Sunday morning at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. and Saturday at 5 p.m. Services are at 9:30 a.m. at Black River. The Sylvesters have a son named John.

Current Minnesota job listings now accessible on Internet

"This high-tech method of providing job listings will better meet the needs of employers and job-seekers," said Governor Arne H. Carlson. "Along with SkillsNet, Economic Security's state-of-the-art resume-matching system, Minnesotans now have the latest in job-search tools at their fingertips."

State job listings are available on the Internet through Minnesota Job Bank on Economic Security's home page. The address of the home page is: http://mn.jobsearch.org/

"We're proud to offer this expanded level of service," said Economic Security Commissioner R. Jane Brown. "We're always on the lookout for innovative ways to better serve our customers. For both employers and job seekers, this is definitely an added convenience."

There are listings for professional, technical, managerial and clerical occupations. Also included are sales, domestic, farm and processing listings, as well as machine trades, bench work, motor freight and transportation jobs, and others. Last year, Job Service filled more than 52,000 of these job openings. National job listings are also available on the Internet through America's Job Bank.

For the first time, Internet users will have access to information on SkillsNet through economic Security's home page. SkillsNet uses cutting-edge computer technology to instantly match employers' job openings with job seekers' skills, experience and training. Using technology previously available only to the largest corporations, SkillsNet is free to all Minnesotans and is available now. Internet users also can find labor market information and details on the most recent Minnesota unemployment rate.

Economic Security's home page can be accessed through the state's new "North Star" online computer program, which was unveiled last week. The North Star system allows computer users to do everything, from picking a Minnesota summer vacation spot to researching winter road conditions. Internet users can access the North Star system through Economic Security's home page.

Economic Security has program offices in more than 70 communities throughout the state, helping 1.2 million Minnesotans (including more than 100,000 employers) annually help themselves gain economic security.

Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Shirley Lefrooth and Bud Thompson visited with Arnold and Vernice Larson one evening last week.

Monday evening August 28th, Lisa W..., Jayme, Amber and Mackenzie were supper guests and evening visitors of Grandpa and Grandma Thompson. Elaine also baked Jayme a birthday cake we had with ice cream and coffee after supper. Jeremy didn't come ... as he spent the evening with a friend of his. Jayme opened his card with a gift of money and grandma took his picture. Birthday Blessings Jayme.

Saturday morning Arnold and Vernice Larson left for a visit with Jim and Marsha Larson, Bryce and Rachel at their lake home near Elizabeth, enjoyed a very good weekend visiting, fishing and boatrides. From there we went to Battle Lake to visit with Vernice's three cousins whom I hadn't seen for quite a few years and Sunday evening we went to Harwood, ND and spent the night visiting with Stan and Myrtle Robeson. Monday we left there and went up and visited with Paul Flaten at the Vets Hospital in Fargo then we returned home having spent a great weekend.

Sybil Peterson visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson one day last week.

Gladys Stromberg visited with Olga Thompson on Tuesday afternoon and enjoyed coffee and lunch with her.

Tuesday evening Lille Olson visited at the Lyle and Becky Olson home also visited with Tracey Olson who will be leaving for college soon.

Clarice Olson visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson one day last week.

Trail News

John and Darlene Elsbrener of rural Trail brought suppar for her mother Rose Aaknes on her birthday on Sunday. Thanks John and Darlene for all the vagetables. On Monday evening, Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and her grandchildran Megen and Brennen Bakke of Gonvick came to wish her mother and great-grandmother Rose Aaknes a Happy Birthday.

Al and Vi Radniecki and Adaline Provost of Oklee were Tuesday evening visitors with Rose Aaknes.

Sympathy goes out to Scott Bergland and daughter Megan of Thief River Falls. His wife passed away at her home in Thief River Falls. Mrs. Bergland was 29 years old. She leave a daughter Megen. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 29, at the Trinity Lutheran church.

Supper guest at David Klema's Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Klema, John and Benjamin from Bagley. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Klasen, Angie, Jessica, Tine from Oklee, Lise and Ethan Klasen's and friend John Erlendsen from Oklee. Alida Samsen from Gully, Mr. and Mrs. George Klema from Clearbrook.

Winner of the Log Cabin quilt that the Mt. Olive Ladies Aid gave away at the Gonvick Rodeo on Sunday was Delores Johnsrud of Goodridge. Congratulations!

Mt. Olive Ladies Aid had their bake and fancy sale at the Gonvick Rodeo on Saturday at the Bakke service. The ladies that baked and cooked for our sale were Linda Lahman, Ruby Christianson, Kathy Bakke, Rose Aaknes, Sylvia Flatalend, Hilde Swensen, Barbara Flateland, Virginia Flateland. Also many thanks to Janet Bakke for the tickets she sold at the Rodeo. Many thanks to the ladies for the good job they did. Thanks.

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Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
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Mike and Ginger Foster of Alexandria were Saturday visitors of grandparents Art and Avis Froiland.

Marie Foster and daughter Beth of St. Paul spent the weekend at the home of her parents Art and Avis Froiland.

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Baptism

Nicholas Lee, son of Jeff Vigstol and Lori Freeman of Thief River Falls was baptized on Saturday evening at Zion Lutheran church with Pastor Gary Johnson officiating. Sponsors were Shelly Stenberg, Penny Bjerke, Dena and Rick Carty of Wisconsin, Rod and Kelly Vigstol of Eagan. Grandparents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stenberg of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Elden Vigstol of Plummer, great-grandparents, Minnie Bjerke, Effie and Burnet Byer. Others in attendance were Karl Vigstol, Ray Vigstol, Sandie and Lonnie Wood, the Rod Vigstol family as well as the sponsors and a few friends. Lorie and Jeff entertained at Lorie's home with a luncheon. Other relatives attending included Duane and Arlene Bjerke, Jerry and Barbara Bjerke and children and Matt Samuelson of Grand Forks.

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Wedding

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended the wedding of cousin, Joel Race to Dana Moore on Saturday at the home of his brother Bruce and Nadine Race at Becker. They were overnight guests of cousin, Barbara and Kenneth DuHamel of Foley. Enroute home they visited Aunt Marie Fjeld at Ah-Gwah-Ching Nursing home near Walker.

Bonnie and Bob Vidlana and Zachary were dinner guests at the Joe Fisher home on Sunday. Zachery had spent the weekend there with his grandparents, Joe and Helen. Dave and Sherry Fisher and Cerese and Gene Fisher were supper guests.

George and Hazel Olie visited Walter and Katie Lusenburg at Union Lake on Sunday.

Amelia Eskeli was a Sunday dinner guest of Edna Hyde.

Sunday visitors of Bunny DuChamp were Dale and Janice Samuelson, Kevin and Cathy Samuelson of Sarles, ND, Jim and Deb, Chris and Marci DuChamp.

Enjoying a picnic on Sunday at the home of Rick and Arlene Froiland were Art and Avis Froiland, Marie and Beth Foster, Kerry and Griffin Newland, Jerilee Froiland and Ben Carpenter of Grand Forks, Shannon Froiland and Mike Nelson and Ginger Froiland.

Elaine Arntson of Wahpeton and Bernice Genereux of Breckenridge came on Monday for a short visit. Elaine was a houseguest at her sister, Wanda Wilson of Oklee and Bernice was at her sister, Eunice and Carl Koskela. They also visited with Gerda and Arlan Koskela and Avis Froiland returning to their homes on Tuesday.

Evelyn Ulrich, who has been visiting at the Arnie Arlt home, is now spending several weeks with her daughter, Cheryl Martini of Bemidji where she is undergoing therapy in Bemidji.

John Helley, attended a two day meeting at Bemidji State University where he, was elected President of the BSU Alumni Association and also will serve on the Foundation Board.

Wavell Sorenson, Brett and Mallory Gerardy visited on Monday at the Art Froiland home.

Ruth Wilkens, Berthe Hughes, Bunny DuChamp, Edna Hyde, Veronica Boucher and Dorothy Myhre celebrated Dorothy's birthday on Monday at Lakeview near Mentor. They returned to Brooks to Veronica's home for dessert and the afternoon.

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Birthday for Bud

Bert Johnson (Bud) on International Falls was honored on his 80th birthday on Sunday at the home of his nephew, Milt and Janice Peterson. The party was hosted by nieces and nephews Lorna Huotari, Janet Torkelson, who was unable to attend, of Milwaukee, WI, Milt and Jan, and Allen Peterson of the Cities. Bert has many good friends here who gathered to help him celebrate.

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Sam Granum of Minneapolis arrived on Tuesday to spend a few days with his grandmother Bunny DuChamp.

Gerda Koskela and her sister Helga Nisson of Hillerdal visited their mother Katherine Kvasager at Mac Manor of McIntosh on Wednesday.

Wavell Sorenson was a Tuesday caller at the homes of Connie Hagen, Carolyn Myhre, Lucille Kvasager and Lorna Huotari.

Olga Konickson and Tracy Konickson were Wednesday afternoon visitors at the Byer home.

Monday evening guests of Harold and Marian Vatthauer were Kern and Alice Tillman, Effie and Bunnie Byer.

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SEPT. 11	SEPT. 12 AERIE MEETING 8:30 P.M.	SEPT. 13	SEPT. 14 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 15 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 16 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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SEPT. 11 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 POST & AUX. MTG. 8:00	SEPT. 12 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	SEPT. 13 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	SEPT. 14 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	SEPT. 15 DANCE 9-1 "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"	SEPT. 16 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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17 Senior Citizens Special $5.00 Off Bingo	18 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	19 Sea Food Buffet	20 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	21 Steak Night $5.00	22 Try The Noon Buffet	23 2 For 1 On All Levels At Bingo
24 Hat & T-Shirt Day At Bingo	25 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	26 Italian Food Buffet	27 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	28 Steak Night $5.00	29 Prime Rib & Walleye Special	30 September Birthdays $5.00 off Bingo

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Record lottery sales reported in Minnesota

Minnesota gained $41.7 million from a milestone year in lottery sales. The lottery ended fiscal year 1995 (July 1, 1994 to June 30, 1995) with record sales totaling $335.9 million, a one per cent increase over fiscal year 1994 sales of $331.5 million. The year-end marked the fifth anniversary of lottery sales in Minnesota, during which $414.5 million has been transferred collectively to the state general fund and the Environment and Natural Resources Trust Fund.

"We were very pleasantly surprised that we ended the fiscal year $8 million over sales projections," said Lottery Director George Andersen. "We've surpassed our own expectations for five years and we certainly hope to continue the trend."

The biggest chunk of sales went back to players as prizes. Lottery players won $197 million in prizes last fiscal year, claiming 59 per cent of total sales.

The Environment and Natural Resources Trust Fund received $23.9 million from lottery sales in fiscal year 1995. The general fund, the state's largest operating fund, received $57.7 million (including in-lieu-of-sales tax) from fiscal year sales. Lottery statute mandates that 60 per cent of net revenue from lottery sales benefits the general fund, which supports state programs like K-12 education, health care, aid to local governments and public safety. According to statute, 40 per cent of revenues must benefit the trust fund, which supports environmental projects throughout the state, chosen by the legislature.

The lottery reduced its operating costs by $723,000 from fiscal year 1994 to fiscal year 1995 to $39.1 million, or 11.6 per cent of total revenues.

Powerball and instant games were the most popular lottery products last fiscal year. Instant games took a 62 per cent share of sales, totaling $207 million. For the second year, Powerball sales showed the biggest gain among lottery games, totaling $93 million in fiscal year 1995, a 4 per cent increase over fiscal year 1994 sales of $89 million. Powerball sales represented 28 per cent of total sales.

Lottery retailers statewide earned $16.8 million, 5.4 per cent of sales, in commissions and incentives.

Gopher 5 and Daily 3 sales were down slightly from last year. Gopher 5 sales fell 5 per cent to $21 million and Daily 3 sales dropped 10 per cent to $13 million. Total sales for DATOI reached $1.6 million. The game was retired June 29 due to player preferences.

Since sales began in 1990, the lottery has transferred more than $123 million to the Environment and Natural Resources Trust Fund, which finances projects that preserve, restore and enhance our state's natural resources. More than $255 million has gone to the general fund to support all state services.

Lottery Sales by County

Kittson county recorded 5 per cent increase in sales over last year. Sales of $521,625 were recorded in 1995, in comparison to sales of $497,974 in 1994. Kittson county has eight retailers.

Marshall county recorded a decrease in sales of 6 per cent. Sales of $571,515 were recorded in 1995, but $608,021 in 1994. Marshall county has 14 retailers.

Pennington county recorded an increase in sales of 5 per cent. Sales of $899,021 topped $858,451 recorded in 1994. Pennington county has 11 retailers.

Red Lake county recorded an increase in sales of 15 per cent. Sales of $85,872 in 1994 jumped to $98,600 in 1995. Red Lake county has five retailers.

Sales in Roseau county showed an increase of 28 per cent. Sales of $984,756 in 1994 jumped to $1,264,767 in 1995. Roseau has 20 retailers.

Who plays the lottery?

According to a 1993 study designed by the lottery and conducted by the St. Cloud State University Survey Research Center: 63 per cent of Minnesotans have played the lottery. People with higher incomes (more than $50,000) spend almost four times as much on the lottery as those with low incomes (less than $10,000). Minnesotans 65 and older, those without high school diplomas and those earning less than $20,000 a year are the least likely to play.

Two on Two champions at the Team Penning Finals in Thief River Falls Sunday were Don Zidon of Edinburg, ND, and Lynn Meberg of Park River, ND. They won Montana Silver Buckles and a cash prize.

A good-sized crowd gathered to watch the action at the Northern Minnesota Team Penning Finals Sunday in Thief River Falls. Over 200 teams competed for top prizes and cash.

Amateur division winners of the Northern Minnesota Team Penning finals, held in Thief River Falls Sunday, were Lynn Meberg, Sam Kaller, and Phyllis Loftsgard all of Park River, ND.

Year-end winners of the Youth Team Penning competition concluded in Thief River Falls Sunday were: Jill Anderson of Newfolden, Kenner Gervais of Red Lake Falls, and Jamie Kait of Warren.

Winners of the Youth division Team Penning competition during the Northern Minnesota Team Penning finals in Thief River Falls Sunday were: Nathan Kenner of Thief River Falls, Kenner Gervais of Red Lake Falls, and Kyle Olson of Gary.

Open division winners of the day during the Northern Minnesota Team Penning finals held in Thief River Falls Sunday were: Milo Monroe of Warren, and Dean and Jill Anderson of Newfolden.

Little Oak

Darren Arvason, Elaine Goodman of Chicago, IL, Sharron Johnson visited at the Ida Haugen home on Thursday.

Linda Homme and Ida Haugen were brief coffee guests at the Ella Mostrom home in Gonvick on Friday.

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Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Larry and Diana Blahauvietz recently celebrated their 25th Silver Wedding Anniversary.

Fay Nilson of Prescott, AZ visited recently at the Clifford Klamar home.

Wednesday, Mrs. Kenny Grondahl of Florida, Mrs. Ray McMillin and Mrs. Marlin Sistad were coffee guests of Eunice Schulz at Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lian of Grygla, Bernice Posser of Great Falls, MT and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter have been recent visitors at the Marlin Sistad home.

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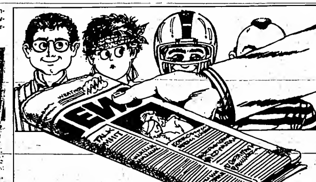

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School Lunch Menu

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Wednesday, Sept. 13: French toast, butter syrup, juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Asst. rolls, granola bar, juice, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 11: Barbeques on a bun, pickles, chips, corn, fresh fruit, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Chef's salad with turkey and ham, dinner rolls, meat sandwich K-3, banana, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Hamburgers with all the fixings, French fries, peaches, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Hamburger macaroni hotdish, corn, vegetable sticks, pudding, milk, PL & PB bread.
Friday, Sept. 15: Turkey on a bun, chips, vegetable with dip, fruit cup, milk.

Plummer

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 11: Lemon muffins, cocoa puffs, apple juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Cinnamon rolls, Captain crunch, orange juice, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Egg and cheese omelet, Life cereal, grape juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Crunch berries, Cheerios, orange juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Cinnamon roll, Berry Berry Kix, grape juice, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 11: Fish nuggets, tarter sauce, French fries, veggies and dip, applesauce, butter or peanut butter bread.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Tacos, hot sauce, lettuce, cheese, tomato, onions, butter bread, apple turnovers.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Oven baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn on the cob, dinner roll, peach sauce.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Sausage pizza, lettuce salad, bread stix, fresh fruit.
Friday, Sept. 15: Pork ribs barbeque, tater tots, veggies and dip, pear sauce.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 11: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, cheese slices, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: French toast, syrup, sausage, juice, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Fried eggs, bacon, toast, jelly, cheese slices, juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Breakfast pizza, fruit cocktail, juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Cereal choices, rolls, fruit, juice, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 11: Polish sausage on a bun, chips, fresh veggies, peach sauce, cookie, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Long spaghetti, meat sauce, garlic bread, tossed salad, peach slices, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Turkey slices, mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberries, fruit, bread, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Italian dunkers, cheesy bread, green beans, watermelon, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Tuna, egg salad and peanut butter sandwiches, lettuce, tomato, cheese slices, mixed fruit, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 11: Muffin, cereal, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: French toast sticks, syrup, fresh fruit, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Cinnamon roll, cereal, juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Toast, scrambled eggs, juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Long johns, cereal, juice, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 11: Pepperoni pizza, green beans, sauce, cookie, bread and milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Chicken nuggets, hashbrowns, fruit, milk and bread.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Hamburger on a bun, French fries, pickles, fruit cup, bread and milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Lasagna, lettuce salad, fruit, bread and milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Submarine sandwiches, tator tots, lettuce, sauce, bread and milk.

Discovery Place LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 11: Milk, apple juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Milk, apple juice, French toast, syrup.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Milk, scrambled eggs, toast, orange juice.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Milk, grape juice, rice krispies, muffin.
Friday, Sept. 15: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.
Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 11: Tuna hotdish with cheese and peas, raw veggies, bread and butter, pineapple, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Homemade vegetable beef soup, cheese sandwiches, jello with fruit, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, bread and butter, pears, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Hamburger pizza hotdish, lettuce with dressing, sliced peaches, milk.

School Lunch Menu

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Sept. 11: Beef burgundy, egg noodles, tiny whole carrots, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, fresh fruit in season, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, fruited strawberry gelatin with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Swedish meatballs with gravy, whipped potatoes, beets, calico coleslaw, orange sherbet, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Orange and grapefruit juice, sliced ham with pineapple glaze, whipped potatoes, seasoned spinach, chocolate chip cookie, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Baked fish, tator tots, peas and carrots, banana cream dessert, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Thief River Falls

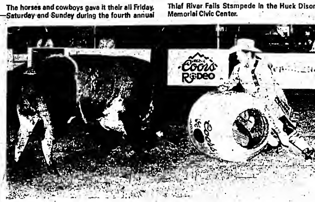
Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.
Monday evening, Sept. 11: Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, pumpkin bars, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Hot beef sandwich, whipped potatoes, beets, roll, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Hamburger hotdish, lettuce salad, baked beans, bread, applesauce, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Chicken, whipped potatoes, scallop carrots, roll, chocolate cake, milk.
Friday, Sept. 15: Fish sticks, boiled potatoes, corn, roll, apricots, milk.
Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:15 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Sept. 11: Cream vegetable soup, egg salad sandwiches, mandarin orange gelatin, pickle wedge garnish, frosted brownie, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 12: Country steak, boiled potatoes with gravy, stewed tomatoes, bran muffin, margarine, rice krispie bar, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 13: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread, margarine, pineapple tidbits, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 14: Beef cabbage bake, carrots, fruited cottage cheese, bread and margarine, ice cream, milk.
Friday evening, Sept. 15: Salmon loaf, scalloped potatoes, creamed corn, muffin, strawberry shortcake, milk.
Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Saddle bronc riding proved entertaining at the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday as the horses were big and strong. What they may have lacked in finesse they made up for in strength and a determination not to be ridden and a number of good riders didn't make it to the eight-second buzzer.

The horses and cowboys gave it their all Friday, Saturday and Sunday during the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede in the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.



Bull Fighter Shane Anderson of Ft. Pierre, SD, demonstrated his skill at the Thief River Falls Stampede, which was held Labor Day weekend in Thief River Falls.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Tuesday evening visitors at the Hanford Roisland home were Robert Myrum of Oklee, Eddy Larson, Ethel Johnson, Stanley Erickson and Oliver Holstad of Trail.

Tuesday brief callers at the Clayton Johnsrud home were Tony Rubischko and Joey and Mrs. Orlin Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa visited with Marie Lundeen a patient at the hospital in Fosston on Thursday evening.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams attended the funeral for Gilmor Mandarud at the Ekelund Lutheran church. Sympathy to the Mandarud family. May his memory be blessed.

Moses Kolstrand of River Valley was a visitor on Tuesday evening at the Vernon Iverson home.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors and lunch guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Elva Fiedler and grandson Brady Fiedler left on Saturday morning to visit in Sleepy Eye with Elva's mother Clara Hudson and brother Dennis. Then later on Saturday Elva Fiedler and Brady Fiedler, Clara Hudson and Dennis visited at the Joe and Joyce Nald home. They also visited with the Nald's house guests Dave and Trish Christianson of Texas. Then on Sunday morning Dennis Hudson and Elva Fiedler took Brady to Minneapolis where he met his mother and Brady left for home in Wisconsin. Later that day on Sunday the Hudson family had a family reunion at the Park in Sleepy Eye. They also celebrated Clara Hudson's birthday that same day. Then on her way home Elva Fiedler stopped in Morgan and visited with her sister-in-law, Arlene Staffl.

Late afternoon on Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Jessica, Monica and Michelle Johnson were callers on Tuesday evening at the Gary Johnson home.

Tuesday, Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill of Oklee were visitors and supper guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Leslie Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Hanford Roisland home.

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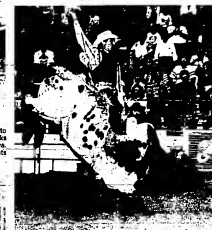
One of the jobs of the rodeo bullfighter is to turn the bull back to the rider's free hand. Shane Anderson of Ft. Pierre, SD, works that job to perfection in the bottom photo of the sequence above. Anderson is in his rookie year as a PRCA card holder but fights bulls like a veteran with courage and quickness.

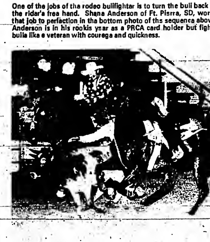
Once a rider gets on a bucking bull, he inherits the problem of getting off. Sometimes the cowboy solves the problem himself, but most often the bull does, such as in the above photo from the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede held this weekend.

Thad Bothwell of Ft. Pierre, SD, turned in rides of 79 and 85 points Friday night for a 164-point total that stood up throughout the rodeo as he won the overall aggregate in bull riding at the TRF Stampede. He also won both the first and second go-round Friday and took home a total of $1,504.08.



Bulls bucked high and strong but cowboys rode a number of them for the required eight seconds at the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Big horses tested the mettle of cowboys at the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday. There appeared to be a good bit of draft horse in this bronc.



Steer wrestling is a lot like jumping off the running board of a pickup traveling 30 miles an hour and grabbing a motorcycle, according to rodeo announcer Wayne Wise, who worked the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede. Winner of the steer wrestling at the Stampede this year was Todd Suhn of Laramie, WY, who tied an arena record in five seconds flat Friday night. He picked up a check for $601.40.

Saddle bronc riders were well off Cody Lambert's 1993 record of 80 points at the fourth annual TRF Stampede this year, but the competition was extremely tight. First and second place were split with 72-point rides and third and fourth were split with 71-point rides in the first go-round and second and third at 75 as well as fourth place at 74 points were split in the second go-round. Red Lemmel of Mud Butte, SD, who won the aggregate with 148 on two head had first place in the second go-round with a 76.

Plummer

Ellie Byer
465-4376

Birthday

Lee and Delano Halvorson and Lillie Halvorson were guests of Sandy Gustafson on Sunday to help celebrate the eighth birthday of their grandchild, Jessica Gustafson.

Effie and Burnel Byer visited on Sunday and were supper guests of Roy and Shirley Vigstol of rural Thief River Falls.

Don, Scher and David Fox were supper guests of daughter Deb and Scott Greelis, who have lately moved to their own home near Thief River Falls. They are located on the Camp Moe road south of the airport.

Family Picnic

Sunday picnic guests of Carl and Joyce Mogers included: Mrs. Rita LeMere and daughter Diane of Augusta, WI; Mariotte Johannek, Marcella Toulouse, Doleras Carlson, Roger Johannek and family, all of Red Lake Falls; the Louie Toulouse family of Emmons; Mr. and Mrs. Steve LaCoursiere, Ginny Sonels and Marcy of Coon Rapids; Sharon Follon of Maplewood; Bernard Follon and kids, Beverly Follon of Brainerd, Gary and Sue LaCoursiere, Lori and Luke; Tom and Bec Willett, Tricia and Todd, Dan and Shelley Willett, Joshua, Micah and K...a of Warroad, Joe Willett and Josie Klaso...Willett of Oakland Park; Arne Willett, Dustin and Nick of Dilworth; Shannon Willett and Dawn Bechand of Grand Forks, ND; Kim Mogers and Chad Schmitz; JoAnne Musich and family of Virginia.

Burnel and Ellie Byer spent Monday in Hallock with his sister, Bernice and Jack Rolf. They had suffered no damage in Hallock's tornado, but it was close by their house.

Meal Site Manager

Clara Hesse, who has so faithfully managed the Senior Meal Site for a number of years, turned over the reins of responsibility to Kathie Juneau on Tuesday. Kathie also cleans and takes care of the Plummer hall. All of us who enjoy the meals want to thank Clara for her faithful service and welcome Kathie to our group. The invitation goes out to anyone who likes to "eat out" to join us on Tuesday and Thursday noon for a nutritious meal at a low cost. Reservations are needed – call Kathie at 465-4246.

Commander Wendell D. Anderson returned to his home at Jackson, TN after visiting his parents, Sophie of Plummer and father Erling Anderson at Pioneer Nursing home at Erskine, his brother, Jen Anderson and family of Twin Valley and other relatives and friends.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Mrs. Kenny Grondahl of Florida, Mrs. Vernon Nauschwender of Grygla and Mrs. Marlin Sistad visited with Avis Banlow at Strathcona recently.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jenos visited at the Alon Soverts home.

Dinner guests on Saturday at the Gene Peterson home were Mrs. Tom Summer, Codon and Reed of Kindred, ND; Mrs. Darrin Folk, Leighton and Allie of Moorhead, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson and Marie of Middle River. Afternoon visitors were Mrs. Craig Swenson of Oslo. She came and got Sabrina. Also Tommy Bratang, Jordan and Ashley accompanied them home. The girls spent several days visiting their grandparents.

Monday, Bernice Posser of Great Falls, MT, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Poulson of Siren, WI, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Carlson of Thief River Falls were dinner guests at the Juel Aune home.

Visitors and supper guests at the Pastor Arlen Lloyd home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter and Michelle Lunsetter. Evening visitors were Pastor and Mrs. Robert Amundson of Winger.

Carole Aune, Jaylene Aune and Ed and Nadine Wold and Ryan Sorvig of Minneapolis spent the weekend at the Juel Aune home and attended the 50th Golden Wedding Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune.

Saturday evening visitors at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ness of Thief River Falls.

Logan and Duncan Bernstein spent a few days at the Bill and Tom Bernstein home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Grondahl left for their home in Florida on Tuesday afternoon visiting relatives and friends in the area.

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Confident riding style—at least at this point of the ride—was exhibited by this participant in mutton bustin' this weekend at the fourth annual TRF Stampede.

There weren't any "No Ewe Turn" signs at the Thief River Falls Stampede and these young cowboys hit the arena floor when their mounts suddenly switched direction. Mutton bustin' is a popular part of the annual PRCA rodeo which was held Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

Secret to successful sheep riding is to shut your eyes tight and hang on tight. This youngster seems to have the system down pat in mutton bustin' at the TRF Stampede this weekend.

Tom Scheef (left) and rodeo arena manager Greg Bishop send another young rider on his way in mutton bustin' this weekend at the fourth annual TRF Stampede.

It was a brief love affair for this young rider as she hugged her sheep at the start of her ride. Mutton bustin' provided additional entertainment and a chance for local participation at the fourth annual TRF Stampede this weekend in Thief River Falls.

Determination was evident on the face of this sheep rider during mutton bustin' at the fourth annual TRF Stampede this weekend.

Barrel racers made tight turns around the barrels during the fourth annual TRF Stampede in the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Carm Schneider of Tomah, WI, who rode on Saturday night, turned in a time of 13.24 seconds to win $400.90.

Rough stock at the TRF Stampede included this woolly critter taking its young rider off to the races during the mutton bustin' segment of the rodeo. The event always draws a lot of area entries and generates a good deal of added entertainment.

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Sunday night, Jessica Johnson called and visited by phone with Tasha Phelps who lives now in Denver, CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Troska were visitors and supper guests at the Agnes Eidelbes home Sunday evening.

Melinda Kotrba was a visitor at the Danny Johnsrud home to play with Kelsey from Friday till Sunday.

Alissa Lundeen spent the weekend at the Fair in the Cities along with Mr. and Mrs. Kory Chervestad and Angie of rural Oklee.

Saturday, Joan Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica were shoppers in Bemidji.

Mrs. Vance Wiseth and DaNae were brief callers on Saturday at the Larry Kotrba home. Then Dana returned home; Amie Kotrba went home with the Wiseth's to spend until Monday.

Tuesday evening Shirley Johnsrud visited with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Lorraine Waine attended the Fall Festival in Grygla on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday forenoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Wednesday, Tim Lundeen was a visitor at the Tony Lundeen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Monica and Michelle enjoyed dinner on Thursday at a Cafe in Thief River Falls.

Shirley Johnsrud and Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with Kristi Johnsrud over the weekend.

Those who brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Obert Hovet on Sunday were Anna Kriel and Mildred Hovet of Thief River Falls and Lorraine Waine. A lunch was served with a birthday cake. Kathy also received gifts and cards. Happy birthday Kathy.

Tuesday night, Shirley Johnsrud visited by phone with her brother Lyle Mostrom.

Late Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa were visitors at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Bobbie Johnson of Baxter and Jeanne Stengren of Brainerd came on Friday to visit at the Leonard Johnson home. While there Bobbie Johnson and Jeanne Stengren attended the wedding for Brian Nelson and Terri Pearson on Saturday along with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson. Bobbie Johnson was best man in the wedding. Brian and Terri were married in the yard at the Brian Nelson home. Congratulations Brian and Terri.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests at the Merle Naeseth home on Monday afternoon.

Delbert Sherry of Warren was a visitor and dinner guest at the Larry Kotrba home Sunday afternoon.

Kristian Solberg went to the State Fair in St. Paul with the 4-H group.

Johnnie Hanks was a visitor on Monday afternoon at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Mrs. Bruce Solberg and Joyce and Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Amie attended the Fall Festival in Grygla on Saturday

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls. The Leonard Johnson's also enjoyed coffee with Gladys Longswart in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeBoer of Spring Lake Park, Mr. and Mrs. Brett DeBoer Allison, Alex, Katie and Brittony of Spring Lake Park, Mr. and Mrs. Heath DeBoer, Blake and Cassandra of Coon Rapids came on Wednesday to visit at the Agnes Eidelbes home. They all left for their homes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel visited with Tracy Kriel, Gaston and Gannon of Roseau on Monday.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughter Michelle Johnson enjoyed supper at a Cafe in Thief River Falls.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and supper guest Monday evening at the Tim Lundeen home.

Dana Wiseth was an overnight guest at the Larry Kotrba home on Saturday.

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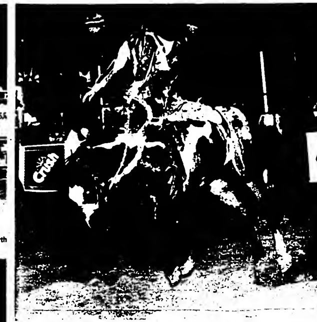
Miss Rodeo Minnesota, Terese Miller of Nevis, participated in all three days of the fourth annual TRF Stampede at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center Friday, Saturday and Sunday. She carried flags in the opening ceremonies, worked the arena during steer wrestling and calf roping events and assisted with giving out prizes during the mutton bustin' event.

A good pen of bulls made for challenging rides during the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday.



Hanging on, a bareback rider thrilled spectators at the Thief River Falls Stampede which was held Labor Day weekend in Thief River Falls.

It was like hooking a ride on a rocket for this bull rider at the TRF Stampede this weekend.

Lance Dobler of Seneca, MO, won the second night of bull riding at the TRF Stampede with a pair of 78-point rides and placed second in the aggregate over the three nights to claim a check for $1,135.80.

It might have been the Labor Day weekend that caused this horse to sit down on the job during the fourth annual TRF Stampede. Actually the horse lost its balance and fell when coming out of the bucking chute Saturday night, but regained its feet to provide its rider with a wild ride.

It looked like a game of leapfrog, but this fallen rider was fortunate his bull was going up instead of coming down when this photo was taken. Bullfighter Shane Anderson moved in quickly to draw the bull away from the cowboy who scrambled to safety. Action was from the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Grief Support Group to start September 5

Grief Support Group will begin again on Tuesday, September 5, at 7:30 p.m. in United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls, according to Martha Wissmann, director of Northland Community Hospice.

The on-going group is open to all adults who are experiencing grief due to a death. The loss need not be recent. Meetings are conducted each week with the exception of January and August.

"It is not unusual for people to begin to experience symptoms of mourning around six months after a death," Wissmann said. "In some rare cases it may show up years later because the grief was not adequately addressed early on. We can learn and support one another during the difficult times of adjustment after the loss of a loved one."

Wissmann invited anyone interested in more information to call her at the Northland Community Hospice number, 681-6189.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Sunday morning, Mrs. Bob Purdy, Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls and Christine Newton of Anoka enjoyed breakfast at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

Christine Newton spent a few days visiting with relatives and friends in the Thief River Falls and Grygla areas.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Bob Purdy, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Christine Newton visited at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls. Christine and Mrs. Bob Purdy also visited with Mrs. Myrtle Lofgren that day at her home in Thief River Falls.

Monday, Mrs. Neil Liedberg was a visitor and coffee guest at the Robert Pamow home in Thief River Falls.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls. Jim Liedberg of Warren also spent the weekend at the Norman Liedberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen and Nathan Liedberg homes on Wednesday.

Sunday visitors at the Clarence and Clara Dahlen home were Mrs. Robert Pamow, Mrs. Bob Purdy and Mrs. Neil Liedberg all of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Bob Purdy and Mrs. Neil Liedberg also visited at the Myrtle Lofgren home in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Strandquist News

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

On this last week of August Northwest Minnesota is putting on as lovely a summer day as only lives in anyone's imagination. Last night a nice shower watered the hedges and trees making them look clean and green. The apples are getting big and with all the bears in the area this year and hearing that they are in the apple trees even in town, Roy will have more than frost to worry about getting his apple crop. I don't think he will wait until 2 o'clock in the morning to rescue them.

I can't understand the neighbors who are having carpenters putting new shingles on their roof when the sun is shining. How can they tell where the leaks are when it isn't raining? Perhaps they will have to turn the sprinklers on.

Marcolyn Lindstrom was home for the weekend and returned to Bemidji on Sunday afternoon to help out another week of Dr. Paul and Diane Ditmanson's. Diane is recuperating from surgery.

The Senior Citizens of Strandquist met at the Center with 12 members and six guests. They sorted and looked over material for rug weaving and played bingo. Gloria Renstrom won the blackout game and Elphie Adlis won the door prize. Helen Jacobson served a delicious lunch as the hostess for that day. Last week I forgot to tell you that Phyllis Budziszowski was the hostess who served a great lunch and that Ivan Kimbrough won the door prize.

Leonard and Estelle Holmlund Mastenbrook of Minnesota City became grandparents of twins Carl Leonard and Claire Ann, born to Leonard and Pam Mastenbrook of Winona. The babies arrived on their grandparents 35th anniversary.

Lorraine Setten and Ida Bruce visited with Delphine Braff on Tuesday.

Visitors at Mary and Donna Renstrom's were Toni Kasprowicz of Argyle and Pinky Werner of Stephen.

Richard Thompson of Red Lake Falls has spent the last two weeks helping with the harvest at the Isaac Thompsons.

Elsie Lefrooth enjoyed supper at Rick and Karen Zimmerman's and also met Karen's mother from Colorado who is visiting them.

Morris and Hazel Anderson went to Grand Forks on Sunday and accompanied Jim and Cindy Wetterlund to Rugby, ND to the Heritage Center which is considered to be the center of North America. They then went on and enjoyed seeing the 2000 acres on the Canadian border called the Peace Gardens.

On Monday, Claudia, Kali and Jessie Berggren visited with Frank and Judy Kleinwachter and on Saturday [illegible] them.

Monday evening, Becky Johnson visited Peter and Pearl Thompson's and Pearl returned the visit on Tuesday.

Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Marlys Lefrooth and Pearl Thompson visited Elsie Lefrooth on Sunday evening. Elsie served with her "Kind hospitality"

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Sports Section

Northland football team hosts Worthington in 1995 opener...

Pioneers have an interesting roster

An interesting group of players will be at Prowler Field Saturday when the Northland Community and Technical College football team opens its 1995 season with a non-conference match-up against Worthington. Kickoff is scheduled for 12 noon.

A bulk of the Pioneers are freshmen – recent high school graduates. But there are a handful of veterans back from last year's Minnesota Community College Conference playoff-qualifying 5-4 team and some newcomers who offer unique backgrounds.

That latter group includes 34-year-old tight end Kevin Stuckey, the law enforcement program director at Northland and the Pioneers' one-time women's basketball coach; 30-year-old defensive end K.J. Kippenhan, a former Chicago area narcotics officer who was twice shot in the line old duty; 29-year-old linebacker Scott Fowler, a Thief River Falls native and Navy Seal veteran; and Curt Funk, a freshman defensive back from Red Lake Falls who plays the game with a prosthetic arm. All four are potential starters.

"We've got an interesting group," acknowledged Northland coach Gene Klinke. "We've got some older players, but we also have a lot of young kids. I don't know what we should carry more of – diapers or Geritol."

One thing Klinke is sure about: the Pioneers have the makings of a very good football team.

"We're very optimistic," said the fourth-year head coach, who has led Northland to the playoffs twice. "As a staff, we're as excited as we've ever been. We've got a lot of talent and we've got size. But we've also got an awful lot of youth, and we need to get healthy, especially in the offensive line. We're dinged up in that area right now."

Offensively, if the injuries don't have a lingering effect on the line, Klinke looks for the newly-installed Northland wishbone to be a big-time producer this fall. "We have a never-ending supply of running-backs," he explained. "And they're all good backs. At any time, any one of them can take the ball and go the distance. The wishbone is supposed to be boring football, but this outfit is explosive."

The featured back, according to Klinke, will be Brent Miller, the former Mahnomen High School standout who had an injury-plagued freshman year at Northland in 1994 when he was limited to just 289 yards rushing. Mason Thompson, another Mahnomen product, will back him up at fullback.

A large list of halfback candidates is headed by speedy Laurence Reid (Ann Arbor, Mich.), Luke Anderson (Starbuck), Tony Halsa (Thief River Falls), and Robert Carlson (Erskine), although Jason Blomquist (Karlstad), Jason Noyes (Erskine) and Scott Lorenson (Plummer) are all in the picture, too.

Either Eddie Fluerant (Miami, Fla.) or Brian Remick (Red Lake Falls), a pair of sophomores, will quarterback the offense. Both are good athletes who found themselves playing elsewhere last year – Remick in the defensive secondary and Fluerant at wide receiver – when now-departed J.P. Lammers won the quarterback job.

"Right now quarterback is up in the air," said Klinke. "Both are doing an outstanding job in practice, and they may wind up rotating. It's a nice position to be in – having two sophomore quarterbacks. It's the first time in my four years we've had that luxury."

Top candidates in the offensive line include Caylor Olson (Thief River Falls), Travis Halvorson (Warren), Nathan Martell (Red Lake Falls), Tony Kiesow (Goodridge), Werner Garcia (Miami, Fla.), and Barrett Germundson (Karlstad).

Klinke is excited about the potential shown by tight end Jason Homme (Thief River Falls), and says when the Pioneers do decide to break away from the running game, wide receiver Erik Hamre (Erskine) is a sure-handed target.

"We need to control the ball on offense," offered Klinke. "We need to take time off the clock in this pass-happy league."

Defensively, the line features returning starters John Lee (Warroad) and Jim Mertens (Waubun), along with newcomers Jamie Spates (Elgin, Ill.), Brent Eaton (Roseau), Jeremy Erickson (Bagley), Jeff Aakus (Plummer), and Ryan Waggoner (Bagley). Paul Barringer, a 6-2, 240-pound defensive tackle from Toledo, Ohio who was expected to join the team this week, will be a major impact player, according to Klinke.

Brandon Baker (Miami, Fla.) will be a key addition to the linebacking crew. He started for the Pioneers two years ago, but last year suffered a season-ending injury two games into the schedule. He will have to sit out the first two games this fall before stepping back into the line-up.

"Brandon just might be the best player in the league," said Klinke.

Josh Majerus (Glenwood), Fowler and John Davis (Thief River Falls) are other top linebacker candidates.

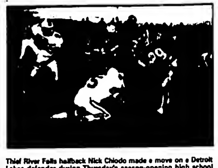
James Zephyria (Miami, Fla.) headlines the defensive backfield after coming up with seven interceptions as a freshman. Willie Skylark (Jacksonville, Fla.), the fastest player on the squad with 4.4 time in the 40, Jesse Barbot (Red Lake Falls), Jon Sele (Karlstad), Jon Hoefer (Red Lake Falls), and Shane Myhre (Red Lake Falls), a transfer student from Jamestown College, are looking to join Zephyria in the secondary.

Others on hand include Keavney Watson (Lewis, Del.), Terrance Nefzger (Bejou), Jose Hernandez (Wishek, N.D.), Ryan Estey (Mahnomen), Corey Schoaten (Karlstad), Monty Burnette (Fosston), Brian Kosmatka (Grafton, N.D.), Jeremy Holmvik (Bejou), Jamison Werk (Mahnomen), Gene Grugal (Roosevelt), Chris Shawstad (East Grand Forks), Tom Demeres (Fordville, ND), Melvin Whitney (Chicago, Ill.); Dan Lindseth (Page, N.D.), Tyree Thomas (Chicago, Ill.), and Greg Blue (Mahnomen).

Joining Barringer as late arrivals, which will put the Pioneers' roster at 58, will be Jason Hruby and Eric Halbert of Thief River Falls, along with Scott McCollum of Bejou.

1995 Northland Football

Saturday, Sept. 9 - Worthington, 12-noon, Saturday, Sept. 16 - Fergus Falls, 1:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 23 - at Willmar, 1:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sept. 30 - at Mesabi, 1:30 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 5 - at Itasca, 7 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 12 - Vermilion, 8 p.m.; Thursday, Oct. 19 - Hibbing, 1:30 p.m.; Saturday, Oct. 28 - at North Country, 1:30 p.m.



Thief River Falls halfback Nick Chiodo made a move on a Detroit Lakes defender during Thursday's season-opening high school football game at Prowler Field. Center Robby Farbo was also involved in the play. Chiodo rushed for 134 yards in the 34-15 loss. The Prowlers will be at Fergus Falls Friday.

Prowlers, Otters will meet in Fergus Falls

Four of Thief River Falls' first five high school football games will be played at Prowler Field this fall, but the lone road game comes Friday – a 7:30 p.m. Section 8A match-up at Fergus Falls.

The Prowlers lost their 1995 season opener to Detroit Lakes 34-15 Thursday. The Otters shut out Crookston 24-0 in their debut, holding the Pirates to just 72 yards worth of offense.

Fergus Falls, behind 5-10, 170-pound senior halfback David Aune, collected 322 yards against the Crookston defense – 291 of it on the ground. Aune rushed for 155 yards and capped a 78-yard third quarter drive with a 15-yard touchdown run. Sean Anderson (11 yards) and Andy Swedberg (1 yard) also had second half touchdowns.

Only scoring in the first half came on a 26-yard Clayton Horgen field goal.

Fergus Falls is trying to bounce back from a 2-6 finish a year ago behind the likes of Aune and Horgen, a 6-2, 240-pound defensive tackle. The Otters' ground-orientated offense runs behind tackles Shawn Elliot (5-10, 270) and Dean Reiter (6-3, 275).

The Otters, who remain a Section 8A member, joined the Tri-Metro Gold Conference this year to fill a schedule with Orono, Farmington, Mahtomedi, De La Salle, Brooklyn Center, and Mound.

Thief River Falls will finish September with Friday home games against Wadena-Deer Creek, Staples-Motley and Park Rapids Area.

Swim team opens home schedule

Fergus Falls was a one-sided 127-45 winner over Thief River Falls Thursday in girls high school swimming.

The visiting Prowlers picked up wins from freshman Nicole Kopari with a 27.42 in the 50 freestyle and from senior Jennifer Olin with a sectional-qualifying 209.25-point effort in diving.

Thief River Falls, 1-1 in a pair of first-week duals, was hampered by illness while preparing for the 1995 home opener Tuesday – a double-dual vs. Crookston and Detroit Lakes. The Prowlers also host Park Rapids Area Thursday at 5 p.m. in the Franklin Middle School pool.

Fergus Falls 127, TRF 45

200 medley relay - 1. Fergus Falls (Seyfried, Krull, Olson, Hansen), 2:05.03; 2. Fergus Falls (Mason, Ouren, Eckberg, Overland), 2:14.23; 3 TRF (Carlson, Kopari, Bollesen, Bakken), 2:18.96.

200 freestyle - 1. Trine Uvaas, FF, 2:16.41; 2. Maria Bigwood, FF, 2:20; 3. Irene Keo, FF, 2:23.84; 4. Andrea Olin, TRF, 2:30.61; 5. Lindsay Ehrenstrom, TRF, 2:31.08.

200 IM - 1. Erin Boole, FF, 2:35.08; 2. Katy Dillard, FF, 2:39.89; 3. Erin Ouren, FF, 2:42.78; 4 Robin Bollesen, TRF, 2:54.79; 5 Kristin Chrzanowski, TRF, 3:12.66.

50 freestyle - 1. Nicole Kopari, TRF, 27.42; 2. Hilary Hansen, FF, 27.68; 3. Christie Seyfried, FF, 27.99; 4. Kristi Krull, FF, 29.12; 5. Alicia Bakken, TRF, 31.89.

Diving - 1. Jennifer Olin, TRF, 209.25; 2. Katie Riba, FF, 178.65; 3. Erike Hudson, TRF, 131.90; 4 Staci Warner, FF, 129.35; 5. Ayla Donlin, TRF, 122.15.

100 butterfly - 1. Kari Olson, FF, 1:13.34; 2. Erin Boole, FF, 1:15.17; 3. Kristi Curl, FF, 1:17.25; 4. Alicia Bakken, TRF, 1:27.61.

100 freestyle - 1. Christine Seyfried, FF, 1:00.31; 2. Hilary Hansen, FF, 1:01.59; 3. Trina Uvaas, FF, 1:05.41; 4. Andi Sorvig, TRF, 1:09.20; 5. Andrea Olin, TRF, 1:09.32.

500 freestyle - 1. Renee Renelt, FF, 6:13.36; 2. Maria Bigwood, FF, 6:29.54; 3. Erin Ouren, FF, 6:47.94; 4. Lindsey Ehrenstrom, TRF, 6:52.44; 5. Julie Chrzanowski, TRF, 7:15.92.

200 freestyle relay - 1. Fergus Falls (Hansen, Renelt, Boole, Seyfried), 1:52.75; 2. TRF (Kopari, Olin, Chrzanowski, Bollesen), 2:01.09; 3. TRF (Sorvig, Sorvig, Lindquist, Carlson), 2:03.11.

100 backstroke - 1. Kristi Krull, FF, 1:07.24; 2. Alison Mason, TRF, 1:13.51; 3. Katy Dillard, FF, 1:16.50; 4. Melanie Johnson, TRF, 1:22.83; 5 Wendy Lindquist, TRF, 1:24.43.

100 breaststroke - 1. Irene Keo, FF, 1:17.64; 2. Kari Olson, FF, 1:18.50; 3. Erika Eckberg, FF, 1:20.84; 4 Rachel Harger, TRF, 1:40.80; 5. Amanda Clark, TRF, 1:44.64.

400 freestyle relay - 1. Fergus Falls (Bigwood, Renelt, Boole, Krull), 4:15.44; 2. Fergus Falls (Mason, Dillard, Uvaas, Keo), 4:25.69.

Fergus Falls JV 60, TRF JV 53
(TRF Places)

200 freestyle - 2. Jenny Sorvig, 2:32.52; 3. Rachel Harger, 2:57.91.

100 I.M. - 2: Melissa Clark, 1:42.59.

50 freestyle - 4. Chelsea Haviland, 36.59; 5. Jamie Kalsness, 42.41.

Diving - 1. Chelsea Haviland, 139.5; 2. Naomi Olson, 84.2.

100 butterfly - 3. Rachel Harger, 46.76; 4. Alexie Klockman, 46.97.

100 freestyle - 4. Kristin Naplin, 1:17.75; 5. Ashley Hammer, 1:26.39.

200 freestyle relay - 2. TRF (Kalsnes, Simkova, Kockman, Schafer), 2:51.23.

100 backstroke - 1. Kristin Naplin, 1:28.26; 2. Dancia Schroeder, 1:39.95.

100 breaststroke - 4. Melissa Clark, 1:44.07; 5. Ashley Hammer, 2:01.37.

400 freestyle relay - 2: TRF (Schroeder, Klockman, Sorvig, Haviland), 6:09.41.

TRF Sports

Thursday, Sept. 7

■ Tennis - LHS girls at Mahnomen, 4 p.m.
■ Cross country - LHS boys/girls at Roseau Invitational, 4:30 p.m.
■ Swimming - LHS girls vs. Park Rapids Area, 5 p.m.
■ Volleyball - LHS at Stephen (A/B/C), 5:15 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 8

■ Tennis - LHS girls at Lake Hubert Invitational, 3 p.m.
■ Volleyball - NCTC Triangular, 4:30 p.m.
■ Football - LHS at Fergus Falls, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 9

■ Volleyball - LHS at Roseau Invitational, 8 a.m.
■ Tennis - LHS girls at Lake Hubert Invitational, 8 a.m.
■ Swimming - LHS girls at Bemidji Invitational, 12-noon.
■ Football - NCTC vs. Worthington, 12-noon.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Sept. 7 - volleyball vs. Fosston (at Oklee).
■ Friday, Sept. 8 - football at Ada-Borup
■ Saturday, Sept. 9 - volleyball at University of Minnesota-Crookston Invitational.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Sept. 7 - volleyball vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Grygla).
■ Friday, Sept. 8 - football at Tri-County.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Thursday, Sept. 7 - volleyball vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Grygla).
■ Friday, Sept. 8 - football at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.
■ Saturday, Sept. 9 - volleyball at Roseau Invitational

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Sept. 7 - volleyball at Warroad.
■ Friday, Sept. 8 - football at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart.

Crookston girls take TRF tournament title

Crookston was a winner Friday in the rescheduled Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational girls high school tennis tournament.

The Pirates finished the day with 20 points, Thief River Falls and Bemidji 10 each, and East Grand Forks 2.

Planned as a six-team tournament Aug. 24, the annual event was postponed by rain until Friday. Grand Rapids and Moorhead were part of the original field, but could not make the new date.

The Prowlers will be in Mahnomen for a 4 p.m. dual Thursday before heading to the Lake Hubert Invitational near Brainerd Friday and Saturday.

Sports Boosters Tournament Results

■ No. 1 singles - 1. Leah Olson, Crookston; 2. Lori Tank, Bemidji; 3. Olna Stauss, EGF.
■ No. 2 singles - 1. Carrie Kildahl, Crookston; 2. Bobbi Dahlstrom, TRF; 3. Melissa Edman, Bemidji.
■ No. 3 singles - 1. Katie Kiel, Crookston; 2. Summer Robertson, Bemidji; 3. Kelly Natvik, TRF.
■ No. 4 singles - 1. Kristy Olson, Crookston; 2. Beth Goddard, TRF; 3. Shannon Trepanier, Bemidji.
■ No. 1 doubles - 1. Jenny Bruun-Liz Ames, Crookston; 2. Shari Evenson-Anne Padilla, TRF; 3. Kari Kovar-Anne Lundby, EGF.
■ No. 2 doubles - 1. Kelly Nelson-Marie Schizano, Crookston; 2. Kate Ihle-Elizabeth Odette, TRF; 3. Emily Aitkin-Kellie Seck, Bemidji.
■ No. 3 doubles - 1. Amanda Johnson-Casey Curb, Bemidji; 2. Robin Trovstad-Katie Hunt, Crookston; 3. Kiki Goddard-Vicki Strzegalo, TRF.

Minnesota waterfowl regulations finalized

Minnesota's duck and goose regulations have been finalized for the 1995 season. The goose season is similar to last year, but duck season length and bag limit have been increased, according to the Department of Natural Resources officials.

"Duck population status warrants a relaxation in season restrictions this year," said Tim Bremicker, chief of the DNR Section of Wildlife. "Habitat conditions and duck numbers improved throughout much of the prairie-breeding habitat in Canada and the United States. Prairie habitats in the U.S. were particularly good because of improved water conditions and the abundant nesting habitat provided by extensive CRP grasslands. Seven of the 10 major surveyed duck species were above the long-term average, and canvasbacks, redheads and gadwalls had the highest breeding population levels recorded since the current surveys began in 1955.

"We continue to stress that Minnesota waterfowl hunters may not see dramatic increase in the duck migrations through the state," noted Bremicker. "Last year was a classic example. Excellent food and water conditions in the Dakotas and a very mild fall combined to reduce waterfowl hunting opportunity throughout much of Minnesota despite higher populations of ducks. We may see a similar situation this year. However, good hunting will be available in some areas, and the longer season will allow waterfowl hunters to take advantage of some of the late flights."

The 1995 Minnesota duck hunting season will open at noon on Saturday, Sept. 30, and continue through Saturday, Nov. 18 – a continuous 50 days. Shooting hours on Sept. 30 will be noon to 4 p.m. Shooting hours will be from one-half hour before sunrise to 4 p.m. daily through Oct. 20, and from one-half hour before sunrise to sunset beginning Saturday, Oct. 21, through the close of the season.

Daily bag limit will be five, to include no more than four mallards (only one of which may be a female), two wood ducks, one black duck, one pintail, one redhead, and one canvasback. Possession limit is double the daily bag limit.

"We received comments from some duck hunters who liked the additional days of duck hunting, but felt that the increased bag was too much," said Bremicker. "However, the best biological information of both the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the DNR indicate that these are appropriate season lengths and bag limits based upon current population status and harvest rates."

Goose season length, bag limits and zone in Minnesota will be essentially the same as last year. The Minnesota goose season will begin statewide at noon on Saturday, Sept. 30, the same day as the duck opener. Shooting hours will be the same as for ducks. Bag limit will be seven geese daily, including no more than two white-fronted geese, two brant, one Canada goose in the West Central, Lac qui Parle, West, and Northwest goose zones, and two Canada geese in the remainder of the state. Possession limits are double the daily bag limits.

Bismuth shot, in addition to steel shot, was approved by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as a nontoxic shot for taking waterfowl during the 1995 waterfowl season. It will be legal to use for waterfowl hunting in Minnesota this fall.

For a complete summary of waterfowl regulations, DNR offi-

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NCTC volleyball team starts year with Pepsi meet

Concordia College junior varsity and UND-Lake Region will join the host Northland Community and Technical College volleyball team for the 1995 season-opening Pepsi Triangular Friday beginning at 4:30 p.m.

Match-ups include Northland vs. Concordia at 4:30 p.m., Concordia vs. UND-Lake Region at 5:45 p.m., and Northland vs. UND-Lake Region at 7 p.m.

Free Pepsi products will be distributed to all fans attending the 4:30 and 5:45 p.m. matches. It will also be Parents Night.

The Pioneers, who did not field a team last year due to a lack of players, will begin this season under new coach Shari Olson with a nine-member roster, an all-freshman group that includes Erika Halvorsan, Marshall County Central; Alissa Hietala, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; LaVonne Nelson and Jenny Steen, Kittson County North; Milissa Skarsten and Dana Hendrickson, East Grand Forks; Erika Spilde, Tri-County; and Stacy Stanwick, Nevis.

Pepsi Bowl kicks off NCTC season

Season and home opener for the 1995 Northland Community and Technical College football team Saturday vs. Worthington will be observed as the Pioneers' 12th annual Pepsi Bowl.

Representatives from Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co. of Thief River Falls will be at Prowler Field distributing free Pepsi products from approximately 11:15 a.m. to kickoff, which is scheduled for 12-noon.

Parents Day and Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club Day will also be observed Saturday.

B/G-MR girls begin volleyball schedule against Wolverines

First-year head coach Christy Anderson and her Badger/Greenbush-Middle River high school volleyball team will open the 1995 season Thursday by taking on Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke at Grygla.

The Gators were 11-15 a year ago and lost Heather Anderson, Jessica Borgen and Ali Hietala to graduation, but they return hard-hitting Krissi Super and Nicole Wahl is expected to join her in providing a potent one-two punch at the net.

Steph Sparby and Meggan Lund are the top candidates as the Gators' setters.

Anderson is a Blackduck native and a Bemidji State University graduate in her first year of coaching.

"I think we're going to be real competitive," sad Anderson. "Depth and versatility are the Gators' strong points, she explained.

B/G-Middle River Volleyball

Thursday, Sept. 7 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Grygla); Saturday, Sept. 9 - Roseau Invitational; Monday, Sept. 11 - Lake of the Woods; Tuesday, Sept. 12 - Roseau; Thursday, Sept. 14 - Marshall County Central; Tuesday, Sept. 19 - at Warroad; Monday, Sept. 25 - at Tri-County; Tuesday, Sept. 28 - at Marshall County Central; Saturday, Sept. 30 - Thief River Falls Invitational; Monday, Oct. 2 - Warroad-Alvarado-Oslo; Thursday, Oct. 5 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; Saturday, Oct. 7 - Warroad; Tuesday, Oct. 10 - at Lake of the Woods; Thursday, Oct. 12 - at Roseau; Saturday, Oct. 14 - Warroad Invitational; Monday, Oct. 16 - Kittson Central.

Gators trying for second win vs. Ponies on Friday

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River will go after win No. 2 Friday when the Gators take on Warren-Alvarado-Oslo in a 7:30 p.m. high school football match-up on the Ponies' turf.

Touchdowns from four different players led the Gators to a season-opening 28-0 win over Ada-Borup Thursday in Badger.

Chris Haarstick threw touchdown passes to Sean Everson (34 yards) and Matt Kujava (19 yards), while Joel Howard and Jared VonEnde scored on short touchdown runs.

The 6-foot, 180-pound Howard rushed for 185 yards, averaging 7.4 per carry on 25 attempts to lead the 235-yard Badger/Greenbush-Middle River ground game.

Haarstick was 5-for-16 passing for 58 yards.

Roy Larson had a fumble recovery and an interception to lead the Gators' defense. Adam Efta also came up with a fumble recovery.

Other area Friday football match-ups this week will find Red Lake County Central at Ada-Borup, Goodridge/Grygla-Galzke at Tri-County and Marshall County Central at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart.

Scoring

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Ada-Borup	0	0	0	0	0
B/G-Middle River	6	8	0	14	28

B/G-MR - Sean Everson, 34-yard pass from Chris Haarstick; Joel Howard run.
B/G-MR - Howard, 1-yard run; run failed.
B/G-MR - Matt Kujava, 19-yard pass from Haarstick; run failed.
B/G-MR - Jared VonEnde, 3-yard run; Ada Efta run.

Antlerless deer permits face Thursday deadline

Deadline for applying for antlerless permits and most special deer hunts in Minnesota is Thursday, Sept. 7, said Department of Natural Resources officials.

Applications must be postmarked or hand-delivered to the DNR License Bureau in St. Paul by that date to be eligible for drawings. Hunters who mail their applications should check with their local post office to determine procedures for postmarking mail, because some postal outlets may not postmark the same day the application is mailed.

The DNR urged hunters to use the peel-off label sent out earlier to apply for permits, which will help reduce mistakes and lower data entry costs.

A total of 201,525 antlerless permits are available, the third highest number ever offered. In addition, there are 40 special deer hunts in parks, refuges, and other areas not normally open to hunting.

Resident youth who are under age 16 as of the first day of the firearms deer season (Nov. 4) who purchase a regular firearms deer license are not required to apply for an antlerless permit to take antlerless deer, but they must apply to participate in special hunts.

Licenses, applications and permit applications are available from county auditors offices and license vendors across the state.

Bareback riding style didn't work too well for this young cowboy during the mutton bustin' at the Thief River Falls Stampede Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The sheep was ready to go before he was, so it did and he didn't. The plucky youngster didn't seem to mind a bit.

Chanc Keefe tops Post 117 baseball statistics for 1995

Final statistics announced recently showed that Chanc Keefe led the 1995 Thief River Falls American Legion baseball team in hitting with a .354 average.

The Terry Wiseth-coached Post 117 squad finished the year 10-24.

- 1995 TRF Legion Hitting -

	ab	h	ave
Chanc Keefe	79	28	.354
Derrick McFarlane	71	22	.310
Eric Bjorgaard	70	19	.271
Chris Vanyo	89	22	.247
Trevor Magner	71	17	.239
Nathan LaRoque	25	5	.200
Ryan Bendickson	71	14	.197
Adam Henney	62	12	.194
Chris Efta	53	10	.189
Greg Wik	41	4	.098
Curt Edwards	36	3	.083

- 1995 TRF Legion Pitching -

	gp	w	l
Chris Vanyo	10	3	7
Nathan LaRoque	8	0	6
Courtney Skjerven	6	1	4
Trevor Magner	7	0	1
Adam Henney	3	1	0
Derrick McFarlane	3	1	1
Eric Bjorgaard	4	2	2
Curt Edwards	1	0	1

NCTC coaches to address Boosters

Northland Community and Technical College football coach Gene Klinke and Pioneers volleyball coach Shari Olson will be the guest speakers Thursday at the 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club luncheon meeting at the Elks.

LHS freshmen win '95 football opener

Thief River Falls freshmen turned an 8-8 first quarter tie into a 24-8 halftime lead Thursday and went to beat Grand Forks Central 32-8 in a season-opening football match-up.

Quarterback Treavor Petersan hit Jeff Rislov touchdown passes covering 55 and 25 yards, and scored once himself on a 1-yard run.

Wade Chiodo scored on a 40-yard run and Jeremy Smsky was credited with a safety. Jeff Beste added a pair of two-point conversion runs and Darrin Bjerknes had one.

Thief River Falls freshmen will face Grand Forks Red Thursday at 4:30 p.m. in Grand Forks.

Waterfowl season

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cials said hunters should consult the 1995 Minnesota Hunting and Trapping Regulations, available from license agents and DNR offices, and the 1995 Minnesota Waterfowl Hunting Regulations Supplement, which will be available in mid-September.

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Tree Planting Funds

You can save energy and improve your town's environment by planting trees. The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Division of Forestry now has matching funds available for local communities and non-profit organizations through the Minnesota ReLeaf: Planting for Energy Conservation program.

The Minnesota Legislature, through the Legislative Commission on Minnesota Resources (LCMR), has approved funding far local projects that use trees to conserve energy.

Qualifying projects may receive up to $10,000 to plant trees on either public or private property. Funds must be matched one-to-one by local sponsors. Project applications may be submitted by municipalities, townships, counties, school districts, Soil and Water Conservation Districts, or other local units of governments – or non-profit organizations.

Trees selected for planting projects must be primarily native Minnesota tree species, and planted trees must be maintained for at least ten years. In addition, communities and townships must meet the standards of the Tree City USA program, sponsored by the National Arbor Day Foundation. Those standards include: A) a legally constituted tree board or department; B) a municipal tree ordinance; C) a comprehensive forestry program with at least $2 per capita of financial support; (D) an annual Arbor Day proclamation and observance.

Communities that do not meet Tree City USA standards may still apply for grant funding, but will not receive approval until the standards at met.

For an application packet or more information, contact Jeff Edmands, DNR Regional Forestry Office, 615 Anne St. NW, Bemidji, MN 56601, or call 218-755-2891. Completed applications must be received by the DNR Regional Forestry Office not later than 4:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 16.

Border Catfish Season

Officials with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Section of Fisheries are seeking public comment on a proposed change in fishing regulations affecting the catfish fishing season on border waters between Minnesota and North Dakota.

The proposed change would close the season on catfish caught on the Minnesota side of the Red River of the North and all tributary streams and rivers between the last day of February and the first Saturday of May each year.

Current Minnesota regulations close the season on the Red River for walleye, sauger, northern pike and bass during that time, but specifically allow a continuous open season on catfish, while North Dakota regulations close the season for catfish as well.

The proposed change would bring uniformity far popular gamefish on both sides of the border.

In 1990, Minnesota and North Dakota agreed to lower catfish possession and size limits on the Red River – from eight fish to five, with only one fish larger than 24 inches – to protect the trophy fishery in the Red River and match similar restrictions on Red River catfishing established a few years earlier in Manitoba, Canada.

Area anglers and others wishing to comment on the proposed change in regulations should send their written comments to Bob Strand, DNR Northwest Regional Fisheries Supervisor, 2115 Birchmont Beach Road NE, Bemidji, MN, 56601.

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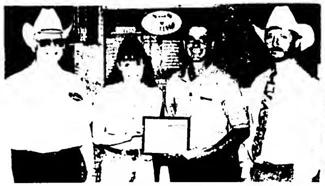

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Representing the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce are Norm Wassink, far left and Rick Gustafson, far right.

Parents and students at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls attended an open house last Tuesday, August 29, in preparation for the start of the 1995-1996 school year. Classes in Thief River Falls schools began Tuesday. A similar open house was held at Challenger Thursday.

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Smith plans Stampede return

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

For Bob Smith of Britton, SD, the Thief River Falls Stampede has been another step on his climb to an established regular membership in the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association.

The 24-year-old permit holder in his first year of professional competition finished a strong third in the bull riding at the Stampede Sunday to earn $669.48. He complimented the Stampede promoters and stock contractors on having "a good pen of bulls" and said he will be back for the fifth annual Stampede in 1996.

Smith has had unusual success for a rider of limited experience. His winnings are around the $6,000 mark which places him well over the $1,000 in earnings required for permit holders to qualify for their full PRCA membership card.

His third place finish in Thief River Falls followed a fourth place finish at St. Paul on Thursday and a fifth place finish at Huron, SD, on Saturday. He also finished third in the long-go and won the short round on Bailey Rodeo Company's "Double Trouble" at the rodeo in Park Rapids.

Smith said he has been hitting the rodeo circuit pretty hard this summer, riding four to five times a week since the Fourth of July. That makes it harder to find a traveling partner, he said, because there are few riders from his area 40 miles west of Sisseton and the ones there are don't want to go at it that hard.

Between his bull rides Smith keeps loose by breaking horses at a small place he has outside of Britton. His dad was a rancher until Bob was in third grade and the family always had horses. But his dad lost an arm and moved into town and that cut down on Bob's riding time.

He rode bulls when he was a senior in high school but never really considered seriously pursuing the sport until a man he broke horses for in Forbes, ND, liked the way he rode and encouraged him to get into the business.

Bob said he went to three-day riding schools put on by Gary Lefue in Bismarck, ND and Terry Weishchedel in Gettysburg, SD, and got a lot out of them.

He also has a younger brother, Chris, age 20, who is riding in the South Dakota Rodeo Association and Northern Professional Rodeo Association and is doing well. The time may come when they will be hitting the PRCA rodeos together.

Although he has been primarily injury free this season, he is coming off a year when he snapped the main bone in his left leg four inches below the hip and had a rod inserted from his hip to his knee. He had surgery to have the rod removed at Thanksgiving time last year and was back riding by February.

"This was a good rodeo," he said while waiting for the secretary to figure out his share of the winnings Sunday afternoon. "The bulls were really consistent. You bet I'll be back again next year!"

Bob Smith of Britton, SD, was the only entrant to ride two bulls Sunday during the Thief River Falls Stampede. He turned in scores of 71 and 77 for a 148 total—good for third place in the aggregate—and claimed $669.48 in prize money.

Nord to challenge parents, students

Keith Nord, a former member of the Minnesota Vikings professional football team and for some time a motivational speaker, will return to Thief River Falls September 14 and 15 for presentations to parents and students.

Nord will speak to adults on Thursday, September 14, at 7 p.m. in the Lincoln high school auditorium, discussing "Parent/Child Relationship: Six Pillars of Character." Students from junior and senior high schools are also invited to attend the evening session.

"Keith is a parent of elementary age children, a nationally recognized speaker and has a relevant, practical, hands on approach which could benefit any parent with children from preschool age through college," notes Bill Stock of the Lincoln high school guidance office.

"There is no admission charge," Stock added. "The program is sponsored by the Thief River Falls-St. Hilaire school district and the Community Youth Development Task Force."

Friday morning, September 15, Nord will address an all-school assembly at Lincoln, dealing with decision making in the use of drugs, goal setting, self-esteem, sexual harassment and sexuality. From 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. he will participate in a leadership workshop for selected student leaders at Lincoln in the Elks club rooms. The workshop is co-sponsored by the local Elks lodge.

Nord has been in Thief River Falls for similar programs twice in previous years. His presentations have been well received by students and parents alike.

"His presentations are thought-provoking and challenging yet sensitive and entertaining," Stock said. "He teaches students to set goals and to recognize and take action on opportunities. And he explains that those decisions add up—that excellence is not a single act but a habit."

Nord has been a keynote speaker at national conferences or conventions of the Future Homemakers of America, International Key Club, Distributive Education Clubs of America, Midwest and National Associations of College and University Residence Halls and the Department of Public Safety.

Orville Skadsems fill present with activities from the past

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

While many people look to the weekends for rest and relaxation, Orville and Fran Skadsem spend many of their weekends going to work. They find a good deal of enjoyment in recreating the past for generations of the future.

The Skadsems are members of the Lake Itasca Region Pioneer Farmers, Inc. which owns property and conducts a fall threshing show near Itasca State Park. Orville is a member of the group's board of directors and its treasurer and Fran is a past director and in charge of a large portion of the women's activities at the three-day event.

This year Orville and Fran were recognized by the organization as its king and queen of the annual threshing show. They were crowned on the first night of the show during its annual country gospel music program and rode in the parades held each day. Their selection was in recognition of the time and effort they have given to the Pioneer Farmers.

Skadsems Are Eager Volunteers

"Given" is a proper term, since all of the work done on the grounds, buildings and threshing show is voluntary and donated. No members are paid for the work they do—and they do a lot of work!

Orville is originally from the Newfolden area. He worked as a mechanic at the Tunberg Motor Company from 1955 to 1962, then moved to Fosston where he was a diesel mechanic until his retirement in 1994. He and Fran (Ueland) Gustafson of Thief River Falls (she was originally from the Viking area) were married in 1990.

This year the Pioneer Farmers held its 20th annual threshing show and it is growing every year. Orville became a member a little over a dozen years ago when the threshing show was held at the fairgrounds in Bagley. The location worked fine for the show but did not allow for anything permanent.

Threshing Site Purchased

In 1989 the corporation purchased a 10-acre site located a quarter of a mile east of the north entrance to Itasca State Park. In the following six years the members have constructed 12 permanent buildings, added another 14 acres and now have developed about 20 acres of the grounds. They have planted and maintained flower beds around the buildings and made other improvements.

All of the buildings are constructed of rough cut lumber with boards running vertically and the spaces where the boards abut covered with narrow strips. The buildings have metal roofs. Lumber is obtained through an agreement with the state park, whereby the sawmill at the Pioneer Farmers site saws logs provided by the park and the two entities share the lumber.

Few Share The Toil

"We're like a lot of other organizations," Orville said. "We have a large membership but a small crew!"

By that he means that more than 300 people have paid their membership fees and quite a few put in some time in various areas during the threshing show, but for the most part the development of the grounds and buildings falls on a relatively small core group that works at it for much of the year.

For Orville and Fran, and for most of the others who put a lot of time into the project, it is indeed a labor of love. They enjoy going to the site and being a part of its growth and development—largely because it represents the interest they have long held in the equipment and lifestyle of earlier days.

Show Is Highlight

And the highlight each year is the threshing show held on the third weekend in August. Many people who participate in the Lake Itasca event also move on to the steam threshing display held a couple of weeks later at Rollag.

"A lot of the people say they like our show better (than Rollag)," Orville said with an undisguised note of pride. "Our grounds are beautiful with lots of big shade trees and the show is smaller so it seems more personal and relaxed. It is a pretty good show, too!"

At the annual event there is steam powered threshing, an operating sawmill, operating shingle mill and planer, corn shelling and grinding, clothes washing and other action displays. There are two large two-cycle diesel engines which once powered the Fosston electric plant, stationary steam and gasoline engine displays and a miniature railroad with a steam locomotive that gives rides to children throughout the show. There is also a hot air engine display with exhibitors from throughout the United States and Canada.

Events Held For Women

"We have a small flea market and craft show and a number of building to add interest for women attending the show," Fran said. "We serve food all three days as a convenience to the workers and visitors and as a fund-raiser for the organization."

Orville said the show attracted more than 2,000 people who paid admissions, plus the volunteer workers, more than 100 exhibitors and more than 100 musicians who performed throughout all three days and paid no admission. This year there were also about 100 individuals, couples or families camping on the grounds.

Among the campers were some of Orville and Fran's grandchildren (they have eight children from previous marriages, 19 grandchildren and one great-grandchild) who look forward to taking part in the event every year. It is part of their summer social activity, much as it is for Orville and Fran.

Eight Tractors Restored

Always interested in farm equipment and stationary engines, Orville more recently became enthused about restoration. He has restored eight tractors, a grader, 10 stationary engines and a 1964 Ford Galaxie XL convertible. One of the tractors is a 1930 Model 18-36 Hart-Parr on steel lug wheels which he owned for 20 years before finding the time to do the restoration. Two of his restoration projects are on loan to the Pennington County Historical Society at its display building at Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village in Thief River Falls.

Orville himself is a bit of a restoration project as he has had half a dozen surgeries in less than that many years. He doesn't let them slow down his interests or activities.

As much as the Skadsems enjoy their work at the Pioneer Farmers project, they find that it takes away from the time available for their hobbies of restoration of machinery and furniture.

"When you are retired you're supposed to have time to do all the things you have always wanted to do," Orville said. "Our typical day seems to fluctuate between hectic and frantic—but we probably wouldn't be happy if it was any other way."

Orville Skadsem is shown in his shop where he likes to spend as much time as possible on restoration projects, especially tractors and stationary engines. He has no shortage of projects to work on when the weather turns cold and he can't work on the Lake Itasca Pioneer Farmers steam threshing grounds and buildings.

Fran Skadsem enjoys work on restoration, but for her it is furniture that holds the fascination. While her husband Orville works on tractors and engines, she works on stripping and refinishing wood furniture like this cabinet.

One of Orville Skadsem's favorite restored tractors is this 1930 Model 18-36 Hart-Parr which he owned for 20 years before he had time to begin restoration work on it. The tractor is now kept at the Lake Itasca Pioneer Farmers grounds near Itasca State Park.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Among the farm machinery restoration projects which Orville Skadsem has completed are these items now on display at the Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village in Thief River Falls. The International Farmall tractors and sweep rake are now in like new condition.

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Thursday and Friday, Vernice Larson babysat for her grandson Evan Dondelinger he was a houseguest of Don and Gail Larson while his parents made a trip to Florida.

Last Thursday evening, August 24th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Haugan of Warren and Edward Hanson brought Birthday wishes, cards and gifts to Harvey Skyberg to help him celebrate his birthday Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Haugan each baked a birthday cake for him. Harvey also received calls and cards from other relatives and friends. We had a nice evening Birthday Blessings Harvey!

Sunday afternoon visitors at the Hanna Moan home were Gladys [illegible]

Roy and Laura Roppe attended the Fall Festival at Grygla on Saturday.

Sunday, Alice Ellingson went out to Chuck Ellingson to see her new Great Great Great Granddaughter. Myrtle Holmstrom of St. Paul visited at the Aaron Waterworth home on Saturday.

Monday afternoon, Sandy Steinhauer and Lillie Olson visited with Amanda Anderson at the Karlstad Nursing Home. She had recently celebrated her 93rd birthday.

Dinner guests at Olga Thompsons after services on Sunday at Westaker were Bill and Shirley Wagner and Emma Kammen. They also attended the program at Westaker in the afternoon.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Dean Anderson home on Sunday evening.

Friday afternoon Dave Hanson visited and enjoyed supper with his mom Clara Hanson.

Shirley Lofrooth visited with Arnold and Vernice Larson on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson and Harvey Skyberg were last Saturday evening August 26th evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson. We also enjoyed lunch and coffee together while visiting.

Sunday, Aaron and Blanche Waterworth visited at the Joel Waterworth home.

Florence Borg and Lillie Olson helped Brad Olson celebrate his birthday on Thursday evening.

Sunday evening Dave Thompson and Bev Hanson of Thief River Falls came and picked up Olga Thompson and went to Donald and Eleanore Thompson in Greenbush where they brought Happy Birthday wishes, gifts and cake. They also drove out to the Dewey Melby farm and saw where Bruno the old boar had celebrated. Many happy returns Donald.

Beverly Erickson visited at Jason Erickson home on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday, Floyd and Adeline Nelson enjoyed dinner at Clara Hanson home.

On Tuesday evening, Alvina Stevens and Olga Thompson visited with Emma Kammen.

Tuesday, Clara Hanson visited with Pearl Boe at the Valley Home.

Tuesday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were LaVoi Thun and Shirley Lofrooth.

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Speeding violations listed in Pennington County Court reports

Several speeding violations were listed among the citations in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the past week.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Gordon Lee Huerd, Maple Grove, 47, 75/55, $87.50; Mark Maurice Wojciak, Maple Lake, 22, 76/55, seat belt violation, expired registration, $187.75. Daniel Curtis Barth, Thief River Falls, 24, 65/55, $64.50; Neil Jeffry Reckon, Upland, CA, 34, 76/55, $99; Scott Walter Schievkolk, Grand Forks, ND, 28, 70/55, $87.50; John Franklin Sumner, Jr., Redlake, 27, 65/55, $64.50;

Jeffrey Edmund Bujarski, Clearlake, 23, seat belt usage, $47.25; Robin Dawn Gibson, Thief River Falls, 18, 72/55, $87.50; Jared Wade Housey, Thief River Falls, 21, seat belt violation, $47.25; Brian Steven Joppru, Thief River Falls, 25, open bottle/driver, driving after suspension, $762.50; Lecole Tashawn McMillon, Grand Forks, ND, 17, 65/55, $64.50; Chad Lonny Nissen, Thief River Falls, 17, seat belt violation, following too close, $123.25;

Brian Joseph Melton, Fargo, ND, 26, 65/55, $64.50; Larry Nicholas Anthony Sieinski, Hamilton, Ontario, 49, 65/55, $64.50; Joy Ann Torkelson, Plummer, 23, 65/55, $64.50; Lori Ellen Waldal, Plummer, 26, 74/55, $87.50; John Thomas Zavoral, East Grand Forks, 34, 65/55, $76;

Bradley Louis Anderson, Thief River Falls, 30, driving while intoxicated, $410, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Steven David Christiansen, Laporte, 40, 65/55, $64.50; Heather Adelaide Flagstad, Roseau, 25, 65/55, $64.50; Maria Bermea Jordan, Oklee, 48, 65/55, $64.50; David Charles Leek, LaPorte, 32, following too close, log book not current, $163.50;

Patrick Roy Ping, Hastings, 44, 77/55, $99; Ryan Michael Rude, Thief River Falls, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Clinton Russell Sande, Grand Forks, ND, 25, 78/55, $99; Grant William Shold, Sauk Rapids, 50, 65/55, $64.50; Ronald Matthew Black, Elk River, 21, 68/55, $76; Michael Robert Breitling, Brainerd, 21, 69/55, $76; John Gouldson, Minneapolis, 33, 79/55, $99; Bret Allen Miller, Grand Rapids, 31, 69/55, $87.50; Vernon Benjamin Newman, Fargo, ND, 27, aggravated driving while intoxicated, $812.50, one year in jail with all but 30 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Joel Garcia Moreno, Thief River Falls, 33, no insurance on vehicle, $237.50; Chad Lonny Nissen, Thief River Falls, 17, 41/30, $87.50; Nancy Ione Sheridan, Thief River Falls, 31, obstruction of legal process, $147.50; Scott Allen Sheridan, Thief River Falls, 30, driving after suspension, $122.50; Nacoda Lee Vaughan, Thief River Falls, 22, driving after revocation, $582.50;

Thomas Lewis Swantek, Moorhead, 19, exhibition driving, $64.50; Edward John Maxwell, Thief River Falls, 33, aggravated driving while intoxicated, $942.50, one year in jail with all but 50 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Steven Duane Olson, Thief River Falls, 23, driving while intoxicated, $822.50, one year in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; William Edward Wolff, Karlstad, 75, inattentive driving, $122.50; Charles Wayne Zornes, Thief River Falls, 18, burglary in the second degree, $252.50, supervised probation for 10 years;

Peter Allen Debenedet, Thief River Falls, 20, possession of a small amount of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, $157; Peter Allen Debenedet, Thief River Falls, 20, possession of a small amount of marijuana, $87.50; Cory William Delap, Thief River Falls, 22, failure to yield, $122.50; Scott James Helgeland, Roseau, 18, 55/40, no current registration, $129; Harry Dean Kling, Thief River Falls, 55, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on two years unsupervised probation.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Karen Marie Nelson, Thief River Falls, 38, failure to provide proof of insurance, 30 days in jail stayed for one year, $296.53 restitution; Kenneth Daniel York, St. Hilaire, 25, driving after revocation, 40 days in jail; Jarod Ryan Alby, Thief River Falls, 23, criminal damage to property, $147.50, $250 restitution; James Aldren Bechard, Goodridge, 48, assault in the fifth degree, $267.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Muriel Eloise Hart, Goodridge, 32, disobey stop sign, $76; Tracy Ann Jordet, Thief River Falls, 19, 74/55, $87.50; Traci Ann Olson, Newfolden, 19, issuance of worthless checks, $147.50; Dennis Lavern Seaverson, Thief River Falls, 35, carrying weapons without a permit, $207.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Lloyd Glen Carlson, Oatzke, 42, 68/55, $76; Craig Michael Limesand, Goodridge, 19, escape from custody, $32.50, one year in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Dale Henry Mehrkens, Thief River Falls, 20, issuance of dishonored checks, $142.50, $70 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year.

It was family day Sunday at the fourth annual Thief River Falls Stampede and the Pruitt family from Minatare, NE, joined in the spirit of the day. Troy Pruitt is the 1990 world champion calf roper and has qualified for the National Finals all six years since 1989. He had earnings of $74,392 in 1994 and at the end of last year had career earnings of $599,334 but failed to rope a calf here Sunday. His wife Martea placed fifth in the woman's barrel racing at 14.57 seconds and won $124.41. They are shown with their three-year-old son Riley who needed a hand from dad during the sheep riding and wasn't any too happy about his fall.

Town hall meet on Medicare slated Sept. 15

A Medicare town hall meeting featuring Newt Gingrich and others through satellite television will be held Friday, September 15, at room 131 in Northland Community and Technical College from 12 noon to 1:30 p.m.

Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce legislative committee is sponsoring the session locally with national production by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

The future of Medicare in relation to balancing the budget will be the topic and a question and answer session will be available via telephone. Lunch will be available in the college cafeteria.

Trustees of the Medicare system say the national health insurance program for senior citizens has had expenditures rising at a 10.4 per cent average annual rate over the past five years and will run out of money in seven years. The public is invited to attend the town hall session.

Assaults reported to LEC

Once again, law enforcement officers received several reports of assault during the past weekend. They also responded to some unusual reports, including the bear cubs in a residential area in Thief River Falls, and a safe recovered from the river.

On September 3 at 3:35 p.m. a safe weighing about 300 pounds was recovered from the river near the water plant. On June 15, 1984 a break in at the Old Home Bread store was reported and the safe had been taken. The case was never solved.

Assault. On August 30 at 12:45 a.m. police received a report of an assault in the 400 block of North Duluth. Wendy Lynn Hell, 31, Thief River Falls, is being cited for fifth degree assault. She allegedly struck another person.

On September 4 at 8:20 p.m. received a report of an assault in the 300 block of East First Street. A woman complained that she had been struck. Shirley Ann Stininger, 52, Thief River Falls, was cited for fifth degree assault.

On September 2 at 4:01 a.m. police received a call for assistance in Riverview trailer court. There was a fight with a person swinging a shovel or other tool. During a struggle a pair of glasses was broken. Jason Paul Allen, 23, Thief River Falls, was taken into custody for possible charges of terroristic threats and fifth degree assault. While at the location officers found a broken rake handle.

Accident. On August 29 at 7:54 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of 11th and Duluth. According to the accident report, Gary Paul Lofberg, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on 11th street, and Cory Jason Anderson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car north on Duluth and the two vehicles collided in the uncontrolled intersection. The Lofberg vehicle ended up upside down. Lofberg had cuts and abrasions, and a bump to his head. He was also arrested for aggravated driving while intoxicated. Damages were estimated at $4,000 to the Lofberg vehicle and $1,000 to the Anderson vehicle.

On August 28 police received a report of an accident in which a car struck a light pole. Upon further investigation, police learned that the driver was not Lavonne Sunram as the individual reported, but Medicine Stone Ann Cutler. Cutler has been cited for no Minnesota driver's license.

Consumption under age. On August 31 at 8:15 p.m. police were called to the Lincoln high school football field. Charged with consumption under age were a 15-year-old male and 16-year-old male from Thief River Falls.

Theft. On August 31 at 10:44 a.m. police received a call from Pennington Square. Two girls were caught taking items from the store without paying for it. Charges are pending against a 14-year-old and 12-year-old female from St. Hilaire. While investigating the incident they also learned they took a shirt from Bjorkman's.

On August 30 at 2:45 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report that tools in a 1994 Chevy work truck were missing. The value of tools in the truck was estimated at $800. The owner, who is working in Iowa; gave permission for an individual to drive the pickup with the tools to Clearlake, IA, but never showed up for work. Upon investigation, Kenneth York was located in River Falls township and arrested for driving after revocation and a felony warrant out of Polk county. The truck was taken back to a residence in River Falls township and the owner notified of its location. Then the truck was stolen. It was valued at $14,000. The truck was recovered in Grant County Thursday afternoon at Elbow Lake. It had been abandoned. The incident is still under investigation. York is currently in custody at the Law enforcement center in Thief River Falls.

On September 1 at 1:56 p.m. police received a report from Hugo's that a 13-year-old male from Thief River Falls had taken items from the store without paying for it.

Driving while intoxicated. On September 2 at 2:46 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on County Road 17 and cited Bruce Wayne Walker, 40, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

On September 2 at 1:41 a.m. state patrol arrested Daniel Scott Lerol, 35, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

Forgery. On September Steven Allan Wasley, 38, Thief River Falls, was arrested for gross misdemeanor check forgery. The amount of the checks written from another resident's check blanks totaled $175.

Fire. On September 3 at 6:11 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a fire in Moylan township. Goodridge fire department responded to a report of a combine on fire at the Prestebakk residence.

Minnesota job listings now on the Internet

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Salvation Army unit in TRF prepares for winter

Thief River Falls chapter of The Salvation Army, a service unit, is preparing for winter. Winter means addressing fuel assistance and warm clothing needs.

Community Service of Seventh Day Adventist in Thief River Falls acts as the donation and distribution center for The Salvation Army in Thief River Falls. More than enough clothing is in storage at the center, but they are in need of large blankets, pots and pans, silverware, dish towels, wash rags, and bedding.

Sarah Erickson of the Community Services program, reported that between June and August, Community Services gave away 19,835 articles of clothing, and shipped out 11 tons of clothing. During this same period they helped 2,350 people, including 34 new families. They also gave out 118 pieces of bedding. Erickson noted that 19 people donated over 1,087 hours of their time to sort through and organize the tons of clothing they received.

The Salvation Army service unit in Thief River Falls is also gearing up for winter. Members of the organization learned Wednesday that there will be less state and federal funding for heating and fuel assistance bills this year. The Salvation Army does have a program called Heatshare. Members of the organization thought steps should be taken to make sure the organization is prepared for requests for funds.

In a separate conversation with the Director of Utilities Arlo Rude, Rude said that he had already taken steps to participate in The Salvation Army Heatshare program. He indicated that the contract probably would be discussed by the Thief River Falls City Council in the near future. Basically, when bills are mailed to clients, they will be asked to make a donation to The Salvation Army Heatshare program.

Salvation Army service unit aid is intended to be temporary. Families or individuals needing long-term assistance are referred to governmental social service departments.

Aid varies according to the needs of the local community and can include: groceries, assistance for fire and disaster victims, meals and lodging for transients, utility payments, clothing, fuel, diapers, medical, eye and dental care, emergency transportation, emergency rentals and other services.

The service unit is completely staffed by volunteers. The Salvation Army has no professional uniformed personnel or Corps Community Center in Thief River Falls.

The service program is funded through local donations, united funds, such as United Way, Christmas kettles and mail appeals.

Members of the organization include: Ken Froschheiser, Susan Halvorson, Rev. Bob Dahlen, Joyce Froschheiser, Sande Drevlow, Melinda Treltline, Anita Cardinal, Sarah Erickson, Leann Stolaas, Cliff Larson, and Dave Hill.

Skating club invites public to its meeting

Anyone interested in learning more about the Thief River Falls Skating Club is invited to attend its general membership meeting Monday, September 11, at 7 p.m. in the Franklin middle school library.

Area coaches will be on hand to set up individual practice times and discussion will be held on the upcoming skating season. All members of the club are urged to be in attendance.

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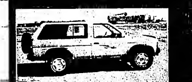

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Team Penning finals held in Thief River Falls Sunday

Over 200 teams participated in the Team Penning competition held in Thief River Falls Sunday.

In the youth division competition there were 37 teams. Winners were: 1) Kyle Olson of Oary, Nathan Kenner of Thief River Falls, and Kenner Gervais of Red Lake Falls; 2) Jill Anderson of Newfolden, Nathan Kenner of Thief River Falls, and Angie Holen of Goodridge; 3) Jamie Holen of Goodridge, Billy Putucek of Warren, and Chris Swanson of St. Hilaire.

During the competition, year-end results were announced. Jill Anderson of Newfolden received first place with 22 points. Kenner Gervais of Red Lake Falls was awarded second place with 17 points. Jamie Kalt of Warren was awarded third place with 15 points.

In the Two on Two event, there were 51 teams. Winners were as follows: 1) Don Zidon and Lynn Meberg of Park River, ND, with a time of 24.915; 2) Kenner Gervais and Roger Johnsrud of Red Lake Falls, with a time of 28.484; 3) David and Chuck Lien of Ulen with a time of 31.068; 4) Pete Novotny and Keith Nelson of Kindred, ND, with a time of 33.373; 5) Pete Nelson of Fargo, ND, and Keith Wojo of Oreeabash, with a time of 35.574; 6) Penny Duden of Red Lake Falls, and Charley Self of Karlstad with a time of 38.37; 7) Penny Duden of Red Lake Falls, and Tom Scheef of Goodridge, with a time of 41.089.

In the Amateur division there were 37 teams. Winners were as follows: 1) Phyllis Loftsgard, Sam Keller, and Lynn Meberg all of Park River with a time of 41.86; 2) Jim Westman, of Roseau, Daryl Wickland and Lilsa Wicklund of Badger with a time of 43.06; 3) Stacey Olson and Rose Olson of Oary, and Jill Anderson of Newfolden with a time of 46.00; 4) Jill Anderson of Newfolden Phyllis Loftsgard of Park River, ND, and Kathleen Skala of Red Lake Falls with a time of 47.67; 5) Stacy Olson and Gayln Olson of Oary, and Jim Waltz of Mahnomen with a time of 59.56.

In the Open division there were 83 competitors. Winners were as follows: 1) Dean and Jill Anderson of Newfolden, and Milo Monroe of Warren with a time of 27.13; 2) Dana Nelson of Greenbush, and Duane and Al Camer, of Erskine with a time of 33.68; 3) Janet Mosbeck, Karen Knott, and Kathleen Skala of Red Lake Falls with a time of 36.14; 4) Dean Anderson of Newfolden, Rob Carlson of Strandquist, and Lisa Hanson of Lancaster with a time of 37.52; 5) Becky Mainke of Pequot Lakes, Ken Krebsbach of Mahnomen, and Randy Johnson of Lake Eunice; 6) Chuck Lien of Ulen, Gary Peterson of Moorhead, and Stacy Odegard of Lake Park with a time of 42.32; 7) Mark Maruska of Warren, Terry Nowaski of Argyle, and Roger Hille of Warren with a time of 42.76; 8) Lisa Hanson, Jerod Hanson and Paul Carlson of Lancaster with a time of 44.49; 9) Dean Anderson of Newfolden, Milo Monroe of Warren, and Robbie Carlson of Strandquist with a time of 45.56; 10) Keith Nelson of Kindred, ND; Paul Lako of Arthur, ND, and Jim Olson of Hawley with a time of 48.60; 11) Stuart Loftsgard, Don Zidon, and Lynn Melberg of Park River, ND, with a time

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Northern Minnesota Team Penning finals were held at the Pennington County Fairgrounds horse arena in Thief River Falls Sunday. Over 200 teams competed in the event, which lasted well into the night. This was the final event in a four-event series.

Winners in the open class during the Team Penning Finals in Thief River Falls Sunday were awarded saddles. Pictured from left is the winning team: Randy Johnson of Lake Eunice, Ken Krubsbach of Mahnoman, and Backy Mainka of Pequot Lakes.

CFSA emergency physical loss loans now available

All counties in Minnesota except Cook and Traverse are eligible for Consolidated Farm Service Agency (CFSA) emergency physical loss loans under an administrator's notification signed August 14.

The loans were formerly known as Farmers Home Administration emergency physical loss loans. They are being offered as a result of damages and losses caused by excessive heat which occurred from July 10 through July 15, according to Janice Daley, acting state director of Rural Economic and Community Development (RECD).

Charles J. Phillips, Pennington county RECD supervisor, said that farmers in these counties have until April 15, 1966, to apply for loans to help recover from severe physical losses such as death of livestock or damage to livestock products, harvested crops and supplies. The current interest rate for emergency loans is 3.75 per cent.

To be eligible, the damaged or destroyed physical property must be essential to the successful operation of the farm. Farm operators must be unable to secure credit elsewhere, must provide adequate security and must be able to repay the loan and any other loans.

For further information, contact the local RECD office (formerly FmHA) which will be administering the loans until September 30. After that date, contact the local Consolidated Farm Service Agency office (formerly ASCS).

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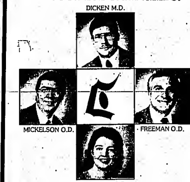

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Plummer Community News

Ellie Byer
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Brian and Kevin Hamilton arrived on August 11 to spend a week at their aunt and uncle, Carl and Joyce Mager's home. They also spent time at the Tom Willetts and Gary LaCoursiere's homes.

On August 24 Jim and Sylvia Christenson arrived at the home of Ron and Kathie Juneau. They are from Delevan, WI, but the Juneaus and Christensons met in Florida a few years ago and became good friends. Jim and Sylvia just came back from Juneau, AK, where a son and his family live. On Thursday after a meal at Third Base, these good friends caught up on family news, and on Friday they had lunch in Red Lake Falls and then toured the museum in Crookston, as well as a good look at the countryside. Saturday was spent at Huot where they took in the Chataque and the French Festival. Sunday noon they were a part of the celebration of Ron's birthday at Immanuel church where a cake, made by Edna Hyde, was served with ice cream, following the congregation's potluck meal. Later in the afternoon they attended the Community Club's picnic which was a real treat. In the evening they all were at Herb and Betty Deroscier's for dessert and coffee and to meet Herb's sister and brother-in-law from Kansas. On Monday, the Christensons left in their motorhome for Wisconsin, but in a couple of weeks they will be going to Germany and later wintering in Florida. After hugs and goodbye kisses, Jim stated in parting, "It's not the land that makes a good visit, but the people! The people in Plummer are so good and friendly. We were so happy to meet your (the Juneau's) friends. Please thank everyone for their kindnesses."

Frances Schiefert visited her sister, Mrs. Ed Schmitz, on Thursday, and also her brother, Hank and Izzy Knott, all of Red Lake Falls.

John Blake of Santa Ana, CA arrived at his cousin, Rick Frolland's home on Friday evening. He was an overnight guest there and visited his uncle and aunt, Art and Avis Frolland, too leaving on Sunday morning.

Sharon and Terry Griffiths and daughter Tracy and Lindon Mendez of Florida, arrived on Saturday to visit Sharon's father, Penn Milligan and other relatives, including Lillie Halvorson. They had made a trip to Yellowstone Park and other areas and were homeward bound.

Visitors of Charlotte Leaning last week were Ellie Byer, Amelia Eskelt, Penn Milligan, Clara Hesse, Lorene Wasterlund, Willie Gallant, Evelyn Tervo and Olga Konickson.

Brian and Jan Tillman of Anaheim, CA spent a few days with their parents, Alice and Kern Tillman.

The women of Immanuel Lutheran church held their annual fall bazaar on Saturday with a bake sale, crafts, produce, rummage and fish pond for the children. It was a good opportunity to visit friends and neighbors over coffee and lunches.

Sidney Schiefert of Bloomington visited his mother, Frances Schiefert from Friday to Monday. Harley Schiefert and children of Fargo, ND came on Saturday and returned again on Sunday.

Heather and Heidi Schiefert were Saturday overnight guests of their grandmother, Frances Schiefert. Their parents, Jim and Sherry, came for them on Sunday.

Wedding

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended the wedding at Messiah Lutheran church at Roseau for Michelle Torkelson, daughter of Larry and Donna Waldal, to John Dorwart. A reception was held at the church following the ceremony. Russell Sorenson of Roseau and the Karl Sorenson family of Wannaska were in attendance and their children were in the wedding party: Kassandra as flower girl, John as ring bearer, and Jeffrey as train bearer. Lloyd and Wavell also visited Russell at his home in Roseau before coming home.

Birthday

George and Hazel Ollie, Ernie and Dorothy Pederson attended the celebration honoring Jennie Lukenburg Norman of Fairview Manor in Red Lake Falls on her 95th birthday. The party was held on Sunday afternoon.

Art and Avis Frolland, Rick and Arlene Frolland, Karry and Griff Newland and Ginger Frolland toured Pioneer Village of Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Community Club Picnic

The Community Club of Plummer had a picnic in the Plummer park on Sunday afternoon. A delicious meal was served about 6 P.M. and a good crowd attended. The threatening rain held off until the picnic was over.

48th Wedding Anniversary

Faith and Allen Guillemette were guests of honor at a party at their farm home on Saturday afternoon to celebrate their 48th wedding anniversary. It was hosted by their children, namely, Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Guillemette, and Wayne Guillemette. They had prepared a pig roast with a bountiful meal and Faith and Allen received many gifts. Among the many relatives and friends attending were Allen's mother, Myrtle Patnode, sister Pat Larson, Gust and Loretta Craft and son, Dale of Fargo, ND.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Langstroot and daughter, Missy, of White Bear Lake, visited Mrs. Erling Anderson on Wednesday.

Church Directory

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Missouri Synod
101 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rothchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
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Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturday at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. with Family kick-off-youth; Youth rally Sunday; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sunday at 9:30 a.m. with Sunday school and Adult Ed following.
Monday, Sept. 11— Geoff Moore concert at LHS at 7 p.m.; Worship and music at Redeemer at 7 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 13— 3rd Grade and parents meet at Redeemer at 6:30 p.m.; Sunday school teacher workshop at Redeemer at 7:30 p.m.

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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
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SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

. . . School Starts Again

It is once more time for school to begin. In a few short days, that old Pied Piper will take charge of nearly all of the children in town, leaving only parents and toddlers behind.

What bliss it will be for Mom and Dad. Once the hectic breakfast time is over and children have finally gotten dressed and fed and the door has closed behind the last school child, peace will reign in the house.

I know just how the parents of school-age children will feel. The word that comes to mind is "liberated." Free from the demands of older children, there will be time to concentrate on the little ones who remain at home.

Once the kitchen clutter is cleared and beds are made, there will be time for long walks to the park, reading stories, picnic lunches and naps for parent and child. There might even be time for baking cookies for an after-school snack, or a leisurely shopping trip that doesn't include children's clothes and/or the whining demands of a school child.

Toddlers will reign supreme. They will be able to play with their toys without interference, dig to their hearts' content in the sand box with no one to tell them how to do it, and swing on their swings for hours without anyone ordering them to "take turns." What happiness is being a toddler once school starts.

But school children are just as anxious for school to start as their parents and younger siblings. They lie awake at night, anxious with anticipation over the first day of school.

They wonder if the new clothes they begged Mom or Dad to buy are going to be acceptable and look like everyone else's, are the other kids going to laugh at their new haircuts, do they have the right sneakers, have they got the right kind of school supplies, will they be able to find their classrooms, will they have classes with their friends.

The night before the first day of school is busy. The perfect outfit must be laid out and made ready to jump into; just the right amount of school supplies must be gotten ready because everyone knows that no one brings all of his or her school supplies to school on the first day; new shoes must be worn indoors and out to "break them in"; long baths are taken to dispose of the last particles of summer dirt; hair is washed and rinsed and conditioned, washed and rinsed and conditioned once more, and then sprayed, sprinkled and spread with various concoctions to either make it stand up, or, in the alternative, lay down, whichever is the current style; and, finally, more than likely with Mom or Dad's help, ears are cleaned and nails are trimmed.

Tucked into bed, the anxious child cannot sleep a wink the night before school starts. He or she turns and tosses and finally dozes off, perhaps just as the sun is beginning to show its bright face. This, of course, makes for a very difficult first day of school and a very early bed time the night after the first day of school.

Nonetheless, the novelty of school will wear off after a few weeks and it will become an everyday occurrence. New shoes will be scuffed, new clothes will become wrinkled and worn and the new school supplies will become tattered and torn. Mom and Dad and little brother and/or sister will look forward to weekends and vacation days because they miss that wild school child, just as the school child will find that school is much the same as it was last year and that after-school time is much more fun, especially if Mom or Dad baked cookies that day.

Hilery Stoltmen salvaged a section of a post used in construction of one of the earlier dams in Thief River Falls. The posts surfaced after the Red Lake reservoir in Thief River Falls was drained of much of its water for a special drawdown project to consolidate sediment. Stoltmen noted the interesting construction (top photo), and how clear the tree rings appear. At one spot it is evident that the tree survived a fire.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Susan and Joe Blackbird from Dassel were weekend guests at the home of Larry and Carmen Gustafson. Those who enjoyed dinner together at a local restaurant on Sunday were Carmen, Larry and Tony Gustafson, Susan and Joe Blackbird, Stacy and Steve Biarman, Justin and Matthew and Brad Blazek from Grand Forks. Brad visited at the Gustafson home in the afternoon.

Bernice Trochmann and Myrtle Solberg went to Ada on Wednesday on business.

Jean Nelson visited with Oscar Odegaard at his home one day last week.

Ida Rupprecht and Ethel Nelson visited with Edna Rupprecht at her home on Saturday.

Adeline Moe and Florence Nabben at her home on Sunday afternoon.

Don and Mary Ann Norum from Bemidji and Ingred and Birgar Norum from Frondheim, Norway were visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home one day last week. They were on their way home from Hallock. Don and Birger are cousins.

Obert and Evelyn Grovum were visitors at the Ruth and Lowell Hanson home.

Jordan and Mariah Torgerson visited with grandpa Jarvis on Monday afternoon.

A birthday party for Frank Pesek was held at Lillian Pesek's apartment on Saturday. Family members attending were Clifford and Maxine Olson, Jeff Olson, Gladys and DoAnn Thompson, Wesley and Marvel Pesek and Thomas, an exchange student from Czechoslovakia, Emmett and Lillian Wagner from Strathcona. Bernice Knutson was also a coffee guest in the afternoon.

Stacy Biarman and Carmen Gustafson attended a bridal shower for Sonja Torgarson at the Trinity Church on Sunday afternoon.

Jean Nelson and Bernice Knutson visited with Edna Rupprecht on Tuesday afternoon.

Marian Da Beitz from Fargo was a Saturday overnight guest at the Jarvis Torgerson home. On Sunday morning, Marian and Martha went to Virginia, MN, where they attended the retirement party for Virginia Hokkanen at the Sanders Community Center. Martha and Marian were overnight guests at the Hokkanen home and returned to Thief River Falls on Monday. Marian visited her grandmother, Tilda Uggerud before returning to Fargo.

Carla and Jeff Moser, Jake and Joey from Minneapolis visited at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home last week on Sunday.

Mabel Christofferson and Eleanor Bradley were afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Carmen Gustafson on Monday. In the evening Pat McIntosh visited at the Gustafson home.

Jackie Schwartz and Jocia from St. Cloud spent several days as guests at the Jean Nelson home. They also visited at the Leslie Nelson, Jan Schwartz and Evelyn Schwartz homes, and at Dale and Brandi Nelsons of Karlstad before returning home.

Gully

Shirley Hood from Bagley and Betty Divine of Cambridge visited Ellie Handy Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Odegaard and Jena and two children were brief callers at Elmar and Millie Brovolds.

The anniversary of womans right to vote and politics were not discussed but rather reminiscing of years ago and activities of the past year were the mornings topics of discussion.

Afternoon guests at Esther Thorsson's on Sunday were Effie Hondy, Hazel Nelson and Emma Nyland. Esther served lunch. They all enjoyed the time together alot.

Betty Berg of Grand Forks and Larry Berg of Warba spent the weekend with their folks the Elmer Bergs and helped them do more cleaning up after the damage done by the tornado. Other visitors there were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bjerko of Clearbrook, Arno and Lucille Godtland and Carstie Clauson of Gonvick.

Team Penning final results

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of 52.41; 12) Casey Braniner of Moorhead, Jim Walz of Mahomen, and Bruce Williams of Fargo, with a time of 54.16.

Winners of the breast collars in the Two on Two competition were Don Zidon, and Lynn Meberg of Park River, ND, with a combined time of 47.73.

Winners of the buckles in the Amateur division were Jill Anderson of Newfolden, Kathleen Skala of Red Lake Falls, and Phyllis Lofisgard of Park River, ND, with a combined time of 79.01.

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Sen. Grams Supports Tunheim Nomination To U.S. District Court

Given the normal tendency of political parties in Washington to oppose almost everything the opposition party attempts to do, it was a little refreshing to read Sen. Rod Grams' statement of support for Newfolden native John Tunheim as a United States District Court Judge.

"I am very pleased to announce my support for the nomination of John R. Tunheim to serve as a judge on the United States District court," Sen. Grams wrote.

"As I review nominees for the federal bench, I take several factors into consideration: a nominee's qualifications and credentials for service as a judge: a nominee's view on the role of a judge: and other relevant considerations, including a nominee's health and ability to serve as a judge.

"After comprehensively reviewing Mr. Tunheim's background, evaluating his performance as Chief Deputy Attorney General for the State of Minnesota, and meeting with him in person, I have come to the conclusion that he meets these standards and is certainly well-qualified for the federal bench.

"Mr. Tunheim has served the State of Minnesota with dignity for a number of years. I am confident that he will do the same as a member of the Federal District Court. I am honored to give my support to his nomination and look forward to a speedy confirmation by the United States Senate."

We add our congratulations to John for his appointment as another northwestern Minnesota native who continues to make his positive mark in society. He appears to be the right person in the right place at the right time with the right experience and the right contacts. We also hope his nomination is rapidly and enthusiastically confirmed.

The High Road Must Be Lower Than It Once Was

Minnesota Democratic-Farmer-Labor party recently elected Mark Andrew at its state party chair. The Hennepin county commissioner won unanimous approval from delegates at the party's recently central committee meeting in Waconia.

"Andrew believes one big problem in politics today is negative campaigning," a news release from Andrew and the DFL state central committee states. "He calls on all announced Republican U.S. Senate candidates to join Senator Paul Wellstone in taking the high road in the 1996 campaign."

We would certainly join in the call for a reduction in negativism—if someone would give us a better definition than Andrew does. The same news release that calls for positive campaigning contains statements such as "The Republicans propose taking money out of the pockets of senior citizens in order to pay for tax cuts for the rich" and that the Republicans' Contract for America "guts funding for higher education and job training."

Such comments do not indicate high road politics to us. Perhaps the political road standard isn't as high as it used to be.

Dewey Blamed For National Illiteracy Rate

Editor Sam Blumenfeld of *The Blumenfeld Education letter* argues that John Dewey, considered to be the leader of the progressive movement in education, is to blame for the degree of illiteracy in America today. He writes that "the change in the teaching of reading (from phonics to the sight method, or whole language) is probably Dewey's greatest contribution to the transformation of American education from an academically oriented process to a social one."

"To Dewey, the greatest obstacle to socialism was the private mind that seeks knowledge in order to exercise its own private judgment and intellectual authority," Blumenfeld adds.

"High literacy gave the individual the means to seek knowledge independently. It gave individuals the means to stand on their own two feet and think for themselves. For Dewey and his colleagues, only the social function of language was paramount, and therefore children would be instructed in reading and language in a manner that emphasized its social function.

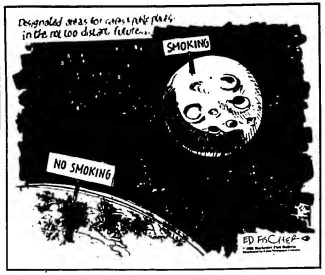
"That the new teaching methods would decrease literacy was well known by its proponents," Blumenfeld adds. "Nevertheless, with more than enough evidence in hand that the sight method caused reading disability as well as emotional problems among a large number of children, the professors went right ahead to publish their new sight-method textbooks and impose them on the schools of America." That was nearly 100 years ago and there has been little or no organized effort to return the nation to teaching the language by phonics.

"Today, the entire Dewey program, finely honed by his disciples, is being imposed on American public schools through whole language and Outcome-Based Education," Blumenfeld writes.

He says the initial move to sight reading is perpetuated by the education schools of our universities. "That is the source of the pestilence," he writes, "and the professors in the universities who continue the Dewey program and write the textbooks are completely insulated from parental protest. When parents confront their local school superintendents, principals and teachers, they are simply talking to the foot-soldiers who are carrying out the policies of the university professors. And when conservatives get elected to school boards, they simply engage in endless skirmishes with these subordinates whose careers depend on pleasing the powerful establishment that gave them their jobs."

It is Blumenfeld's contention that "millions of children will be at serious risk as long as Dewey-inspired whole language is the prevalent philosophy of reading instruction in American public schools."

The result of continued use of this method is that aptitude and other test scores keep going down throughout the land but students are learning to feel really good about themselves as they prepare to become cogs in the great wheels of industry, according to F. R. Duplantier of America's Future, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the preservation of our free enterprise system and our constitutional form of government, and is headquartered in St. Louis, MO.



Plummer News

Effie Byer
465-4375

Amelia Eskell attended the 90th birthday party for old-time friend, Ellie Toura of Oakland Park Nursing home, formerly of Middle River.

Gloria Fossum and Jean Carpenter were Wednesday visitors last week at the home of Arnie and Wilma Arnt.

Joann Thorson of the Cities visited Olga Konickson last week when she had come north to visit her mother Myrtle Johnson of Thief River Falls.

Effie and Burnel Byer enjoyed breakfast at Best Western last Thursday to visit with Harold Aker of Thief River Falls and his sisters Gladys Mahafek of Milwaukee, WI and Doris Harrison of Crestview, FL.

Larry and Laurette Van Dusen of Chetek, WI and Jane Johnson of Nevis came on Thursday last week to the home of Myrtle Petnede and Pat Larson, staying overnight. In the afternoon Larry, Laurette, Jane and Pat visited in Thief River Falls with Lester and Gloria Larson and Clare Mickelson, also June Lokken. Supper guests that evening at Myrtle's were the Van Dusens and Jane, Jim and Betty Engelstad of Thief River Falls, Lorane Westerlund and Nore Seibel.

Frances Schlofart accompanied Connie and Joe Suko and boys to Dickinson, ND on Friday. Going and coming they were overnight guests of Joe's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Dockter of Medina, ND. In Dickinson, ND, Frances was a houseguest of Bob and Gert Marty, former residents of Plummer. She also visited her sister, Gacells Zin in St. Luke's Nursing Home. They all returned home on Monday. The Marty's sent greetings to all friends here.

Silver Anniversary

Martin and Fern Eskell and Eddy Eskell drove to Elk Grove Village IL to attend the 25th Wedding Anniversary of son Randy and Diane Eskell. They were houseguests of son, Craig Eskell. Kathie Juneau accompanied them as far as Milwaukee, WI to visit relatives.

Grace and Ruth Circles

The Grace and Ruth Circles of Immanuel church met jointly last Wednesday evening at the church. Emilie Skjerven led the Bible study for the group and then they had their business meetings separately with their presidents presiding. Connie Hughes was a hostess; and others brought potluck food.

Rosemary Eskell and sons David and Wesley and friend, Jeannie Schmidt of Roseau spent the weekend in Schaumberg, IL with Rosemary's son Eric. They all attended the Silver Anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Randy Eskell in Elk Grove Village, IL.

Visitors at the Arlene Kelly home last week were Asta Westerlund of Middle River and her daughter, Dabbie of Dickinson, ND, Jo Readel of Thief River Falls, Nore Seibol of Grand Rapids and Lorena Westerlund.

Visitors at the home of Olga Konickson and Tilmer Johnson on Friday were Ada Moe of Dregon and Joyce Austad of Oklee.

Rod and Kelly Vigstol, Sarah and Samantha of Eagen were weekend guests at the Elden Vigstol home. They also visited at the Byer home on Sunday afternoon and were supper guests.

Birthday for Christine

Christine Welter, daughter of Janel and Roger Welter had her 8th birthday on Tuesday. The celebration began on Saturday when schoolmates Molly Hagen, Lisa and Lana Hasse, Danielle Olson, Brittany Gustafson and Brianna Determan came for an afternoon of swimming in Red Lake Falls pool followed by a pizza party at her home. On Sunday evening Janet, Kristan and Darren Vanek, Todd, Andy, Dustin and Tyler Gustafson and Karl Vigstol came for basketball games and fun and helped eat birthday cake. Finally on Tuesday, her real day, her grandmothers, Pearl Laniel and Esther Walter came with greetings. Have a good year, Christine!

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Spacek and daughter Brook of Milwaukee, WI spent the weekend with grandmother, Hilma Hemstad. They all spent Sunday visiting friends in Gentilly.

Lonnie and Sandie Wood of Thorp, WI arrived at her cousin, Effie and Burnel Byer's home on Saturday afternoon, having made a trip to Washington in their motor home, visiting relatives there and in Minot, ND. They also attended a Camper Rally in Minot, ND with 4000 units camped in the fairgrounds and surrounding area. On Friday morning the hail storm hit and did a lot of damage to the happy campers. After spending the night and attending church they left for their home in Wisconsin.

Most of the Fisher family gathered in Greenbush on Saturday at Clara and Paul Everson's home to spend the day golfing and taking in the car races in the evening which they all enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dale and son, Roy Jr. visited Lorene Westerlund on Saturday.

Al and Lorraine Fisher spent the weekend in Brookings, SD with their son Shannon who attends school there.

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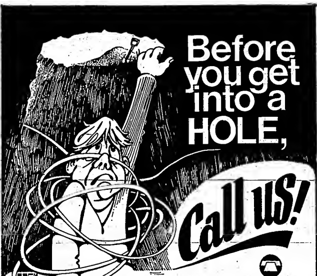

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Reiner Community News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to Ethel Johnson who celebrated her 68th birthday recently at the Stanley Ericksen home.

Those who brought Ethel Johnson greetings were Marion Vraa, Edward Colson and Norval and Marion Haugen of Fosston, Donald Langevin and Jim Dahlen, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hoffman and David Vraa.

Ethel also had a birthday breakfast with Willie and Bert Good, Robert Myrum and Millie Olsen of Trail and telephone calls from Dione Kuhn of Portland, OR, Kenneth Johnson from Long Prairie and Dennis Engebretson from Leonard. We all wish Ethel a Happy Birthday and many more!

Visitors recently at the Stanley Erickson and Ethel Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moe of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tollefsen of Thief River Falls, Dorie Souto and Joyce Broden and two girls and Jim Vebrotien and Kathy Thorpson and Alice Lavin of Bagley.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller, Mrs. Richard Miller, Signe Miller and Mrs. Bob Miller were among those who attended the talent contest in Grygla on Friday evening. Kacey Miller played the piano and Laura Andersen gave a dance performance. There were many numbers of great talent.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The Campfire Girls held a ceremonial meeting Monday at Lovers Lane park.

—The city council set September 30 as the date of a special election on the question of purchasing the Kretzschmar dam.

—G. H. Hooper reports a yield of 59 bushels of wheat per acre on his farm near St. Hilaire.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Martin V. Evenson, president of the city council, was appointed mayor to temporarily replace J. S. Arneson, who resigned.

—A devastating hailstorm hit this area September 1.

—Joe Holte of Fargo is taking over the management of the local creamery.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—A district gathering of Sunday school leaders will be held next Sunday at the fairgrounds.

—Opening enrollment in Thief River Falls schools was 1,361.

—The new junior chamber of commerce will meet tonight at the Evelyn hotel.

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Six million feet of logs still remain in Black Duck and O'Brien creeks, belonging to Patrick and James Meehan.

—School commenced last Tuesday, September 2, with a good attendance. Professor C. W. Sage has charge of the grammar, Miss Lafreniere the intermediate and Miss Wallin the primary department.

—The St. Hilaire dam is nearly completed and is a hummer. The area of the mill pond will be 116 acres which will furnish boomage facilities for any number of mills.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—According to the Duluth Herald, no doubt now exists that the Soo Line will build an extension from Thief River Falls to Duluth.

—A number of wealthy Iowa and Illinois farmers are expected to invest in northern Minnesota land this fall.

—C. J. Knox found a small fish in a bundle of wheat. His farm lies near the river and much of his wheat land was under water this year.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—With only 525 votes being cast, a 20-to-1 margin in favor of issuing $310,000 bonds to finance a new water treatment plant and rebuilding the power dam was registered in a special election.

—Enrollment in the local schools rose from 1,487 on the first day in 1944 to 1,623 in 1945.

—Mrs. Carroll Hinderlie, sister of Mrs. H. O. Chommie, told a capacity audience in Trinity church of her experience while interned with her husband for three years by the Japanese in the Philippines.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Articles of incorporation for Thief River Falls Jobs, Inc., a booster organization for local industry, were submitted by Robert Wurst and signed by Dr. Orion Beich, Bill LaFave, A. F. Berge, James Winjum, W. E. Dahlquist, L. B. Hartz, E. O. Peterson, George Werstlein, Ralph Luhman and Les Ihle at a meeting in the council chamber.

—Construction of a new drive-in theatre is getting underway.

—Wayne Field, Minnesota Jaycee president, will speak at the Jaycee Boss-Employee banquet here October 3.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—With authorization of a loan for $150,000 from the Farmer's Home administration now granted, Northwest Pellet association is moving forward rapidly to assure having an alfalfa pelletizing plant in operation in this city.

—Public school enrollment in Thief River Falls is now 2,623.

—Tuition at the Thief River Falls junior college was $5 per credit hour.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Extensive work is being done to improve county road 17 (commonly known as the airport road).

—Thief River Falls city council accepted the highest bid of $85,500 from Marvin Neelan and Charles Blazek for the purchase of the municipal on-sale liquor facility at 307 North Main avenue.

—New assistant principal at Franklin middle school is Marvin Walter, former classroom teacher in the local school system.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The change of the name of Northwestern hospital to Northwest Medical center will be voted on September 9 at the annual meeting of the hospital association.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl R. Anderson won the Pennington county farm beautification award this year.

—Northwestern hospital association has announced that no offer is being made by it to purchase the St. John's hospital building in Red Lake Falls.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Mr. and Mrs. George Ericksen drove to the State Fair on Thursday where they met their son Rick from Thief River Falls and enjoyed the fair together. The Ericksens returned home Sunday.

Carrie Mickelson was an afternoon caller at Liz Swensons on Thursday. In the evening Allen Swenson was a supper guests.

Jennifer Sustad was treated to a birthday breakfast by Grandpa and Grandma Sustad at Best Western on Saturday morning.

Friday afternoon Thelma Dahl called at the Liz Swenson apartment for a short visit.

Clifford Sustad celebrated his 82nd birthday in CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon with brother and wife, Glenn and Ella Sustad of Stephen who served cheese, coke and coffee to guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Petersen, Vernette Stokke of Newfolden, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad.

Marion Halvorsen of Warren visited with her mother and treated her to lunch on Sunday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hjelle and children who have been visiting at the Virgil Hjelle home in Viking left to visit a few days at the Lawrence Spencer home in Genvick before they returned to their home in the Cities.

Gordon and Adelle Skjerven visited Sunday at the Dan Olson home in honor of Kathy's birthday. David and Lisa Cline were also there.

Liz Swenson attended the 80th birthday party for Lewis Swenson hosted by his daughters at the Gene Hendricksen home in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Ardelle Anderson spent last Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of her sister, DeLaria Rottesoth of Moorhead.

Kathy Olsen and Adelle Skjerven were in Grand Forks on Monday and visited at the Darrin and Tricia Lee home.

On Tuesday afternoon, Ethel Bjork and her daughter Nadine from Roseau were callers at the Liz Swenson home in Thief River Falls.

Last Thursday Gordy Skjerven of Mendota Heights and daughter Karen and Beth Woloski and Adelle Skjerven visited at the Randy Skjerven home in Grand Forks and at the Lillian Sundby home in Alvarado.

Friday afternoon Ardelle Anderson entertained a few friends for coffee and lunch. Those present were Vernell Stokke of Newfolden, Amy Hjelle, Marvelle Hjelle, Rose Sollid, Annie and Leona Gustafson, Arlene Hanson, Ruth Sustad and Betty and Lori Ranum.

LeRoy and Ruth Sustad called on Alma Dratts at her home on Saturday morning.

Sunday evening supper guests at the Hal Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Jon Molby from Badger, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Hovon and boys from Newfolden, Deb Jacobson and friend Karl Fisch from Thief River Falls. Coffee guests later Sunday evening were Dwight and Linda and Paul and Evodell Tengquist of Thief River Falls.

Alma Dratts returned to the CNC unit of the Northwest Medical Center on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kron attended the Grygla Fall Festival on Saturday. They reported the floats were especially good this year.

The Steve Fisher family from Worroad spent the week at the Wallace Hanson home. A Sunday dinner birthday party for Jon Hansen and Nancy Fisher was hosted by the Hansens. Guests were the Fisher family, the Kent Hudson family, the Dbeler family from Andover, Jon and Debbie Hanson and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker and Annie Gustafson. The Dbeler family came on Friday and returned to Andover on Sunday. They all went to the Jon Hansen home on Sunday afternoon for birthday cake.

Dr. and Mrs. Steve Wotzka were also house guests at the Wallace Hanson home from Sunday to Wednesday morning.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — September 6, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Safety Council Asks For Curb on Speeding in City

"Several matters were brought up for consideration last week at a meeting of the Pennington County Safety Council, Richard O. Mabey, secretary, announced. As means of curbing speeding on highways leading into the city, it was recommended that the various highways be patrolled on alternate evenings, and that the steps also be taken by the police to curb reckless driving and double parking, as well as stationing a patrolman to direct traffic at the corner of LaBree avenue and Third street on Saturday evenings."

Personnel of Rationing Board Here To Be Cut

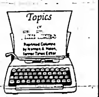
"The elimination of certain rationing duties of the local war price and rationing board *will mean a sizable cut in paid* personnel, declared Waldie Christensen, chairman. According to the information received last week from the Fargo district OPA office, a cut of about 50 percent of local board employees will be accomplished by September 30. In accordance with civil service rules, employees whose service are being terminated, are being given 30 days notice to enable them to secure other employment or to arrange transfer to other OPA offices where vacancies exist."

Loss of Linotype Man Is Cause of News Omission

"A considerable amount of rural correspondence and other material intended for publication in this issue of the Times is of necessity omitted owing to the fact that the paper's one regular linotype operator is in jail on a charge of having issued a series of bad checks. The Times extends its apologies to its readers for the inconvenience caused them."

Thief River Falls and Goodridge School Get State Aid

"County Treasurer A. R. Johnsrud last week received from State Treasurer Julius A. Schmaht the sum of $18,241.37 in school aids for the year ending June 30, 1945. The aids, which were paid in full, included payments to the Thief River district #18 of $13,223 in tuition aids and $1,854.37 for teachers training aid, while the Goodridge district received $3,164 in tuition aid. The Thief River Falls district received in addition the sum of $1,956.86 in aid to the agricultural department."



4-H Achievement Day Sept. 15 At Fair Grounds

"The annual Pennington County 4-H club achievement day to select trip winners to the Junior Livestock show at South St. Paul will be held at the fair grounds in Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon, September 15, starting at 1:30 p.m. as announced this week by County Agent Ernest Palmer. All 4-H clubs enrolled in market poultry, market lambs, and pigs are eligible to show."

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"As an accommodation to local citizens wishing to attend the airport dedication exercises next Sunday, the committee in charge of arrangements announced today that a bus will leave the Triangle bus depot for the airport each hour on the hour starting at 9 a.m. and will make the return trip to the city on the half-hour. A fee of 10 cents will be charged."

—By the way what are you doing this week instead of attending the Minnesota state fair?

—We don't suppose the American flag looks any better to the Japanese, now that it is waving over Tokyo.

—The best Christmas present this town could get would be the assurance that materials are available for the construction of a flock of new houses.

—The easiest way to figure out the cost of living, says the Red Lake Falls Gazette, is to take your income and add ten percent.

—Some commentators are criticizing the proposal to pay $25 a week unemployment compensation on the ground it would put a premium on idleness.

—With supplies increasing, cigaret smokers may be expected to hear the question, "What brand?"

—That Stassen fellow gets around. Last week he was in Japan.

—Commercial laundries probably will view with alarm the announcement that 500,000 washing machines are to be built by the end of 1945.

—There should be a lot of high flyers in town next Sunday. It's airport dedication day.

—Better take out an extra life insurance policy, fellows. Another deer hunting season coming along in November.

—Clipped comment: one of the headaches about running a newspaper and making it interesting is that too many folks want the news printed that isn't fit to print, unless it happens to be about them.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — September 4, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago.

Miscellaneous News Items

"C. W. Peters is treating his house to a coat of paint this week.

"Miss Louisa Swenson left for Moorhead today where she will attend school the coming winter.

"Brink Bros. commenced tearing down their old building on Broadway last Saturday. They will build a large two-story building on the lots as soon as the old one is cleared away. The new building is to be occupied as a saloon on the ground floor and second story will be fitted up as a public hall."

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Mary Ann and Don Norum were Tuesday overnight guests of the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Irene Nelson brought birthday greetings to her grandson, Anthony Kloiler on Monday at his home.

Esther Fuller, Betty Swenson and Mary Ann Fuller were visitors at the home of Ruth Hanson on Tuesday afternoon.

Bernice Trochman, Myrtle Solberg, Ethel Nelsen, Bernice Knutson, Ida Rupprecht and Carmon Anderson were among those who enjoyed the program presented by the Gospel Singers from Fossion at the Faith Brotheran Church on Sunday evening.

Mabel and Eddie Anderson visited at the home of Gladys Gillespie in St. Hilaire on Sunday afternoon.

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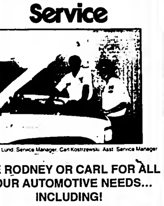
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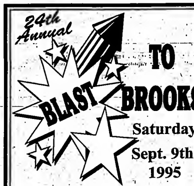

Saturday Sept. 9th, 1995

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

9:00 A.M.	Opening Prayer Service
9:30 A.M.	Hollyhock Homemakers' Bake Sale (Hall)
	St. Joseph Church Bake Sale (Church Basement)
11:00 A.M.	Plate Lunch (St. Joseph Church)
1:45 P.M.	Kiddie Parade
2:00 P.M.	Grand Parade
2:45 P.M.	Games
3:00 P.M.	Turkey Bowling
3-6:00 P.M.	Car Show
5:00 P.M.	Drawing for Quilt
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Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Truck laborers, truck maintenance, rate of pay is $6.10/hour, 40 plus hours/week. Must furnish own transportation, be willing to travel in your own geographical area. Register for interview prior to September 8 at Detroit Lakes MN Job Service, 218-847-9139. Minorities, females, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. 2t71s

PROGRAM COUNSELOR III- Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota, a private non-profit organization, serving persons with developmental disabilities has part-time openings teaching and assisting children with activities of daily living in a residential setting. Shifts will vary. Starting wage $6.70 per hour. WE TRAIN. Applicants must be 18 years or older, hold a valid driver's license and be eligible to be certified in First Aid and CPR. Call 218-681-2441, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. M-F, or write Lutheran Social Service of MN, Disabilities Services, 118 Sixth Street West, P.O. Box 117, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Deadline for applications is Sept. 15, 1995. EOE. 3t73c

DELIVERY PERSONNEL WANTED
DOMINO'S PIZZA
Earn up to $7 - $10 per hour, flexible hours. Must be 18, have your own car and proof of insurance. Apply at DOMINO'S PIZZA OR Call 681-6000.

HELP WANTED- Bartenders, apply in person at the Wagon Wheel, Middle River, MN, 222-3512. 8t71c

WE HAVE openings for two over-the-road semi drivers, 2-years experience, home most weekends, benefits. Parade Inc., Brooks, 218-698-4613. 4t73c

SALES PERSON needed. Great career opportunity, established downtown business. Please send resume to Box 374, TRF. 62tfc

The Jewel Box Jewelry Sales
Part-time position available in Thief River Falls. Flexible hours. Competitive salary. Retail sales experience, computer skills, and enthusiasm required. Mail confidential resume to: Scott Happer, The Jewel Box, Inc., P.O. Box 597, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS- Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info call (219) 794-0010 Ext. 9011, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., 7 days. P8t74p

PERSON FOR cleaning part-time, evenings, 681-2319. 2t71c

WANTED- Responsible adult to care for small children in my home, part-time, call 681-1737. P4t74p

HELP WANTED- Part-time Deli Cook, 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, Clerk, 11 p.m. to 6 a.m., pick up application at Petro Pumper. 67tfc

TRUCK DRIVERS- Semi tri-axles, CDL required, semi, clean driving record, 150 mile radius of Grand Forks, home nights, housing available, potatoes and beets, 800-569-3987. PF4t74c

HELP WANTED- Housekeeper, apply in person only at C'mon Inn in TRF. 4t74c

PARTS SALESPERSON WANTED- Have an immediate opening for a parts salesperson with automotive background. Apply to Jeff Tunberg, Tunberg Ford-Lincoln-Mercury, TRF. 62tfc

HELP WANTED- Part-time janitor at Gary's Bakery, after school hours, call 681-1222. 4t71c

Laborers and Foremen
Immediate Openings. Competitive Wages. Benefits. Travel Required. Wages Based On Previous Railroad Experience
CONTACT
R.R. CONTRACTING
AT
701-772-7667

HELP WANTED- Part-time Nursing Assistant positions available for all shifts. 40-54 hours per two week pay period. Full-time Nursing Assistant position, with benefits, available for night shift. Eligible applicants need to be on the nursing assistant registry or eligible to be on the registry. Apply at Oakland Park Nursing Home, Thief River Falls. Equal Opportunity Employer. 1t71c

WANTED- Babysitter in my home, four nights a week, must have own transportation, call 681-3819. P4t71p

FABRIC CONSULTANT- Part-time position. Apply at Annette's Fabrics, 212 Third East, TRF. 3t71c

HELP WANTED- Truck drivers for fall harvest season needed immediately. Call 218-681-3870. P4t74p

HELP WANTED- Concrete Construction Workers. OPP Construction Company, Highway 81 North, Grand Forks, ND, 701-775-3322. 8t74p

NIGHT AUDITOR- Hours 11 p.m.-7 a.m. Apply at C'mon Inn, Hwy. 59 S. (TRF), no phone calls please! 3t71c

HELP WANTED- Needed immediately! Cooks and waitresses, we need you. Will pay $5.00-$8.00/hour depending on experience. Send your job history and personal info to: Attention Manager, P.O. Box 768, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

Help Wanted

Looking for motivated, aggressive persons willing to work night-time shifts. Please apply at the front Desk.
T-59 Motel
Hwy 59 E TR Falls

HELP WANTED- Large dairy needs herdsman and/or general farm laborer, 4 miles north of TRF, morning hours, salary/wage D.O.E., please call 218-681-5600. P4t72p

PART-TIME COOK- Apply in person, Dee's Kitchen, 811 N. Atlantic, TRF. 71tfc

HELP WANTED- Bookkeeper, full-time or part-time. Computerized posting of ledgers, bank reconciliations and payroll preparation. Experience and training preferred. Full benefit plan may be available to qualified individual. Obtain application at the Occupational Development Center, Highway 32 South, Thief River Falls. E.O.E. 4t71c

Looking For An Honest, Energetic, Self-Motivated Person To Work 10 P.M. - 5 A.M. Shift
Apply In Person
Pennington Main
Thief River Falls

HELP WANTED- Part-time delivery person, early morning hours, and full-time doughnut fryer, evening hours, 681-1222. Gary's Bakery. 68tfc

WANTED- General grain elevator laborer, working different areas of grain elevator, will train, good wages and benefits depending upon experience. Send resume to Farmers Coop Grain, or call 681-6281. 4t71c

WANTED- Sports and general reporter/photographer at the Warren Sheaf. Call 218-745-5174 for interview. 8t72f

HELP WANTED- Part-time bar waiters/waitresses. Apply in person at the American Legion Club in TRF. 3t72c

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONIST/SECRETARY- Part-time (temporary full-time) transcriptionist/secretarial position. Applicants must have medical transcriptionist training or experience, with a strong medical terminology background, word processing skills, and ability to type a minimum of 60 wpm. Candidates must possess flexibility and have excellent interpersonal skills. Contact: Sylvia Smith, Medical Record Dept., Clearwater Co. Memorial Hospital, Bagley, MN. 56621, 218-694-6501. T2t73c

Help Wanted
Person for Furniture Delivery and Set-up. Must be neat, personable and have driver's license.
Wilcox Furniture
Call John Solheim
1-800-645-5081 Days

NEED FAX service? Stop in at The Times. Send or receive for only $2.00 first page with each additional page $1.00. Our fax # is 218-681-4455. Stop in at The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, TRF. Telephone 218-681-4450. 1t71e

Situation Wanted

LICENSED DAYCARE openings. Large variety of activities, loving, positive interaction, fenced yard. Call Connie, 681-6716. PT5t73p

FISHER ELECTRIC
of Thief River Falls, Inc.
★ RESIDENTIAL ★ COMMERCIAL
★ FARM ★ WIRE-REWIRING
681-1884
509 S. Markley, Thief River Falls, MN

WANTED- Shingling jobs, over 20 years experience. No job too big or too small. For your free estimate, call A-ONE Roofing, 218-681-3797. P8t74p

RESIDENTIAL CLEANING • WEEKLY
EXPERIENCE WITH REFERENCE
CALL SANDY 218-597-2499 or Leave a Message

Household Goods

FOR SALE- Antique matching sofa and recliner, late 1980's, perfect condition, 218-963-2703 work, 436-6680 home. P4t71p

FOR SALE- Chest type deep freeze, $90.00. Call 218-222-3366 for more information. P4t71p

KING WATERBED- Everything included, excellent condition, only $150.00, 964-5663. P4t72p

FOR SALE- Livingroom set, hide-a-bed, chair, ottoman, phone 681-5474 after 5:00 p.m. P4t74p

ELECTRO-MATE PLENUM heater for sale, 18kw, 240vac, 63 amps, 880CFM, call 681-7166, Tieman Welding. 2t71s

FOR SALE- Pressure washer, 681-7630. 70tfc

Pets

FOR SALE- Two seven-month-old mini Cocker Spaniel puppies, very loveable, looking for a nice home. Call 222-3429 or 222-3297, leave message, $50.00 or best offer. 2t71s

FOR SALE- AKC yellow Lab puppies, have had their first shots, call 681-7599. P4t73p

SHIH TZU purebred stud service. Call 681-5433, or work 681-4240 Ext. 146, ask for Sylvia. P4t72p

ROYAL PET grooming and supplies, certified groomer, 6th and Atlantic, Thief River Falls, call 681-8311. 8t76c

FOR SALE- Hamster, cage, and accessories. Call 681-8968. 54tfc

AKC CHOCOLATE Labs, good lines, will be excellent hunting and family dogs, born 7-12-95, $200.00. Call 218-268-4636, visit and reserve now. 2t71c

AKC REGISTERED Boxer puppies, excellent family dogs, after 6 p.m., call 218-687-4401. 4t72f

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Ariens, Lawn-Boy, and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair, Warren, MN 745-4296. T50tfc

For Sale
John Deere 317
Lawn Tractor, 48" Cut W/33" Rototiller, Hydrostatic Drive, Excellent Condition, Newer 18 H.P. Twin Cylinder Onan Engine $2,495
Call John Solheim
1-800-645-5081 Days
or
218-253-2071 Evenings

FOR SALE- John Deere riding lawn mower, 30" cut, about 8-years-old, $600.00. Also, lawn sweeper, phone 449-3945. P4t71p

Personal Services

WANTED- Custom combining with 9600 J.D. and supporting equipment, 874-7211. 8t71c

DIVORCE
Uncontested $250.00 plus costs
BANKRUPTCY
$300.00 plus costs
Omdahl and Tarry, 1-800-460-6040. 18dc

PIANO TUNING- Ken MacDonald, 218-874-2918. 52tfc

NORTHLAND SHOE REPAIR 607 East 8th St. (TRF), Open Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. P12t80p

Public Notices

30 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat-N-Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood-oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-446-4043. 21tfc

AM LOOKING for the former Marilyn L. Dow. Please contact me at P.O. Box 45, Kettle River, MN, or call 218-273-6206. P8t76p

THANK YOU
We would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone for sharing our 60th anniversary. To those who sent cards and those who came to spend the time with us, it was great. Especially our children and grandchildren who did such a great job. We will always remember this day. God bless all of you.
Henry and Deloris Bendickson 1t71p

MAY THE Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, glorified, loved and preserved through out the world now and forever. Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Say this prayer each day for 9 days. By the 18th day your prayers will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you, St. Jude for answering my prayers. TM 1t71p

Lost And Found

LOST- 20" Dyno Datour boys bike, white with blue decals, last seen Aug. 18th, please call 681-1535 if found. 2t71p

Looking For A New And Exciting Career?

Would you like to be the first in the community to see the latest trends in cosmetics and fragrance - and be paid for it?

THRIFTY WHITE DRUG is looking for a dynamic salesperson to head our cosmetic department in Thief River Falls.

IF YOU: • Enjoy Public Contact • Have An Ability To Sell And Build A Client Base • Enjoy The Cosmetics Industry • Are Creative And Have An Ability To Build Displays • Are Able to Work A Flexible Schedule...
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Position paid on a base salary plus commission. Starting salary based on experience. CONTACT STORE MANAGER:
AL BLACK • 218-681-2932

For Rent

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom mobile home, 7 miles southeast, no pets, $150.00 per month and utilities, deposit and references, 681-3618. 1t71p

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment, all utilities paid, $275.00, 681-3621. 59tfc

FOR RENT- 3-bedroom mobile home, available Sept. 1, with washer, dryer, dishwasher, disposal, references and deposit required, 681-6812 after 6:00 p.m. P4t72p

AVAILABLE NOW!
A Three-room apartment Downtown Thief River Falls location (above Midwest Vision Center). Fridge & Heat furnished. Rent $225.00 per mo. Deposit required.
CALL 681-3232 OR AFTER 6 P.M. 681-2323

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom trailer house, deposit and references required, no pets, call after 6 p.m., 681-6812. 63tfc

1- AND 2-bedroom apartments available, all utilities paid, HUD approved, call 681-7803 for application. 4t71c

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartment, must qualify for rental assistance, no pets, call 681-4478. 70tfc

FOR RENT
Available Immediately 1-bedroom apartment, newer building, air conditioning, GE appliances, paved parking lot, car plug-in and laundry facilities, deposit required. 601 W. 13Th St., TRF.
681-1748

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tfc

TWO-BEDROOM APARTMENT, HUD assisted, includes utilities, must have a dependent or be pregnant, 681-6797.

Office Space For Rent
Downtown Red Lake Falls
Very Reasonable!
Available Immediately!
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218-253-2071 Evenings

2-BEDROOM HOUSE, garage, 2-bedroom large apartment, garage, no pets, deposit, 1-year lease, references, 681-2863. P4t73p

For Rent

STORAGE SPACE
12'X24' STORAGE UNITS FOR RENT
MONTHLY $40.00/ $30 DEPOSIT
Thief River Falls, MN
681-3370

FOR RENT- 200 sq. ft. office space, heat, air and electric furnished, call 681-2604 or 681-1817. 56tfc

TOWNHOUSE FOR RENT- Nice two-bedroom, 1 1/2 bath townhouse with garage in quiet building in residential neighborhood. Private front and back entrances, heat, water, range, refrigerator, garbage disposal, dishwasher, clothes washer and dryer and air conditioning provided in each unit. No pets, deposit and references required. Call 681-7446. 56tfc

For Rent
2-Bedroom fully furnished apartment, plus washer and dryer. $275.00 per month plus utilities. Red Lake Falls.
Available September 2nd!
Call John Solheim
1-800-645-5081 Days
or
218-253-2071 Evenings.

3-BEDROOM HOUSE in St. Hilaire, $325.00 plus utilities, available immediately, 523-5001. P4t72p

ROOMMATE WANTED- Responsible non-smoking individual to share a furnished, 2-bedroom apartment in TRF, $155.00/month plus 1/2 of electricity, phone and cable, and $150.00 deposit. Call 681-8968, after 5 p.m. 54tfc

FOR RENT
2 BEDROOM APARTMENT
Car Plug-In, Air Conditioned, Laundry Facilities.
GARAGES AVAILABLE
COUNTRY ACRES APARTMENTS
Thief River Falls, MN
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FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment, call 681-5306 or 681-8723. P4t71p

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT
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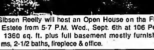

Stan Gibson Realty will host an Open House on the Florence Drotts Estate from 5-7 P.M. Wed., Sept. 6th at 106 Parkview Place. 1360 sq. ft. plus full basement mostly furnished, 4-bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, fireplace & office.

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SEPT. 6, 1995

TO BE OFFERED ON "BIDS"...SEE...WED. EVENING, SEPT. 6 5:00 TO 7:00 ...MEADOW LARK ESTATES...HIGHWAY #1 EAST TO SHERWOOD AND SOUTH!!! WATCH FOR SIGNS

IMPRESSIVE "NEW" HOME WITH EXTRAS!!!

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IF YOU NEED A PRIVATE APPOINTMENT...DO CALL EARLY...INFORMATION DEEMED RELIABLE BUT NOT GUARANTEED!!!

- 1489...GOODRIDGE HOBBY FARM ON TAR ROAD...FOUR-BEDROOM HOME WITH NEW SHINGLES, PAINT AND MORE...TWO-CAR, GRAIN BINS, BARN ON TEN ACRES...IN THE $50's...ASK FOR GUS.
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- 1509...STRANDQUIST FOR YOU???? SEE THIS SUPER NICE SET-UP...16X78 LIBERTY MOBILE HOME AND 24X34 GARAGE...MANY EXTRAS...$3A,900... CALL FOR GUS...

For Rent

FOR RENT- Large 1-bedroom apartment in Holt, available Sept. 1, all utilities paid, washer and dryer included, $275.00/month, deposit required, no pets, call 449-3601. P4t71p

Real Estate

FOR SALE- 3-bedroom country home with ten acres, plus barn, 2-1/2 miles east of Viking, call 701-847-2108. P8t73p

FOR SALE BY OWNER 3-bedroom home on 2 1/2 acres, 2 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7290 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfc

FOR SALE
4-PLEX
219 St. Paul Ave. S.
BY SEALED BIDS
to be opened Friday, Sept. 29, 1995
OPEN HOUSE
Sun., Sept. 24
1:00 to 4:00 P.M.
We reserve the right to refuse any or all bids.
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Let Your Renters Pay Your Payments Or Convert Back To A Huge Single Home

WANTED- Listing for all types of land. We have buyers looking for farmland and hunting land. List with the leader in farmland sales in NW Minnesota. We know our real estate business and appreciate yours. Northland Realty Farm Sales, 681-6036, Thief River Falls, MN. 46tfc

FOR SALE by owner. One unit of newly constructed duplex. Prime location, all on one level, great retirement home. For appointment call 681-3834. 63tfc

OLD HOUSE- to be moved, would be good hunting cabin! Sold in, as is condition, 449-3945, owner/agent. 33tfc

FOR SALE or rent- One-bedroom home, for more info. call 681-7492. P4t71p

TWO LARGE residential lots in Southtown near Challenger Elementary School, 681-4886 days, 681-2518 eves./weekends. 33tfc

FOR SALE by owner- 3-bedroom rambler, 1-bath, detached 28x38 garage/workshop on five acres, 6 miles to TRF. Call evenings at 681-6581. P4t71p

FOR SALE- Farm site, approximately 12 acres or more in Sec. 9 of Garnes township, Red Lake Co. with a ranch style house, barn, 2-car garage, quonset and other outbuildings. Located 7-miles from Plummer or 7-miles from Oklee. Will accept written bids until Sept. 30th. At time of bid opening, the five highest bidders can orally raise their bids. The owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. For more information call 218-222-3787 or 796-5272. Send bids to RR1 Box 105, Middle River, MN 56737 or RR1 Box 76, Brooks, MN 56715. T2t73c

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10% RETURN- on investment. For sale, Commercial Rental. FULLY RENTED, 1600 square feet apartment, 7800 square feet warehouse, (218) 465-4242. 47tfc

OLDER HOME, remodeled, 3-bedrooms, 2-baths, basement, single garage on 3/4 acre lot, quiet neighborhood in Thief River Falls, 681-5864. P8t75p

REAL ESTATE for sale by owner- New 3-bedroom rambler with all appliances, garage all finished, corner lot. For appointment call 681-3834, leave message. 65tfc

Genereux Realty, Inc.
Hwy. 32 South
(Across from Belmont Funeral Home)
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-HOME (4663)
1-800-447-0382
YOUR HOME TEAM FOR THE '90's

- #5024 ... NEW LISTING!! Edge of city limits!! 3-bedroom rambler! Main floor laundry! Stove, fridge, washer, dryer, dishwasher, double car garage with door opener! New Point! Large Lot! $31,900.00!!
- #5022 ... JUST LISTED! Nice split foyer home south edge of town! 3-Bedrooms, 2-baths, family room, double car garage. NICE LOT, CALL TODAY! $70's.
- #9972 ... NICE COUNTRY HOME NW OF TOWN! 3 levels, main floor has kitchen, living room, and dining room, up a few steps to 3-bedrooms and 2-baths, family room, and 4th bedroom in the lower level! GORGEOUS 5-ACRE YARD! $70's.
- #9938 ... NW PART OF TOWN! Lots of new remodeling! Lots of knotty pine! 3-bedrooms, very nice 3-car garage, nice deck! $40's.
- #9985 ... NICE RIVER HOME! 5-bedroom, 3-baths, main floor family room with fireplace and sliding glass doors! Oak woodwork! Lots of expansion room in the lower level! Double attached garage, steel siding! 3 nice acres!! SELLER WILL CONSIDER ALL WRITTEN OFFERS!
- #9986 ... NICE ONE-BEDROOM HOME would be a great place to start out or a good rental! $12,900.
- #5002 ... WHY RENT! Good [illegible] home with all appliances included! Even the microwave! $7,900!!
- #9968 ... JUST REDUCED!!!! Hobby farm, very nice 3-bedroom rambler on 7 acres with more acreage available. Pole barn and other outbuildings. $57,500.

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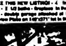
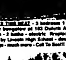
Real Estate

STAN GIBSON REALTY
Open House
Wed. Sept. 6 From 5-7 P.M.

1. SEE THIS NEW LISTING! - 4 bedroom - 2 1/2 baths - fireplace in living room - double garage attached at 106 Parkview Place on 140'x171' lot in 90's.



2. SEE THIS NEAT - 3 bedroom 1 1/2 story bungalow at 103 Duluth Ave. North - 2 baths - electric fireplace - right by Lincoln High School - double garage - much more - Call To See!!



3. 278 ACRE LIVESTOCK RANCH - Nice 5-bedroom, 2-bath rambler - double garage attached - large deck - good outbuildings - new 350 ft. well - 160 acre tillable - priced at $119,900

4. USED CAR LOT & ACREAGE - on US #2 & 59 - $49.58/Acre - office building & 32 x 80 pole barn - 1,600 ft. of #2 frontage. Call Harry Nohre, 218-945-6849 or Stan Gibson.

5. SEE THIS ONE-BEDROOM, 3-ROOM HOUSE AND UTILITY ROOM!! On 50' x 150' lot - with all street improvements in and paid - Priced in Teens!!

6. COMMERCIAL BUILDING in excellent location with approximately 1,700 sq. ft. of office space, plus 2 rental apartments with a total of $700.00 monthly income. Also has double garage.

7. 24 X 56 DOUBLE-WIDE 6 miles east of Crookston, just off #2 - with 40' x 60' super insulated shop - 3.2 acres of land. Call Harry Nohre 218-945-6849 or Stan Gibson.

BUYING OR SELLING SEE US FIRST!!
For An Appointment Call:
Stan Gibson, Broker
681-4087

Listings Needed • Listings Needed • Listings Needed

320 A. hunting land, Roseau Co., 218-843-2061. P4t74p

Mobile Homes

FOR SALE- 1972 Ord trailer house, 14x68, 2-bedroom, 1-bath, beautiful country lot, 2.8 miles from town, $4,500.00, 681-1509. P4t71p

PRICED TO SELL! 1982 Liberty 14x80 three-bedroom, 2-full baths, wood siding, fireplace, appliances, central air, attached entry, set up on lot (TRF). Excellent condition, 218-843-3530. P4t73p

Mobile Homes

FOR SALE- 1990 mobile home, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, entry, deck, double garage, central air, near Challenger school, call 681-1862. P8t72p

FOR SALE- 16x14 mobile home, entryway and pre-cast concrete steps, 4 steps, base is 4x3 1/2. Call 879-4430. P4t72p

FOR SALE by owner. $11,900.00, easy to heat or cool, 1976 14x56 2-bedroom mobile home on lot 50x140, stove, refrigerator, drapes, curtains and central air, garage 22x24, garage door opener, garage is wired, insulated and sheet rocked. ALL TO BE SOLD TOGETHER. Available Sept. 10th. For appointment call 964-5704. P4t71s

FOR SALE- 1979 Revere 14x70 mobile home, 2-bedroom, 1-bath, 8x12 deck, entry, 8x12 shed, 681-4341. P4t72p

Business Opportunities

FOR SALE- Christmas wreath business, make some extra money in your spare time, for more information call 218-222-3372. P4t72p

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Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE- 524 S. St. Paul Ave., Fri., Sept. 8, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Ladies, men's, teens, girls and boys clothing, toys and misc. 1t71p

Garage Sale
Sat., Sept 9
8 A.M. - 4 P.M.
103 Idlewood Ct.
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MOVING SALE- Sept. 9th, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Furniture and lots of books and misc. Last place on S. end of St. Hilaire, east side of Hwy. 32. 2t71p

GROUP GARAGE sale- Friday and Saturday, Sept. 8 and 9, 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Children's and adult clothing, men's jackets, size XXL, sewing machine, exercise bike, swivel chair, household items, small oil stove, electric motors, gas grill, lots of hardware and miscellaneous items. 325 S. Merriam Ave. 2t72p

GARAGE SALE- Chair, guitar amp., Fall clothing and misc. Sat., (9/9), 7 a.m.-3 p.m., 220 N. Knealé. 2t72p

GROUP RUMMAGE sale- Sept. 9-10, Sat., 8 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Clothing, lots of misc., 3-1/2 miles south of St. Hilaire on Highway 32 or 8-1/2 miles north of RLF. 1t71p

RUMMAGE SALE- Friday, Sept. 8th, 8 a.m.-6 p.m., county road 62, first right past the Lantern (Hwy. 59 S.), 5th house, right hand side. Women's, children's clothing, household misc., nightstand, twin mattress and bed, dresser. 1t71p

Rummage Sales

RUMMAGE SALE- 1166 Greenhill Drive, Friday, Sept. 8th, 7 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Household items include floor polisher and scrubber, 2 highchairs, clothing, misc. 1t71p

BIG GARAGE SALE- Kenmore washer/dryer, color TV, furniture, adult seasonal and winter clothes, 33-1/3 records, CD's, hockey sticks, used and wood veneer lumber, great for the home hobbyist, lots and lots of misc. Friday, September 8th, 8-8 and Saturday, September 9th, 8-2, 204 Markley Ave. North. 2t72p

MOVING SALE
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NEIGHBORHOOD GARAGE sales, Riverdale Drive, off Pennington, 9 a.m., Sat., Sept. 9. 1t71p

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Sept. 9, 7:00 a.m., 2 tables, desk, other furniture, clothing, dishes, pictures, lots of misc. Don't miss. 923 N. Knight. 2t72p

MULTI-PARTY DAYCARE close-out, 901 N. State, Fri. evening, (8-9), Sat., 8 a.m.-5 p.m. 2t72p

GROUP GARAGE sale- 110 Kenwood Ct., Sat., Sept. 9th, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lots of misc. items, come see. 2t72p

FRIDAY, SEPT. 8, 1201 N. Arnold. Quilts, sheets, pillow cases, headboard, vacuum cleaner, stereos with cassette player, and luggage, woman's and men's clothing, many sweaters for fall and lots of misc. 1t71p

Legal Notices

August 30, September 6, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT-NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
PROBATE DIVISION-CASE TYPE INDICATOR: I
Court File No.P595-538
In Re: Estate of Ronald J. Novak, Deceased.
NOTICE OF INFORMAL APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:
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Legal Notices

August 30, September 6, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
Pursuant to Chapter 103D.911 of the Minnesota Statutes, notice is hereby given that the Board of Managers of the Middle River-Snake River Watershed District will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget for 1996 at 7:00 p.m., September 18, 1995, at 453 North McKinley Street in Warren, Minnesota.
The following is a summary of the proposed budget for 1996:

Building	5,000
Property Taxes	5,000
Utilities	3,000
Supplies	8,000
Equipment	8,000
Telephone	2,500
Publications and Printing	1,000
Postage	1,000
Misc.	2,000
Insurance	12,000
Legal and Professional	8,500
Managers Per Diem and Expenses	15,000
Association Dues	1,400
Employee Mileage & Expenses	4,000
Vehicle Expense	4,000
Employee Payroll & Fringes	198,000
USGS Stream Gage & Ground Water Study	2,500
Stream Maintenance	5,000
Contingency	10,000
Subtotal	295,100
Less Project Expenses	169,375
Net Administrative Fund Budget	125,725

In addition a proposed levy of .03627 percent of the estimated market value is proposed to be levied which is authorized to assist in funding flood control projects in the Red River Valley, as amended by Chapter 86 of Minnesota Laws of 1981.
Interested persons are invited to attend this hearing and express their views.
-s- Connie Kujawa
for Richard Kuzel, Secretary

September 6, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Thief River Falls City Code, that the Planning Commission is initiating a rezoning of a property recently annexed into the City. The property is owned by Solid Waste Integrated Systems of Pennington County, Limited Partnership, (SWISPENCO), Don Breuer, President, 1355 Highway No. 32 South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.
The Planning Commission proposes to rezone the following described property from Industrial District (I) under, the Rocksbury Township Two Mile Zoning Ordinance, to General Industrial District (I-2):
That part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE1/4, SE1/4) of Section Five (5), Township One hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian described as follows:
Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE1/4, SE1/4); thence in a westerly direction along the North line of said Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE1/4, SE1/4) a distance of 580.8 feet; thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with the East line of said Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE1/4, SE1/4) a distance of 750 feet; [illegible]

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Rorey Lemmel of Mud Butte, SD, escaped serious injury when "Rolling Thunder" rolled away without him in the second round of bull riding Friday night at the TRF Stampede. Just as Lemmel nodded his head for the gate to be opened, the bull shifted position and Lemmel thought there would be a delay. Instead the bull surged out and he was fortunate to be able to pull free with what appeared to be only a minor leg injury.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Darren Arveson called at the Ernest Mostrom home Thursday forenoon.

Lois Burstad, Edna Hawk, Ida Haugen, Joni Bjerklie, Matt and Emily, Ryan, Eric and Lucas Bjerklie called at the Clara Peterson home Wednesday afternoon.

Ernest Mostrom and Pastor Dan Feugstad, Linda Homme called at the Ida Haugen home on Friday.

Edna Hawk and Ida Haugen called at the Robert Burstad home in Thief River Falls on Saturday. Then later Lois Burstad accompanied them to the Good Samaritan Home in Warren, where they visited with Ruby Asp and Alice Lendobeje who are patients at the home.

Lois Burstad was an overnight guest Saturday night at the Haugen home and he also attended service Sunday morning at the Nazareth church.

Ida Haugen and Edna Hawk called at the Shirley Johnsrud home briefly Sunday evening.

Roy Hawk called at the Gary B. Johnson home one day during the week.

Funeral

Funeral services were held on August 22, 1995 at the Nazareth Lutheran church for Arnold Haugen. Officiant Reverend Pastor Dan Feugstad; Organist/Soloist was Grace Hemmer; Trumpeter was Reverend Robert Dahlen. Selections children sang "Jesus Lead Thou On", "How Great Thou Art". Congregation Hymns "Blessed Be the Tide That Binds", #464 "Rock of Ages". Casketbearers Elaine Goodman, Steven Haugen, Edna Hawk, Bruce Burstad, Keith Haugen, Mishawn Sheski, Bradley Johnson. Honorary Casketbearers Hospice, friends and neighbors. Interment Nazareth church cemetery, Hickory Township, Pennington County. Arrangements with the Green Funeral Home. Blessed be his memory.

Callers at the Haugen home recently were Clara Peterson, Ricky, Joni and Emily Bjerklie, Ella Englund, Brenda Dahlen, Terry and Jared Haugen, Leroy Mostrom, Shirley Johnsrud, Ernest Mostrom, David Arvason, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Haugen, Sharron Johnson, Ardith Kloth and Lois Burstad.

Relatives that came to the Haugen home after the funeral services to visit and have an early supper before they all returned to their home were Andy and Cheryl Ackman, Katie, Heidi and Michelle, Joe and Brenda Burie, Danielle and Ryan, Steven and Angela Haugen, Terry Haugen, Robert and Lois Burstad, Bruce Burstad, Graham and Jordan, Bradley and Marlene Johnson, Brandon, Kyle, Ryan and Ethan, Keith Haugen, Debbie Anderson, Orrin and Janice Haugen, Bud and Linda Homme, Cheryl Cantwell, Gary, Sharron and Brian Johnson, Ardith Kloth, Elaine Goodman, Roy and Edna Hawk, Mike Goerdt, Mishawn Sheski.

Ardith Kloth took Elaine Goodman to Grand Forks airport on Thursday she took a plane back to Chicago, IL. She came to attend her grandpa Arnold Haugen's funeral.

Edna and Roy Hawk of Issaquah, WA are spending a couple of weeks with her mom Ida Haugen. They will return to their home next week.

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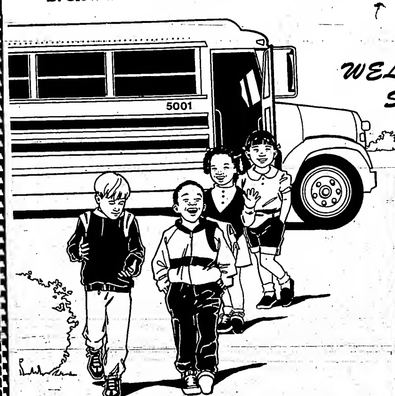

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Sports Supplement
This edition of The Times contains a special sports supplement, which includes team pictures and the fall schedules for the Prowlers and Pioneers.

Pedal pullers win Page 12
Tyler Holen, Jeremy Lolland and Gretchen Smeby gained high placings September 9 at the MN Pedal Tractor Pullers Association State Championships.

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Volume 84, Number 37 — 324 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 — Wednesday, September 13, 1995

TRF City Council begins to address budget deficit

Thief River Falls City Council is considering a 12.3 per cent increase in the tax levy. About five per cent of the increase is for the general levy, but 7.3 per cent or $70,000 of the increase is a special levy to address the mandated Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) requirement.

Administrative services committee has recommended that the city council levy for $1,073,590, a 12.3 per cent increase over the previous year. The city has until September 15, by law, to set its levy. Between now and September 15, the council will meet to consider whether they are comfortable with that kind of increase. This is the fourth year without state mandated tax levy limits.

Currently, the city council is looking at a preliminary 1996 general fund budget deficit of $306,530. "That's what we have to address," said City Administrator Roger DeLap.

DeLap added that it isn't unusual to have a $300,000 budget deficit at this time in the budget process.

In his review of the budget, DeLap projected a net increase over 1995 in overall general fund revenue of $127,840. He projected expenditures — based on preliminary departmental budget figures — of $448,814, which, including current general fund budget surplus of $14,444, provides the general fund budget deficit of $306,530. The general fund expense budget also includes a $70,000 debt service payment.

The general fund budget accounts for only part of the revenue the city takes in each year. In 1994, for example, general property taxes accounted for 19.4 per cent of general fund revenue; intergovernmental revenue accounted for 46.8 per cent; department revenue accounted for 7.3 per cent; licenses and fines accounted for 3.2 per cent; transfers accounted for 20.5 per cent, and miscellaneous general revenue accounted for 2.8 per cent of general fund revenue. In all, general fund revenue amounted to $3,759,950.

Intergovernmental revenue includes local government aid, Homestead Agriculture Credit Aids, and other intergovernmental revenue. The city is anticipating a 3.6 per cent ($41,626) increase in local governmental aid in 1995, but a decrease in HACA of $19,185.

The revenue is spent many ways. Again, in 1994, general government accounted for 15.4 per cent of general fund expenditures; public safety accounted for 32.4 per cent of general fund expenditures; park and recreation accounted for 24.9 per cent of general fund expenditures; streets and highways accounted for 15 per cent of general fund expenditures; and miscellaneous general fund revenue accounted for 12.3 per cent of general fund expenditures.

State government is beginning to focus its attention on reserves collected by cities as a source of income. DeLap provided an explanation of the city's fund reserves. In total "quick assets", or funds that could be quickly accessed, as of December 31, 1994, the city had $3,938,766 in fund reserves. Total dedicated fund reserves, which are reserves which are designated for specific purposes, the city has another $2,909,357. The fund reserves do not take into account inventories, fixed assets, bonded debt, current tax levies, inter-fund debt, or any accrued liability for sick leave or vacation of city employees.

In preparing for next year's budget, the city council will also have to take into account financing options for the depot renovation project. DeLap outlined several

(Continued on Page 2)

Little Brother/ Sister program needs mentors

"Our community has the caring adults necessary to support youth, but they need to come forward and be paired with a child," states Bev Rupprecht, coordinator of the Little Brother/Little Sister program in Thief River Falls.

The program is conducted through the community education department of School District 564. Rupprecht may be contacted in person at the community education office in the school district service center at 230 LaBree Avenue South, by calling 681-8740 during the day or 681-3103 in the evening.

"We have some great mentors working with the young people in our community, but we need more. We urge caring adults to show a child they care and to lend a listening ear."

Rupprecht says that in years past there were responsible adults everywhere, but today the adults that buffered and shaped children's lives seem to have disappeared one by one.

"The neighbors are minding their own business," Rupprecht said. "The corner storekeepers have gone to the mall. The 'old heads,' the respected elders, have moved or been intimidated into silence. The parents have gone to work...or sometimes just gone.

"Children are like the cheese in the old children's game of the Farmer in the Dell," she said. "The kid stands alone."

Rupprecht said the current troubled state of children in America can be summed up in one sentence: There aren't enough caring adults in their lives. Most of the adults that children see live inside a television set, and a lot of them aren't very good role models.

"Our little Brother/Little Sister program in Thief River Falls tries to reverse this trend by providing positive role models who show they care," Rupprecht said. "This one-to-one relationship is one way to reach kids who are troubled and need someone to listen."

Robert Flynn

Ken Froschheiser

Roger Reuter

Dr. Ashok Patel

Five elected to medical center's board Monday

Five members were elected to the board of directors of Northwest Medical Center at the annual meeting Monday evening at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

Incumbent board member Keith Steva was reelected to a three-year term. Robert Flynn and Roger Reuter were elected to three-year terms to fill the positions previously held by Larry Rohlf and Cathy Belmont. Mrs. Belmont had completed nine years of service on the board and was ineligible for reelection. Rohlf declined to seek reelection.

Dr. Ashok Patel was elected to a three-year term to succeed Dr. Peter Johnson who also declined renomination. Kenneth Froschheiser, a former board member for nine years and chairman for three years, was elected to fill the unexpired term of James Rogalla who resigned in December of 1994.

There were 104 members of the Northwest Medical Center Association present at the annual meeting and 100 votes cast in the election. Nominations for director candidates closed on August 1.

Reports were presented at the meeting by Larry McDowell, chairman of the board of directors; Richard Spyhalski, chief executive officer; and Dr. Robert Dicken, chief of the medical staff. Dr. Dicken also presented an educational program on refroctive surgery.

Annual report of the medical center showed that as of April 30, 1995, total assets had increased to $21,583,184 from $20,141,883 on the some date in 1994. Current assets had increased from about $6.8 million a year ago to nearly $6.3 million in 1995 and included an increase in cash and investments from $1.6 million to $3.2 million.

Keith Steva

Current liabilities of $2,377,758 on April 30 of 1995 were up about $30,000 from a year ago and included $208,120 as the current

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ACS unit sets winter agenda

Individuals who pledged money to the American Cancer Society for the Jail and Ball last spring are being reminded to send in their pledges.

American Cancer Society board members in Thief River Falls met Monday night. Installed as president this year was Julie Desrocher. She replaces Frank Womack, who has become vice president.

The committee is preparing for the many awareness month activities, and other activities this winter. The committee was reminded that October is National Breast Cancer Awareness month. The local unit has joined this nationwide program, dedicated to educating American women and their families about the importance of early detection of breast cancer. Early detection provides the best protection to treat breast cancer successfully.

Over $9,000 was raised in a very successful Jail and Bail fund-raising campaign last spring. Just over $6,000 has been turned in to officials. Anyone who made a pledge and has not turned in the pledge can do so by sending it to: Carol Torgerson at Route 6, Box 20A, Thief River Falls, MN, 56701.

The local unit did not conduct a door-to-door fund-raising campaign last year. Instead, they hope residents will continue to support the Jail and Ball program and their other efforts.

The local unit has a number of service programs, such as the "Look Good Feel Better" program, "Reach to Recovery", "Road to Recovery", "I Can Cope", "Kids Count Too", and various public and professional education programs and services. The unit also has access to rehabilitation and service equipment. The organization supports the cost of these programs

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Welltek breaks ground for building in Grygla

60x100 steel building with 18-foot sidewalls on five-acre site will be first building in the Grygla Industrial Park

Terry Wells, founder of Welltek Engineering, Inc., of Grygla, watches his son Charlie help break ground for the company's new 60x100 foot building in the Grygla Industrial park. Charlie brought along his own shovel for the event, but thought one of the big ones would work better to dig a bigger hole.

Welltek Engineering, Inc. of Grygla became the first company to begin building in the Grygla Industrial Park when the company broke ground Monday afternoon.

Terry Wells, founder of the company and now one of three partners in the corporation, said the building will be of steel construction with 18-foot sidewalls. It will be 60x100 feet in size with the front 25 feet devoted to two floors of office area.

Front of the building will face north and the structure will be located on five acres of land which Welltek has acquired on the east edge of the industrial park. It will be air conditioned throughout and heated with a gas-fired furnace. Hot water pipes will be located in the floor of the building.

Other partners with Wells in the corporation are Mike McKeever and Curt Forsland. Jan Peterson is the company's first employee other than the partners and serves as its secretary and bookkeeper.

Wells said that the building is expected to be completed in February and that the company will be looking for up to eight toolmakers to be added to the staff when the building is ready for occupancy. At present the firm is involved entirely with building tooling and fixtures for Polaris Industries and is unable to keep up with the demand.

Johnson and Markstrom Construction Company of Roseau will be the general contractor and began site preparation immediately following a brief groundbreaking ceremony at 3 p.m. on the site.

Participating in the ceremony were Wells, who welcomed those in attendance; Joy Nordby, vice mayor; Bryan Grove, president of the American State Bank of Grygla; and Clayton Carlson, representing Polaris Industries.

Joining Wells, Grove and Carlson in the groundbreaking were co-owners McKeever and Forsland, contractors Keith Markstrom and Lowell Johnson, secretary-bookkeeper Janice Peterson, electrical contractor Edward Monson of Gatzke and Wells' five-year-old son Charlie, who brought along his own shovel for the event. Other contractors on the project will be Stoskopf Redi-Mix of Roseau and Beito Plumbing and Heating, also of of Roseau.

Wells began the company as a one-man shop in September of 1993, later found McKeever and Forsland and incorporated earlier this year. He previously started and operated Machinewell, Inc., which he later sold and is now operating in downtown Grygla.

Wells said he fully expects Welltek to be an eight to 10-person shop within the next two years and that it will probably expand into other areas of industrial work, such as molding.

Machinewell, the company which Wells started in 1976, is now operating under different ownership in a large building constructed several years ago along the main street in downtown Grygla. The small community has managed to create and sustain industry beyond many towns its size or larger.

Terry Wells

Jny Nordby

Bryan Grove

Clayton Carlson

Council addresses deficit in budget

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options, including some that were fairly innovative. Based on preliminary estimate, it appears that the city would have to raise from $500,000 to $700,000 to fully fund the project.

The city council has scheduled several more meetings to address the budget deficit. The city will adopt its 1995 budget and final tax levy probably on December 14.

On Tuesday, the council adopted a residential anti-displacement and relocation assistance plan. The plan was a mandatory statement for the commercial and residential rental rehabilitation project. In relation to the same project, the council approved a motion to publish a combined notice of finding of no significant impact and notice of intent to request release of funds.

The council also entered into a management agreement, whereby Flynn Realty will manage the rental of city property located on Pennington Avenue.

The council also authorized advertisement for a payroll/data processing clerk.

Cancer society unit sets winter agenda

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with donations and support from the American Cancer Society. Jail and Bail is one method of raising funds for the program. The unit also receives memorials, donations, and conducts a Daffodil Days fund-raising effort, and Longest Day of Golf promotion.

Local unit volunteers include: Julie Desrocher, Frank Womack, Audrey Bruggeman, Carol Torgerson, Lillian Ranum, Diane Freeman, Vivian Brekke, the Golden K, Evadell Tangquist, Joney Poole, Dorothy Voelk, Sharon Russell, Dave Hill, Gordy Peterson, Lucy Aasland, Adeline Parnow, Elva Fiedler, Julie Rohl, Marcella Hanson, Ken and Donna Poole, Bob Michalicek, Jail and Bail, Rick Sather, legacy and planned giving, and Ernest Thorsgard, medical advisor.

For more information about the programs and services provided by the American Cancer Society locally, contact Julie Desrocher at 681-2315.

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Thief River Falls Quilters Guild recently donated quilt books to the library at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls. Dorothy Hanson (right), a retired teacher and a member of the quilters guild, made the presentation to librarian Jane Obarg and students (left to right) Kristina Sletten, daughter of Rod and Heidi Sletten and Kristina, Elizabeth and Johnathon Dahle, children of Mike and Julie Dahle. In the background is a quilt made by students of Cheryl Hinschberger to note her 25 years of teaching.

NW Medical center elects five

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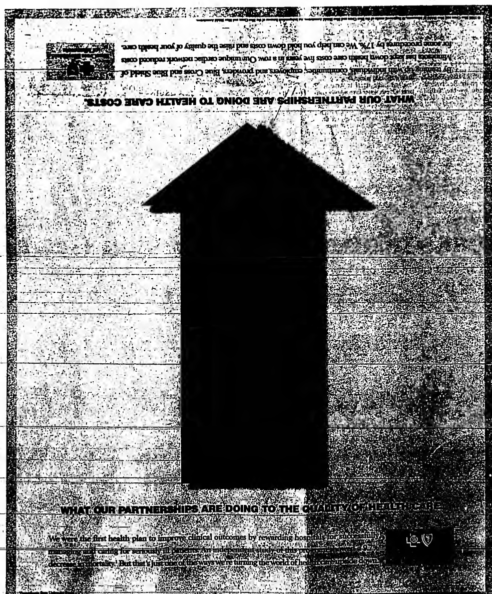
portion of long-term debt which was listed in total as $1,606,623. Fund balance or net worth of $17,598,803 was up $1.25 million from a year ago.

During the year the medical center had net patient and resident service revenue of $16,083,240, an increase from $15,551,452 the previous year. Other operating revenue of $1,007,536 resulted in total operating revenue of $17,090,776.

Total operating expenses of $16,230,919 left an income from operations of $859,857—a decrease from $975,255 in 1994. Addition of $444,879 in investment income and deduction of $42.00 in contributions resulted in total revenue income available for replacement of buildings and acquisition of equipment for improved patient care of $1,262,730—an increase of about $150,000 over last year.



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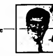

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"One Last Blast" was the theme for the eleven Barbarich sisters whose family softball team was a fixture for many years at the Blast to Brooks fall celebration. The sisters all live in the northwestern Minnesota area and got together for one last time to play in the tournament at Brooks on Saturday, finishing third in the event. Pictured with the trophies they have won over the years are (left to right), front row, Loretta Pittman, Thief River Falls; Sue Olson, Fosston; Rita Fenner, Bemidji; and Fritz Leibla, Mahnomen; back row, Alice Balstad, Fosston; Marga Miller, Thief River Falls; Connie Dugstad, Oklee; Carol Harbott, Thief River Falls; Janet Barbarich, Thief River Falls; Mrs. Mayme Barbarich, mother of the girls, Brooks; Betty Lindy, Bemidji; and Kay Aitken, Brooks. The family also includes five boys.

InSight offers reminders

Eyesight is your most important commodity on the farm. Without vision, you could not plant your crops, feed the livestock, perform daily chores, or watch your kids grow up. Without your eyesight, you would be forced to retire from farming.

Minnesota Farming Health Project nurses are urging farmers to remain healthy and active by KEEPING YOUR FARM InSIGHT. Farm InSIGHT, an initiative of the Minnesota Farming Health Project, is partnering with ag chemical dealers in Roseau, Red Lake and Kittson counties. Employees at Cenex West Plant in Roseau, Red Lake County Cooperative sites and at Cenex LOL Agronomy Center in Hallock, will help farmers choose the right protective eye wear for use with chemicals and tools.

Eye injuries are simple to prevent when farmers routinely use eye protection. Farmers should choose eye protection that is comfortable, fits well, does not restrict vision and meets ANSI standards (look for Z87 stamped on the glasses or goggles). Farmers should choose eye protection that is right for the job. Scratched, cracked, pitted, or faded lenses should be replaced. Farm InSIGHT recommends:

Safety glasses, with brow and side shields, to protect against flying fragments, particles and grain. Buy safety glasses that fit over prescription glasses.

Goggles, with indirect ventilation, protect against chemical splashes, mists and very dusty conditions. These fit over most prescription glasses and keep glasses fog free. For work with anhydrous ammonia use either unvented goggles or goggles with indirect ventilation.

For more information, call the Minnesota Farming Health Project at Quin County Community Health Service program 218-874-7845.

Submitted by Colleen Nelson, RN, PHN, Quin County Community Health Services

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Legislators invited to mini-session at Red Lake Sept. 19

Members of the Minnesota House of Representatives have been invited to attend the 1995 Headwaters Mini-Session Tuesday, September 19, beginning at 4:30 p.m. at the Red Lake elementary school on the Red Lake Indian Reservation.

There will be displays and tours as well as opportunity to visit with tribal program directors and members from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

At 5:30 p.m. there will be a welcoming with pipe ceremony, comments by Red Lake Tribal Chairman Bobby Whitefeather and Rep. Edgar Olson of Fosston and an honor song.

At 5:45 p.m. a traditional dinner of Red Lake walleye and wild rice will be served, followed by a performance by the Young Dreams Dance Troupe.

Tours before and after the dinner will be provided to Red Lake Bingo and Casino, Jourdain/Perpich Nursing Home, Red Lake elementary school, Red Lake hospital, Red Lake Fisheries and Hatchery and a drive-by reservation tour.

Displays at the school gymnasium will feature a number of developments, services, programs and historical perspectives of the Red Lake Reservation, one of only two "closed" reservations in the United States.

Some of the unique aspects of the reservation pointed out in the invitation extended to legislators include the following:

- The Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians reside on aboriginal land (pre-American Revolution) which was never ceded to the United States.
- The Red Lake Band chose not to participate in the Dawes Allotment Act of 1887, consequently all lands of the Red Lake Chippewa are held in common by its members, as agreed with the U.S. in the following 1889 Land Agreement.
- As part of that same agreement, alcohol is illegal on the Reservation and is not served in any of its casinos.
- The Red Lake Reservation is exempt from Public Law #280, consequently state courts have no jurisdiction at Red Lake. Federal law does apply on the Reservation. Laws are made by the Tribal Council and enforced by Tribal and Federal Courts.
- Red Lake is not a member of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe.
- Because of Red Lake's special status, tradition and heritage are preserved perhaps like no other place on any Chippewa Reservation. This is particularly true of the isolated village of Ponemah, where the Ojibwe culture survives.
- English is a second language to many Red Lake members middle-aged and older. Ojibwe is spoken or understood by many others. Visitors will likely head Ojibwe being spoken while they are there. (The word "Chippewa" is probably an archaic mispronunciation of the word Ojibwe or Otchipway. Some of the sounds of the Ojibwe language do not lend themselves easily to the alphabet used for European languages.)
- There are more than 8,000 enrolled members of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa, 5,000 of whom live on the Reservation.
- Over 825,000 acres make up the Reservation of Red Lake, including most of the land at the Northwest Angle, making the Red Lake Reservation larger than the State of Rhode Island.
- Red Lake itself is America's largest fresh water lake wholly contained within one state.

Officers of the Red Lake Tribal Council in addition to Whitefeather as chairman are Judy Roy, secretary and James Strong, treasurer. District representatives are Roman Stately Jr., Fabian Cook, Preston Graves, Larry Dudley, Lawrence Bedeau, Allen English Jr., Tom J. Stillday Jr. and Clifford Hardy.

Hereditary chiefs are Gary Sumner, Gerald Spears, Alvin Nedeau, Sam Smith, Greeting Spears Jr., George William King and Alexander Gillespie.

Red Lake enterprises include Red Lake Builders, Red Lake Forest Products, Red Lake Housing Finance, Red Lake Tree Nursery, Red Lake Fishing Industry, Chippewa Trading Post, Bumper to Bumper Automotive Parts, Red Lake Office Products, Trustworthy Hardware, Ponemah Trading Post, Lake of the Woods Resort, Restaurant and Bait at Warroad, casinos and Bingo operations at Red Lake, Warroad and Thief River Falls and a partnership in Swis Corp. (an investment in solid waste disposal and regional recycling facility).

Bertram named U of M liberal arts college scholar

Troy Bertram, son of Dan and Jackie Bertram of Detroit Lakes and a 1992 graduate of Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls, has been named a University of Minnesota college of Liberal Arts Scholar for the spring quarter of 1994-95.

Students who are CLA Scholars have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by earning a quarterly grade point average of 3.75 or higher while completing 15 or more credits.

Bertram is attending the University of Minnesota on an ROTC scholarship with the U.S. Army and is a senior majoring in applied economics.

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Aging p.6
There will be a conference on health and aging issues at the Best Western September 26.

Comm[illegible] Focus

Library p.11
Friends of the Library will meet September 14 at the Thief River Falls Library.

Local artist Cathy Mueller [illegible] in Northern Prairie Artists As[illegible] show

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

If you think that art is something for the elite, think again. Art is for everyone and a group of painters in Thief River Falls are proving it. On Saturday, September 16, the Northern Prairie Artists Association will hold its 11th Annual Art Show and Sale at the Best Western.

The Northern Prairie Artists Association has five active members who will be showing their work this weekend. Marilyn Hanson, Ethel Sanders, LaVonne Forsberg and Cathy Mueller, all of Thief River Falls and Jan Osborn of St. Hilaire. They are planning to have about 40 paintings on display and for sale.

The club was started about 12 years ago, and President Cathy Mueller has been involved for the past eight years. The club does not hold formal meetings on a regular basis. The group would rather spend their time painting.

Mueller herself has had no formal art training in high school or college, but she has taken classes from professional artists from around the country. She has also taken some water color technique classes from her friend LaVonne Forsberg.

Cathy puts as much time as she can into her art. She must schedule time for painting around her own business and helping her husband with his business. Now that her kids are grown and married, Cathy finds a little more time to devote to painting.

To paint well, one needs to work at developing his or her skills.

"It takes time to develop your own style," says Cathy. "You learn as you try."

Cathy starts her paintings by sketching what she wants to paint. All of her ideas and pictures come from photographs she has taken. When Cathy travels, she takes lots of pictures. She often takes up to 25 pictures of one item or scene, just to get all the angles and details.

Although she started painting for fun and for gifts for family members, it has turned into more than just a hobby. People started to show interest in Cathy paintings when she entered them in shows. That's when she realized she could sell them. Cathy has entered several clubs in the region and entered her work in many of the shows.

Eventually she and LaVonne would like to enter some of the national competitions. Until then, they continue to attend workshops together and try to expand their horizons, said Cathy. Going to many shows helps Cathy "keep her mind fresh", she says. She gets a chance to see what sells and what people are showing.

"It helps to keep on top of things," she explains.

Cathy and LaVonne have had their paintings displayed at the Dakota Clinic in Fargo. Area artists are invited to hang their work in the clinic for one month. LaVonne's work was displayed in June, and Cathy's was diplayed in August. All of the members of the club have their work displayed at the Best Western.

Cathy said that she and LaVonne are the most serious about produc[illegible]

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Artist Cathy Mueller holds one of her oil paintings she will show at the 11th Annual Northern Prairie Artists Association Art Show and Sale from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday at the Best Western.

Kids and adults, men and women, all were in town to see the crafts, produce and other goodies that were for sale at Everybody's Market on September 9. Beverly Lindstrom, Iris Berggren and Adeline Stennes sold items from ornaments to crocheted dolies [illegible] Their other partner, Barbara Veer, [illegible] pies. Barbara is not in the picture [illegible] left to check out the other tables and [illegible]

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

[illegible] from 10 to 11 a.m. at [illegible] in Thief River Falls. [illegible] general membership meeting [illegible]

[illegible] kids ages 4 to 5th grade [illegible] Church of Thief River [illegible] p.m. Junior Hi JAM (Jesus [illegible] grades at 5:15 at Pizza Hut. [illegible] at 7 p.m. at the church.

[illegible] and Rebekah will meet at 6:30 for [illegible] meeting at 8 p.m. [illegible] Nursing Home Board meeting at [illegible]

[illegible] registration from 6 to 7 p.m. at [illegible]

[illegible] Library at the Northwest [illegible] Thief River Falls at 7 p.m.

[illegible] Dance at the Heritage Center [illegible] p.m. Music by the Chuck Gust [illegible] welcome

[illegible] Artists Association Art Show [illegible] Western from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday

Country Music Jam at the Heritage Center from 1 to 4 p.m.

Annual Worship at Lanstad Church at 2 p.m. with Pastor Gary Johnson.

Family Night at Silverton Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m.

Senior Meal at the Heritage Center at noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Monday

AAUW of Thief River Falls will hold an open house from 5 to 7 p.m. at Gayle Waale's home, 347 N. Kendall. Past, present and prospective members invited.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice at 681-6189.

Christian Women's Club luncheon at 12 noon at the American Legion. All area women welcome.

Christian Business and Professional Women program at 6:30 at the Best Western. All area women welcome.

Social Security Officer at the Heritage Center from 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Golden Years Club at Trinity Lutheran Church meets at 2 p.m. at the church fellowship hall.

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St. Bernard's has openings in prekindergarten

St. Bernard's "Littlest Angels" prekindergarten program has a few openings in the four year old group for both the morning and afternoon sessions. Call St. Bernard's School at 681-1539 to register.

Trinity Women to host area women for supper meeting

Vicki Marthaler of Detroit Lakes will be the guest speaker at The Trinity Women of the ELCA supper meeting Wednesday, September 20. Her talk on how the Ten Commandments frees us to serve is entitled "Forgiven to Be Free."

Doors open at 5:30 with supper being served promptly at 6 p.m. All area women are invited to attend. Tickets will not be sold, but there will be a free will offering. Reservations are requested. Please call Idelis Samuelson (681-2582) or Lucy Aasland (681-4033) by Monday, September 18.

Annual worship service at the Lanstad Church

A worship service will be held at the Lanstad Church on Sunday, September 17 at 2 p.m.

Pastor Gary Johnson of the Zion Lutheran Church will conduct the service. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome.

CORRECTION

There was an error in the Beito—Halling engagement announcement in last week's Times. Tim Halling is the son of Pat and Jan Halling of Thief River Falls. He is engaged to married Candy Beito. Candy is the daughter of Gary and Corliss Bucklin of Thief River Falls and LaVonne Apland of Minneapolis

The Times apologizes for the mistake and any confusion it may have caused.

Rude and Wojchowski to marry on September 23

Karen Rude and Kris Wojchowski are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Rudy and Helen Rude of Thief River Falls. She is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1990 graduate of Northwest Technical College. She is employed at Arctco and Evergreen Eating Emporium.

Her fiance is the son of Gene and Twyla Wojchowski of Greenbush. He graduated from Greenbush High School in 1987 and Northwest Technical College in 1995. He is employed at Arctco.

A September 23 wedding is planned for 6 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Lee baby baptized at Immanuel Lutheran

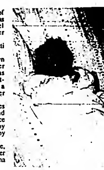
Sheena Robbin Lee, daughter of Mark and Sue Lee of Plummer was baptized July 23 at Immanuel Lutheran Church of Plummer morning services.

Her sponsor was her aunt Kristi Olson.

Sheen wore the baptismal gown and cap her dad, Mark, and her Grandpa Lee wore, which was hand-made by her great-great-grandma. She was wrapped in a baby afghan hand made by her Grandma Olson.

She wore two cross necklaces given to her by Grandpa and Grandma Lee and Kathy and Bruce Krogstad. She also wore a baby ring on her finger, given to her by her Grandpa and Grandmo Olson.

Following the baptismal service, family members were invited over to the Lee home for dinner. Sheena received many nice gifts.



Campbell and Hofstad exchange vows

Nancy Susan Cambell and David Allen Hofstad were united in marriage on July 22 in an outdoor ceremony at their home in Red Lake Falls. Pastor Philipp Lehmann presided at the 4 p.m. double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Donald and Patricia Campbell of Bemidji. Parents of the groom are Edwin and Irene Olson of Trail. Singers were Scott and LoriAnn Walseth, friends of the couple.

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Kids and adults, men and women, all were in town to see the crafts, produce and other goodies that were for sale at Everybody's Market on September 9. Beverly Lindstrom, Iris Berggren and Adeline Stennes sold items from ornaments to crocheted doilies to baby [illegible]. Their other partner, Barbara Veer, bak[illegible] pies. Barbara is not in the picture because [illegible] left to check out the other tables and booth[s].

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Social Security Officer at the Heritage Center from 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Golden Years Club at Trinity Lutheran Church meets at 2 p.m. at the church fellowship hall.

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Trinity Women to host area women for supper meeting

Vicki Marthaler of Detroit Lakes will be the guest speaker at The Trinity Women of the ELCA supper meeting Wednesday, September 20. Her talk on how the Ten Commandments frees us to serve is entitled "Forgiven to Be Free."

Doors open at 5:30 with supper being served promptly at 6 p.m. All area women are invited to attend. Tickets will not be sold, but there will be a free will offering. Reservations are requested. Please call Idella Samuelson (681-2582) or Lucy Aasland (681-4033) by Monday, September 18.

Annual worship service at the Lanstad Church

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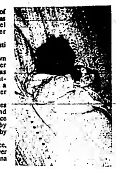

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Cathy and LaVonne have had their paintings displayed at the Dakota Clinic in Fargo. Area artists are invited to hang their work in the clinic for one month. LaVonne's work was displayed in June, and Cathy's was diplayed in August. All of the members of the club have their work displayed at the Best Western.

Cathy said that she and LaVonne are the most serious about producing art for [illegible] other members [illegible] for their own [illegible] the only [illegible] formal [illegible] her 70's and [illegible] Cathy said [illegible] style and uses [illegible] Cathy and LaVonne [illegible] a competative [illegible] She [illegible] lots of paintings [illegible] is a farmer's wife [illegible] full-time, so she [illegible] time to devote [illegible] does nice work [illegible]

One piece [illegible] Cathy has for beginning [illegible] buy the cheap supplies. That can be difficult advice to follow because the cost of good supplies often high. [illegible] quality brushes [illegible] first started painting and she remembers getting very frustrated when paintings didn't turn out right.

Cathy warns, "If you want to do a good job, you have to have good quality supplies."

The cost factor is probably the biggest reason Cathy doesn't see many young people at the classes and shows she attends. In fact, Cathy says most of the people in the classes she takes are like her, women with grown families who now have the money to buy art supplies.

Cathy and LaVonne usually paint a painting and then sell it. Sometimes, though, a person will commission LaVonne to paint a picture. Cathy has never had that experience until now. Cathy's brother, an art teacher, has commissioned her to paint a picture that he [illegible] as a gift.

[illegible] interested in painting [illegible] more about [illegible] Cathy at 681- [illegible] open to the public [illegible] Viewers will [illegible] favorite piece. The [illegible] show and sale is to [illegible] people that art doesn't just [illegible] the metropolitan areas. [illegible] everyone and it is everywhere [illegible] right here in Thief River Falls.

Artist Cathy Mueller holds one of her oil paintings she will show at the 11th Annual Northern Prairie Artists Association Art Show and Sala from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday at the Best Western.

Kids and adults, men and women, all were in town to see the crafts, produce and other goodies that were for sale at Everybody's Market on September 9. Beverly Lindstrom, Iris Berggren and Adelina Stennes sold items from ornements to crocheted dolies to baby quilts. Their other partner, Barbara Veer, baked the pies. Barbara is not in the picture because she left to check out the other tables and booths.

Women of Today meeting set for September 13th

Thief River Falls Women of Today will hold its general membership meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, [illegible] the Elks Club in [illegible] Falls. Guests are [illegible] For information, [illegible] 681-4465.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at [illegible] County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

Women of Today general membership meeting [illegible] at the Elks Club.

Fall Youth Program for kids ages 4 to 5th grade [illegible] at Evangelical Free Church of Thief River [illegible] from 6:45 to 8:05 p.m. Junior Hi JAM (Jesus [illegible] Me) for 6th - 8th grades at 5:15 at Pizza Hut. [illegible] begins at 7 p.m. at the church.

Thursday

Odd Fellows and Rebekah will meet at 6:30 for [illegible] dinner and a meeting at 8 p.m.

Oakland Park Nursing Home Board meeting at [illegible] of the Home.

Girl Scout Registration from 6 to 7 p.m. at [illegible] Church.

Friends of the Library at the Northwest [illegible] Library, Thief River Falls at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by the Chuck Gust [illegible] Band. All senior citizens welcome.

Saturday

Northern Prairie Artists Association Art Show [illegible] at the Best Western from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. No admission charge.

Sunday

Country Music Jam at the Heritage Center from 1 to 4 p.m. [illegible]

[illegible] Annual Worship at Lanstad Church [illegible] with Pastor Gary Johnson [illegible]

Family Night at Silverton Lutheran Church at 7:30 p.m. [illegible]

Senior Meal at the Heritage Center. [illegible] Call 681-2793 for reservations. [illegible]

Monday

AAUW of Thief River Falls will hold an open house from 5 to 7 p.m. at Gaylo Waale's home, 347 N. Kendall. Past, present [illegible] invited.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice at 681-6189.

Christian Women's Club luncheon at 12 noon at the American Legion. All area women welcome.

Christian Business and Professional Women program at 6:30 at the Best Western. All area women welcome.

Social Security Officer at the Heritage Center from 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Golden Years Club at Trinity Lutheran Church meets at 2 p.m. at the church fellowship hall.

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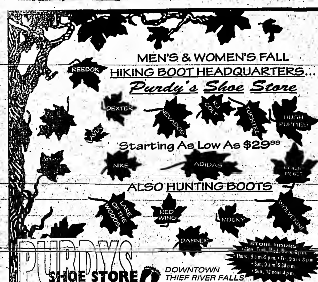

St. Bernard's has openings in prekindergarten

St. Bernard's "Littlest Angels" prekindergarten program has a few openings in the four year old group for both the morning and afternoon sessions. Call St. Bernard's School at 681-1539 to register.

Trinity Women to host area women for supper meeting

Vicki Marthaler of Detroit Lakes will be the guest speaker at The Trinity Women of the ELCA supper meeting Wednesday, September 20. Her talk on how the Ten Commandments frees us to serve is entitled "Forgiven to Be Free."

Doors open at 5:30 with supper being served promptly at 6 p.m. All area women are invited to attend. Tickets will not be sold, but there will be a free will offering. Reservations are requested. Please call Idella Samuelson (681-2582) or Lucy Aasland (681-4033) by Monday, September 18.

Annual worship service at the Lanstad Church

A worship service will be held at the Lanstad Church on Sunday, September 17 at 2 p.m.

Pastor Gary Johnson of the Zion Lutheran Church will conduct the service. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome.

CORRECTION

There was an error in the Beito—Halling engagement announcement in last week's Times. Tim Halling is the son of Pat and Jan Halling of Thief River Falls. He is engaged to married Candy Beito. Candy is the daughter of Gary and Corliss Bucklin of Thief River Falls and LaVonne Apland of Minneapolis

The Times apologizes for the mistake and any confusion it may have caused.

Rude and Wojchowski to marry on September 23

Karen Rude and Kris Wojchowski are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Rudy and Helen Rude of Thief River Falls. She is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1990 graduate of Northwest Technical College. She is employed at Arctco and Evergreen Eating Emporium.

Her fiance is the son of Gene and Twyla Wojchowski of Greenbush. He graduated from Greenbush High School in 1987 and Northwest Technical College in 1995. He is employed at Arctco.

A September 23 wedding is planned for 6 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Lee baby baptized at Immanuel Lutheran

Sheena Robbin Lee, daughter of Mark and Sue Lee of Plummer was baptized July 23 at Immanuel Lutheran Church of Plummer morning services.

Her sponsor was her aunt Kristi Olson.

Sheen wore the baptismal gown and cap her dad, Mark, and her Grandpa Lee wore, which was hand-made by her great-great-grandma. She was wrapped in a baby afghan hand made by her Grandma Olson.

She wore two cross necklaces given to her by Grandpa and Grandma Lee and Kathy and Bruce Krogstad. She also wore a baby ring on her finger, given to her by her Grandpa and Grandma Olson.

Following the baptismal service, family members were invited over to the Lee home for dinner. Sheena received many nice gifts.

Campbell and Hofstad exchange vows

Nancy Susan Cambell and David Allen Hofstad were united in marriage on July 22 in an outdoor ceremony at their home in Red Lake Falls. Pastor Philipp Lehmann presided at the 4 p.m. double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Donald and Patricia Campbell of Bemidji. Parents of the groom are Edwin and Ione Olson of Trail. Singers were Scott and LoriAnn Walseth, friends of the couple.

Serving as her sister's matron of honor was Julie Erickson of Detroit Lakes. Bridesmaids were Kelly Reid of Mililani, HI, sister of the bride, Lisa and Melanie Olson, sisters of the groom. Flower girls were Lindsay and Courtney Erickson of Detroit Lakes, nieces of the bride. The bride's personal attendant was Shannon Lasty, friend of the couple.

Serving as his brother's best man was Steven Olson, of Warroad. Groomsmen were Arlan Hofstad of Trail, cousin of the groom, Tom Paradis and Troy Mercil, both friends of the couple, both of Red Lake Falls.

Ushers were Mark Gervais and Neil Schmitz, both of Red Lake Falls, Brian Mercil of Grand Forks, ND and Dale Lundeen of Sabin, all friends of the couple.

Honored guests were Milan Olson, of Trail, honorary best man and uncle of the groom, Kathryn Cambell of Wadena and Nedra Dearholt of Bemidji, both grandmathers of the bride and Mabel Hafstad of Trail, grandmother of the groom.

Hosts and hostesses at the reception were Tom and Anne Campbell, brother and sister-in-law of the bride and Blair and Vicki Gustafson, cousins of the groom. Guest book attendant was Tiffany Gustafson, cousin of the groom.

Cake cautters were Shelly Willet and Debbie Saleatlny, cousins of the groom. Coffee servers were Darlene Blackstad and Linda Hafstad, aunts of the groom. Punch was served by Dawn Halverson and Kandace Johnson, friends of the couple. Flower hostess was Shelly Mager, friend of the couple. Gift table attendants were Melissa Magner and Amanda Magner, friends of the couple.

The videographer was James Campbell, brother of the bride, and the photographer was Susan Kunze, aunt of the bride.

Programs were handed out by Fay Cassavant and Stacy Plante, friends of the couple.

The happy couple drove to the scenic Blacks Hills of South Dakota for a wedding trip. They are now at home in Red Lake Falls. The bride is a graduate of Bemidji High School and holds a word processing degree from Bemidji Technical College. She is employed at Digi-Key. The groom is a graduate of Oklee High School and holds a degree in carpentry from Bemidji Technical College. He is employed at Northwest Manufacturing.

Audette receives Presidental Pin

Tammy Audette of the Thief River Falls Women of Today was honored by receiving a Presidential Pin from Christine Jones, President of the Minnesota Women of Today, at their Summer Awards convention held recently in St. Cloud.

Audette was nominated for this award by her local chapter. The Presidential Pin is designed to show a member's commitment to her local chapter and to her membership. It exemplifies dedication and belief in the organization's Creed, and service to her local chapter and community. All recipients for this award are selected by the State President.

The Women of Today is a community service and leadership training organization.

Bogestad and Gerszewski plan October 6 wedding

Melinda Bogestad and Daniel Gerszewski are pleased to announce their engagement. Melinda is the daughter of Morris and Violet Anderson of Thief River Falls and Gary Bogestad of Salt Lake City, UT. Daniel is the son of Joseph and Margaret Gerszewski of Stephen.

The bride-to-be is a 1987 graduate of Tri-County High School in Karlstad and a 1993 graduate of Dakota County Technical College of Rosemount. She is employed at the Northwest Medical Center, Law Enforcement Center of Thief River Falls and Private Home Nursing.

The groom is a 1985 graduate of Stephen High School. He is employed by Larry Grabowska as a carpenter and he is a self-employed farmer.

An October 6 wedding is planned for St. Stephen's Catholic Church in Stephen.

Evangelical Free Church fall youth programs begin

The Evangelical Free Church of Thief River Falls anounces the start of their fall youth programs on Wednesday, September 13. Kids ages four through fifth grade are invited to attend a special Pioneer Clubs Kickoff from 6:45 - 8:05 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church, 211 North Arnold. Ice cream sundaes will be served to all in attendance.

At Pioneer Clubs, children experience a wide variety of fun skill-building activities. This year club members will enjoy special projects, games, singing, scripture memory and Bible study, and many other things.

Club members also develop Christian values and learn to apply the Bible to everyday life.

Junior Hi JAM (Jesus and Me) for the 6th - 8th grades will kick off their year with a pizza party at 5:15 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13. All junior high students are invited to meet at Pizza Hut at that time. Following the pizza party, they will return to the church for Bible study, prayer and sharing.

Senior Hi Alive also begins their fall season with "Knead Some Dough" at the church at 7 p.m. All senior high students are welcome to attend. The youth groups have occasional social events throughout the year.

For more information about Pioneer Clubs and youth ministries, call the church office at 681-3855.

AAUW to hold open house on September 18th

Thief River Falls branch of American Association of University Women will hold an open house Monday, September 18 from 5 - 7 p.m. at Gaylo Waale's home, 347 N. Kendall. Past, present and prospective members are invited to attend.

Country music jam at the Heritage Center

There will be a country music jam at the Heritage Center on Sunday, September 17 from 1 - 4 p.m. The Jam session is open to all who play or are interested in country music.

Cookies and coffee will be served.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On August 30, a baby girl was born to Jack and Jayne Miller of Goodridge. She has been named Chloe Doreen.

• On August 31, a baby boy was born to Darren and Brenda Leier of Grygla. He has been named Jacob Roy.

• On September 4, a baby boy was born to Jason and Rose Haugen of Thief River Falls. He has been named Dallas Edward.

• On September 6, a baby boy was born to Jason and Stephanie Fimrite of Thief River Falls. He has been named Jordan Wayne.

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Nursing home board meeting on September 14th

The Oakland Park Nursing Home Executive Board will be meeting on Thursday, September 14 at 5:30 p.m. at the home.

Conference on aging issues on September 26th

Northwest Medical Center is sponsoring their second annual conference on aging issues entitled "Leave No Stone Unturned: New perspectives on dementia, depression and other issues." The conference will be held at the Best Western in Thief River Falls on September 26 from 8:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. A variety of topics of interest to senior citizens, community members and professionals will be offered including information on Alzheimer's disease, depression and other illnesses associated with aging; medication and other treatments; family caregiver stress; legal concerns; financial planning and the therapeutic value of music.

The workshop fee includes refreshments, the noon meal and materials. Space is limited so please register by September 9.

Northwest Medical Center operates a federally funded Geriatric Behavioral Health Program which offers a variety of services designed to address the mental health needs of older adults. For more information about the program or the conference, call 1-800-587-4240 or (218) 681-4240, extension 339 and ask for Julie Osmondson.

Trinity's Golden Years Club meets September 19

Trinity's Golden Years Club will meet at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, September 19 in the church fellowship hall. The theme for the meeting will be "Keeping Our Cool."

Dr. Karen Pietras, staff Psychologist at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls will speak to us on stress management and coping with change. Gladys Heinze will lead in devotion and Audrey Heieren will share some of her quilting techniques in the Newsbreak.

September Troops will serve refreshments and all members and guests are encouraged to attend. For rides, please call 681-1310.

Steidl and Hovel to marry

Suzanne Steidl, Thief River Falls, announces the engagement of her daughter, Liesl Steidl, to Lynn Hovel, son of Larry and Lois Hovel, Valley City, ND. Liesl is also the daughter of the late John Alexander Steidl.

Steidl received a Bachelor of Science Degree from Valley City State University. She is employed by the Barnes County Sheriff's Office, Valley City, as a correctional officer.

Hovel received his education at Med Center One in Bismarck, ND and is employed as a paramedic for the Barnes County Ambulance Service. He also works as a reserve Deputy for the Barnes County Sheriff's Office.

The wedding will be October 13 at St. Catherine Catholic Church at 7 p.m. in Valley City, ND.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Self Portrait

A child's early years are important for development of self-esteem. As children master physical coordination, cognitive skills, and awareness of feelings, they gain self-confidence. The following project helps to affirm a child's unique self-concept. You will need:

paper and
crayons.

Instruct the child to draw a picture of him or herself. A mirror nearby can be helpful. Talk about characteristics that are the same and different between him or her and siblings, friends, relatives, etc.

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need your time.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Madenski, Melissa. In My Mother's Garden. Conspiring with her neighbor Joe, Rosie plans to plant a secret garden of pansies that will be a special surprise to her mother on her birthday.

Waber, Bernard. Do You See A Mouse? A marvelously mischievous mouse outwits the posh Park Snoot Hotel staff as he scampers about right under their noses.

VIDEO VARIETY

San Diego Zoo: It's a Wild Life! See spectacular footage of the Zoo's most popular animals including koalas and Pygmy chimps, plus rare behind-the-scenes visits with the animal keepers.

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PARENTING TIPS

Rock-a-Bye Baby

In some families bedtime is a real problem with young children. The most common sleep concern and complaint of parents is getting their children to fall asleep when and where they should. All too often bedtime turns into a battle in which no one wins and everyone loses. If the parents give in, the child stays up late and may be exhausted and cranky the next day. If parents try to force the child to sleep, the youngster may wail in protest for what seems like hours.

•Develop a pleasant, soothing sleep ritual. Don't rough house or play active games. Choose quiet activities. Once you have a routine, stick to it every night.

•Distinguish between bedtime and sleeptime. You can set a definite time for children to be in bed. However, you cannot make them go to sleep. Let children play quietly or read books until sleep overtakes them.

•Remember darkness can be scary. Leave a night light on. Play some soft music. Keep the door open so children don't feel isolated.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk with your child about his/her bedtime routine so that he/she will know what to expect next. For example, "as soon as you are done putting your toys in the closet, you will take a bath, put on your pajamas, read a story and go to bed."

Fessler and Ulrey united in marriage at Redeemer Lutheran Church

Jana D. Fessler and Rob Alan Ulrey were united in marriage on August 5 at 4 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church. Pastor Luther Anderson officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Jerry and Jan Fessler of Thief River Falls. Parents of the groom are Roger and Connie Ulrey of Boonville, IN.

Music was provided by soloist Anne Padilla, vocalists Jan and Dedre Nordin and organist/pianist Amy Padilla, all friends of the bride. The congregational hymn was "Lift High the Cross." Solos were "Doubly Good to You" and "Wedding Song." The duet song by the Nordins was "Irish Blessing." The processional was "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," and the recessional was "Canon in D."

The church was decorated with white candelabrum with clear globes, lilies, alstromeria and mixed greens. White tulle bows decorated the pews. The flowers surrounding the unity candle were in loving memory of the couple's grandparents.

The bride wore a silk shantug gown. The off-the-shoulder, tight fitting sleeves were accented with a heavy reembroidered lace at the shoulders and the end of the sleeves. The bustle back treatment was a beautiful decoration for the demi length train. The headpiece was Juliet style made up of fabric roses and pearl seallops at the crown. A pouf added height and framed the face. The double veil ended at the waist and fingertips.

Jana's bouquet was an all white cascading design of roses, lilies, wax flower alstromerias, lisianthus, baby's breath and ivy.

Vickie Grovum of Minneapolis served as maid of honor at her friend's wedding. Bridesmaids were Julie Thielke of Gilbert, AZ, Tricia Budke of Edina and Cindy Kuhnau of Alexandria, all friends of the bride.

For the bride's attendants, teal crepe gowns were selected. The design featured an open neckline with a sweetheart neck. The shoulders extended over the edge with a soft padding and a clasp of rhinestone decorated the top. The unique back featured a spiderweb design with streamers from the top to the waist.

The bride's personal attendants were Lori Posey, friend of the couple, Marie Gonsorowski, friend of the bride, and Cindy Kruta, friend of the bride.

The groom chose a black Spencer waist coat with a peak lapel. The pant was hickory strip pleated with a trim leg design. The shirt was a pleated white wing topped with a black paisley vest. He wore a boutonniere with two white roses and baby's breath.

The best man was Neil Posey of Boonville, IA, friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Ryan Ulrey and Jeff Ulrey, brothers of the groom, and Matt Seaton of Boonville, IN, friend of the groom. They all wore tuxedos similar to the groom's tuxedo. The groom's attendants each wore a boutonniere of alstromeria and wax flower to match the bridesmaids.

Ushers were Wes Vote of Newburgh, IN, Brent Hohn of Rochester and Matt Stilwell of Jasper, IN, all friends of the groom. They wore tuxedos identical to those of the wedding party. They wore boutonnieres of alstromeria and wax flower.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a purple geogette dress with a simple flowing mock jacket effect. The top of the bodice was decorated with a shimmering sequin pattern ending at the clasp of the jacket. She had a corsage with a white rose and white alstromeria. The mother of the groom wore a two piece off white brocade suit. The bodice and sleeves of the jacket were trimmed with rose embroidered lace and accented with rhinstone buttons. She had a corsage with a pink rose and pink alstromeria. The fathers of the bride and groom both wore custom designed Pierre Cardin coats with a notch collar design. The pant selection was a pleated trouser with black accessories over the white wing pleated shirt.

Honored guests at the wedding were James and Emma Fessler of Ackley, IA, grandparents of the bride, Robert and Margaret Edney of Boonville, IN, grandparents of the groom, Linda Edney of Boonville, IN, aunt of the groom, Marlyn Ashland of Clear Lake, IA, uncle and godparent of the bride, and John and Roma Boyd of LeMars, IA, godparents of the bride.

Hosts and hostess of the reception were John and Patty Derr, Kingwood, TX, cousins of the groom, and Sam and Helen Thielke, Gilbert, AZ, friend of the couple. The guest book attendants were Chris and Natalie McCarty of Kansas, friends of the couple. The program attendant was Cena Boyd, friend of the bride.

The "I Do Cake Stand" wedding cake was chocolate and white with four tiers of layered cake Iced in white and arranged along with candles and mixed fresh cut summer flowers on each tier. A tall pedestal of flowers formed the cake top. The flowers were gerberg daisies, wax flower, miniature carnations, asters and alstromeria in rich colors of pink, purple, burgundy and yellow. The cake was baked and decorated by Margaret Rupprecht.

Flower attendants were Sondra Quitney and Petrina Travers, friends of the bride. Gift attendants were Kristi Quitney and Brent Thielke, friend of the bride. Handing out candy kisses were John and Charlie Boyd, friends of the bride. Punch and kransekaka servers were Heidi Bergland and Bekah Bortnem. Cake servers were Janet Raymond, great-aunt of the groom and Trudy Wold, friend of the bride. Coffee servers were Linda Edney, aunt of the groom, and Roma Boyd, godmother of the bride.

Waitresses were Stephanie Wold, Amy Lee, Megan Browning, Bryonne Hare and Theresa Milinkovich, all friends of the bride. Anthony Wold, friend of the bride, was a waiter.

Candid photos were taken by Kay Anderson and Kersten Anderson, friends of the bride. At the reception, Anne Padilla sang "Keeper of the Stars" accompanied by Amy Padilla. "Borning Cry" was sung by John Boyd, godparent of the bride, and accompanied by Cena Boyd.

After a wedding trip to Sandals Resort, St. Lucia, the couple is at home in Newburgh, IN. Jana is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School. She graduated from Moorhead State University with a degree in Marketing and Mass Communications. Jana is employed as a client service director for Media Mix, Evansville, IN. Her husband is a 1989 graduate of Boonville High School. He attended Moorhead State University and the University of Southern Indiana. He is a supervisor for Jagoe Homes, Evansville, IN.

Family night at Silverton Church September 17th

Family night will be held at the Siverton Church (four miles east of Thief River Falls on Highway #1 and one mile north) on Sunday, September 17 at 7:30 p.m.

The program will be a slide and music presentation titled "Creation" by Dean Paskewitz.

Lunch will be served. Everyone is welcome.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs to meet

Odd Fellow Lodge No. 221 and Rebekah Lodge No. 69 will be meeting on Thursday evening, September 14 at 8 p.m. at the Odd Fellow's Hall. A potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. will preceed the meeting.

All members please attend.

Noon meal at the Heritage Center on September 17

The Sunday meal at the Heritage Center on September 17 will be a chicken dinner served at 12 noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Senior citizen dance at the Heritage Center

There will be a Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center on Thursday, September 14 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by Chuck Gust Band. All senior citizens are welcome.

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Thief River Falls

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Breakfast Prices: Elementary Middle school and Lincoln 75¢/Student $1.20/Adult.

Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25, Middle school/$1.40, Lincoln High/$1.40, Adult/$2.20. 25¢ Extra milk.

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Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, muffin, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: 1-Deluxe nacho tray, salad, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Salad bar.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: 1-Breaded pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, roll, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, fries, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday, Sept. 21: 1-Chicken stir fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.

Friday, Sept. 22: 1-Mr. Rib on bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, muffin, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: 1-Chicken stir fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: 1-Breaded pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, roll, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Sept. 21: 1-Deluxe nacho tray, salad, bread, fruit choice. 2-Bacon cheeseburger, potato rounds, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Friday, Sept. 22: 1-Mr. Rib on bun, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).

Thursday, Sept. 21: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Friday, Sept. 22: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, muffin.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, bread, fresh fruit.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Breaded pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, dinner roll, watermelon.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, oven fries, banana.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Deluxe nacho tray, garden salad, bread, pear sauce.

Friday, Sept. 22: Mr. rib on bun, potato rounds, peaches, ice cream cone.

• Menu subject to change

• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50, 2 cartons per day is $9.

Plummer

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Coffee cake, rice krispies, cranapple juice, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Egg and cheese omelet, cocoa puffs, orange juice, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Cinnamon roll, Life cereal, apple juice, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: French toast stix, frosted flakes, grape juice, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Cinnamon roll, Cheerios, orange juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: Ham pattie on a bun, cheese and pickles, tri taters, mixed fruit, chocolate chip bar.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, dinner roll, fresh fruit.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Chicken noodle soup, cheese and crackers, bologna sandwich, veggies and dip, apple crisp.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Nachos and meat, cheese sauce, refried beans, sour cream, cherry shape up, juice bar.

Friday, Sept. 22: French bread pizza, veggies and dip, fresh fruit.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Waffles, syrup, sausage, juice, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Muffins, cheese slices, fresh fruit, juice, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Scrambled eggs, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, grapes, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: Hamburger pattie on a bun, curly fries, lettuce, tomato, pickles, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Oven baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, fresh veggies, cranberries, cookie, bread, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Hamburger hotdish, mixed fruit salad, cake, bread, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Chili, crackers, grilled cheese sandwich, carrot sticks, brownie, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Sub sandwiches (turkey, ham, etc.) lettuce, tomato, cheese slices, fruit tray, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Toast, Captain Crunch, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Pancakes, sausage, apple sauce, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Cinnamon roll, Cheerios, fruit, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Oatmeal, toast, juice, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Egg and cheese omelet, muffin, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: Chicken pattie on a bun, seasoned peas, apricot sauce, cookie, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Tator tot casserole, sliced cheese, chocolate pudding, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Chicken noodle soup, meat sandwiches, carrot sticks, crackers, bread and milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Escalloped potatoes with ham, gelatin with fruit, bread and milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Cheese burger on a bun, pickles, whole kernel corn, pineapple, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Cinnamon twists, granola mix, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Assorted muffins, granola mix, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Scrambled eggs with bacon, toast, juice, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Carmel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: Chicken patty on a bun, mixed vegetables, jello with fruit, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Scalloped potatoes with ham, vegetable tray, pineapple, PB & J bread, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Polish sausage on a bun, corn, applesauce, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Italian dunkers with cheesey bun, green beans, peaches, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Hoagie bun with lettuce and cheese, chips, vegetable and dip, chocolate cake, milk.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Sunday, Sept. 17: Chicken, whipped potatoes, creamed corn, roll, apple pie, milk.

Monday, Sept. 18: Salisbury steak, boiled potatoes, green beans, roll, pears, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Meat loaf, boiled potatoes, beets, roll, brownie, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Pork chop-pette, Au Gratin potatoes, corn, roll, applesauce bars, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Ham, potato dumpling, green bean casserole, roll, peaches, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Vegetable beef stew, fruited jello salad, baking powder biscuit, pears, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Sept. 18: Turkey Ala King, mixed vegetables, jello with fruit, biscuit with margarine, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, wax beans, bread and margarine, raisin bread pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Biscuit lasagna, cauliflower, lettuce salad with dressing, garlic bread, fresh fruit cup, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Baked ham, paprika potatoes, squash, dinner roll with margarine, rhubarb crisp, milk.

Friday evening, Sept. 22: Beef stew with potato and vegetables, carrot and raisin salad, pineapple ring, muffin with margarine, lemon pudding, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Sept. 18: Baked fish almandine, steamed rice, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with French dressing, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Roast pork with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Stewed chicken with dumpling, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Beef stroganoff, egg noodles with gravy, sliced carrots, pineapple marshmallow coleslaw, sugar cookie, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Salmon loaf with cream pea sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, cherry crisp with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Sept. 18: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, muffins.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Milk, apple juice, Kix, peanut butter, toast.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Milk, orange juice, Rice Krispies, cinnamon toast.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Milk, applesauce, cream of wheat, toast.

Friday, Sept. 22: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast and jelly.

Lunch:

Monday, Sept. 18: Chili with beans, crackers, cheese sandwiches, pear halves, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 19: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad with dressing, chocolate pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 20: Chicken with rice hotdish, whole corn, bread and butter, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday, Sept. 21: Meatballs in gravy, mashed potato, green beans, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Friday, Sept. 22: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, coleslaw, applesauce, milk.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Hartz Truck Line	5	2
B-H-R's	5	2
Malwitz Dairy	4	3
Team 6	4	3
Prowler Express	4	3
Mid. Rv. Community Club	3	4
Team 5	3	4
Sorter Construction	3	4
Handy Farms	2	5
Rundell Electric	2	5
Walseth Construction	Incomplete	
D-Team	Incomplete	

High Game

Darren Wagner	230
Kraig Melvie	207
Darren Wagner	193
Meloni Rasmussen	191
Deb Swanson	184
Mary Diaz	180

High Series

Darren Wagner	230-193-142=565
Kraig Melvie	180-207-148=535
Bill Rasmussen	150-178-186=514
Mary Diaz	125-180-157=462
Sharon Wagner	149-166-137=452
Kell Gustafson	169-126-152=447

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	7	0
Bud Ice	5	2
Arctco	6	2
American Family Ins	4	3
Creative Clippers	3	2
Kwick Strip	2	5
Northern Motors	2	5
Team #8	0	7

High Game

Shirley Colden	210
Barb Konickson	184
Deb Pierce	176
Korry Newland	173

High Series

Shirley Colden	164-165-210=539
Shawn Newland	164-172-147=473
Deb Pierce	176-143-148=467
Barb Konickson	184-135-146=465

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Larson's Drywall	7	0
Dee's Kitchen	5	2
S & S Expresso	4	3
Phyllis's	3	4
Olson's Auto	2	5
Dummy Team	0	7

High Game

Kristi Grochow	169
Pam Schmit	162
Laura Carlson	159
Deb Ulrich	158

High Series

Kristi Grochow	145-169-129=443
Pam Schmit	129-140-162=431
Laura Carlson	397
Sharon Wold	396

City League

	Wins	Losses
St. Hilaire Elevator	7	0
Rick's Appliance	7	0
Wilde Builder	5	2
FSA	5	2
MN/DOT	4	3
The Spot	3	4
Milk & Cookies	2	5
Homark	2	5
Hanson's Repair	0	7

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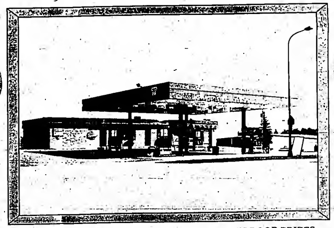

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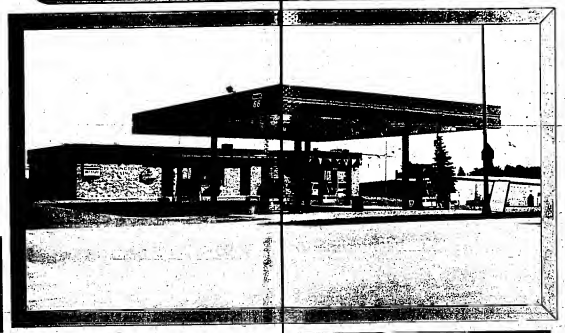

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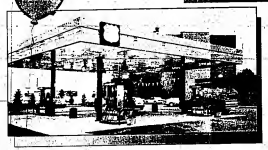

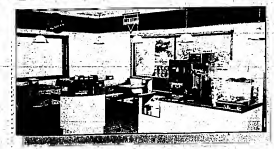

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Berggren to wed Fenske at Westaker Free Lutheran

Christopher Fenske and Becky Berggren are happy to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage on October 7 at 5 p.m. at Westake Free Lutheran Church in Newfolden. Parents of the couple are Newell and Loretta Berggren of Newfolden and Ronald and Anna Fenske of Amery, WI.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Marshall County Central High School and the University of North Dakota. She is employed at Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota as a program couselor supervisor.

Her fiance is a graduate of Emmons High School and the University of North Dakota. He is employed at the University of North Dakota as an instrument flight instructor.

Fall Gathering of WELCA in Stephen

The Cluster 2 Women of ELCA will meet Saturday, September 16 at the First Lutheran Church of Stephen. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. The theme for this year is "Blueprint for Living" with speaker Judi Lohr of East Grand Forks. The topic is based on Luke 10:38-42. There will also be a video about the 1996 triennial convention in Minneapolis.

The morning coffee and treats will be provided by Salem Lutheran Church. The First Lutheran Church will provide the noon lunch which will conclude the gathering. There is a $5 registration fee which also includes the meal.

Come enjoy a morning of music, songs, messages, scripture and good fellowship. Everyone is welcome.

SPEAKING OF

... Will It Ever End?

Yes, I am still watching the O.J. trial and I am sick and tired of everybody in it. Now I am just watching to see if it will ever end.

If this is what our judicial system is like, it is no wonder that criminals go free and innocent people are executed or sent to prison for life. What a farce!

So they say that all of this "acting out" is going on because there is a camera in the courtroom. I wonder if that is true. I can't help but believe that this is the way it always is, camera in the courtroom or not. The lawyers appear to be nothing more than a bunch of second rate actors, emoting for the jury, judge and the spectators in the courtroom, never mind that they can do their acting in front of cameras that will take it all over the world.

And what about all of those press conferences and statements to the media? We all know that lawyers love to hear themselves talk, but it is getting ridiculous. It seems as if they cannot stand it if they are not able to blab, blab, blab at least once a day.

One defense lawyer would be enough, but 12 lawyers bidding for attention are just too much. There is no subject that they do not have an opinion on and nothing too trivial for them to spend hours vocalizing about. I have never seen people who can talk so much and say so little. Their constant preening and pompous posturing is enough to make a person ... ill.

The prosecution appears to be bumbling along, tripping over its own feet. Often the lawyers seem to be more interested in trying to appear competent and/or voicing their own petty opinions of the defense than actually trying to convict a criminal.

Judge Ito presides over the whole mess like the Little King, trying to please everyone and pleasing no one. It would be such a pleasure to see him actually take charge of the trial and tell those mealy-mouthed lawyers what to do for a change instead of letting them walk all over him.

What about the defendant? Oh, he's sitting there, present in body, at least. Sometimes a person can't help but wonder where his mind is, though, as he gazes at the ceiling and the screen in front of him with such blank expressions. I think that he has long since forgotten why he is sitting in that courtroom. The fact that his former wife was murdered doesn't seem to be on his mind much any more.

It appears that even the jury is getting tired of this nonsense. Wouldn't it be something if one day they all got up and walked right out of the courtroom and went home. The worst part is, I bet the lawyers and the judge wouldn't even notice.

I wonder if it will ever end. I wonder why I am watching it.

ACE Hardware Bridal Registry
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Sat., Sept. 16	Sat., Sept. 23	Sat., Sept. 23	Sat., Oct. 7
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ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

How Does Your Garden Grow?

Looking out my window into the back yard, I admit that I haven't earned the Master Gardener distinction, and probably won't in my lifetime.

This was our family's first attempt at a vegetable garden of this size: 25 feet by 25 feet. We didn't have a problem deciding what we should plant; we had to pare our list down to a reasonable and manageable amount.

Our fresh veggie list included radishes, tomatoes, peas, sugar snap peas (for Chinese stir-fry dishes), cucumbers, tomatoes, corn, pumpkins, carrots, onions and sunflowers.

As we (or should I say, my husband), planted, weeded, watered and cultivated the patch out back, we learned some valuable lessons about gardening.

Our first mistake was actually planting the whole expanse for a family of three. I read somewhere that a garden's size should reflect your family size. In that case, we could, or should, feed five or six families with the produce we've reaped.

We also learned that you need proper tools for such an undertaking, or hope your neighbor will loan you a rototiller and a lot of advice. If I couldn't find the answer to a gardening dilemma in my book, I'd say to my husband, "Why don't you ask Mary Ann. She'll know." Thanks to Mary Ann, a seasoned gardener, she did know.

Much of our experience was pure trial and error. Even though we're not sure if we'll try it again next year, we know what to do and what not to do.

We learned that one seed package of pumpkins would have sufficed. After all, we don't plan to bake with the orange gourds, only celebrate Halloween. We have enough pumpkins for all of our son's friends and cousins, plus some. We might be able to supply a snack company with pumpkin seeds when we're done carving.

Pumpkins need space; more than we gave them. This became apparent when the pumpkin vines overran the radishes, cucumbers, sunflowers and peas. When the package says "plant three feet apart," it means a "for sure" three feet.

Tomatoes also require ample space to grow. The foliage is so thick between my four plants that I can't see if any tomatoes are ripening. I can't even see the tomatoes.

We had visions of making homemade hot sauce with our garden-fresh tomatoes, but it looks as if we'll have to buy a bushel or supplement with canned tomatoes. I accidentally bought two cherry tomato plants instead of full-size. It's not that the cherry tomatoes aren't producing; it's kind of hard to make BLTs or cook with them.

We learned that home-grown peas are excellent. Just don't plan on any of them making it into the house and into the sauce pan. The peas are much better right from the pod than boiled. If I had wanted to can some (fat chance!), planting one seed packet was not enough.

Also, one package of corn was not enough to produce more than two meals of corn on the cob. Corn sure looks good in the garden and the deer like it, but it won't sustain us through the winter.

The deer also liked our sunflowers. Out of a whole package of seeds, only three plants grew into adulthood. The deer munched the other plants until they were just stems in the ground.

We did have enough cucumbers. One package produced more cukes than one family could eat in five years. At first we were disappointed because they were slow to grow, or so we thought. When we lifted the leaves we discovered some cucumbers the size of a large zucchini. I've been peddling cucumbers all over town; I'd feel guilty if they were wasted.

As for the carrots and the onions, well, the carrots never grew and we never got around to planting the onions.

The one item we didn't have any trouble growing was weeds. And do they grow fast. Early in the growing season we left for the weekend. When we returned, we couldn't distinguish between weeds and plants.

We thought the radishes were experiencing exceptional growth. On closer inspection, one third of those radishes were weeds. A severe hacking with the hoe didn't deter them.

If the garden had a crystal ball to foresee next year's crop, it would probably see sod.

Retired Teachers to meet on September 20th

Retired teachers in the northwestern Minnesota area are cordially invited to the "Welcome Back" Northland Retired Educators meeting Wednesday, September 20.

Lunch will be at noon at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. The program following will be presented by an exchange student, Ludka Simkova from Slovakia. She will be introduced by Lucy Aasland and will talk about life and school in her country. She will also explain how things have changed politically. No one will want to miss this meeting.

Christian Women to have program, September 19

All women of the Thief River Falls area are invited to a luncheon Tuesday, September 19, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the American Legion club. Cost is $4.50.

Program theme is Grandma's Attic. The Festure "Heirloom Treasures" will be given by an executive board member. The music, "Timeless Tunes" will be by Joyce Weaks, of Burnsville, who is also the speaker. Her topic is "Collectible Thoughts."

Reservations should be made by September 15, cancellations by Monday, September 18. Call Clarice Rooker at 964-5357 or Lorraine Dallmann at 681-1086. Reservations must be kept, cancelled, or paid for.

Free nursery is provided at United Methodist church by reservation only.

Christian Women's After 5 Club plans dinner program

The Christian Business and Professional Women's "After 5 Club," cordially invites area women to a dinner Tuesday, September 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn. Cost will be $6.

Theme for the program is "Home is Where the Hearth Is." The feature, "Home Clean Home" will be presented by North County Services of Middle River, Geri Hodne and Pam Nelson. "Whistle While you Work" will be the musicol theme presented by Joyce Weaks of Burnsville. She will also present the topic "A Clean Sweep."

Reservations must be made by Friday, September 15, and cancelled by Monday noon, September 18. For reservations call Anna Marie Hestad 681-2135 or Evelyn Myrum at 681-2924.

Social Security representative at Heritage Center

A representative from the Grand Forks Social Security Office will be in Thief River Falls at the Heritage Center, 301 Fourth Street East on Tuesday, September 19 from 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Applications for benefits are not completed during the town visits. All social Security business can be completed by telephone free at 1-800-772-1213. This is a national toll-free number and does not ring in Grand Forks.

THANK YOU

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all Oad's friends, neighbors and relatives who visited him at his home during his illness.

Special thanks to Hospice for the loving care they gave Oad. He looked forward to your visits.

Also a special thank-you to Pastor Dan Faugstad for his frequent visits, Pastor Dahlen and to everyone who brought food to the house.

Thank you to all who gave cards and memorials, Pastor Faugstad for his comforting words, Grace Hammer and Pastor Bob for the beautiful music, Nazareth Sunday School children for singing and the Ladies Aid for serving lunch.

Thank you to Green's Funeral Home for their kind and caring ways. God Bless you all—The Family Of Arnold Haugen.

Samuelson to wed Beito

Michelle Samuelson and Benjamin Beito are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage. Michelle is the daughter of Dennis Samuelson and Pat Samuelson of Bertha. Bejamin is the son of Ken and Kathy Beito of Strathcona.

Michelle is a graduate of Bertha-Hewitt High School and Alexandria Technical College and is employed at First National Bank, Thief River Falls.

Benjamin is a graduate of Middle River High School and Wadena Technical College and is employed at Reliance Telephone systems in East Grand Forks.

An October 14 wedding is planned for Assumption Catholic Church, Florian.

Tri-Valley bus schedule set for September 18 through September 22

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of September 18 through September 22. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, September 18

Departs Beltrami at 8:15 a.m. with stops In Fertile 8:40, Winger 9, Erskine 9:20, Mentor 9:35, Crookston 10:10, Fisher 10:40 and East Grand Forks 11:15. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly at 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hendrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9:00 and Goodridge 9:20. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, September 19

Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Departs Bear Park at 9 a.m. with stops in Rindahl 9:15, Fertile 9:30, Gary 10:10 and Twin Valley 10:30. Arrives in Ada at 11:00 a.m.

Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15, Viking 8:45, Warren 9, Oslo 9:20 and Angus 9:30. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, September 20

Departs Lengby at 9 a.m. with stops in Fosston 9:20, McIntosh 9:40, Oklee 10:05, Brooks 10:15 and Plummer 10:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Twin Valley 8:30-11 a.m.

Departs Oslo at 9:30 a.m. and stops in Alvarado at 9:45. Arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

Thursday, September 21

City-wide transportation in Crookston.

Transportation city-wide in Fertile 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, September 22

Departs Winger at 8:30 a.m. with stops In Fertile 8:45, Red Lake Falls 9:20, Gentilly 9:35, Crookston 9:50, Fisher 10:20 and East Grand Forks 11:15. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10:45 a.m.

Transportation city-wide in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Transportation city-wide In Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

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LYNN HOVEL	DAVID YONKE
Sun., Oct. 22	Sat., Oct. 28
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Grace Lindblom, 80

Thief River Falls — Grace Cecelia Lindblom, 80, died on Tuesday, September 5 at the CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, September 7 at 2 p.m. at Black River Lutheran Church with Revs. Gary Johnson and Gaylen Sylvester officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Ruthie Mosbeck and soloist Diane Johnson. Selections will be "Whispering Hope" and "Here I Am Lord," and congregational hymns will be "How Great Thou Art" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers will be Donald Mosbeck, Veral Mosbeck, LaMarr Hanson, Benhart Johnson, Steve Mosbeck, Carl Lindblom. Interment will be in the Black River Cemetery.

Grace Cecelia Mosbeck was born on June 30, 1915 in Polk Centre township, Pennington county to Olaf and Louise (Erchinger) Mosbeck. She was baptized and confirmed at Black River Lutheran Church and attended school at Roadside School District 99 in Polk Centre township.

She was united in marriage to George Lindblom on February 20, 1937 at the Church Parsonage by Rev. Larson. The couple lived in Thief River Falls following their marriage. They moved to a farm west of Thief River Falls in 1942 and farmed for serveral years. They moved back to Thief River Falls in 1949 and in 1962, they moved to Mahnomen where they lived for 12 years. In 1974, Grace moved back to Thief River Falls, following her husband's death. In 1979, she entered Valley Home, later Oakland Park Nursing Home and has resided the past two years at the CNC.

She was a member of Black River Lutheran Church.

Grace is survived by two daughters, Myrna Lane of Thief River Falls and Jodi Engelstad of Cambridge; three sons, Douglas of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Kent of Milwaukee, WI and Kim of Thief River Falls; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two sisters, Hulda Canfield and Myrtle Waltonen, both of Thief River Falls.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George, July 29, 1974; her parents; two infant grandchildren, Deanne Dawn and Dana Mark Lane; seven brothers, Oscar, Martin, Rick, Sam, Carl, Vernon and Ray and five sisters, Clara Hanson, Agnes Hanson, Florence Pehrson, Lyda Tommerdahl, and Esther Anderson.

Charles J. Anderson, 99

Warren — Charles J. Anderson, 99, died at the Good Samaritan Center in Warren.

Funeral services were Saturday, September 9 at the Salem Lutheran Church, rural Stephen. Interment was in Salem Lutheran Cemetery.

Charles Anderson was born in Augsburg township, Marshall county, near Stephen, the son of John and Brita (Enholm) Anderson. Charles grew up in the rural Stephen area and attended country school, which was in the same section as his home.

On March 28, 1931, he was united in marriage to Alice Frei in Detroit Lakes with a former pastor of Salem performing the ceremony. Farming was his occupation, first in Augsburg township. In 1936, he purchased land in Nelson Park township, Marshall county. It was a diversified farming operation which included raising turkeys. In 1991, they moved to the Landmark Center in Warren.

He was a member of the Salem Lutheran Church of rural Stephen.

He is survived by his wife Alice; son Richard, Viking, two daughters, June Reese of Brooten and Rev. Marlene Anderson of Sioux Falls, SD. Also surviving are six grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; three great-great-granchildren; brother Ivar of Thief River Falls, sister, Esther Troska of Warren and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his brothers, Albin, Axel, Ted and Leander and three sisters, Ellen, Alfreda and Olga.

Annie Homme, 78

Thief River Falls — Annie Homme, 78, died on Monday, September 4 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, September 9 at Bethany Lutheran Church, rural Thief River Falls with Rev. Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music was provided by Grace Hammer. Selections were "Old Rugged Cross" and "Hymn of Promise." Congregational hymns were "Lord Whose Love in Humble Service" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were her grandchildren, Jon Nessen, Matt Homme, Jason Homme, Gary Homme, Mishawn Shaske, Cindy Homme, Sarah Homme and Janelle Homme. Interment was in the Bethany Cemetery.

Annie Luella Nessen was born on January 13, 1917 near Grygla, in Beltrami county to Christ and Sarah (Sigurdson) Nessen. As an infant she moved with her family to Highlanding township, Pennington county. She was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith at the church in Deer Park township. Annie also attended school in that area.

She was united in marriage to Obert (Bob) Homme on April 8, 1944 in Trail. The couple farmed Obert's family farm east of Thief River Falls in Silverton township, Pennington county.

Annie was a member of the Bethany Lutheran Church and was an active member of the Bethany Women's Group.

She is survived by her husband, Obert; sons, Chester, Orlen, Alan, Robert and Steve, all of Thief River Falls; 11 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one brother, Leo of Fosston; four sisters, Agnes Norberg of Anoka, Selene Knutson of Thief River Falls, Lillian Beggs and Alverda Cease, both of Kennewick, WA.

She was preceded in death by her parents; two infant sons; one sister, Helen and one grandchild, Chad Homme.

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Kenney Coan visited at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home during the week, also Bernard and Bill Hovet of Virginia.

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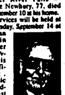
Respectfully,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Vance Newbury, 77

Thief River Falls — Vance Newbury, 77, died Sunday, September 10 at his home.



Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 14 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Reverend Dennis Raymond officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Ida Nordvall and soloist Diane Johnson. Selections are "One Eagles Wings" and "How Great Thou Art." Congregational hymns are "When Peace Like a River" and "Lift High the Cross."

Casketbearers are Jon Vigness, Les Vigness, Del Christianson, Joe Forberg, Art Buringrud and Brent Johnson. Interment will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls with military honors accorded by the American Legion and VFW Posts of Thief River Falls.

Visitation will be from 3 - 9 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13 at the Green Funeral Home with a 5:30 p.m. prayer service and at the church one hour prior to services.

Vance Charles Newbury was born March 7, 1918 in Thief River Falls, the son of George and Mabel (Dahl) Newbury. He attended school and grew to adulthood in Thief River Falls.

On December 24, 1937, he was united in marriage to Lorette Kelly in Thief River Falls.

Vance served in the United States Navy during World War II, aboard the USS Amsterdam.

Following his discharge in 1945, he returned to Thief River Falls where he worked for the Soo Line Railroad as a hostler helper and mechanics helper in the Roundhouse for 19 years. Vance also worked at Northwest Medical Center as head of housekeeping for 15 years, retiring in 1983. He later worked for Sinding Funeral Home in Thief River Falls.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church and the American Legion.

He is survived by his wife Lorette; one daughter, Durelle Storhaug of Thief River Falls; three grandchildren, Mark of Alexandria, Bruce of Grand Forks, ND and Janelle of Thief River Falls; four great grandchildren, Lindsey, Brian, Kaia and Mara and a special friend Jessica K.

He was preceded in death by an infant son, Vance Charles, Jr.; his parents and one sister, Helen Newbury.

Clarence I. "Ab" Stromberg, 77

Grygla — Clarence I. "Ab" Stromberg, 77, died on Friday, September 8 at his home.

Funeral services were on Tuesday, September 12 at 2 p.m. at United Methodist Church with Rev William Kerr officiating. Music was provided by Darryl Tveitbakk, vocalist and Vi Barr, organist. Special selections were "Because He Lives" and "The Old Rugged Cross" and congregational hymns are "Amazing Grace" and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Casketbearers were Leonard Hellquist, Al Sollum, LeRoy Stumpf, Walt Leach, Kenneth Halldin and Ray Rambeck. Military honors accorded by American Legion Post #117. Interment was in the Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Clarence Stromberg was born in Nekoma, ND on October 24, 1917, the son of Carl and Augusta (Rafteseth) Stromberg. He attended school at Rosewood and Crookston and attended Moorhead State College.

He began working for the Soo Line Railroad in 1940. He served in the U.S. Army from February, 1942 to December, 1945.

He married Frances Stenberg in Thief River Falls on March 6, 1949. He retired from the railroad in 1980 and moved to Grygla.

He was a member of American Legion Post #117, B.P.O.E. 1308, Masons, Fourtown-Grygla Sportsmans Club, the UTU and the BLFE, in which he served as an officer.

He is survived by his wife, Frances; sons, John of Thief River Falls and Dana of Maple Grove; grandchildren, Eric, Rachel, Layne and Tyler; sister, Myrtle Johnson and brother, Elvester, both of Thief River Falls; stepsisters, Doris Larson, Alice Brubakken, Lucille Bergman and Esther Brubakken; stepbrothers, Arnold, John, Harvey and Harold Hanson and several cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother; one stepsister and one stepbrother.

Alexander Cloutier, 16

Holt — Alexander Bryce Cloutier, 16, died Sunday, September 10 at United Hospital, Grand Forks.

Funeral service will be held on Thursday, September 14 at 1 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls. Visitation will be at Belmont Funeral Home from 2 - 8 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13 with a prayer service at 7 p.m.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Walter Rasmussen, 82

Middle River — Walter Albert Rasmussen, 82, died Thursday morning, September 7 at his home.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 11 at First Lutheran Church, Middle River with Pastor John Jorgenson officiating. Interment was in German Evangelical Cemetery, Middle River. Military honors were accorded by the Middle River American Legion Post.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Ida Kees, 99

Red Lake Falls — Ida Kees, 99, died on Tuesday, September 5 at the Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Saturday, September 9 at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in Red Lake Falls with Father Gary LaMoine officiating. Special music was provided by the St. Joseph Church Choir.

Casketbearers were all of Ida's grandchildren. Interment was in the St. Joseph Church Cemetery.

Ida Kees was born on November 15, 1895, the daughter of Jerome and Addis (Allard) Longton, near Red Lake Falls. She was raised near Red Lake Falls and attended country school.

Following normal training, she taught school for 11 years.

On June 8, 1925, she married John A. Kees at Red Lake Falls. She taught school for another ten years with the last few years at the Catholic school in Argyle.

John passed away on April 12, 1969. Ida entered the Hillcrest nursing Home in October of 1973 and has resided there since.

She was a member of the St. Joseph Church, Catholic daughters, Catholic Foresters and St. Ann's Guild.

She is survived by two daughters, Lorraine Yerbish of Nebish and Anne Marie Heden of Oklee; seven grandsons; seven granddaughters; 33 great grandchildren and one daughter-in-law Lisa Hedin-Yerbish.

She was preceded in death by her husband John; three infant sons; three grandsons, one great-granddauther; four brothers and ten sisters.

Edna M. Helgeson, 82

Crookston — Edna M. Helgeson, 82, died early Tuesday morning, September 5 at the Riverview Hospital in Crookston.

The funeral service was held on Friday, September 8 at 10:30 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, Crookston. Interment was at Oakdale Cemetery, Crookston.

Edna was born on January 11, 1913 at Eldred, the daughter of Berent and Martha (Gimse) Bredlie. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith and attended school at Eldred.

Edna went on to receive her teaching certificate at Moorhead Teacher's College. She returned to the area and taught in several of the country schools.

On August 22, 1936, Edna was united in marriage to George R. Helgeson at her parents' home near Eldred. The couple first lived in Tynsid township where they farmed. In 1943 they moved to Lowell township. George retired from farming in 1972, and in 1978 they moved to Crookston.

George died on February 12, 1987.

Edna was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and WELCA and belonged to the Quilter's Club. She was also a member of the Sons of Norway.

She is survived by four sons, Gerald of Hawley, Maurice, James and Edward, all of Crookston; two daughters, Linda Sell of Amenia, ND and Bethel Christianson of Bloomsburg, PA; thirteen grandchildren; two great grandchildren; one brother Elmer of Mentor; one sister Lillian Gorter of Crookston; and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Edna was preceded in death by her husband George; a grandson, Ryan Allen Helgeson and her parents.

Eugene Carpenter, 72

Plummer — Eugene Carpenter, 72, died on arrival at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Monday, September 4.

Funeral services were held on Friday, September 8 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Plummer with Reverend Clarence Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Effie Byerl. Congregational hymns were "Beautiful Savior" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Jim Kelley, Jr., Blaine Carpenter, Sean Carpenter, Jeff Kelley, Dean Hovet and Darrel Hovet. Interment was in the Emardville Cemetery near Plummer.

Eugene Carpenter was born on December 8, 1922 in Miller, SD to William and Mary Ella (Robison) Carpenter. He grew up in Miller and later moved with his family to Bejou where he attended high school in Mahnomen. He lived for a time in Preston.

On November 1, 1943, he was united in marriage to Jean Braaten in Red Lake Falls. The couple moved to a home in Plummer and have since resided there.

Eugene served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He worked construction at the Grand Forks Air Force Base and several schools around the area. He built many homes in the Plummer area.

He enjoyed trapping, gardening, hunting, story telling, fishing, four wheeling, and wrote a trappers book, "How to Trap Mink."

He is survived by his wife Jean of Plummer; children, Gary of Jamestown, Danny of Plummer, Lyle of Bagley, Russ of Plummer, Corey of Goodridge, Kim of Plummer, Carol Hovet of Oak Creek, WI, Judy Kelley of Plummer, Melody Beaudoin of Boise, ID, Cindy Thomas of Manhattan, KS and Nancy Holmes of Oskosh, WI; 28 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; brothers and sisters, Lawrence of Cheyenne, WY, Pauline Becker of Buffalo, Josephine Sash of Brownsdale, Maxine Seely of Texas and William of Motley; half brothers and sisters, Patricia Erickson of King George, VA, Michael Carpenter of Caledonia, James Carpenter of Fairbanks, AK and Timothy Carpenter of Houston, MN.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister Irene Hrdlicka and two grandsons, Danny Hovet and Jack Kelley.

Robert Hince, 49

Oklee — Robert Hince, 49, of Oklee died Tuesday, September 5 on arrival at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Sunday, September 10 at 1 p.m. at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Oklee with Father Duane Pribula presiding. Special music was provided by Charity Wicks, organist, and vocalists Carol Kankel and Erika Knips.

Casketbearers were Richard Melby, John Loiland Cliff Melby, John Lerohl, Tim Radniecki, Bernard Plante, Stanley Radniecki, Robert Bernier. Honorary casketbearers were all of Bob's friends. Interment was in the St. Francis Xavier Catholic Cemetery in Oklee with military honors accorded by the American Legion of Oklee.

Robert Elmer Hince was born April 21, 1946 in Thief River Falls, the son of Elmer and Marie (Wicks) Hince. He was raised and educated in the Oklee area, graduating from Oklee High School.

He served in the U.S. Army in the Panama Canal Zone. Bob worked at Homark in Red Lake Falls for 25 years.

On May 13, 1993, he was united in marriage to Ann Laniel Meyer at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Oklee.

Bob was a member of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church and the American Legion in Oklee.

He is survived by his wife Ann of Oklee; two step children, Pam Dack and Troy Meyer; one stepgrandson, Tyler; one brother, Donald Hince of Gesees, Germany; five sisters, Bonnie Roisland of Oklee, Sherry Kankel of Red Lake Falls, Kathleen McDonald of Karlstad, Mary Lou Gunderson of Newfolden and Joan Lien of Gonvick; many nieces and nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Kenneth Fering, 82

Greenbush — Kenneth C. Fering, 82, died on Tuesday, September 5 at the Greenbush Nursing Home.

Funeral services were Friday, September 8 at 2 p.m. at the Blessed Sacrement Catholic Church in Greenbush with Fr. Gene Wesely presiding. Music was provided by organist Sr. Claire Arel and song leader Dorothy Brazier.

Casketbearers were Harold Peterson, Larry Scharmer, Louis Haupt, Francis, Frederick and Paul Montry. Interment was at Blessed Sacrement Cemetery.

Kenneth Fering was born September 14, 1912 at Alvarado, the son of Martin and Ragna Fering. He attended school in Eagle Point township, Marshall county, rural Steven.

He married Josephine Montry of Greenbush on August 1, 1939. He farmed near Greenbush for 50 years. Mrs. Fering died in 1974.

He is survived by two brothers, Marshall of Lake Havasu, AZ and Morris of East Grand Forks; five sisters, Wanda Remme of Billings, MT, Mac Ion of Grand Forks, ND, Margaret Scharmer of St. Thomas, ND, Betty Peterson of Grand Forks, ND and Ruby Eide, also of Grand Forks, ND.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife Josephine and brother Milton.

Florence Peterson, 90

Fargo, ND — Florence Emelia Peterson, 90, died Saturday morning, September 9 at the Dakota Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Services for Florence are Wednesday, September 13 at 10 a.m. at Bethlehem Lutheran Church of Newfolden with Pastor John Jorgenson. Interment will follow at the Spruce Valley Cemetery.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's edition of The Times.

Grace Joan Wright, 65

Lake Havasu City, AZ — Grace Joan Wright, 65, died at her home on Saturday, September 9.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to Hospice of Havasu, 1685 Mesquite Ave., Suite F, Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403 or the Mayo Clinic, 13400 E. Shea Blvd., Scottsdale, AZ 85259.

G. Joan Wright was born August 30, 1930 in Newfolden, the daughter of Olaf Greene and Cara Sayeen Greene.

She was a flight attendant with Eastern Airlines flying out of New York City. She worked as a dental assistant in Thief River Falls. Joan was an employment counselor in Minneapolis and worked in real estate management in Tuanton and Middleboro, MA. She was an avid golfer until the time of her illness.

She is survived by her husband, Willis E. Wright and four sisters, Lee Sands of Melbourne, FL, Avis Greene of Minneapolis, Phyllis Anderson of Apopka, FL and Lois Anderson of Park Rapids.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Friends of the Library to meet

The Thief River Falls Friends of the Library will be meeting on Thursday, September 14 at 7 p.m. The group will gather in the meeting room of the Northwest Regional Library. Any current or prospective Friends are invited to attend.

The local Friends of the Library organization was formed during the latter part of 1994. They are not a fundraising organization, but rather a service oriented group that have made it their goal to enhance the library and its services. The book Delivery Service for homebound people has been one of its more poppular projects, and residents in Oakland Park and Valley Home are already taking advantage of this opprtunity to find reading material and friendship. Likewise, the Friends have been instrumental in assisting Heidi Hoks with children's reading projects throughout this past summer. People in the Friends group have consistently brought treats and provided helping hands for children's library programs since last June.

The Friends of the Library welcome anyone to participate in its activities. To find out more about these and other projects, contact Friends-President Marilyn Weir at 681-6024.

Quin County board meeting on September 18

The Quin County Board and Advisory Committee Meeting will be held Monday, September 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the Newfolden Community Center. The main item of business will be reviewing the CHS Plan for 1996-1999.

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Area pedal tractor pullers win at state championships

Three participants from northwestern Minnesota gained high placing Saturday, September 9, at the Minnesota Pedal Tractor Pullers Association state championships held at the Martin County arena on the fairgrounds in Fairmont.

Tyler Holen, son of Mark and Sheila Holen of Thief River Falls, finished first in the seven-year-old boys' division; Jeremy Lolland, son of Clayton and Betty Lolland of Goodridge, placed second in the 12-year-old boys' division, and Gretchen Smeby, daughter of Lowell and Bim Smeby of Grygla, placed third in the 10-year-old girls' division.

Tyler and Jeremy qualified for national competition and will compete in Omaha, NE, in two weeks.

Tyler qualified for the state contest by winning first place in sanctioned petal tractor pulls at the Polk County Fair in Fertile, Pennington County Fair in Thief River Falls, Red Lake County Fair in Oklee and the Grygla Fall Festival.

Tyler pulled 75 pounds in the state contest and won first place with a distance of 25 feet, six inches. Second place pull was 25 feet, three inches and third was 24 feet. There were about 120 contestants in his age division.

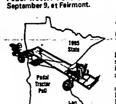
Jeremy pulled 475 pounds in the 12-year-old class and finished second with 27 feet, two inches. First place pull was 29 feet and third place was 24 feet. This was Jeremy's fourth and final state pedal pull. He qualified this year as an 11-year-old but competed in the 12-year-old class at the state after reaching his 12th birthday. He qualified by placing first at Fertile, Oklee, Grygla and Oslo and placed third in Thief River Falls.

Jeremy's brother, Michael competed at the state contest at ages four through seven but did not compete this year.

Gretchen Smeby pulled 125 pounds in the 10-year-old girls' class and finished third among more than 100 entries with a pull of 15 feet, six and one-half inches. First place pull was 16 feet and second place was 15 feet, nine inches. She qualified by winning her class at the Grygla Fall Festival.

Gretchen Smeby, 10-year-old daughter of Lowell and Bim Smeby of Grygla, won third place in her age group at the Minnesota Pedal Tractor Pullers Association championships Saturday, September 9, at Fairmont.

Tyler Holen, seven-year-old son of Mark and Sheila Holen of Thief River Falls, won first place in the Minnesota Pedal Tractor Pullers Association championships Saturday, September 9, in Fairmont. Tyler qualified for the state contest with first place finishes in four local pulls this summer and defeated about 120 qualifiers in his age division at the state event. He is shown with some of the pedal pull trophies he has earned in area competition.



Jeremy Lolland, 12-year-old son of Clayton and Betty Lolland of Goodridge, qualified for national competition with a second place finish in his division at the Minnesota Pedal Tractor Pullers Association championships Saturday in Fairmont. He qualified for state competition as an 11-year-old this summer, but had his 12th birthday and was required to compete with 12-year-olds at the state. He will compete in Omaha, NE, in about two weeks.

Michael Lolland, son of Clayton and Betty Lolland of Goodridge, shows some of the pedal tractor pull awards he has won in the past five years. He has qualified for and participated in the state championships for four years at ages four through seven but did not compete this year.

Area students graduate UND

Graduates of the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks at summer commencement exercises included several students from this area.

Among the more than 400 summer graduates were Michelle Lee McDonald, Roseau, Bachelor of Business Administration; Lisa Anderson and Jaki Weleski, Thief River Falls, Bachelor of Science; G. Scott Loeslie, Warren, Master of Education; and Nonda Mack, Warren, Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Leisure Services.

Schedule Changes

Latest changes to the School District 564 fall sports schedule:

- Thursday, Sept. 14, freshman football vs. Grand Forks White at Prowler Field switched from 4:30 to 4 p.m. start.
- Saturday, Sept. 16, and Thursday, Sept. 21, middle school girls tennis vs. Bemidji canceled

MARKETS

as of Friday, September 8

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.45
New Crop 95	4.45
Spring Wheat #2	4.30
Winter Wheat	4.10
Durum	4.25
Top Malting Barley	2.30
Feed Barley	1.75
Top Milling Oats	1.55
Ordinary Oats	1.40
Oil Sunflowers	10.90
New Crop 95	10.80
Corn	2.40
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.25
Soybeans	5.50
Buckwheat	10.25
Confectionary Sunflowers	12.00
Canola	11.00

BSU graduates several from The Times area

Three Thief River Falls students, three from Red Lake Falls and two from Grygla were among spring quarter graduates of Bemidji State University, according to Al Nohner, director of news services at BSU.

Thief River Falls graduates included Jay Bergland, bachelor of science degree in applied psychology; Troy Hanestad, bachelor of science with honors in physical education; and Barbara Sorenson, bachelor of science degree with honors in elementary education.

Graduates from Red Lake Falls includes Meg Boutain, bachelor of science degree in mathematics; Dolores Schindler, bachelor of science degree with honors in elementary education; and Lynette Schmidt, bachelor of science degree in social work.

Grygla graduates were Brad Holte, bachelor of science degree in industrial technology and Jill Moe, bachelor of arts degree in sociology.

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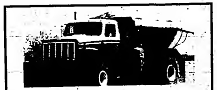

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Accidents in law enforcement news

Local law enforcement officials responded to several reports of accidents during the past week.

Accidents. On September 5 at 11:36 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of First and Main. According to the accident report, Debra Jean Bellefeuille, Greenbush, was in her car facing east on First Street waiting in traffic, a pickup driven by David Eldon Bruggeman, Thief River Falls, was stopped behind her, when a vehicle driven by Joshua Eugene Radeke, St. Hilaire, struck the Bruggeman vehicle which was pushed into the Bellefeuille vehicle. Damages were estimated at $75 to the Bellefeuille vehicle, $75 to the Bruggeman vehicle, and $2,000 to the Radeke vehicle. There were no injuries.

On September 5 at 8:35 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Greenwood and Highway 59 south. According to the accident report, Robin Elizabeth Bollesen, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on Greenwood, stopped at the intersection and started to cross the intersection when her vehicle collided with a northbound van driven by James Edward Carlson of Thief River Falls. The street lights were off at the time of the accident. Carlson hit his head and hurt his shoulder. A passenger had an abrasion on his back, and another had an abrasion on his neck. No one was taken to the hospital. Damages were estimated at $3,000 to the Carlson vehicle, and $2,000 to the Bollesen vehicle.

On September 5 at 8:50 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident on Highway 59 south. Lowell Wendell Lindemoen, Newfolden, was driving a pickup south on Highway 59 and Travis Arlen Kotrba, Goodridge, was driving a car south on Highway 59. Lindemoen slowed in traffic and was struck from behind by the Kotrba vehicle. Damages were estimated at $300 to the Lindemoen vehicle and $1,500 to the Kotrba vehicle. There were no injuries.

On September 7 at 9:40 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident at Pennington Avenue and County Road 61. Mark Hatton, Hallock, was driving a suburban south on Pennington Avenue while Keith Francis Rezec, Kent, was driving a pickup north on Pennington Avenue. Rezec struck Hatton, who was attempting a left turn onto County road 61. Hatton was taken by ambulance to the hospital with a head injury. His passenger complained of a sore neck. Keith complained of an injury to his head and leg. His passenger had an injury to his nose. The Hatton vehicle was considered a total loss. Damage to the Rezec vehicle was undetermined. Hatton was cited for failure to yield.

On September 8 at 1:12 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Pennington Avenue and Nora Street. Kimberly Chadwick Quade, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on Nora Street and Jeffrey Paul Flaten, Thief River Falls, was driving a car south on Pennington Avenue. The vehicles collided in the intersection when Quade stopped at the intersection and entered the intersection. Damages were estimated at $750 to the Quade vehicle and $1,600 to the Flaten vehicle.

On September 8 at 5:19 p.m. the police department received a report of an accident at Brooks and the Digi-Key entrance. Tabitha Oray Downs, Goodridge, was driving a car and turning west onto Brooks Avenue South. Terri Jean Stengrim, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east out of the Digi-Key parking lot. The sun was blocking the view and the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $600 to each vehicle.

On September 8 at 5:45 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident on County road 20 about one and one-half miles north of Highway 1. Chad Mitchell Manning, Thief River Falls, was driving a motorcycle south on County road 20 when he lost control of the motorcycle and it left the roadway. Manning injured his right leg. There was an estimated $2,500 damage to the motorcycle.

Narcotics. On September 5 at 3:44 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an individual walking down the middle of Highway 1 east near the range line road. The individual was stopped and during investigation of the report, the officer found what was believed to be a bag of marijuana and another container. Jonathan Jonas McHam, 32, Thief River Falls, was arrested. Charges are pending.

Burglary. On September 5 at 6:30 p.m. Paul James Anderson, 33, Thief River Falls, was arrested on a warrant for charges of burglary in the second degree, and felony theft. The charges stem from an incident on the 21st of June. He allegedly entered a residence in the 200 block of North Knight and made several unauthorized phone calls amounting to $1,306.28. He is in custody at the Pennington county law enforcement center pending an appearance in Ninth District court.

Assault. On September 6 at 1:37 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of three individuals sitting in a vehicle on the eastbound lane of Highway 1. All three were allegedly intoxicated and had been fighting. One individual had been hit several times and had hair pulled from her head. Her glasses had been broken during the altercation. Arrested for fifth degree assault was Stephen Lyle Pearson, 31, Goodridge, and Wendy Lynn Hell, 31, Thief River Falls.

On September 8 at 1:50 p.m. police were called to a report of an assault in the 100 block of South State. Arrested for fifth degree assault was Victoria Lee Wishard, 35, Thief River Falls.

Thefts. On September 5 at 3:42 p.m. a 13-year-old male from Thief River Falls was caught taking items from Hugo's without paying for the merchandise.

Pennington county sheriff's department has issued citations for issuance of worthless checks to several individuals: Jaylina Marie Beach, 20, Grand Rapids, $120; Conrad Dale Bourman Jr., 23, Big Fork, $75; Jeffrey Paul Kazmierczak, 22, Thief River Falls, $90; Terence Patrick Farley, 43, Fargo, ND, $240; Scott Arthur Engmann, 24, Bemidji, $65; Samuel Amos Deppa, 22, Viking, $46.65; Colleen Michelle Fesko, 24, Thief River Falls, $125; Kassandra Lea Hedlund, 27, Roseau, $55; Mark C. Fesko, 29, Thief River Falls, $101.69; Gregory Allan Kostrzewski, 27, East Grand Forks, $65; Alice Jane Loberg, 50, Gully, $75; Karla Leigh Lusignan, 20, Thief River Falls, $33.42; Liza Michelle Molstad, 19, Thief River Falls, $52.72; Alan Bradley Kyllonen, 36, Warren, $107.93; Jerry Scott Morberg, 26, Alvarado, $50; Gilbert Andy Olson, 21, Middle River, $38.69; Monica Lynn Prickett, 27, Thief River Falls, $42.15; Dennis LaVern Seaverson, 25, Thief River Falls, $45; Patrick Lynn Robinson, 27, Red Lake Falls, $135; Deanna Marie Robinson, 27, Red Lake Falls, $175.63; Shane Lavern Wilkens, 21, Goodridge, $45.

On September 8 at 1:37 p.m. a 19-year-old male was charged with shoplifting at Hugo's.

On September 8, Louann Ann Hoard, 34, St. Hilaire, was cited for theft under $200 in connection with the failure to return a VCR and movies.

Public nuisance. On September 9 at 1:26 a.m. police responded to a report of loud noise in the area of Countryside trailer court. Cited for public nuisance was Mark Perry Supernois, 41, Thief River Falls.

Consumption under age. On September 9 at 10:50 p.m. the sheriff's department stopped a vehicle on County road 61. Cited for consumption under age was Tabitha Oray Downs, 18, Goodridge. A 17-year-old and 15-year-old were cited for consumption under age.

Driving under the influence. On September 10 at 2:27 p.m. police arrested Steven Clinton Scovronski, 34, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

On September 11 at 3:39 a.m. the sheriff's department discovered a vehicle stopped in the middle of the road. Arrested was Robert Oakgrove, 56, Redby for driving while intoxicated and refusal to test.

Reckless driving. On September 11 at 7 p.m. police received a report of reckless driving in a trailer court. Jeffrey Larry Sele, Thief River Falls, was cited for reckless driving; and Cindy May Crane, 19, Thief River Falls, was cited for consumption under age.

Prepare now for planting spring trees

Late summer through early fall is the time to prepare for next spring's tree planting, according to Kathy Zavoral, district technician for the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District at Grygla.

Preparation begins with cultivation of a planting bed. This will loosen the soil and reduce weeds which compete with young trees for water, nutrients and sunlight. Weeds may also be controlled with the use of chemicals, but it is important to read and follow label directions.

After preparing the site, Zavoral said, species selection can begin. This is generally accomplished by taking several factors such as soils, moisture and climate into consideration. Next spring, all that will be required is some light cultivation in preparation for tree planting.

For more information on planning for tree plantings including financial assistance programs, contact the Marshall-Beltrami soil and Water Conservation District office at 218-294-6144.

Clumps of sod flew as participants in groundbreaking ceremonies for Welltek Engineering company's new 60x100 foot building in the Grygla Industrial park really dug in Monday afternoon. Pictured left to right are Clayton Carlson, representing Polaris industries; Bryan Grove, president of the American State Bank of Grygla; Mike McKeever, a partner in Welltek; Terry Wells, founder of Welltek, and his son Charley; Curtis Forsland, partner in Welltek; Keith Markstrom and Lowell Johnson of Johnson and Markstrom Construction, general contractor; Jenice Peterson, first employee of Welltek as secretary-bookkeeper; and Edward Monson of Gatzke, electrical contractor. The new building is the first to be built in the Grygla industrial park.

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Sports Section

Worthington knocks off Northland football team...

Pioneers lose 7-0 opener

Good defense or poor offense. Those were the post-game options Saturday following a 7-0 season-opening Northland Community and Technical College football loss to Worthington.

Neither team produced offensively; both teams played well defensively. The game's only score – a 71-yard touchdown pass from Charles Cross to Quadrell Carreathers – came midway through the second quarter when a collision in the secondary put two Northland defenders on the ground and left the Worthington receiver on his feet, and alone.

Outside of the touchdown, Worthington never got a sniff of the end zone. Northland had a couple of whiffs, but couldn't turn the scoring opportunities into points.

Northland coach Gene Klinke expected the Pioneers to do well offensively behind a revamped wishbone attack this fall, but two weeks of preseason drills was apparently not enough time to work all the kinks out.

"Offensively, we didn't execute," said Klinke. "The execution was poor. A half-dozen times we fumbled the exchange and a half-dozen times we ran the wrong plays from the ones we sent into the huddle. You shouldn't lose a 7-0 game on your home field."

Defensively, Klinke was more satisfied, but still pointed out that a mistake on defense wound up costing the Pioneers the game. "We played as well defensively as we could," he explained, "but blown coverage on one play gave them the only touchdown of the game."

The game was similar to last year's first-ever meeting between the two teams – a 6-3 Northland win at Worthington.

Northland had two first-quarter scoring chances following a 21-yard Worthington punt that carried only to the Bluejays' 34-yard line. A 14-yard first down run off the option by Robert Carlson quickly put the Pioneers at the 20, but they got no further.

Moments later a fumble recovery by linebacker John Davis put the Northland offense back on the field at the Worthington 17. The Pioneers reached the 13, but after two sacks and a penalty, they turned the ball over on downs at the 33.

Worthington scored on a second-and-14 call from the Bluejays' 28 when a long downfield throw by Cross attracted a crowd along the sidelines at the Northland 30. The two defenders and Carreathers bumped – producing a flag for pass interference. The the penalty was never called as the two Pioneers fell to the ground, leaving the receiver open to haul in the pass and complete the jog into the end zone.

Scott Knorr's kick made it 7-0 with 6:35 left in the first half.

Only other scoring threat of the afternoon came in the third quarter following another short Worthington punt – this one traveling 18 yards to the Bluejays' 38. The Pioneers wound up with a first-and-goal at the 5-yard line on a 15-yard tackle-breaking run by Luke Anderson, but then picked up a holding penalty and ended up turning the ball over on downs at the 12 with 5:32 left.

Northland finished with just 145 yards of offense, averaging only 2.3 yards per carry on 51 running plays. Worthington netted 159 yards on offense, with nearly half of that coming on the touchdown pass. The Bluejays averaged 2.1 yards on 41 running plays.

The Pioneers will be back at Prowler Field Saturday for a 1:30 p.m. game against Fergus Falls. They will head to Willmar Sept. 23 to complete the nonconference portion of the 1995 schedule. Their Northern Division match-up will then include games against Mesabi, Itasca, Vermilion, Hibbing, and North Central.

Statistics

	NCTC	WCC
First Downs	10	4
by rushing	7	4
by passing	2	0
by penalty	1	0
Rushing attempts-yards	51-118	41-86
Pass att-comp-int	15-8-1	4-2-0
Yards passing	29	73
Total offensive yards	145	159
Fumbles-fumbles lost	6-2	5-3
Penalties-yards	4-30	9-75
Punts-average	8-29.8	10-31.5

Scoring

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Worthington	0	7	0	0	7
Northland	0	0	0	0	0

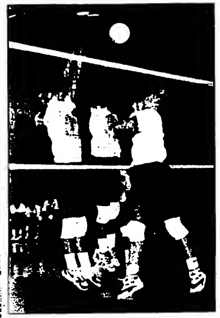
WCC - Quadrell Carreathers, 72-yard pass from Charles Cross, Scott Knorr kick.

Individuals

■ Rushing (NCTC) Brent Miller 18-69, Robert Carlson 9-35, Luke Anderson 10-23, Mason Thompson 2-8, Laurence Reid 3-0; Eddie Fluerant 12 (-) 18. (WCC) Charles Cross 19-53, Charles Bush 10-39, Michael Hopkins 3-8, Matt Stueber 7 (-) 7, Chris Cosse 2 (-) 8.

■ Passing - (NCC) Eddie Fluerant 2-for-7, (-) 1 yard, 0 interceptions; Brian Remick 3-for-8, 30 yards, 1 interception. (WCC) Charles Cross 2-for-4, 73 yards, 0 interceptions.

■ Receiving - (NCC) Robert Anderson 2-15, Eric Hamre 1-15, Jamieson Wark 1-2, Laurence Reid 1(-) 3. (WCC) Quadrell Carreathers 1-72, Matthew Kosler 1-1.



Northland defenders Erika Halvorson (left) and Alissa Hietala tried to block a Concordia hitter during Friday's college volleyball triangular in Thief River Falls. The Pioneers lost to the Cobbers JV 2-0, but beat UND-Lake Region by the same margin in their 1995 season debut.

Volleyball vs. RLCC...

Prowlers win close games in 3-0 sweep

Winning two close games set the stage for an easy match-completing third game win Monday as Thief River Falls beat Red Lake County Central 15-12, 17-15, 15-4 in high school volleyball at Plummer.

"It was a great match," said Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson. "The second game was definitely a ping-pong marathon."

Michelle Mathson and Maren Thorson led the Prowlers with 12 kills each. Mathson also had a team-high 11 last-touch points and setter Kendra Dimich was credited with 32 assists.

"Everyone contributed to the win," offered Anderson. "I was really pleased with how aggressive we played."

The win put the Prowlers at 5-2 heading into their first North Sub-Section 8AA assignment of the season Thursday at Bemidji.

Thief River Falls junior varsity went to 3-0 with a 15-7, 15-12 win. Red Lake County Central won the C squad match 15-7, 15-4.

The Mustangs will meet Fertile-Beltrami Thursday in Oklee.

TRF Scoring

■ Last-touch points - Michelle Mathson 11, Desiree Alberg 10, Sarah Koland 7, Maren Thorson 8, Katie Kraemer 5, Kendra Dimich 4, Carrie Rud 3, Holly Bjorgaard 1.

■ Kills - Mathson 12, Thorson 12, Alberg 8, Kraemer 6, Rud 2, Koland 2, Dimich 1, Bjorgaard 1.

■ Ace serves - Kraemer 2, Koland 2, Dimich 1.

■ Assists - Dimich 32, Kraemer 3, Alberg 1.

Busy slate awaits Wolverines squad

A busy week of high school volleyball awaited Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke and coach Tina Rode – a schedule that included matches against Warroad Tuesday in Grygla and Lake of the Woods Thursday at Baudette, followed by an appearance at the Marshall County Central Invitational Saturday in Newfolden.

The Wolverines are coming off a 15-10, 15-9, 15-17, 7-15, 15-9 Thursday win over Badger/Greenbush-Middle River that evened their first-week record at 1-1.

"We played really well," said Rode. "We did a nice job setting up the ball; the kids worked well together."

Prowlers stop Otters 12-7

Nick Chiodo rushed for 169 yards and the Thief River Falls defense came up with a game-saving quarterback sack in the final two minutes Friday to wrap up a 12-7 Section 8A high school football win at Fergus Falls.

The win evened the Prowlers' record at 1-1 heading into a three-week home stand that begins Friday against Wadena-Deer Creek.

Thief River Falls wasted little time taking a 6-0 lead over the Otters, putting together a first-possession scoring drive that ended with a 2-yard touchdown run by Josh Harris.

Failure to connect on the conversion kick caught up to the Prowlers when Fergus Falls' David Aune scored on a 6-yard run and Clayton Horgen added the extra point to put the Otters ahead 7-6 with 1:53 left in the first half.

But Chiodo read his blocks and went 35 yards on a third quarter touchdown run to put the Prowlers back on top 12-7.

The defense did the rest. The Otters, after stopping the Prowlers on a fourth-and-two at the Fergus Falls 30 late in the fourth quarter, promptly reached the Thief River Falls 20. But they stalled there, and on a fourth-and-eight with 1:54 left, a hard pass rush produced the sack and ended the final threat.

"It was a very good football game," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "It was a little nerve-wracking at the end – Fergus Falls started to put things together in the second half. But defensively, we came up with the big plays when he needed them. The key on the final series was that we stopped them on first down – something hadn't been doing – and that forced them to throw the ball. Then we got the good rush on fourth down."

Meanwhile, Chiodo, a 5-10, 158-pound senior, had his second 100-yard rushing game of the two-week-old season.

"Nick ran well," acknowledged Mumm. "The rest of the kids are making the blocks, and Nick is doing a nice job cutting."

The Prowlers out-gained the Otters 317-151 in total yards. "Defensively we eliminated some of the mistakes that hurt us the first week," said Mumm. "Offensively we moved the ball, but we shot ourselves in the foot a few times, too. Our passing game (3-for-8 for 56 yards) is not where we want it to be. We have to do a better job finding the open receivers."

Aaron Ehrenstrom (14 carries, 52 yards) and Jason Breiland (5 carries, 44 yards) finished behind Chiodo on the Prowlers' rushing charts.

Wadena-Deer Creek is also 1-1 for the year, following an 8-0 Friday loss to Aitkin. The Wolverines beat Pine River-Backus 30-0 in their 1995 opener behind two 100-yard runners – Eric Charlson with 158 yards and J.J. Truax 121.

"They (Wolverines) have some good young kids," pointed out Mumm. "And those young kids have some good size."

Staples-Motley and Park Rapids Area will follow Wadena-Deer Creek to Prowler Field to complete the 1995 Thief River Falls home schedule that begin with the 34-15 season-opening loss to Detroit Lakes. The Prowlers finish regular season play with games at Crookston, vs. Woodbury in the Fargodome and at East Grand Forks.

In other Section 8A match-ups last week, Park Rapids Area beat Crookston 10-6 and East Grand Forks knocked off Staples-Motley 21-13. Results for other Section 8A teams included a 33-0 Long Prairie-Grey Eagle loss to Paynesville Area, a 27-6 Detroit Lakes win over Brooklyn Center and a 20-16 Perham loss to Frazee.

Statistics

	TRF	FF
First Downs	13	9
by rushing	11	6
by passing	2	3
by penalty	0	0
Rushing attempts-yards	47-261	33-98
Pass att-comp-int	8-3-0	12-3-2
Yards passing	56	53
Total offensive yards	317	151
Fumbles-fumbles lost	1-1	3-1
Penalties-yards	5-35	1-15
Punts-average	3-35.3	3-30.0

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Thief River Falls	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12
Fergus Falls	[illegible]	7	[illegible]	[illegible]	7

TRF - Josh Harris, 2-yard run, kick failed.
FF - David Aune, 6-yard run; Clayton Horgen kick
TRF - Nick Chiodo, 35-yard run; pass failed.

NCTC volleyball team gains first-match split

The start was a little shaky, but the finish was solid Friday as the Northland Community and Technical College volleyball team opened the 1995 season with a split against the Concordia College junior varsity and UND-Lake Region in the Pioneers' Pepsi Triangular.

First-year Northland head coach Shari Olson watched the Cobbers blow out the Pioneers 15-3, 15-3 in the first match of the day, but her team bounced back to sweep the Royals 15-6, 15-10 in the finale.

Concordia finished a 2-0 outing with a 15-10, 15-10 victory over UND-Lake Region.

"Freshman jitters," was the way Olson described the first-match performance against the strong Concordia squad. It was the first match in two years for the Pioneers, who did not field a team last fall, and every Northland player is a freshman. "But they did come around," she added. "They played much better against UND-Lake Region. We served the ball, and we did a nice job coming off the net and playing defense."

Setters Erika Spilde (Karlstad) and Alissa Hietala (Badger) played well, according to Olson. "They are both tremendous athletes with great vertical jumps," she explained.

Northland hosts Itasca tonight (Wednesday) at 6:30 p.m. before going on the road for a 6:30 p.m. match vs. Vermilion Friday in Ely and a 12-noon contest against Mesabi Saturday in Virginia.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central
■ Thursday, Sept. 14 - volleyball vs. Fertile-Beltrami (at Oklee).
■ Friday, Sept. 15 - football vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Middle River).

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke
■ Thursday, Sept. 14 - volleyball at Lake of the Woods.
■ Friday, Sept. 15 - football vs. Kittson County North (at Goodridge).
■ Saturday, Sept. 16 - volleyball at Marshall County Central Invitational.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River
■ Thursday, Sept. 14 - volleyball vs. Marshall County Central.
■ Friday, Sept. 15 - football vs. Red Lake County Central (at Middle River).

Marshall County Central
■ Thursday, Sept. 14 - volleyball vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Greenbush).
■ Friday, Sept. 15 - football vs. Tri-County.
■ Saturday, Sept. 16 - Marshall County Central Volleyball Invitational.

RLCC picks up 37-6 football win

Brett Bishop scored three touchdowns, Jake Anderson two, and Aaron Chaput kicked a field goal and four extra points Friday as Red Lake County Central beat Ada-Borup 37-6 in high school football.

The visiting Mustangs struck early as a 51-yard Bryce Huotari pass to Paul Peterson set up a first-possession 8-yard touchdown run by Anderson.

Red Lake County Central also scored on possession No. 2 – a 3-yard run by Bishop following a bobbled punt snap by Ada-Borup deep in Cougar territory.

Bishop later added touchdown runs of 32 and 7 yards, while Anderson scored from 7 yards out and Chaput kicked a 32-yard field goal.

"We came out with good intensity," reported Red Lake County Central coach Gary Brantl, whose team lost the 1995 season opener to Fosston the previous week 20-13. "We had some big improvement in our line play," he added. "We were quicker and more aggressive. We were just a little sharper overall in our execution."

The Mustangs' 183 rushing yards featured a balanced attack as Anderson netted 54 yards on 8 carries, Bishop 52 yards on 6 attempts and Justin Rewertz 46 yards on 5 tries. Huotari was 2-for-3 passing for 71 yards.

Red Lake County Central starters played just one series of the second half before leaving the game.

Defensively, Bishop was in on 10 tackles, Nate Lunden 9, Scott Waldal 7, and Robbie Hofstad 6.

The Mustangs will meet Badger/Greenbush-Middle River Friday in Middle River.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Co. Central	21	16	[illegible]	0	37
Ada-Borup	0	[illegible]	0	[illegible]	[illegible]

RLCC - Jake Anderson, 8-yard run; Aaron Chaput kick.
RLCC - Brett Bishop, 3-yard run; Chaput kick.
RLCC - Bishop, 32-yard run; Chaput kick.
RLCC - Anderson, 7-yard run; Chaput kick.
RLCC - Chaput, 32-yard field goal.
RLCC - Bishop, 7-yard run; kick failed.
A-B - Aaron Johnson, 13-yard run; run failed.

Nordics to host MCC Invitational Saturday

Seven teams will be on hand Saturday for the Marshall County Central Invitational high school volleyball tournament in Newfolden.

In the opening round quarterfinals, Red Lake Falls draws a bye, Kittson County North plays Argyle at 9 a.m., Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke takes on Marshall County Central at 10 a.m. and Warren-Alvarado-Oslo meets Stephen at 11 a.m.

Play continues throughout the day. Third place match is scheduled for 4 p.m.; championship match is planned for 5 o'clock.

Marshall County Central, behind the combination of Jackie Magner's setting and Tricia Pederson's hitting, picked up a 15-2, 15-4, 15-10 Monday win over visiting Stephen.

"Jackie did a nice job setting," said Marshall County Central coach Mark Jargenson. Pederson converted those sets into 13 ace kills. "We started well. We did a nice job passing and setting up the attack."

The 2-1 Nordies take on Badger/Greenbush-Middle River Thursday in Greenbush.

Gators vs. Bears

A slow start cost Badger/Greenbush-Middle River Monday in a 3-1 loss to Lake of the Woods.

The Bears won 15-4, 15-6, 9-15, 15-13.

"It seems like it takes a while for us to get going," acknowledged Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Christi Anderson. "We came back and played really well in the third game."

Kara Reese came in to serve two aces to spark the Gators' third game efforts that included six ace serves and six kills.

The Gators took a 3-3 record into a Tuesday match against Roseau. They continue a week-long, three-match home stand in Greenbush Thursday vs. Marshall County Central.

Volleyball program to begin next week for TRF sixth grade

Thief River Falls' 1995 sixth grade volleyball program will begin with a player/parent meeting Monday, Sept. 18, at 7 p.m. in the Franklin Middle School cafeteria.

Practices, scheduled to be held from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays in the city auditorium, will start Sept. 19.

Cost of the seven-week program is $15.

For additional information, contact Sonia Balmer at 681-3383.

TRF tennis team part of Lake Hubert event

Twin Cities area teams led the 1995 Lake Hubert Invitational girls high school tennis tournament played Friday and Saturday.

Blaine won team honors with 32 points, followed by Blue Earth with 25, White Bear Lake 21, Coon Rapids 16, Brainerd 15, and Thief River Falls 12.

Top finishers for the Prowlers were second place efforts by seniors Kamie Twomey and Anne Padilla at No. 1 doubles and by juniors Kate Ihle and Elizabeth Odette at No. 3 doubles.

TRF Results - Lake Hubert

No. 1 singles - Kelly Naivik, 1-4, fifth.
No. 2 singles - Bobbi Dahlstrom, 1-4, fifth.
No. 3 singles - Vicki Bitzegaio, 0-5, sixth.
No. 4 singles - Beth Goddard, 3-2, third.
No. 1 doubles - Kamie Twomey-Anne Padilla, 3-2, second.
No. 2 doubles - Sheri Evenson-Kiki Goddard, 0-5, sixth
No. 3 doubles - Kate Ihle-Elizabeth Odette, 4-1, second
No. 4 doubles - Andrea Vigen-Heidi Johnson, 0-5, sixth.

Sports Boosters to hear from coaches

Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club will meet Thursday at 12-noon at the Elks Club.

Lincoln High School coaches who will be guest speakers include Helen Anderson, volleyball; Scott Hetherington, girls swimming; and Sylvia Sjoberg, girls tennis.

Girls lead TRF runners at Warroad

Team titles went to the Thief River Falls girls and the Roseau boys Monday at the Warroad Invitational high school cross country meet.

The Prowlers fielded the only complete team in the girls' portion of the meet and for the second time in as many starts had another solid top of the pack finish with second place Becky Mooney, third place Lisa Swanson and fourth place Kate Ihle. Emily Mugaas and Angie Klinker contributed with seventh and eighth place finishes, respectively.

"Once again, very strong performances from Lisa, Becky and Kate," said first-year Thief River Falls head coach Caara Halmstrom. "We're happy to see that Angie is continuing to improve. We really need both her and Emily to be strong fourth and fifth runners."

Top runner for the Thief River Falls boys was ninth place Ronnie Lund.

"Craig Lawrence (18th) turned in an impressive performance for his varsity debut," mentioned Holmstrom. "We're looking for more improvement from him."

Thief River Falls runners will be at the Crookston Invitational Thursday.

Varsity Girls

■ Team totals - Thief River Falls 24. Incomplete - Roseau, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, Lake of the Woods.

■ Individuals - 1. Erica Espe, Roseau, 15:37; 2. Becky Mooney, TRF, 18:48; 3. Lisa Swanson, TRF, 18:49; 4. Kate Ihle, TRF, 17:30. Other TRF places - 7. Emily Mugaas, 19:12; 8. Angie Klinker, 19:47.

Varsity Boys

■ Team totals - Roseau 28, Warroad 32, Thief River Falls 75. Incomplete - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

■ Individuals - 1. Mike Harmer, Warroad, 18:00. TRF places - 9. Ronnie Lund, 19:59; 14. Brendon Gerardy, 22:14; 15. Jeremy Swanson, 22:20; 18. Craig Lawrence, 24:20; 19. Hamilton Keele, 24:55; 20. Chris Pribula, 25:15; 21. Jordan Goldesberry, 26:15.

Junior Varsity Boys

■ Team totals - Lake of the Woods 38. Incomplete - Roseau, Tri-County, Warroad, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

Junior High Girls

■ Team totals - Roseau, Thief River Falls, Warroad, Tri-County, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo all incomplete

■ Individuals - 1. Lindsey Brummer, Roseau, 14:12. TRF places - 3. Janea Harlow, 16:29; 8. Jacki Mooney, 18:44; 13. Teckla Paravent, 23:40.

Junior High Boys

■ Team totals - Roseau 34, Thief River Falls 53. Incomplete - Warroad, Tri-County, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

■ Individuals - 1. Jesse Modahl, Roseau, 11:39; 2. Brady Anderson, TRF, 11:40. Other TRF places - 7. Seth Herlow, 13:10; 8. Owey Worker, 13:18; 15. Matt Trontvet, 14:07; 21. John Schwartz, 18:24.

Special teams key in Blue Devils win

Strong special teams play helped carry Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke past Tri-County 33-6 Friday in nine man high school football at Karlstad.

It was the second straight win for the Blue Devils, who will play Kittson County North Friday in Goodridge.

"The kids played well, especially on the special teams," pointed out Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Darwin Hagen. "We had good field position most of the day. We were real happy with the way they played."

The Blue Devils had a 20-0 halftime lead and were ahead 33-0 before giving up a fourth quarter touchdown.

Aaron Holthusen scored on a 10-yard run and on a 14-yard pass interception return for the winners. The Blue Devils also reached the end zone on runs by Trevor Kiesow (20 yards) and Jamie Lunsetter (1 yard), and on a pass from Jim Engelstad to John Gallagher (34 yards).

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke netted 181 yards on 37 running plays – production that was spread between several ball carriers, including Kiesow with 41 yards on 8 attempts and Holthusen with 18 yards on 8 tries.

The Blue Devils were 4-for-6 passing for 54 yards.

Kiesow led the winners with 12 tackles, while Lunsetter and Shaun Verbout joined Holthusen in the interception department.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Goodridge G-G	14	[illegible]	[illegible]	7	33
Tri-County	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	[illegible]	[illegible]

G-G-G - Trevor Kiesow, 20-yard run; Jamie Lunsetter run.
G-G-G - Lunsetter, 1-yard run, pass failed.
G-G-G - Aaron Holthusen, 10-yard run; kick failed.
G-G-G - Holthusen, 14-yard pass interception return; kick failed.
G-G-G - John Gallagher, 34-yard pass from Jim Engelstad; Shaun Verbout kick.
T-C - Derek Jacobson, 1-yard run; pass failed.

Gators take 6-0 decision from Ponies

Both teams moved the football, but only Badger/Greenbush-Middle River crossed the goal line Friday as the Gators got by Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 6-0 in Valley Plains Conference high school football.

Lone touchdown of the game came in the second quarter when Matt Kujava hauled in a 23-yard scoring pass from quarterback Chris Haarstick.

"Both teams picked up yardage," explained Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Steve Willman. "We were both awesome between the 30-yard lines, but when the defenses had to step up, they did."

The 2-0 Gators managed to pick up a couple of key first downs late in the game to maintain possession and run out the clock.

Haarstick was 9-for-19 passing for 148 yards. He was intercepted once. Josh Kujava led the Gators' ground gamed with 76 yards on 19 carries. Joe Melby netted 27 yards on 7 attempts.

Tight end Daryl Wockenfuss came up with two big catches for 33 yards to spark the Gators' offense, pointed Willman. Sean Everson (45 yards), Joel Howard (28) and Matt Kujava (26) also had two catches each.

Jared VonEnde had an interception while playing a strong game at cornerback, noted Willman. Howard and Melby both came up with fumble recoveries.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River will meet Red Lake County Central Friday in Middle River. "It should be a good game," said Willman. "There are about four teams in the conference – Warren, Red Lake County Central, Fosston, and us – who are all really close."

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
B/G-Middle River	0	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Warren-Alvarado-Oslo	[illegible]	0	0	0	[illegible]

B/G-MR - Matt Kujava, 23-yard pass from Chris Haarstick; run failed

TRF volleyball team 2-2 at Roseau

Wins over Tri-County and Kittson County North along with losses to Roseau and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, placed Thief River Falls fifth Saturday at the Roseau Invitational high school volleyball tournament.

The Prowlers opened the round-robin portion of the tournament with an 8-15, 16-14, 15-13 win over the Wildcats, but then lost to the Rams 15-8, 15-6 and the Gators 15-9, 15-3 before bouncing back with a 15-2, 15-1 decision over the Cougars.

In addition to the Thief River Falls win over Kittson County North for fifth place, the finals found Roseau beating rival Warroad in the championship match, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River over Roseau II in the third place match; and Tri-County defeated Blackduck for seventh place.

"We played very well on offense and defense against Tri-County," reported Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson. "It was a great match to watch."

The Prowlers had trouble against Roseau and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River. "Roseau has a good team," noted Anderson. "We played defense the entire match. I just wish we would have played more aggressive because it would have been a much closer match. The harder we tried [against the Gators], the worse it got. Nothing seemed to work."

Thief River Falls played [illegible] against Kittson County North. "It was great to bounce back and [illegible] with a win," said Anderson. "We set up some nice plays."

The appearance at Roseau closed out a busy first week of the 1995 season for the Prowlers who opened the year with 2-0 wins over Crookston Tuesday and Stephen Thursday.

Player of the Week honors selected by the Thief River Falls coaching staff, went to Kendra Dimich and Maren Thorson, varsity and Alissa Austad, junior varsity.

TRF Tournament Scoring

■ Ace serves - Maren Thorson 11, Katie Kraemer 7, Kendra Dimich 5, Sarah Koland 5, Michelle Mathson 3, Kim Hoce 1.

■ Kills - Thorson 20, Mathson 14, Desiree Alberg 10, Kraemer 5, Koland 5, Hoce 4, Dimich 1.

■ Last touch points - Thorson 24, Mathson 16, Alberg 12, Koland 10, Dimich 10, Hoce 9, Kraemer 6, Heather Hoffman 2.

■ Assists - Dimich 44, Kraemer 6, Hoce 4, Koland 2, Holly Bjorgaard 2, Alberg 1.

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Sept. 13
■ Volleyball - NCTC vs. Itasca 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 14
■ Cross country - LHS boys, girls at Crookston Invitational 4:30 p.m.
■ Volleyball - LHS at Bemidji (A-B-C) 5:15 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 15
■ Volleyball - NCTC at Vermilion 5:30 p.m.
■ Football - LHS vs. Wadena-Deer Creek 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 16
■ Volleyball - NCTC at Mesabi 12 noon
■ Swimming - LHS girls at Park Rapids Invitational, 12 noon
■ Football - NCTC vs. Fergus Falls 1:30 p.m.

B/G-MR finishes third at Roseau Invitational

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River bounced back from a first-match loss at the hands of the host Rams Saturday to finish third in the eight-team Roseau Invitational high school volleyball tournament.

Eventual champion Roseau swept the Gators 15-1, 15-3 to start the round-robin portion of the tournament. They came back with a 15-7, 14-16, 15-3 rally-point win over Tri-County and handled Thief River Falls 15-9, 15-3 to gain a spot in the third place match against Roseau II. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River won 15-9, 15-11.

"We started the day kind of slow," acknowledged Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Christi Anderson, whose team opened the 1995 season two days earlier with a 3-2 loss to Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke. "We played much better against Tri-County."

The Gators played without Nicole Wahl, one of their top hitters, who suffered a knee injury in practice Friday. Bridget Rinde and Krissi Super led the attack, while Meggen Lund and Sara Ellenson were key contributors with their consistent play, according to Anderson.

MCC drops '95 football opener

Marshall County Central fell behind 28-0 Friday before coming back, but the Nordics' rally wasn't enough to make up the early deficit in a 34-22 season-opening high school football loss to host East Grand Forks Sacred Heart.

"Being our first game, I knew we would be making a lot of mental mistakes," acknowledged Marshall County Central coach Kent Warne, whose team wound up with 80 yards in penalties. "But we came back and played pretty well. We had our chances in the fourth quarter. I was happy with the way we came back."

Marshall County Central quarterback Terry Olson was 7-for-12 passing for 206 yards and three touchdowns. Trevor Magner had 152 yards on four catches. Eighth grader Bjarn Halvorson led the Nordies' 115-yard ground game with 58 yards on seven carries.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Marshall Co. Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	22
EGF Sacred Heart	14	14	[illegible]	[illegible]	34

EGFSH - Shane Cox, 7-yard run; Cox run.
EGFSH - Dave Zavoral, 17-yard run; pass failed.
EGFSH - Chris Sims, 3-yard run, pass failed.
EGFSH - Zavoral, 10-yard run; Dave Sims run.
MCC - Aric Skadsem, 22-yard pass from Terry Olson; run failed.
MCC - Trevor Magner, 73-yard pass from Olson; Garrett Magner run.
EGFSH - Jon Kotrba, 13-yard pass from Cox; run failed.
MCC - Trevor Magner, 11-yard pass from Olson; Tony Knutson run.

TRF C squad event goes to Win-E-Mac

Win-E-Mac defeated Crookston in the finals of the Thief River Falls Invitational C squad high school volleyball tournament Saturday.

Tournament Results

■ Quarterfinals - Thief River Falls def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Crookston def. Red Lake Falls; East Grand Forks def. Red Lake County Central; Win-E-Mac def. Roseau.
■ Semifinals - Crookston def. Thief River Falls; Win-E-Mac def. East Grand Forks.
■ Championship - Win-E-Mac def. Crookston.
■ Third place - East Grand Forks def. Thief River Falls.
■ Consolation semifinals - Red Lake County Central def. Warroad, Red Lake Falls def. Roseau.
■ Consolation final - Red Lake County Central def. Red Lake Falls.
■ Seventh place - Roseau def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

TRF tennis B team downs Mahnomen

TRF 12, Mahnomen 1

Singles - Stephanie Leach (TRF) def. Kristi Hendrickson, Rebecca Leach won 6-2, Jenna Teukichi won 6-0, Eeva Young won 5-4.

Doubles - Leah Helgenset-Ann Oustafson lost 7-7 (7-3), Becky Phillips-Laura Steiger won 8-2, Pauline Cullen-Caryn Omdahl won 8-0, Stephanie Leach-Rebecca Leach def. Kristi Hendrickson-Emily Kraker 8-4; Elizabeth Odette-Kyla Skiple (TRF) def. Katie Olson-Amy Paul 8-2; Eeva Young-Jenna Taukichi (TRF) def. Amanda Shoenborn-Holly Erickson 8-1; Toni LeMoine-Caryn Omdahl (TRF) def. Brooke Wark-Shannon Devries 8-1; Angeline Gunstad-Rebecca Kenner (TRF) def. Tiffany Johnson-Elisha Jenah 8-2; Bridgette Stock-Beth Nelson (TRF) def. Katie Gerary-Liz Anderson 8-1.

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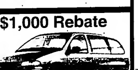

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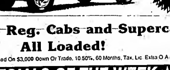

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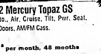

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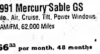

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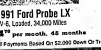

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Several deaths noted by law enforcement

Several individuals died of self-inflicted gunshot wounds during the past week. Some are being considered suicides, and some strictly accidental. All are still under investigation.

An accidental gunshot wound has resulted in the death of 16-year-old Alexander Cloutier of Newfolden. Marshall county sheriff's department received a 9-1-1 emergency telephone call at 8:31 p.m. September 9. Middle River ambulance responded to the scene and transported Cloutier to Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. He was subsequently transferred to United Hospital in Grand Forks. On September 10 Cloutier died from his injuries.

Cloutier was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cloutier of Newfolden. He attended Marshall County Central High School in Newfolden.

An investigation has determined that he died as a result of a self-inflicted accidental gunshot wound from a .22 calibre handgun.

Officials at Marshall County Central high school called in specialists to respond to any student's need to discuss the accident.

Marshall county authorities are also investigating the deaths of 75-year-old Lester Grenlin of Oslo, and 82-year-old Walter Rasmussen of Middle River.

Grenlin's body was discovered September 10. He died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Rasmussen's body was discovered at Royal Manor Apartments in Middle River on September 7. He died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Polk county authorities are investigating the death of Alton Hendrickson, 63, Angus. Hendrickson's body was discovered Friday afternoon. He died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound. The time of occurrence was not specifically established.

Beltrami county officials are investigating the death of Clarence I. Stromberg, 77, Grygla. The sheriff's department responded to a report of a shooting September 8 at 9:34 a.m. Stromberg died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Sometimes these things just happen in clusters. Experts still study why and how and even when suicides happen.

The following hotline numbers were provided by the mental health division of Northwest Medical Center. Anyone who feels they need assistance can call these numbers: Polk/Norman 1-800-282-5005; Beltrami - 1-800-282-5005; Other counties including Pennington, can call 1-800-422-0863. Outpatient counseling and appointments in Thief River Falls can be made by calling 681-4240.

Anyone can intervene. Experts caution that although those who are not trained as mental health professionals should be cautious in dealing with a person who might be suicidal, what they do between the time they recognize this fact and the time the potential victim gets professional help could save a life. Experts suggest that the person be willing to listen and attempt to understand them; show interest and support for their feelings; don't be judgmental; trust your intuition; don't panic if they are thinking or planning suicide; avoid countering or saying, "No, you can't"; don't allow yourself to be sworn to secrecy; get help from a mental health professional or agency in the community.

The following "Deadly myths and helpful facts about suicide" were prepared by Susan E. Erbaugh, Ph.D., licensed consulting psychologist.

1) Myth: People who talk about suicide don't do it. Fact: Talking about suicide is a chief danger sign. Most people who die by suicide have told someone about the idea.

2) Myth: People who talk about suicide are just doing it for attention so it's best to ignore them. Fact: Talk and threats of suicide are clues that a person needs help.

3) Myth: Nothing can stop a person who had decided to commit suicide. Fact: Many suicide risk situations can be averted. Even seriously suicidal people are torn between the wish to live and wanting to die.

4) Myth: Once a person tries to commit suicide and does not complete the act, the excruciating pain and shame will help him/her from trying again. Fact: Of every five people who die by suicide, four have made one or more previous attempts.

5) Myth: Talking about suicide to a troubled person may give the person morbid, suicidal ideas. Fact: It is important to talk to troubled people about possible suicide risk to assess their intent so intervention can be arranged during the temporary crisis. Talking about suicidal thoughts or feelings may bring them into the open where they can be dealt with honestly and directly. This may be just the release needed to alleviate the crisis.

6) Myth: the person who fails at suicide the first time will eventually succeed. Fact: Many people recover from their depression and hopelessness. The majority of people who attempt suicide never try again.

7) Myth: Suicide is inherited. Fact: Suicidal tendencies are not genetically inherited. There may be a genetic vulnerability to depression or schizophrenia, but not to suicide directly. A history of suicide in a family does contribute to a higher risk, but this accounts for only a minority of cases and it can be prevented.

8) Myth: Suicide happens "out of the blue," without warning. Fact: Suicide is usually the end of a long process of loss of coping ability. As people are able to look back, there were often clues and warnings.

9) Myth: People who kill themselves must be insane. Fact: Only a small proportion of suicides can be diagnosed as psychotic or "insane." Many more have been depressed.

10) Myth: People who commit suicide usually leave notes. Fact: A small percentage of people who kill themselves leave notes. This mistaken idea about notes had led authorities to mislabel many suicidal deaths without notes as accidents.

11) Myth: Suicide people are fully intent on dying. Fact: For the most part, suicide attempts are cries for help. Most are committed by people who feel ambivalent and conflicted and the suicidal crisis is temporary.

12) Myth: Only a certain "type" of person commits suicide and my children, family, students, friends... just aren't the type. Fact: Suicide occurs in all ages and groups in society and in many personality types. Negative value judgments result from stigma and taboo placed on suicide by society. Belief in this myth can result in "wearing blinders."

13) Myth: Society or drugs or families or bad parenting or disappointments or fights or failures or... cause suicides. Fact: Many factors in life experience and personal predisposition interact to "cause" suicide. Many suicides are people who suffered from depression. Outside factors may contribute to despair, but they are not the "cause" of suicide.

14) Myth: If you love or understand a person enough, they will not commit suicide. Fact: Sometimes love and understanding is just not enough. In a suicidal state of mind, a person's thinking is very narrowed, focused on emotional pain, and their thinking and capacity for relationships are impaired.

15) Myth: Once a suicidal person is being treated and starts to feel better, he/she is out of danger. Fact: Many suicides occur among people who are in the process of mental health treatment. They are at risk when they feel just enough better to have the energy to think out and act on a self-destructive plan.

Challenger Elementary and Preschool held its open house for parents and students Thursday, August 31, prior to the start of the 1995-96 school year. A good turnout was on hand for the event as students met their teachers for the coming year.

TRF man is injured in fall

Bradley Louis Anderson of Thief River Falls is listed in critical condition at United Hospital in Grand Forks where he is being treated for injuries as a result of a fall from a second story balcony.

Anderson, 30, was allegedly on a balcony behind the Welch hotel Saturday when he fell. Police, who received a report of the incident at 11:23 a.m., say that he was with a friend on the balcony when he accidentally fell. Anderson was taken by ambulance to Northwest Medical Center and then transferred to United Hospital in Grand Forks.

The incident is still under investigation.

Investigation of fire in RLF being conducted

Red Lake Sheriff's department and the Minnesota State Fire Marshal's office are investigating a suspicious fire that was reported in Red Lake Falls September 8.

A spokesperson for the Red Lake County sheriff's department said the department received a report from a resident of Red Lake Falls Friday afternoon that someone had tried to burn down their house. Upon investigation the sheriff's department learned that there was no one home at the time of the incident, except the owner's dog. It appeared to officers that someone had attempted to start a fire on the east side of the residence. The fire died out by itself and it caused only minor damage.

The incident remains under investigation by the sheriff's department and State Fire Marshal's office.

Speeding violations in court news

Several speeding violations were listed among the citations in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the past week.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Darius Eldon Mursh, Rochert, 51, over the center line, and seat belt violation, $123.25; Timothy James Barry, Thief River Falls, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Sarah Christine Holmstrom, Bemidji, 20, 65/55, $64.50; Anthony Rodney Lowell, Thief River Falls, 42, stop sign violation, $76; Patricia Susan Nelson, Thief River Falls, 48, seat belt, $47.25;

Gary Ray Blilie, Thief River Falls, 16, 65/55, $64.50; Constance Mary Engvall, Tarrance, CA, 51, 65/55, $64.50; Violet Kay Kulvik, Thief River Falls, 40, 71/55, $87.50; Margaret Joyce Meyers, Grand Forks, ND, 19, 75/55, $87.50; Mervin Duane Prestebak, Thief River Falls, 67, 65/55, $64.50; Gail Noella Knudson, Sartell, 40, 65/55, $64.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Tanya Lee Severinson, Thief River Falls, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Michael Richard Sams, Thief River Falls, 18, theft, $19.19 restitution, fine and surcharges waived; and Karon Kay Bakke, Thief River Falls, 52, allowing a dog to run at large; $45.50.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Denise Lillian Nelson, Minneapolis, 59, 74/55, $87.50.

Ultralight craft makes unplanned landing near TRF

No one was injured when an ultralight aircraft made an unscheduled landing three miles west of the Thief River Falls Regional Airport Saturday.

At about 8 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an ultralight aircraft in trouble. The craft was located, but the pilot was not at the scene. Deputies later learned that the pilot had landed on a county road and then pulled the craft off the road. He was not injured in the landing.

Delage makes changes in Tri-Valley staff

Jan Delage, community services director for Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, Inc., has completed a staff reorganization.

Alan Sonnenberg of Grand Forks, ND has been named assistant community services director and Carrie MacIver of Wahpeton has been named coordinator of emergency services.

Sonnenberg will oversee housing issues, including the new development of single and possibly multi-family units as well as temporary and emergency housing.

MacIver will coordinate assistance from six emergency service programs, working with families to provide direct aid or access to other agencies. Tri-Valley's program is focused on families caught in unanticipated financial crisis that leaves them homeless or places them at risk of homelessness.

Library storytime begins on September 20th

Library storytime for children ages 3 - 5 years will begin again on September 20 at 11:15 a.m. Fall library storytimes will be conducted every Wednesday at 11:15 - 11:45 a.m. at the TRF Public Library from September 20 to December 13. The one exception is November 22. There will be no storytime on November 22 as there is no school that day. Library storytime is presented by the Thief River Falls Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE). For more information contact ECFE at 681-8670 or the Thief River Falls Public Library at 681-4325.

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Spot checks on tax-exempt fuel continues

Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA), along with the Minnesota Department of Revenue, remind farmers that spot checks to determine if truck drivers are illegally using tax-exempt diesel fuel will continue during the harvest season of September and October.

Diesel fuel use in farm machinery, used as heating oil or burned in construction site equipment is exempt from state and federal excise taxes. Since last year, terminal operators have been required to add red dye to any diesel fuel leaving their facilities untaxed.

Beginning this spring, the Minnesota Department of Revenue launched an enforcement program in which trucks are stopped at check points around the state and inspectors remove a small sample of fuel to check whether it is dyed red. State law forbids the use of such red, tax-exempt fuel in any licensed vehicle used on the road.

"We believe informing diesel fuel users about this law in order to encourage voluntary compliance is as important as enforcement actions," MDA Commissioner Gene Hugoson said. "That's why we are issuing this reminder that the law exists and that there are stiff penalties for violating the law."

Those caught misusing the untaxed fuel will be assessed a penalty of at least $2,000. Drivers who refuse to allow state or federal inspectors to test their fuel are subject to a $2,000 refusal penalty.

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Electric Railway bridge pilings uncovered by recent drawdown

Recent drawdown of the Red Lake Reservoir in Thief River Falls unveiled an interesting landmark from Thief River Falls' history. Just north of the Long's bridge are pilings from the old Minnesota Northwest Electric Railway company bridge, which spanned the Thief River.

A description from "Where Two Rivers Meet: A Diamond Jubilee History of Thief River Falls", by Mary Croteau, provides some of the historical background for the railway.

"The Minnesota Northwest Electric Railway Company was incorporated on September 29, 1913 to construct and operate a system of electric lines from Thief River Falls. The incorporators of the railroad were Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls, H.W. Protzeller of St. Paul and F.D. Brandenberg of Minneapolis. They originally intended to sell all of their stock locally "but the incorporators soon realized that if the construction of the road depended upon local capital it would be delayed. They sought outside help in the form of bonds and placed bonds for over three-fourths of the necessary amount."

"Construction began on December 13 with a bridge over the Thief River, which was completed before spring. Grading was finished in July and the steels and ties were immediately laid and surfaced. The Railway opened for business on October 12, 1914.

"The Thief River Falls News-Press recounted the story of the first year of the line's operation

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Minnesota Northwestern Electric Railway Company, January 15, 1914

This was the scene on January 15, 1914, as construction crews began putting in pilings for the Minnesota Northwestern Electric Railway Company bridge across the Thief River. It is now very difficult to imagine where the picture was taken. Maps of the area, however, show that at one time Elizabeth Avenue followed part of the river. Part of the road that was apparently vacated or abandoned is on property now owned by Gus Berggren. The pilings, which indicate exactly where the bridge was once located (just north of Long's bridge) were revealed this month by the drawdown of the Red Lake reservoir in Thief River Falls.

Dale Dunning and his dog examine remnants of the old electric railway bridge crossing. Supports for the bridge surfaced during the drawdown of the river. In the background is Bill Desrocher who lives near the former railway crossing.

Wikstrom Telephone Co. installs new digital switching technology

"Life may seem slower on the farm, but in fact customers in rural areas are demanding the same grade of service and basket of service offerings as their urban cousins," according to a recent article in one of the leading trade magazines for the telephone industry.

This is no surprise to the folks at Wikstrom Telephone Co., which will celebrate National Small Independent Telephone Company Week September 17-23. In fact, Wikstrom Telephone Co. has prepared for this demand for advanced services by installing the latest digital switching technology and continually adding new software. According to a recent study by Siemens Stromberg-Carlson, a major manufacturer of switching equipment, approximately 90 per cent of the nation's telephone lines served by independent telephone companies like Wikstrom Telephone Co. are served by digital switches.

In Minnesota, that figure is 100 per cent.

Digital switches allow telephone companies to offer enhanced services like caller name and number delivery and advanced services like video conferencing, Internet access and others that rural customers are demanding, according to the Telephony article. Digital technology offers higher switching capacity which means it can process more digital information, and also offers higher quality transmission.

A common misconception, as pointed out in the magazine, is that urban areas have larger, more powerful switching equipment. Not so, says the product managers for such major switch manufacturers as AT&T, Nortel and Siemens. Rural switches are different from urban switches only in the number of lines they serve.

"We want to be able to offer our customers the same services as our urban counterparts and we do," said Dolores M. Wikstrom, manager of Wikstrom Telephone Co. "We want to have the same opportunity to add services and capabilities to our switch, which is the brain of our telephone network."

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On Monday Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was the honored guest of Mrs. Veronice Boucher. Berthe Hughes of Thief River Falls, Ruth Wilkens, Bonnie DuChamp and Edna Hyde of Plummer with a special dinner party at Lakeview and coffee and cake at Veronice's home.

Paul and Norma Jean Beach of Stayton, Mrs. Candis Barast and daughters Sarah and Chris of Elk River arrived on Thursday to enjoy visiting at the homes of their daughters Del and Cindy Determan, and Mike and Cathy DeMars of Red Lake Falls.

Wednesday guest of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Vi Gagner, Pat Prouls, Dorothy Myhre and Debbie Opdahl.

On Monday, Renie Grove of Erskine, Evangeline Grove, Russell and Shawn Hince, Willard and Shirley Hince and Michael Hegger of Thief River Falls and Kyle Delage visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mercil of Thermopolis, WY, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lusser of Landers, WY arrived on Tuesday to visit with their daughter LeRoy and Mary Mercil and sister Doris and Joyce Rock home.

Ashley, daughter of Michelle Dagner of Fargo, ND arrived on Wednesday to visit with her grandparents Dick and Grace Rack until Saturday when she returned home with her mother and friend.

On Tuesday evening Pearl Laniel and Mrs. Esther Walter of Plummer, Janet Walter, Eric, Kyle, Kristine and Marc all helped Kristine celebrate her birthday at the Pizza Hut and show in Thief River Falls. Happy birthday, Kristine.

Kelly and Megan, daughters of Nancy Jones returned home on Sunday after a two-month holiday visiting their father and stepmother, Mark and Rhonda Jones, Michelle and Nicki in Denver, CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Sabourin, Evangeline Grove, Renie Grove and Shawn Hince visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jean Gramer of Crookston visited with Aurel and Gloria Parenteau on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mercil of Thermopolis, WY and Med and Gen Lusser of Landers, WY visited with Lloyd and Lorraine Mercil last week.

Mrs. Betty Folsom of Pennington, Maxine Schummer of Bemidji, and Dorothy Myhre were weekend guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel.

News was received on Sunday of Butch Throton of Las Vegas had passed away on Saturday. Butch was the husband of Clarice Doyea, sister of Albert Doyea. Our sympathy goes to the family.

Fr. Joe Cain who had been visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Milo and Pat Larson, left on Sunday after a two week holiday visiting to Phoenix, AZ.

Mrs. Mae Sabourin, Renie and Evangeline Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Clarence and Dianne Dagnar returned early Saturday from a week trip to Chicago. Enroute, they visited with Parnel and Madeline Thiebert at St. Charles, IL from Thursday to Saturday and attended the National Postmaster's Convention in Chicago and enjoyed touring the windy city.

On Sunday Gerard and Kim Novak and Alyssa of Thief River Falls, visited his parents, Walter and Monica Novak.

On Saturday, Willie Katschka accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Sherrie Engen and boys, of Thief River Falls to Gonvick to watch the parade. Evening guests of the Katschka's were Mrs. Cindy Arlt, Ross and Amy of Plummer.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rock of Mentor, Michelle Gagner and Ashley and a friend of Fargo, ND visited their parents, Dick and Grace Rock and helped Dick celebrate his birthday. Happy birthday, Dick.

On Thursday, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Evangeline Grove and Shawn Hince visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Mayme Berberick were Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Sinner, Marc and Paul of Bemidji, Sue Olson and son Erick, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bohlad and Luke all of Fosston, and Marlene Harbolt of Thief River Falls.

Jason and Sherrie Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests of Walter and Willie Katschka.

On Saturday, Derrin Grove of Oklee, Ricky Grova and Rachael Carlson were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Bill and Angie Stone of Chaplain visited with her parents, Robert and Rose Dagnar, residents of Hillcrest Nursing home in Red Lake Falls.

Lloyd and Lorraine Mercil, Don and Gen Mercil, Med and Gen Lusser visited Mrs. Louisa Mercil, a resident of Valley home, and Virgil and Muriel Mercil, all of Thief River Falls on Wedensday.

Mrs. Irene Hince of Oklee was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince. Evangeline Grove was an afternoon guest.

Clarance and Dienna Dagnar, Poncho and Char Gagner and Derek, Rolland and Nancy Gagner of Mentor, Bill and Angie Stone of Chaplain attended the Hillcrest resident family annual picnic with their parents, Robert and Rose Gagner on Sunday.

Clair and Patti Jo Thompson of Grand Forks, ND were Friday and Saturday guests of her parents, Aurel and Gloria Parenteau.

On Sunday, Donna and Joyce Rock visited with their daughter, John and Val Walker of Crookston.

Harvey and Marme Riendeau visited with Ben and Ethel Riendeau of Maple Lake on Tuesday.

On Saturday, Mrs. Joan Delage, Elaine Brown, Jessie, Mary Walseth, and Marlene Martini visited with their aunt, Mrs. Vi Mostad of Grand Forks, ND.

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National forests announce plans

Minnesota's national forests have announced programs and changes which may be of interest to residents of the northwestern Minnesota area.

Salvage timber sale changes have recently been signed into law by President Clinton which include an emergency salvage timber sale amendment.

The "salvage timber sale" term has been defined to mean a timber sale for which an important reason for entry includes the removal of diseased or insect-infested trees; dead, damaged or down trees; trees affected by fire or imminently susceptible to fire or insect attack. The definition also includes the removal of trees lacking the characteristics of a healthy and viable ecosystem.

The Forest Service will conduct salvage sales under the new provisions, which expedites the time frames and process. After the recent storm damage in the Chippewa National Forest, timber specialists identified approximately 850 acres—or 10 per cent of the total volume of timber blowdown—which may be salvageable. These areas will be analyzed using the time frames and processes provided under Public Law 104-19.

For more information contact Shirley Milli at the Chippewa National Forest (218-335-8600) or John Ramquist at the Superior National Forest (218-720-5324).

Beginning this fall, more consistent policies for balsam bough permits will be used by natural resource agencies in northern Minnesota. Representatives from the Chippewa and Superior National Forests, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Leech Lake Reservation, and Beltrami and Itasca counties have agreed to coordinate bough permit administration.

This year, permits from the agencies or permission from private landowners must be obtained prior to cutting balsam boughs. Along with the permit, bough cutters will be given a full color brochure demonstrating proper harvesting techniques. A vehicle dashboard poster, also included with the permit must be displayed while cutting balsam boughs.

The brochure was developed by wreath manufacturers in cooperation with natural resource agencies to promote sustainable use of the balsam resource. Proper harvesting helps to ensure a sustained resource for the future. Balsam trees also provide cover for wildlife, nesting habitat for songbirds and add to forest diversity, improving the visual quality of an area.

For information on balsam bough harvesting on public lands, contact either of the national forest headquarters at the numbers listed above.

Fall color watchers may now call 1-800-354-4595 toll free to hear which national forests are at their peak of leaf color. The recorded message will be updated each Thursday at 9 a.m. Central time.

Wikstrom installs new digital switching

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For more and more telephone companies like Wikstrom Telephone Co., having the capability to offer the latest in digital technology is a matter of survival in a new competitive arena. Competitive access providers, which are companies that primarily offer private line services to businesses, are challenging local telephone companies for business. Local telephone companies recognize that they must remain competitive in order to survive.

"Independent telephone companies have made substantial investments in telephone network facilities and equipment in order to provide the latest services to rural Minnesota," according to Paul Hoff, president of the Minnesota Telephone Association, which represents the interests of Minnesota's 87 local phone companies.

Hoff urges rural telephone customers to contact their local telephone company manager for more information about the capabilities of their local telephone network. "National Independent Small Telephone Company Week is a perfect time to make a call to your local phone company," Hoff said, adding that if a customer is unsure who to contact within their local company they can call the Minnesota Telephone Association at (612) 291-7311 and ask who the manager is for that local company.

"I think many customers might be surprised to find out how advanced the local network is," Hoff said. "They may not realize that they're living in a state that is recognized nationally as a leader in the deployment of advanced technology and, in fact, serves as a model to other states."

Kathleen, "Kathy" Huschle, is the new director of the Thief River Falls Community Swimming Pool at Franklin Middle School. Huschle, who was appointed July 1, says the hot weather has made the pool a popular place this summer and early fall.

New pool director adjusts to conditions

It's been a busy summer for Kathleen, "Kathy" Huschle, who was appointed director of the Thief River Falls Community Swimming Pool in July. Huschle is in charge of events coordination, scheduling, staffing, and maintenance of the pool, located at Franklin Middle School in Thief River Falls. She accepted the part-time position July 1.

The hot weather and limited beach facilities made the pool a popular place this summer and early fall. Huschle says her most difficult challenge is maintaining a temperature that will appeal to everyone. She says, no matter how hot it is outside, people want a comfortable pool to cool off in.

"Coordination is tough. Recreational swimmers like it a little warmer, but State high school league rules specify a cooler temperature for competitive swimmers and swim meets. You just can't change the temperature overnight, so you juggle schedules a little to warm things up a bit."

Huschle is certified in several American Red Cross swimming and instruction programs, as well as a life-guard trained in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation. She holds a degree in animal science from the University of Minnesota and is a science lab, first aid, and CPR instructor at Northland Community and Technical College. She says in addition to temperature, her goals for the pool also include maximizing community hours and working to control odors related to humidity.

The community pool is home to the U.S.S. Swim Program, the Prowler girls and boys swimming teams, American Red Cross Swimming Instruction, a daily morning lap swim from 6 to 7 a.m. and open swimming Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 7 p.m.

Northwest Electric Railway bridge pilings uncovered

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4-H livestock exhibitors are back from fair

Pennington county 4-H livestock project members recently returned from the Minnesota State Fair where they participated in the fair's annual Livestock Weekend.

Only blue ribbon winner was Tiffany Lee, Smiley 4-H club, who exhibited sheep. Red ribbons were earned by Daren Asp, Sanders, hog; Bryanna Helgeland, Smiley, rabbit; Marsha Lubitz, Steiner, poultry; and Kelsey Carlson, Satellite, dairy.

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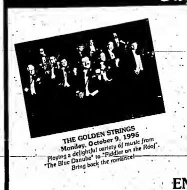

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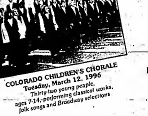

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The Chamber of Commerce gave a Hats Off to Farmers Co-op Grain and Seed Elevator. Recent improvements to the elevator include exterior re-grouting and new paint and remodeling and fixing on the inside. Representing the elevator is General Manager Gary Anderson. Representing the Chamber of Commerce are embassadors Bruce Mattson and Norm Wessink.

Holiday Stationstore received recognition of More Progress for the recent painting and landscaping that has taken place at the station. Manager Bonny Stormo describes Holiday as a "one stop shop." Pictured are embassador Bruce Mattson, stationstore manager Bonny Stormo and embassador Norm Wessink.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

The weather in Northwest Minnesota has been cooperating with the harvesting and I'm glad to hear that most of the grain is in now as rain is predicted for today. Most folks around here were harvesting on Labor Day or taking their boats out of the lakes and getting ready for the cold season which is scheduled to come around before too long. Perhaps they figured that with school starting it was time to think of school work and playtime was over for awhile.

The Strandquist seniors met at the Center on Thursday with 14 members and 8 guests. Clara Nelson, Mary and Donna Renstrom, Gladys Lunde, Lillian Germundson, Elsie Lefrooth and Curtis, MaryAnn and Carrie Hegeland. The host was Ivan Kimbrough who served a great lunch and Anna Setten won the door prize. Elsie Lefrooth and Lorraine Setten put together afghan blocks that they had crocheted while others played games and visited with their guests.

Kristopher Anderson attended the State Fair with Marshall County's 4-Hers, August 25-27. He exhibited in aerospace.

Wednesday, Brad Kasprowicz and Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter. The next day Kari Kasprowicz stopped by to see them.

Over the weekend, the children of Philip and Yvonne Boen were Brent Boen of Robbinsdale, Corey and Candi Boen of Bemidji and Michelle Boen of Grand Forks. They came to help with the harvesting.

Linda Adhs of Argyle visited her mother over the holiday and returned home on Tuesday.

Sunday dinner guests at Vance Lefrooth's were Venette Pettis and children and in the afternoon Ida Bruce and Margaret Donaldson and girls joined them.

Lisa Thompson helped her Gramma Betsy "bake up a storm" on Thursday so she could do some Pre-school sharing.

Karen and Sarah Zimmerman and Karen's mother and Pearl Thompson visited at the Elsie Lefrooth's on Thursday evening.

On Monday evening, Virgil and Ruth Rasmussen served a delicious supper which was enjoyed by their guests, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Elsie Lefrooth and Peter and Pearl Thompson.

Jennifer Andersen of Fairmont, David Janssen of New Ulm and Kristopher Anderson of UND spent the Labor Day weekend at the Paul and Shirley Anderson's. Saturday, Jenny, David and Kristopher visited Morris and Hazel Anderson.

Saturday, Lowell Lefrooth, Claudie Berggren, Jessie and Kelt and Karl Kasprowicz visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter.

Tuesday, Elsie Lefrooth had a surprise visit from Albert and Eileen Stromlund of Harrison, AR who had flown up here to attend the funeral of Eileen's nephew Dennis Morstad. They were joined by Albert's cousin, Evelyn Schmidt. Later Elsie accompanied the Stromlunds to Isaac Thompson's for supper. While there Isaac took them to the property which he had purchased recently, which had belonged to Albert's grandfather, Martin Nelson. Both Albert and Eileen did a lot of reminiscing. The Stromlund's were so impressed with the news in the paper that they left money for the subscription. Not a bad idea for a gift for friends and relatives.

Peter and Pearl Thompson, Lionel and Boots Johnson, Mark, Michelle and Jake helped Denny Johnson celebrate his birthday on Wednesday evening.

Saturday supper guests at Paul Anderson's were Virgil and Ruth Rasmussen on Karlstad.

Vance and Adrienne Lefrooth went camping in Warroad over the weekend. Sunday, Jenny, Kristopher and Kenrick Anderson and David Janssen were dinner guests at Eva Bernard in Karlstad.

August 28th, Kristopher Andersen moved into UND in Grand Forks to begin his first year of studies.

Vance Lefrooth and John Grandstrand saw a big bear in the field east of Zion church on Monday.

Kristen Kleinvachter spent the weekend with Joy Smiele.

Lorraine Setton visited Elsie Lefrooth on Monday to discuss their crocheting project for the Strandquist Senior Citizens.

Ellen Stromberg and Lowell Lefrooth visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter on Sunday. Others who visited them this week were Lorna Berggren, Claudie Berggren, Jessie and Kelt, June Kasprowicz, Marie Steffen and Kari Kasprowicz.

A young lady sent me some real news in letter from which you will find some other place in the paper. I won't forget when I was a kid and saw my first bear on the way to the mailbox way back in the early 20's. My brother Ernest had come home all out of breath having run in with a mother bear and her cubs. Hope some apple trees will survive the attacks of all these critters.

A Day I'll Never Forget!

I was with my Grandpa (Vance Lefrooth). We were about half way between Badger and Roseau and we saw a bear run across the road. My grandpa almost hit it but he stopped just in time and the bear ran to my side of the pick-up and stood up on it's hind legs looked me in the eye and growled then ran into the woods. Then about five miles down the road we saw a baby bear run across the road then about an hour later we saw the same bear that growled at me in the cemetery at Badger. He ran to the railroad tracks and we watched him for about five minutes then we went a few miles down the road and my Grandpa was looking at some guy's yard and he thought he saw a bear. So we turned around and sure enough there was a huge bear in the guy's yard. The Bear looked at us then ran into the woods. That's a day I'll never forget.

By Stephanie Pettis

Little Oak

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Haugen of Hibbing came to Ida Haugen home Friday evening and they stayed till Monday afternoon. Orrin done some harvesting when he was here.

Clara Peterson was a supper guest at the Ida Haugen home. Ardith Kloth of Thief River Falls spent a few days with her mother last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson and Bernice Berget were Sunday visitors at the Gary Halvorson home. They also celebrated Megans birthday. Happy Birthday Megan.

Brief callers at the Ida Haugen home recently were Elte Englund, Jane Good, Sharron Johnson, Ernest Mostrom, Bradley Johnson, Robert and Lois Burstad, Bud and Linda Homme.

Orrin Haugen called at the Bud Homme home on Sunday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burstad spent Labor Day weekend at Pine Lake.

Terry Haugen called at the Ida Haugen home on Monday forenoon.

Brad Johnson of Jamestown, ND spent Labor Day weekend at the Gary Johnson home. He helped his parents with the combining. He left for his home Monday afternoon.

Clara Peterson, Bruce Bjerklis and Renae Marquis attended funeral services for Donald Fest of Warroad on Monday.

Edna and Roy Hawk left for their home in Issaquah, WA on Wednesday. They had spent three weeks at the Haugen home here. They were called here because Edna's father was so sick. He passed away August 19 and they stayed with her mother Ida Haugen for a few days.

Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen called at the Clara Peterson home late Wednesday afternoon.

Tuesday callers at the Ida Haugen home on Tuesday were Sharron Johnson, Lorraine Mostrom, Lois Burstad and Ted Roy.

Elaine Kloth left for her home in Chicago, IL on Tuesday morning. She spent a few days with her mom Ardith Kloth in Thief River Falls and she came to attend her grandfather, Arnold Haugens funeral.

Willie Good was a coffee guest at the Ida Haugen home Thursday forenoon. Other callers were Bud and Linda Homme.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited with Evonne Halvorson at Solol on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited at the Galen Halvorson home on Thursday. They also celebrated Rachels birthday. Happy Birthday Rachel.

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Get well wishes to Merle Lundeen who was a patient at Fosston hospital and will be returning home this week from the Fargo hospital.

Jimmy Dulka returned home from Jacksonville, FL on Tuesday after spending two weeks with John and Laura Dulka. He enjoyed visiting Disney World, Epcott Center, St. Augustine and the ocean. Jim and Kathy spent Sunday evening with Karin and Ian Dulka in Minneapolis.

On August 7, Rita, Haven, Harlan and Hope Lundeen welcomed Rita's Dad, Lloyd Eberly to their home and had a birthday supper for Hope and Haven. The next morning all but Perry left for Wisconsin as Perry was working. They went to visit and prepare for Rita's brothers wedding which was on the 19th of August. Perry was also able to get away from work on August 18th to travel and be present for the wedding and dance which was in a good sized city of 22,000 people. Perry, Rita, Haven, Harlan, and Hope traveled home on Sunday, August 21, so that Perry could be back to work on Monday. While traveling back they did a little sightseeing and hiked to the top of the scenic view in Wisconsin some 1,936 feet up a steep mountain side and then coming down it felt like we were running because of the steepness. Boy, was it beautiful up there and we could see a long ways out. Good luck to the newlyweds in Wisconsin. We wish them a lot of happiness.

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Brief callers at the Arnold Brovold home on Thursday were Gertrude and Orville Christianson and Carol, Les and Luke Torgerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turonno, Mrs. Betty Hanson, Mrs. Marty Levine of Elgin and Ellie Handy spent Saturday in Grand Forks helping Maja Turonne get settled for college. On Sunday, Michelle and Marcie took Ellie home. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Handy, Erin and friend from Fargo and Marion Handy visited Ellie Sunday night.

Goodridge

Sken Liedberg
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Others sending birthday greetings to Clarence on his birthday were Debra Gronvd and family, Evelyn Schwartz, Lucille Yonke, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dahlen, Gladys Johnson, Carol Barros and Lucille Harms. Clarence received many nice cards and gifts.

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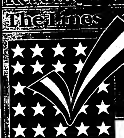

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Holiday Stationstore received recognition of More Progress for the recent painting and landscaping that has taken place at the station. Manager Bonny Stormo describes Holiday as a "one stop shop." Pictured are embassador Bruce Mattson, stationstore manager Bonny Stormo and embassador Norm Wassink.

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
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The Strandquist seniors met at the Center on Thursday with 14 members and 9 guests, Clara Nelson, Mary and Donna Renstrom, Gladys Lunde, Lillian Germundson, Elsie Lefrooth and Curtis, MaryAnn and Carrie Hagelund. The host was Ivan Kimbrough who served a great lunch and Anna Setten won the door prize. Elsie Lefrooth and Lorraine Setten put together afghan blocks that they had crocheted while others played games and visited with their guests.

Kristopher Anderson attended the State Fair with Marshall County's 4-Hers, August 25-27. He exhibited in aerospace.

Wednesday, Brad Kasprowicz and Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter. The next day Kari Kasprowicz stopped by to see them.

Over the weekend, the children of Philip and Yvonne Boen were Brent Boen of Robbinsdale, Corey and Candi Boen of Bemidji and Michelle Boen of Grand Forks. They came to help with the harvesting.

Linda Adlis of Argyle visited her mother over the holiday and returned home on Tuesday.

Sunday dinner guests at Vance Lefrooth's were Vanette Pettis and children and in the afternoon Ida Bruce and Margaret Donaldson and girls joined them.

Lisa Thompson helped her Gramma Betsy "bake up a storm" on Thursday so she could do some Pre-school sharing.

Karen and Sarah Zimmerman and Karen's mother and Pearl Thompson visited at the Elsie Lefrooth's on Thursday evening.

On Monday evening, Virgil and Ruth Rasmussen served a delicious supper which was enjoyed by their guests, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Elsie Lefrooth and Peter and Pearl Thompson.

Jennifer Anderson of Fairmont, David Janssen of New Ulm and Kristopher Anderson of UND spent the Labor Day weekend at the Paul and Shirley Anderson's. Saturday, Jenny, David and Kristopher visited Morris and Hazel Anderson.

Saturday, Lowell Lefrooth, Claudia Berggren, Jessie and Kali and Kari Kasprowicz visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter.

Tuesday, Elsie Lefrooth had a surprise visit from Albert and Eileen Stromlund of Harrison, AR who had flown up here to attend the funeral of Eileen's nephew Dennis Morstad. They were joined by Albert's cousin, Evelyn Schmidt. Later Elsie accompanied the Stromlunds to Isaac Thompson's for supper. While there Isaac took them to the property which he had purchased recently, which had belonged to Albert's grandfather, Martin Nelson. Both Albert and Eileen did a lot of reminiscing. The Stromlund's were so impressed with the news in the paper that they left money for the subscription. Not a bad idea for a gift for friends and relatives.

Peter and Pearl Thompson, Lionel and Boots Johnson, Mark, Michelle and Jake helped Danny Johnson celebrate his birthday on Wednesday evening.

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Vance and Adrienne Lefrooth went camping in Warroad over the weekend.

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August 28th, Kristopher Anderson moved into UND in Grand Forks to begin his first year of studies.

Vance Lefrooth and John Grandstrand saw a big bear in the field east of Zion church on Monday.

Kristen Kleinvachter spent the weekend with Joy Smieja.

Lorraine Setten visited Elsie Lefrooth on Monday to discuss their crocheting project for the Strandquist Senior Citizens.

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A Day I'll Never Forget

I was with my Grandpa (Vance Lefrooth). We were about half way between Badger and Roseau and we saw a bear run across the road. My grandpa almost hit it but he stopped just in time and the bear ran to my side of the pick-up and stood up on it's hind legs looked me in the eye and growled then ran into the woods. Then about five miles down the road we saw a baby bear run across the road then about an hour later we saw the same bear that growled at me in the cemetery at Badger. He ran to the railroad tracks and we watched him for about five minutes then we went a few miles down the road and my Grandpa was looking at some guy's yard and he thought he saw a bear. So we turned around and sure enough there was a huge bear in the guy's yard. The Bear looked at us then ran into the woods. That's a day I'll never forget.

By Stephanie Pettis

Little Oak

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Haugen of Hibbing came to Ida Haugen home Friday evening and they stayed till Monday afternoon. Orrin done some harvesting when he was here.

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Edna and Roy Hauck left for their home in Issaquah, WA on Wednesday. They had spent three weeks at the Haugen home here. They were called here because Edna's father was so sick. He passed away August 19 and they stayed with her mother Ida Haugen for a few days.

Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen called at the Clara Peterson home late Wednesday afternoon.

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Friday evening, Virgil and Ruth Rasmussen had supper with Peter and Pearl Thompson. Later Becky, Michelle and Jake visited them. On Saturday, August 19th, a few members of Aid Association for Lutherans #9862 from Bethesda in Strandquist went on a field trip to Bemidji. Those who enjoyed Earl Hougard's "Paul Bunyan Animal Farm" and "The Little Red Schoolhouse" were Jeff, Margaret, Alaura and Sara Donaldson, Vance, Adrienne, Elliott and Allison Lefrooth, Doug, Shirley, Greta and Karin Norquist, Delores Donaldson, Darean, Tera and Jon Nelson, Gula Stromgren, Ida Bruce, and Phyllis and Wally Larson. A good time was had by all.

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Gully

A group of relatives, former neighbors and mutual friends met at the Truck Stop at Fosston on Thursday morning for breakfast. Present were Dianne Peterson of Minneapolis, Gelina Nelson and Eileen Voteva from McIntosh, Evelyn Hanson, Shirley Lee and Betty Johnson of Clearbrook, Carolina Rindahl from Fosston, Perry Lolland of Trail, Nora Hanson, Esther Rindahl and Linda Hanson rural Trail, Luverne Foro and Sanna Brovold of Gully, Evelyn Myrum of Thief River Falls.

Brief callers at the Arnold Brovold home on Thursday were Gertrude and Orville Christianson and Carol, Les and Luke Torgerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne, Mrs. Cindy [illegible] Levine of Eagan and Effie Handy spent Saturday in Grand Forks helping Maja Turenne get settled for college. On Sunday, Michelle and Marcie took Effie home. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Handy, Erin and friend from Fargo and Marian Handy visited Effie Sunday night.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Sunday evening, Mrs. Robert Parnow and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited with Gary and Norma Johnson at their home and were coffee guests.

Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home and brought Clarence birthday greetings and a cake.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lovly, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home and brought birthday greetings to Clarence and enjoyed birthday lunch with Clarence. Mrs. Nathan Liedberg brought a belated decorated birthday cake for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlen and also belated birthday gifts for Clarence and Clara.

Others sending birthday greetings to Clarence on his birthday were Debra Grorud and family, Evelyn Schwartz, Lucille Yonke, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dahlen, Glady's Johnson, Carol Barros and Lucille Hams. Clarence received many nice cards and gifts.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg, Mike Kazmerczak and friend Cathy and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg enjoyed supper at the Pizza Hut in Thief River Falls.

Later in the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg, Mike Kazmerczak and Cathy visited at the Neil Liedberg home.

Mrs. Wallace Bydum of rural Grygla visited and was a coffee guest at the Neil Liedberg home on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Wallace Bydum and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited and were coffee guests at the Harry Sevre home in Oklee on Thursday. They also were brief callers at the Russ Cullins home at rural Thief River Falls.

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The Times' Editorial Opinion

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Maximum Security In Nation's Capital

Following interesting viewpoints were written by U. S. Sen. Rod Grams of Minnesota:

There's a new federal facility in the town of Florence, Colorado, about a hundred miles southwest of Denver, that I'd like to tell you about.

This new complex is the U.S. Penitentiary Administrative Maximum Facility—or the "Super Max," for short—and already it has become known as the Alcatraz of the Rockies. The Super Max is the most secure prison in the nation, a $60 million, state-of-the-art, high tech fortress of steel, concrete and barbed wire.

It's where the worst of the worst are shipped when society decides they can no longer be tolerated. It's a place where these most violent offenders are strictly controlled. It's a place where everyone is watched, where everyone is monitored.

You might think that the incredible security measures undertaken at the Colorado Super Max would be unique among federal facilities. After all, where else except a maximum security prison, home to some of society's most malicious predators, would such intense restrictions need to be in effect?

If you thought that, however, you'd be wrong. There's another federal compound with a security arrangement that's equally complex. There are armed guards with dogs, cement barriers, an extensive network of closed-circuit TV monitors, marked and unmarked pursuit vehicles, metal detectors and x-ray scanners, signs and barricades.

But the guests who spend time in this federal complex are not Mafia bosses. They're not convicted spies, hit men, drug kingpins or arms smugglers. They're not dangerous, either, and they certainly don't deserve the intense security measures they're subjected to. They're average Americans who come to the United States Capitol building to see their government at work and visit their representatives in Congress.

And look how they're greeted—not with signs of "welcome," but with security arrangements which rival those of the Super Max, the most security conscious prison in America.

Earlier this month, my staff made an informal survey around the Capitol and the Senate office buildings. We wanted to see the area through the eyes of a tourist, one of the 15 million Americans who visit Washington every year. And what we found was shocking and disappointing:

27 armed police officers, one with a dog, patrolling the grounds, checking identification and searching car trunks....

33 retractable traffic barriers, designed to allow only certain vehicles access to Capital Hill parking areas....

26 portable concrete barricades....

34 portable traffic signs, labeled "Stop" or "Do Not Enter."....

Four permanent guard boxes staffed with armed sentries....

Police cruisers, marked and unmarked....

Dozens of metal racks stamped "U. S. Government" blocking areas of the Capitol terrace once open to visitors...

Yards of rope, limiting access between sections of the Capitol grounds, and yards of yellow tape reading "Police Line—Do Not Cross."....

And perhaps ugliest of all, 758 enormous, round, concrete barricades thinly disguised as flower pots, rimming the entire Capitol complex.

That's just outside. Once inside the buildings, tourists will find:

Checkpoints at 20 entrances, where their handbags and personal belongings are analyzed by x-ray scanner...,

A battery of 30 metal detectors through which visitors must pass. If metal is found—and often it is, but mostly keys and coins—guests are subjected to an embarrassing search with a hand-held metal detector....

There were nine plainclothes officers guarding the entrances to the House and Senate floors and visitors galleries....

Uniformed police officers—58 of them the day we checked—armed with guns and batons, watching everyone....

And a video surveillance network that watches everyone, too.

Just what is the government trying to say to the American people when the battery of security measures used to control them as tourists rival the harsh measures used to control the most dangerous prisoners at the nation's highest-security prison?

What are we afraid of? Terrorists? Unfortunately, these security arrangements—many of which have been upgraded in the wake of the tragic bombing in Oklahoma City—would have little effect against a well-planned terrorist attack. I am afraid that we are perhaps using the horror of the Oklahoma City bombing as an excuse to further restrict the access of average Americans to their government, and if we are, well, that is wrong.

With every new fence we put up and every armed officer we station in front of it, we jeopardize a little bit more of the freedom symbolized by the Capitol building. The gleaming "jewel on the hill" is ever so slowly being transformed into Alcatraz on the Potomac.

Very few Americans will ever be offered a guided tour of the U. S. Penitentiary Administrative Maximum Facility in Florence, Colorado. But once they have visited Washington, D.C. and made the trip to Capitol Hill, they will have a very good sense of the daily atmosphere at a maximum-security prison. And that realization ought to make them heartsick.

Well sealing conducted in many locations

The process for sealing an abandoned well was demonstrated by Jeff Davidson, Davidson Well Drilling, in the City of Grygla at Mark Loberg's property on August 17. The demonstration was hosted by the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District and the Marshall County Water Plan.

Well sealing must be done by a licensed well contractor according to the Minnesota well code. The first step to seal a well is to measure the depth and check the casing for obstructions. If obstructions are present, they must be cleared if possible. Next, the well must be chlorinated. The well casing is cut off below ground level according to the request of the landowner. The well is then sealed from bottom up with a grout mixture. As the grout mixture is pumped in the casing, it pushes all the water out the top. The well is sealed when the mixture reaches to top. Not all wells are as simple to seal as one the one in Grygla. Flowing wells, for example, require different procedures.

Marshall county has sealed a total of 105 wells since 1992 using a cost share program that pays for 75 per cent of the cost of sealing the well. Nine wells have been sealed in 1995 and 13 are on a waiting list to be completed yet this year. Funding to seal wells is still available. For information contact Kim Hockstedler, Marshall County Water Plan Coordinator at (218) 745-4217.

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LETTERS

To The Editor:

This is in regard to the early days of Floyd B. Olson Park. Recently we have learned it was called "Hay Market." It had places to tie up horses of people who came to town for business, watering tanks, sheds for shelter and hay to sell.

We have always been under the impression it was given to the city by Mr. Lars Backe for a central park. Every time we gave Glenn's mother, Clara Aos Arhart, a ride past that park she would inform us that the father of her childhood friend, Emma Backe Ward, gave it to the city for a central park. Then half of it got tarred for a parking lot.

In this Centennial year, would it not be nice to use the original name that tells its own story, and erect a plaque with its history and benefactor?

Sincerely,
Jeanette Arhart

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

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Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Mrs. Evangeline Grove was the honored guest on Saturday evening with a dinner party at Third Base with Willard and Shirley Hince, Michael Hagger and Vickie Grove of Thief River Falls, her mother, Mrs. Lillian Hince; Remi Grove and Ralph Kimber of Erskine, Ricky Grove, Troy Torkalson and Courtney of Oklee, Shurline and Evangeline Grove, Russell and Cheryl Hince and Brian Champagne to help Evangeline celebrate her birthday. Happy birthday, Evangeline.

On Saturday, Clarence and Dianne Gagner visited with son Danny in Grand Forks, ND and her sister, Arlean Borry of East Grand Forks.

Connie Ougstad and Karl of Oklee, Kay Aitkens visited their mother, Mrs. Mayme Borborick on Friday.

Mrs. Elaine Brown and daughter, Kim, of Missoula, MT arrived on Wednesday to visit with her sister, Joann Delage.

On Thursday, Med and Gen Lussier, Mr. and Mrs. Don Mecil, Donna and Joyce Rock were dinner guests of Med and Gen at Third Base and after they all visited with David Rock and Beverly Borgman of Fosston.

On Sunday, Mrs. Elaine Brown, Joann Delage and Dardo, Kim Brown, Marlene Martini, Wayne and Robin Kerbs and Alyssa and Jessie Martini were dinner guests of Eddi and Mary Walseth of Thief River Falls.

Del and Cindy Determan, Cathy Demarais, Annie and Jeff of Red Lake Falls, Paul and Norma Jean Beech of Stayton, Candy Barant, Sarah and Chris enjoyed touring and picnicking at Itasca State Park on Saturday.

Dale Gagner arrived on Wednesday from Ogilvie and on Saturday Dawn and Joel returned home with their father after a week visiting their grandparents, Arthur and Martha Gagner.

Danny, son of Clarence and Diane Gagner, moved to Grand Forks, ND last week where he will attend UND.

Patrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Copp moved to Fargo, ND on Sunday where he will be a student at NDSU.

Marlane Martini and Jessica of Coon Rapids, arrived on Friday to visit her sisters, Joann Delage and Elaine Brown.

Thursday, Arthur and Martha Gagner accompanied son Dale, Dawn and Joel to Fosston, where they visited Mrs. Francis Klion.

Med and Gen Lussier of Landers, WY visited Tuesday to Saturday at the home of her sister, Donna and Joyce Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Puroth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Votthauer of Red Lake Falls, visited with Dick and Grace Reck on Saturday evening.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—S. T. Johnson is having his pool room fixed up for winter use this week.

—Wheat is beginning to come in at the elevators this week with no smut reported.

—Thomas Brager has opened a lunch counter and restaurant and will supply the public with meals at all hours, oysters and confectionery.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Mayor and Mrs. D. B. Bakke returned from Norway, where they had spent the summer. Bakke reported that the Norwegians have bettered their lot in recent years and that Norway and Sweden will probably be divided without war.

—The four-year-old son of James Roach died from burns received in a fire he started while playing with matches.

—The St. Hilaire school now has 212 students. On the faculty are Miss Hannay, Miss Gilstad, Miss Pirath, Miss Pettengill, Miss Westlund and Mr. O'Brien.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The Woman's club will assist the board of education in the reception to be given for the teachers on September 24.

—The Lincoln high school football team, with Roy Brown as captain, is getting into shape for the season.

—Olaf Neset moved his jewelry store into his recently completed building on LaBree avenue.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Threshing in this area was halted by a two-inch downpour of rain.

—John Letnes of Silverton township was awarded the state championship in the Ayrshire division at the Minnesota state fair.

—The Thief River Dress club is moving its store into the old LaVogue building.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—The city council has accepted ownership of the local golf course.

—A farm warehousing service is being organized locally.

—Laura Naplin was appointed state hotel inspector.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—A contact office for the U.S. Veterans Administration will open soon in Thief River Falls.

—School board retained its present 50 mill tax levy for the coming year.

—Harvesting here is at a standstill, with 2.5 inches of rain falling during the past week.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Local unit of the Soo Line Veterans association arranged to secure steam locomotive No. 1024 to be put on display in this city as a relic of a bygone day in railroading.

—Western Auto and Sportsmen's store moved into the Elks club building.

—Don Brandvold, superintendent of Oakland Park Rest Home, resigned.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—A cardiac clinic will be held October 12 at the Northwestern hospital in Thief River Falls.

—Local Boy Scouts are holding a soft drink bottle collection campaign.

—Francis Hamerlinck, junior high school principal here since 1959, was selected by the board of education as administrative assistant for the local school system.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Lincoln high school students Kari Nelson and James Peterson have been named semifinalists in the 1976 National Merit Scholarship program.

—A retirement party was held at the Elks club for Elton C. Cummings, former Thief River Falls chief of police and later special investigator for the department.

—St. Bernard's elementary school in Thief River Falls is observing its 50th anniversary.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Goal for 1985 United Way campaign is $67,500.

—The community education department of the local school district has started a "latch-key" program to care for children who would otherwise be alone at home after school.

—Dr. Tom Tunberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tunberg of Thief River Falls, will speak and show slides about his recent medical missionary experience in Haiti, at Trinity Lutheran church Sunday.

Area Girl Scouts gear up for new troop year

The Girl Scouts are preparing for another troop year of fun and friends. Pine to Prairie Girl Scout Council will begin its membership drive on Thursday, September 14 from 6 to 7 p.m. at Redeemer Church, Thief River Falls, for girls ages 5 to 17 and adult volunteers. Girl Scout membership dues are $6 annually.

Girls Scouting offers a wide variety of activities such as the performing arts, recycling projects, nature awareness opportunities, math and science experiences and travel near and far. Through Girl Scouting's contemporary program, girls develop self-esteem, make new friends and become a vital part of their community.

Girls Scouts in Thief River Falls are involved with community service projects such as caroling and making Christmas ornaments for nursing home residents. Also planned is a Fall Fling to start the year and the annual Spring Banquet. Many types of camping experiences are available from overnight to week long to Day Camp for the younger girls. Troop activities are varied and geared to the age and interests of the girls involved.

Adult leaders also are encouraged to register as Girl Scout members and can serve Girl Scouting in several capacities. Girl Scout troop leaders, consultants and guest speakers are just some of the many volunteer-positions available to both women and men.

For additional information about Girl Scouting, please call 681-3449 or 681-5874.

With nearly 3.5 million members, Girls Scouts of the U.S.A. is the largest voluntary organization for girls in the world. Its sole focus is to meet the special needs of girls from diverse racial, ethnic, socioeconomic and religious backgrounds. Pine to Prairie Girl Scout Council serves more than 5,100 girls in 33 counties of North Dakota and Minnesota.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Ken and Alice were dinner guests at the Elsie and Jim Gale home in Moorhead last Thursday. Alice had her check up at Dakota Clinic.

Last Tuesday Alice Forsberg and Margoth Modin visited an old neighbor and friend Ella Lindberg at Clearbrook talking of old times and had a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne were overnight guests of Effie Handy Tuesday.

Emma Nylund, Marion and Effie Handy visited at Larry and Norma Emerson Wednesday night for Larrys birthday.

Forrest and Judy Knudson called on Effie Wednesday evening.

Lois Wilm of Minneapolis, Elaine Nese of Embarrass and Andrea Koplion of Bemidji and Marion Handy visited Effie on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Koplion of Bemidji are parents of a baby boy on Friday. He was 7 lbs and they named him Erick Anthony.

Gary and Wayne hosted a typical Labor Day gathering to celebrate completion of the winter wheat planting!

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minn. September 13, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: September 20, 1945

An announcement will be made about the number of license plates Minnesota passenger cars will be required to carry. During World War II, metal was being conserved, so the normal number of two plates was reduced to one for those years. Will there be one plate for 1946 or two?

Advanced question: And what colors will the 1946 passenger car plates be?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the public library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Conservationist To Show Movies In City

"Arrangements have been made with the Minnesota department of conservation for the appearance of Harold D. Searls, director of bureau of information, at 11:00 on September 20 in the Lincoln high school auditorium. The departments colored motion picture, Minnesota, Land of Ten Thousand Lakes will be shown, and Mr. Searls will give the commentary."

Philippines Money Is Sent To Pay For Times

"Evidently having in mind the paying of his subscription renewal to the Times, CMlc R.W. Stensrud, serving with the U.S. fleet in the Philippines, this week sent his home town paper a remittance of five pesos in Philippines currency."

10,216 Applications Are Filed For Canning Sugar

"Testifying to the wide demand for canning sugar, Waldie Christensen, chairman of the local ration board, revealed this week that during the season just closed a total of 124,044 pounds of canning sugar was issued to 10,216 applicants in Pennington county."

Big Silk Balloon Found East Of Middle River

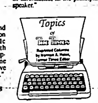
"A silk balloon with the main bag 5 feet high was discovered Saturday morning on the Lloyd Jonson farm twelve miles East of Middle River. At first thought to be a Japanese balloon, Bill Carlson, manager of the Thief Lake game refuge, who was called to the scene, concluded that it had been sent out by a weather observation station, perhaps from Chicago."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Betty Grable
Dick Haymes
"Diamond Horseshoe"
Falls Theatre
Buy Defense Stamps at our box-office

Simpler Airport Program Set For September 30

"Handicapped by continued rains last Thursday night, Friday and Saturday, the elaborate airport dedication program scheduled for Sunday, September 9, was cancelled the preceding day, word being broadcast over the Fargo radio station. The heavy rains had left the landing field in such soggy condition that it would have been impossible for the expected large number of visiting aircraft to land there.

"Arrangements were completed at a meeting Wednesday noon to hold a less pretentious program Sunday, September 30, at which time the newly completed airport hangar will be dedicated, with L. L. Schroeder, state commissioner of aeronautics, as the principal speaker."



—This town can now be thankful that it wasn't the home of any war plants.

—Recommended for local consideration is a St. Paul ordinance making it illegal to leave the keys in the ignition switch of a parked car.

—If we can believe in signs, Senator Shipstead will run again.

—There are many ways of committing suicide. Five persons did it recently when they went out on a lake near Park Rapids in a duckboat built for two.

—If you have a boy in service overseas, it's well to bear in mind that September 15 is the date to start mailing Christmas parcels to him.

—We're forming an exclusive little club composed of those who didn't know that atomic bomb secret in advance. Are you eligible?

—Simile: As hard to dig up as the true facts in connection with the responsibility for Pearl Harbor.

—Judging by the reports of atrocities committed against U.S. men in Japan, the war crimes commission will have plenty of work to do.

—In response to the question, "What is chemistry's outstanding contribution to the world?" a student answers, "Blondes."

—Remember, ladies, the government is still calling on you to salvage waste fats.

—Gopher football fans are again expecting Minnesota to win the championship just because Bernie Bierman is back at the helm.

—The local grade schools are suffering from growing pains.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota September 11, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

New Arrival in Crookston

"Col. A. F. Naff arrived in Crookston today and will be permanently stationed here, by the powers that be in Washington. He is a special agent of the general land office and his business is to look after trespassers on government lands and prevent timber stealing and fraudulent entries. It is believed that the coming of Col. Naff at this time presages the opening of the agricultural portion of the Red Lake lands. There are 750,000 acres of these lands and in conversation with General Land Commissioner Lamoreux last week, Col. Naff was informed that the conditions had all been complied with and it is likely to be the particular work which is to be looked after. He was given to understand that he would remain here permanently and it is his belief that the future has this in store. The colonel comes well recommended and his experience and efficiency have been complemented by his assignment to this important field. He comes cordially recommended by his acquaintances in Ashland, for his social qualities as well as his business qualifications and the community bids him a hearty welcome."

Bob Michelicek is presented with a Life Fellow award in the Kiwanis Education Foundation by Key Club president Elizabeth Odette at a recent Kiwanis Club picnic. The Key Club is a youth branch of the Kiwanis and Michelicek has been its advisor.

Three out of 10 students in H.S. cannot pass test

If Minnesota's graduation standards were in effect today, at least three out of 10 students in the 10 and 11th grades would not score high enough to graduate. These findings, released by the department of education, are from a statewide pilot test given to 11,000 Minnesota sophomores and juniors in April.

"The reading test results are extremely disturbing," said Ann Schluter, acting commissioner of education. "We absolutely must provide every student with the basic skills needed to survive economically once they graduate."

Because graduation standards are not yet in effect, many students may now graduate even though they cannot read well. But students entering ninth grade in 1995 will be required to pass the reading test by the time they are seniors or they will not receive their high-school diplomas. Seniors in the year 2000 also will need to pass a basic math test.

Governor Arne H. Carlson has made graduation standards a priority for his administration. "These tests have identified the problem, and now we can begin to take steps to solve the problem," said Schluter.

An advisory committee has recommended that the passing score for the reading test initially be set at 70 per cent correct responses on the test. The state board of education will act on this recommendation at Monday's state board meeting.

In the test, students were asked to read four newspaper articles and answer questions about each. The answers to at least 75 per cent of the questions were contained in the text. Another 25 per cent of the questions required students to interpret the articles.

The articles were taken from a variety of Minnesota newspapers including the Minneapolis Star Tribune, St. Paul Pioneer Press, Rochester Post Bulletin and Duluth News Tribune. The readability rating of the articles was eighth- or ninth-grade reading level.

Reading test scores for many minority students were lower than those for the group as a whole. Half or fewer of the students from minority groups, including African Americans, Asians, Hispanics and Native Americans, correctly answered 70 per cent of the questions. A little more than three-fourths of white students correctly answered 70 per cent or more of the questions.

Among those tested, about six out of 10 students from Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth scored 70 per cent or better, compared to 8 out of 10 suburban students. In non-metropolitan districts with more than 2,000 students, about 75 per cent scored 70 or better, compared to 65 per cent of the students in the districts with less than 2,000 students.

The test has been checked and rechecked for fairness to all groups — ethnic, gender and disability. The Minnesota Department of Education sampled school districts by size and location. Reading teachers, community groups and minority organizations generally agreed that the test is valid and represents skills that every students has been taught and ought to know.

"The reading test results are a good argument for graduation standards and reform," said Commissioner Schluter. "Students should be able to read when they graduate from high school."

Once graduation standards are in place, students will be tested several times before 10th grade. If they cannot pass the basic skills tests, they will receive an individual learning plan and intensive help so that they can pass the test before the end of their senior year.

Minnesota typically scores in the top 10 states on tests such as the American College Test, but these college entrance tests are given only to about 60 per cent of all students, mainly those students applying to college. They do not represent the general student population's academic performance.

St. Paul and Anoka school districts have had graduation requirements for about three years. In these districts, the schools have identified problems early and have helped students meet the basic skill requirements for graduation. However, many students do not graduate simply because they have not completed course work — not because they fail the test.

The reading and math requirements are the first phase of new graduation standards under development. When completed, the graduation standards also will require students to demonstrate a broad range of knowledge and problem-solving skills.

Gully

Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Milo Johnson from Brainerd, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Jenny Gillio of Hallock, and Micky Gillia, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Johnson of Minneapolis, Mr and Mrs. Dan Planto of Bemidji, Doug Robbins, Linda Ronstad, Dennis Erickson, Rodney Brovold, and Jim Mowr of Minneapolis.

Supper was served and we all visited for many hours. The next morning we got up, had coffee and talked about our good visit of the evening, sure had a good time.

Axel and Alice Hogberg of Bagley stopped in and visited Elmer and Mary. Betty Borg spent the Labor Day weekend at her folks.

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Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Chuck and Sherry Olson visited with Lillie Olson on Monday evening.

Shirley Wagner and Emma Kammen enjoyed coffee and lunch with Olga Thompson on Thursday.

Tuesday Della Elseth and Senora Elseth visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson.

Thursday Sybil Peterson and Vernice Larson went to Thief River Falls where they toured Digi-Key plant very interesting. Kari Jesme was their tour guide. Afterwards we went over to Tom Dondelingers and enjoyed coffee, cake, and ice cream. Then we went over to Oakland Park Nursing Home and visited with Nellie Skadsem and spent a very nice day.

Tuesday Gaylene Anderson and sons of Karlstad visited with Hanna Moen.

Roy and Laura Roppe took the Senior Citizen bus to Rollag on Friday.

Monday visitors at the Alice Eling son home were Arlene Jenson of Greenbush, Gladys Stromberg and Muriel Nelson.

Thursday afternoon, Lillie Olson and Sherry Olson visited with Helen Sorenson and with Bud and Ruby Moen of Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening visitors at the Clara Henson home were Emil and Lyle Vacura of Thief River Falls.

Milton and Beverly Erickson spent Friday evening and Saturday at the Mark and Jane Scheumberg home in Crookston.

Last Sunday afternoon, Aug. 27th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson were paid with a surprise visit from their son, Mark and his fiancee Barb Herman of Moorhead. We spent a lovely afternoon and they had a light supper with us before they left again.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski attended the St. Edward's Catholic church dinner on Sunday, August 29th.

Friday, Arnold and Vernice Larson were among many to go on the Senior Citizen bus to Rollag and had a very enjoyable day. Seen many old tractors, crafts, etc. and had a very nice bus ride.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Moorhead where they attended a Labor Day picnic at the Orland Roppe home.

Saturday visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin.

Labor Day, Lisa Wilson, Jayme and Amber drove out to spend the day with a potluck dinner and supper had a lovely day. Jeremy had gone to spend the day with one of his friends before school started and Mackenzie went to spend a day with her other grandma she will be going to pre-school this year. They spent a lovely day with Grandpa and Grandma Curt and Elaine Thompson.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski returned from Minneapolis on Tuesday after visiting and being houseguests of Dennis and Linda Gerszewski and Edward and Peggy Gerszewski since September 1st. They enjoyed the time being there.

Wednesday afternoon, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee and apple crisp with Sue Dondelinger.

Sunday afternoon those that brought birthday wishes to Elwin and DeDe Ness were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Carol Ness, Joey and Justin Ness, Bradley and Marie Ness, Jeff and Debbie Davidson, Tara, Tad and Teri, Mike Tami, Tyler and Morgan enjoyed a very good lunch and visit.

Friday afternoon visitors at the Sybil Peterson home were Lillie Olson, Gladys Harstad and Orrin and Jean Hunt.

Beverly Erickson visited at the Gary Leader home on Wednesday afternoon.

Curt Thompson stopped over to Emma Kammen's last Monday morning and helped her with something and had a cup of coffee also.

Wednesday evening, Kenny and Sybil Cwikla visited and took Arnold and Vernice Larson out for supper.

Sunday evening Lillie Olson visited with Chuck and Sherry Olson.

Wednesday dinner guests at the Clara Henson home were Randyne Shern of Grand Forks and Gene Shern of California.

Tuesday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Edward and Janice Carlson.

Monday, Milton and Beverly Erickson visited with Jeannette Kasprowicz at Greenbush also at the Invold Borress and Kenneth Erickson homes in Strathcona.

Wednesday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Carvel Gillund, Jerry Gillund, Don Larson and Stanley Larson.

Tuesday evening, Beverly Erickson visited at the Jason Erickson home.

Si and Marge Henson are proud owners and operators of The Shed. They sell a variety of antiques and collectables from antique horse tack to old books and magazines to a wide assortment of Red Wing crocks. They are open when the sign is posted, and they suggest calling 681-4261 to make sure the store is open. They are located three miles east of Thief River Falls on Highway #1. Pictured with the Hensons are Thief River Falls Chamber members Gloria Wilson and Dave Onnka.

Plummer

The AAL Chapter of Immanuel Lutheran church met at the church on Wednesday evening. President Don Hagen presided over the meeting with a good crowd in attendance. There will be matching funds available for the annual church supper to be held on September 30th and the group voted to match funds for the Robert Metzke benefit. Connie Hagen served lunch following the meeting.

Jerry Bjerke arrived at the John Helley home last week to visit for a few days and to take his family home with him. Barb and the children have spent most of the summer with her parents John and Clara Helley. They spent from Monday to Wednesday at the Sportmans Lodge at Pine Lake and Wednesday evening they visited Jerry's parents, Duane and Arlene Bjerke of Thief River Falls. They left on Thursday for their home in Newport News, VA.

Milwaukee Visit

Kathie Juneau returned on Monday from Milwaukee, WI with the Eskells after spending the weekend with her family. She had first visited her sister, Diane Barker of Sussex and was joined by her daughter, Kelly and Dave Krueger and they all enjoyed a fish fry the first night. On Saturday, her sister, Dixie Loe and Frank Eckhart came for her and they went to their lake cabin where she was an overnight guest with them, her niece Paula and two children, daughter Sherry Beertlein and her daughter. On Sunday, Kathie's brother, Earl Keesling took her to Milwaukee County Zoo after church. She has two nieces Heidi and Wendy who work there, so she got to see them, too. Sounds like a full weekend!

Howard and Margaret Greenwald, Lorene Westorlund and Nora Seibel drove to Bemidji on Sunday where they met Joy Pauley of Grand Rapids. Nora returned to her home with Joy after spending a week here with relatives and friends, and as a houseguest of Lorena Westorlund.

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Kuiper and his sisters, Rikki and Marie of the Cities visited at the home of Olga Konickson and Tilmer Johnson.

Highlanding

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swenson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson left Friday to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversary of their brother Clark Jones and wife Adeline at Dunkerton, IA. On September 3, 1995. Enroute home the Swenson's are attending the Past District Lions governors of 1975-76 Reunion at Redwood Falls on September 1.

Motivational speaker Keith Nord will make his third visit to Thief River Falls Thursday and Friday, September 14 and 15, to speak to Lincoln high school students and their parents. He will talk to parents (students are also welcome to attend) Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Lincoln auditorium and to an all-school assembly Friday morning. He will also hold a leadership seminar with student leaders from Lincoln Friday afternoon at the Elks club rooms.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Lucille and Bernard Myers from Mahnomen visited at the home of Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Trochmann on Thursday morning. In the afternoon they visited with Doris Kaushagen at her home.

David Barth, Lois Dalager, Diane and Bill Barth were supper guests at the Ray and Bernice Barth home on Sunday.

Mrs. Alan Mathisen and family were Thursday evening visitors at the home of Bernice Knutson.

Cathy and Richard Nelson and Howard Nelson were Sunday evening visitors at the Ethel Nelson home.

Ruth Hanson, Valerie Austad, Robbie and Alicia Bakken went to Fargo on Friday where they spent the day shopping. They returned home on Saturday.

Lisa and Mike Parent were weekend guests at the Jarvis and Martha Torgerson home. Virginia Hokkanen was a Sunday overnight guest there.

Bernice Barth spent Wednesday at the Annette and Ken Kostrzewski home at Viking.

Jean Nelson visited at the Margaret and Leslie Nelson home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kvidt from Grand Forks visited at the Doris Kaushagen home on Wednesday forenoon.

Saturday afternoon visitors at the Adeline Moe home were Johanne Greene from Grafton, her daughter Carol Tucker from St. Thomas, Victor Nabben of Grand Forks, Harold and Edith Nabben.

Later in the afternoon they attended the four o'clock lawn wedding of Tiffani Nelson and Darryl Opdahl at Oakland Park. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dale Nabben from Bismarck.

Marian and Richard Parent of McIntosh, Lisa and Mike Parent of Otsego, Virginia Hokkanen of Virginia were among the friends and relatives who gathered at the Jarvis Torgerson home for a picnic supper on Sunday evening to honor Jarvis on his retirement.

Ida Rupprecht visited with Elvina Sunsdahl at her apartment on Thursday morning. Together they visited with Ruth Hanson at her home that same morning.

Randy and Karen Moe and family, Art Moe and Adeline Moe enjoyed a picnic together at the Lake Bronson State Park on Labor Day.

Saturday evening guests at the Ruth and Lowell Hanson home to remind Lowell of his birthday were Obert and Evelyn Grovum, Dale and Dolly Kainz, Hulda Stock, Verna Schroeder, Kermit Maidment, Eli Pomeranko, Vi and Bernice Weigel, Valerie Austad, Robbie and Alicia Bakken.

Shirley and Ron Osborne from Moose Lake were weekend guests at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

On Sunday, Ron and Eddie took in the Western Steam Threshers Reunion of Rollag.

Shirley and Mabel attended church services in Roseau, and enjoyed dinner with Steve and Ginny Anderson.

In the afternoon Shirley and Mabel visited at the Kenneth Boyum home near Greenbush took in the Labor Day festivities at the Old Mill State Park. They watched them grind wheat into flour at the mill. Later they visited with Vivian Sagstuen at her home in Newfolden.

Annette and Ken Kostrzewski were supper guests at the Ray and Bernice Barth home on Thursday.

Those who enjoyed a potluck salad luncheon at the home of Carmen Gustafson on Tuesday were Pat McIntosh, Judith Wold, Flo Ann Bredeson, Julia Hovet, Gunhild Selmanson, Adeline Moe, LaVonne Thune, Adeline Slotten, Lenore Wold, Merlie Shooltz, Judy Olson and Mary Jane Paradis from Brooks and Jean Halvorson and Amy from Goodridge. This was a farewell party honoring Pat McIntosh.

Ethel Nelson and Ida Rupprecht were Friday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Bernice Trochmann and Myrtle Solberg.

Joan Nelson was an afternoon visitor and supper guest at the home of Oscar Odegaard on Monday.

Ginny and Steve Andersen were Tuesday evening visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Andersen home.

Bernice Knutson, Clara Knutson and her daughter Violet Joppru were afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Emma and Art Gustafson home. Later in the afternoon Bernice visited with Mavis Hillyer at the Stock home.

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Goodridge Community News

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Gene Field of rural Thief River Falls visited at the Clarence Dahlen home Tuesday and brought belated birthday greetings to Clarence.

Visitors on Labor Day at the Justin Dahlen home were Harold and Leonard Rindahl of Trail, Dellys Rindahl of Anoka, Evelyn Lillo of Roseau, Glady's Rindahl and Corrine Roisland of Thief River Falls. They were all dinner guests at the Dahlen home. Those who joined them all for lunch in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bydkum and Dakotah of rural Grygla, Mrs. Galen Dahlen, Jacky Drangsholt, Tabitha and Chelsey and Mrs. David Dahlen of Thief River Falls. In the evening Jim Dahlen visited at the Justin Dahlen home.

Tuesday morning, Galen Dahlen was a visitor and coffee guest at the Justin Dahlen home.

Wednesday morning, Dellys Rindahl left for her home after spending some time visiting with relatives in the area.

Nathan Liedberg visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlen at their home in Thief River Falls on Wednesday afternoon and brought belated birthday greetings to his grandpa.

Thursday afternoon, Sheri Liedberg, Roger Nelson and Rosella Schlofer of Thief River Falls brought belated birthday greetings to Clarence Dahlen at his home.

Wednesday Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited with Evelyn Hovet at her apartment in Thief River Falls and enjoyed coffee with Evelyn. Later Mrs. Liedberg visited with Norma Waldal at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Thursday those who brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Norman Liedberg at her home in Thief River Falls were Ruth Liedberg, Glady's Hersted of Newfolden, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri, Roger Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg all of Thief River Falls.

Visitors and dinner guests at the Norman Liedberg home on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg, Roger Nelson, Ruth Liedberg, Mrs. Robert Pernow was a coffee guest at the Norman Liedberg home Saturday afternoon.

Monday morning, Mrs. Tony Rubischko was a brief caller at the Neil Liedberg home.

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C.D. TECH- Glenmore Recovery Center has an opening for a part time Chemical Dependency Tech at its Thief River Falls Halfway House. The position would entail monitoring the clients who occupy the residence, ensuring they attend to daily living and are in compliance with established guidelines and responsibilities. The Tech will also be responsible for some clerical duties and maintaining the residence. Competitive wage and rotating shifts. Prior experience is preferred, but not necessary. If interested, contact Louella La Franco, 621 LaBree Ave. N., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, 218-681-8019 or Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resource Department, 323 S. Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. E.O.E. 5t77c

DOMINO'S PIZZA
DELIVERY PERSONNEL WANTED
Earn up to $7 - $10 per hour, flexible hours. Must be 18, have your own car and proof of Insurance.
Apply at DOMINO'S PIZZA OR Call 681-6000.

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONIST/SECRETARY- Part-time (temporary full-time) transcriptionist/secretarial position. Applicants must have medical transcriptionist training or experience, with a strong medical terminology background, word processing skills, and ability to type a minimum of 60 wpm. Candidates must possess flexibility and have excellent interpersonal skills. Contact: Sylvia Smidt, Medical Record Dept., Clearwater Co. Memorial Hospital, Bagley, MN 56621, 218-694-6501. T2t73c

THE CLUB WANTED:
PART-TIME WAITRESS
MON.-FRI. 11 A.M.-2 P.M.
APPLY IN PERSON
"THE CLUB"
Eatery & Billiards
121 3rd St. E., T.R. Falls, MN

EVERGREEN IMPLEMENT of TRF looking for Diesel and Small Engine Technician, competitive compensation offered based on experience. Send resume to 1820 Hwy. 1 West, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 73tfc

JOIN THE Villa St. Vincent Team. Positions are currently available for Nurses Aides. If not currently certified, classes begin on September 26th and will be held every Tuesday and Thursday for 6 weeks. For applications and further information contact Human Resources, Villa St. Vincent, 516 Walsh Street, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-3424. E.O.E. 3t74c

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HELP WANTED- Concrete Construction Workers. OPP Construction Company Highway 81 North, Grand Forks, ND 701-775-3322. 8t74p

WANTED: FRAMING CARPENTERS
To Work On Senior Housing Project In Thief River Falls
CALL: 218-739-9440.
If No Answer Leave Message!

HELP WANTED- Laundry worker, 55-74 hours every two weeks. Every other weekend. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 4t76c

PART-TIME LOADING/UNLOADING
$8.00 PER HOUR

United Parcel Service is currently taking applications for temporary SEASONAL Employment. Applicants should have flexible schedules and not be seeking full-time work with UPS. Shifts are approximately 3 to 4 hours; early mornings, 4 am to 8 am or evening hours, 5 pm to 9 pm, Monday thru Friday only. Job duties will include loading and unloading of UPS vehicles and car washing. Applicants must be 18 years of age or older, able to lift 70 lbs. and work at a steady pace.

If interested, please contact the Thief River Falls Job Service at 218-681-0909 by Thursday, 9-14 to arrange for an interview.

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HELP WANTED- Needed immediately! Cooks and waitresses, we need you. Will pay $5.00-$8.00/hour depending on experience. Send your job history and personal info. to: Attention Manager, P.O. Box 758, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 52tfc

HELP WANTED- Earn up to $500 per week assembling products at home. No experience. Info. 1-504-646-1700 Dept. MN-8345. P4t76p

FABRIC CONSULTANT- Part-time position. Apply at Annette's Fabrics, 212 Third Street East, TRF. 2t73c

Help Wanted

DELIVERY POSITION- Requires valid Class C license, health card and ability to lift minimum of 50 pounds. Inquire at Northern Border Wholesale Inc., 432 North Atlantic Ave., TR Falls, MN 218-681-3640. Application deadline Sept. 15, 1995. 2t744

PART-TIME COOK- Apply in person, Dee's Kitchen, 811 N. Atlantic, TRF. 71tfc

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY
Needed for local office of regional accounting firm. Must be able to work well with the public. Knowledge of WordPerfect desired. Please submit résumé in person at 213 LaBree Avenue North, TRF, or mail to P.O. Box 790, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.
BRADY MARTZ

HELP WANTED- Library Assistant for the TRF Public Library, 19 hours weekly during school year, plus a swing shift every 4th weekend. Opportunities also for subbing within the library. High school graduation required. Applications and job description available at the TRF Public Library, 101 East First Street, TRF. Deadline for application 8 p.m. on September 18. 3t74c

WE HAVE openings for two over-the-road semi drivers, 2-years experience, home most weekends, benefits. Paradis Inc., Brooks, 218-698-4613. 4t73c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY: Full time furniture delivery and salesperson. Stop in or call Jeff or Jerry at Popplers. 681-3914. tfc

POSITIONS AVAILABLE AT THE GOODRIDGE SCHOOL
BEGINNING MID NOVEMBER
GIRLS BASKETBALL JUNIOR VARSITY COACH
For further information, or to apply contact:
Robert Brown, A.D., at
218-378-4134

DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed. No experience?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers/DTDTS. Call 1-800-332-7364. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay pkg. + benefits. $30K+1st yr. $40K+2nd yr. 48tfc

HELP NEEDED- for 2 p.m.-10 p.m. and 10 p.m.-6 a.m. shifts. Apply at 7-11 or call 701-282-2698. 11t78c

HELP WANTED:
SEED PLANT OPERATOR
Elevator Experience a Plus.
Send résumé to #2899
c/o The Times, 324 Main Ave. North, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

PROGRAM COUNSELOR III- Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota, a private non-profit organization, serving persons with developmental disabilities has part-time openings teaching and assisting children with activities of daily living in a residential setting. Shifts will vary. Starting wage $6.70 per hour. WE TRAIN. Applicants must be 16 years or older, hold a valid driver's license and be eligible to be certified in First Aid and CPR. Call 218-681-2441, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. M-F, or write Lutheran Social Service of MN. Disabilities Services, 115 Sixth Street West, P.O. Box 117, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Deadline for applications is Sept. 15, 1995. E.O.E. 3t73c

Help Wanted

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS- Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info. call (219) 794-0010 Ext. 9011, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., 7 days. P8t74p

HELP WANTED- Do you like working with children of all ages? Discovery Place is hiring for several positions, please call or see Dayna at Discovery Place, 681-5302. 72tfc

WANTED- Responsible adult to care for small children in my home, part-time, call 681-1737. P4t74p

HELP WANTED- Part time light maintenance job, a.m. hours, Mon.-Fri. Ideally suited for semi-retired person, call 681-4527. P4t75p

HELP WANTED- Part time Deli Cook, 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, Clerk, 11 p.m. to 6 a.m., pick up application at Petro Pumper. 97tfc

WANTED- Truck drivers for sugar beet season, call 218-745-5881. 2t74p

HELP WANTED- Housekeeper, apply in person only at C'mon Inn in TRF. 4t74c

DAY & Closing shifts, flexible scheduling, full or part-time. Benefits include free uniforms, meal discounts, medical and life insurance, paid vacation and 401K. Up to $6.50/hour. Apply in person at HARDEE'S, 225 W. 3rd St., M-F, 1-4 p.m.

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN WANTED- Have a full-time position open for a qualified Automotive Technician, experienced in transmission O/H and engine repair. Excellent pay and benefits. Apply to Mark Johnson, Tunberg Motor Co., TRF. 62tfc

PINE TO Prairie Hospice, a Medicare Certified Agency, with an office located in Thief River Falls needs RN's, LPN's, and HHA's to work flex time, meeting the needs of the terminally ill and their families. Contact Bev Leiar, Administrator, at 1-800-494-6061. 4t76c

HELP WANTED- Assistant resident manager at new college apartments, responsible individual. For more information, call Melva, 681-2341. 63tfc

VALLEY HOMES, Inc. has a full-time Assistant Program Manager position available in Karlstad working with adults with developmental disabilities. Must have a college course in Human Services, one year experience (within the last five years) in the care, training or supervision of persons with developmental disabilities, must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply by calling for an application at 218-436-2518 or 1-800-532-7655. Deadline 9/15/95. E.O.E. 1t73c

WANTED- Best drivers for the 1995 season, starting Oct. 1, 218-281-2058.

HELP WANTED- Truck drivers for fall harvest season needed immediately. Call 218-681-3870. P4t74p

NURSING ASSISTANT
Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part-time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at: Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. EOE. 102tfc

VALLEY HOMES, Inc. has full and part-time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply at 402 Main St. South in Karlstad or call 218-436-2518 or 1-800-532-7655 for an application. E.O.E. 71tfc

Help Wanted

United Parcel Service
will be accepting applications for TEMPORARY Delivery Driver positions for our Christmas peak season. The jobs will start immediately and go thru Dec 24.

The positions are full-time TEMPORARY, but the hours vary from week to week.

All applicants must meet the following qualifications:
- 21 years of age or older
- No moving violations or accidents within the past 12 months
- No alcohol related violations within the past 3 years
- No more than 2 moving violations and/or accidents within past 3 years.
- The ability to drive a clutch operated vehicle.
- The ability to work at a fast pace and lift up to 70 lbs.
- Must pass a DOT physical
- $9.62 per hour
- This position will NOT become permanent
- Must meet the UPS appearance guidelines

If interested, please contact the Thief River Falls Job Service at 218-681-0909 by 9-14-95 to arrange for an interview.

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ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE- Our client, a telephone long distance company, seeks an account rep in Thief River Falls. Operate independently in the area with excellent company support. Qualified candidates will have demonstrated professional successes, excellent communication skills and community knowledge. Base salary plus commission, car allowance and benefits. Personal interviews held in Thief River Falls in September. Fax resume to Karen Andresen at 218-727-1438 or mail by September 20 to: McGladrey & Pullen, 700 Missabe Building, Duluth, MN 55802. 2t74c

Wanted To Buy

WANTED- Arctic Mini bike or parts. Also, extension aluminum ladder, call 681-3921 evenings. PT4t75p

MELROE PICKUP belts in good condition; G1000 Minneapolis Moline for parts, need not run, call 681-8069. 1t73p

Bids are now being taken for Property Insurance Coverage
at Campus Court
(1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005 Landgren Avenue, Thief River Falls, MN).
Please call Sharon at
1-800-728-7911 for all pertinent information.
All bids must be received by Sept. 22, 1995

HOMARK INC.
An Employee Owned Company
HOMARK Join The Homark Team. We are currently hiring for production line work—carpentry skills helpful. Applications available at:
100 Third Street, Red Lake Falls, MN
"Builders Of Affordable Housing"

Help Wanted
Accounts Payable/Data Processing Clerk
The City of TRF has a job vacancy in the Administrative Services Department for a full-time position. Applicant should have an Associate Degree in Accounting/Data Processing or an equivalent combination of education, training, and/or work experience. A complete job description, salary/benefit schedule and job application forms are available at the MN Job Services Office, 318 Knight Avenue North, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Applications close at 5 P.M. on September 29, 1995. The City of Thief River Falls is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE
Cellular 2000/KEYPAGE, services of Rural Cellular Corp., an exciting and progressive company seeks a bright, motivated individual to join our team as a Sales Representative in the Thief River Falls area. Competitive wages that includes base pay plus commissions and an excellent benefit program and 401K savings plan.

This position requires a high school degree or equivalent including 1-2 years customer service and sales experience. Excellent communication and organizational skills.

If you enjoy a fast-paced environment & the challenges of a rewarding career, send your résumé & cover letter by 9/25/95 to **Rural Cellular Corp/Cellular 2000, Attn: Karen Henrikson, P.O. Box 1027, Alexandria, MN 56308.** No phone calls please. EOE.

INSTALLER-REPAIR PERSON JOB OPENING
The Garden Valley Telephone Company, and Equal Opportunity employer, is now considering applications for a full-time Installer-Repair Person position. Initial reporting location will be Erskine. Requirements and desirable qualifications for this position include, but are not limited to, the following:
(a) Experience in location and maintenance of underground cables; installation and maintenance of single and multiple-line telephone equipment, including electronic key and PABX systems; cellular and IMTS installation and maintenance; CATV installation, maintenance, system alignment and CLI testing; installation and maintenance of alarm equipment; C-band and OBS installation and maintenance; special emphasis may be given to applicants with computer networking, computer subscription services, and software applications; and demonstrated ability for the sale and marketing of telecommunications equipment and services. (b) Applicants must demonstrate that they are able to work cooperatively with member/subscribers and other persons. (c) Applicants must be able and willing to work, when required, under adverse conditions. (d) Applicants must be able to maintain and operate test equipment and tools used by Garden Valley. (e) Applicants must be willing to learn and adapt to technology and training as is required on an ongoing basis. (f) Applicants must have neat and orderly work habits. Benefits include a vacation and sick leave plan; and participation in the company's pension, health, dental, disability and life insurance plans. Qualified persons who are interested in applying for this position should submit written resumes, stating their qualifications. Résumés must be received by the company before 12:00 noon on September 28, 1995, at the following address: KEN STUHAUG, SERVICE & OPERATIONS MANAGER; GARDEN VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY; 201 ROSS AVENUE/P.O. BOX 259; ERSKINE, MN 56535-0259.

HELP WANTED Best Western
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Dining Room: Day & Evening Shifts, Waiters/Waitress & Hostess. Will Train. Mature Individuals Welcome.
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Business Opportunities

WANTED- Roofing and remodeling work, call J & F Building and Remodeling 681-7302 or 800-0421. P8t73p

FROM INVITATIONS to thank you cards, we've got what you need for your romantic wedding! Engraved invitations, thank you notes, response cards, place cards, napkins, party favors and accessories. A perfect wedding without spending a fortune! All priced at 20% off. The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, 681-4450, TRF. 1t73e

FOR SALE- Small grain elevator located in Thief River Falls. Includes pit, leg, 5 overhead bins, and 5 thousand sq. ft. of truck level storage. Contact Bud Evans, 218-681-4229. P4t73p

OWN YOUR own apparel or shoe store, choose Jean/Sportswear, bridal, lingerie, westernwear, ladies, men's, large sizes, infant/preteen, petite, dancewear/aerobic, maternity, or accessories store. Over 2000 name brands. $25,900 to $37,900. Inventory, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Can open 15 days. Mr. Loughlin (612) 888-6555. 1t73p

RUBBER STAMPS available at the Times. Self inking or standard. The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, 681-4450. 1t73e

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY- Near Middle River, for sale by owner, 80'x120' metal building, 15 acres, clear span building, poured cement foundation, 12' ceiling, 8" insulated walls, gas and electric heat, 240' deep well, 2 acres graveled parking lot, price $35,000.00, 218-222-3496. P4t73p

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Mobile Homes

PRICED TO SELL! 1982 Liberty 14x80 three-bedroom, 2 full baths, wood siding, fireplace, appliances, central air, attached entry, set up on lot (TRF). Excellent condition; 218-843-3530. P4t73p

FOR SALE- 1991 16x80 mobile home, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, deck, shed, and central air, excellent condition! Countryside Ct. #56. Call 681-3812 evenings. P4t76p

FOR SALE- 10x14 mobile home entryway and pre-cast concrete steps, 4 steps, base is 4x3-1/2. Call 378-4450.

Public Notices

THANK YOU
I would like to say a special thank you to my children and grandchildren for the big day they had for my 80th birthday. Thank you to all who sent cards, gifts and came to make it so special.

God bless all
Alton Sparby
1t73p

Public Notices

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Dennis Maurstad would like to express our gratitude to the many friends and relatives who have shown your love and concern for us. A special thank you to the Newfolden and Middle River Rescue squads for your speedy response and your compassion to Dr. Peter Johnson, Bonnie Wagner, Kathy Marol, Deb Swenson, Herb Maurstad and Gary Barrett for your support at the emergency room, to Iris and Arnie Maurstad, Scott Magner, Wayne and Shirley Kilen, Vicki Oest, Judy and Jane Lokstad for all your special help and to everyone who brought food and called on us at home, and to all those who sent plants and flowers. Heartfelt thanks to Pastors Gary Barrett and John Jorgenson for your continued support, to Donna Mae Hogberg, Bonnie Seabold and Lynn Schram for the beautiful music, to the ladies of Newfolden Evangelical Free Church for serving at the funeral and to all of you who continue to remember us in your prayers. God bless you all.

Jenny, Bryan,
Matt and Amanda Maurstad
Leslie and Jean Maurstad
1t73p

THANK YOU
We would like to thank each and everyone for sharing our 50th anniversary celebration with us. We thank you for all the cards and gifts. We especially want to thank our children and grandchildren for doing such a great job. God bless you

Frederic & Del Berberich

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CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness and prayers during the sudden death of our beloved son, brother and grandson, Richard Nomeland. Special thanks to Pastor Bobbie Johnson for her comforting words, visits and prayers. Joy Nordby for her music and songs, to Grace Ladies Aid for serving lunch. Thank you to all who gave memorials, cards and flowers. Also, to the ladies who brought food to the house. Thank you to the class of 1961 for the beautiful mums, the casket-bearers and the Green Funeral Home for all their help and kindness. God Bless all of you.

Jack and Elsa Homeland
Jack Jr., Barbara and Carol
Mrs. Helen Nomeland

MEMORIAM
In memory of Johnnie Ruud who passed away 23 years ago the 11th of Sept.
There is an open gate at the end of the road through which each must go alone and there is a light we cannot see, our Father claims his own, beyond the gate our loved one finds happiness and rest, and there is comfort in the thought that a loving God knows best.
Sadly missed by wife Vivian, children Jean, Darlene, Russ and families.

Public Notices

IF YOU are interested in helping start a support group for fibromyalgia syndrome or chronic fatigue syndrome, please call 681-2199. P4t75p

AM LOOKING for the former Marilyn L. Dow. Please contact me at P.O. Box 46, Kettle River, MN, or call 218-273-6208. P4t76p

Pets

FOR SALE- AKC yellow Lab puppies, have had their first shots, call 681-7999. P4t73p

GERMAN SHEPHERD cross puppies, black, 8 weeks old, good natured parents, free to good homes, 449-4471. P4t76p

TO GIVE away- Male AKC Springer Spaniel, three year old, to good country home only! 681-4774 evenings. 1t73f

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TO GIVE away to good home, a male 1-1/2 year Cocker Spaniel, is very good with kids, has shots, after 5 p.m. 681-6455. 2t74p

ROYAL PET grooming and supplies, certified groomer, 8th and Atlantic, Thief River Falls, call 681-8311. 8t78c

FOR SALE- Hamster, cage, and accessories. Call 681-6968. 54tfe

For Rent

FOR RENT- Mobile home, 2-bedroom, (no pets), 681-1858. P4t75p

FOR RENT- Mobile home, one-bedroom, natural gas, deposit. No pets, Oct. 1st, or sooner, 681-1481. P4t76p

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment, all utilities paid, $275.00, 681-3621. 60tfc

FOR RENT- Mobile home near college, two bedrooms, new carpeting, clean, deposit and references required, no pets, call 964-5212. P4t75p

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment, quiet, clean, call 681-5308, 681-8723. P4t76p

UPSTAIRS ONE-BEDROOM apartment, utilities included, off-street parking, deposit and references required, $270.00, 681-6797. 72tfc

2-BEDROOM HOUSE, garage, no pets, deposit, 1-year lease, references, 681-2863. P4t73p

FOR RENT- 200-sq. ft. office space, heat, air and electric furnished, call 681-2604 or 681-1817. 56tfc

2-BEDROOM TRAILER house, $300.00/month plus utilities, lot rent paid by owner. For more info. call 681-3565 after 6:00, available Sept. 15 or Oct. 1. P4t76p

FOR RENT
2 BEDROOM APARTMENT
Car-Plug-In-Air-Conditioned-Laundry Facilities.
GARAGES AVAILABLE
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Thief River Falls, MN
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For Rent

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681-2845

FOR RENT- One bedroom upstairs apartment close to downtown, $240.00 a month, all utilities paid, deposit and references required. Call 681-5467. P4t74

ROOMMATE WANTED- Responsible non-smoking individual to share a furnished 2-bedroom apartment in TRF, $155.00/month plus 1/2 of electricity, phone and cable and $150.00 deposit. Call 681-8968 after 5 p.m. 64tfc

FOR RENT- Country home, 12 miles S TRF $250.00/mo. and deposit, 3-bedroom older, references, available 10/1, 612-631-3078 evenings. 3t74c

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom upstairs apartment, available Oct. 1, utilities paid, deposit $300.00, rent $300.00, references required, call 681-1336. P4t75p

TWO-BEDROOM apartment, lower level duplex; heat and utilities included, reference required, deposit, lease, 681-8283. P4t76p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartment, must qualify for rental assistance, no pets, call 681-4478. 70tfc

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 90tfc

TWO-BEDROOM APARTMENT, HUD assisted, includes utilities, must have a dependent or be pregnant, 681-8797. 69tfc

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom furnished apartment, utilities paid, $275.00 a month, deposit required, in Thief River Falls, call 253-2062. (No pets) 4t75c

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FOR SALE BY OWNER 4-bedroom home on 3 1/2 acres, 3 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfo

WANTED- Listing for all types of land. We have buyers looking for farmland and hunting land. List with the leader in farmland sales in NW Minnesota. We know our real estate business and appreciate yours. Northland Realty Farm Sales, 681-6036, Thief River Falls, MN. 46tfc

HOUSE FOR sale- Three-bedroom, shop, garage, half acre with trees, Middle River, 449-3081. P4t76p

Real Estate

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FOR SALE- 20 acre ranch $40,000.00, 5 miles west of Plummer, 220 more acres available, call 328-5949. P4t75p

CABIN FOR sale- Union Lake, bath house, storage shed, 100' lake shore, neat and clean, priced to sell, $45,500.00. Stuhaug Realty 694-3299. P4t76p

FOR SALE- In Warren, three plus bedroom rambler with finished basement, off peak heat, single car garage, storage shed, 218-745-4208. 4t76p

KEITH KNUTSON- Small hobby farm for sale, from Red Lake Falls: 1 mile east on Co. #1, 2 miles east on #109 and 3 miles north on #2. From St. Hilaire 2 miles east on #3 and 8 1/2 miles south on #17. Call 463-2842. P4t76p

FOR SALE- Good farmland, 320 acres east of Thief River Falls, 480 acres northwest of Goodridge, contact Arnd Sevald Real Estate, Fertile, MN. 218-945-6769. P4t75p

10% RETURN- on investment. For sale Commercial Rental FULLY RENTED. 1600 square feet apartment, 7800 square feet warehouse, (218) 465-4242. 47tfc

320 A. hunting land, Roseau Co. 218-843-2061. P4t74p

FOR SALE:
Farm site, approximately 12 acres or more in Sec. 9 of Gernes township. Red Lake Co. with a ranch style house, barn, 2-car garage, quonset and other outbuildings. Located 7-miles from Plummer or 7-miles from Oklee. Will accept written bids until Sept. 30th. The owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. For more information call 218-222-3787 or 796-5272. Send bids to RR1 Box 105, Middle River, MN 58737 or RR1 Box 76, Brooks, MN 56715.

STAN GIBSON REALTY

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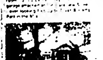

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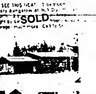

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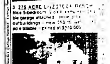

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GARAGE SALE- Sept 16 8-6 334 Kendall N Household and miscellaneous items 2t74p

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Rummage Sales

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FOR SALE- 8x16 camper trailer, set up on blocks and skirted, 200-gal. fuel tank, full, at Franks Resort, Rocky Point, 218-465-4563, evenings P4t74p

FOR SALE- 1979 Ford 250 camping van, stove, refrigerator, sink, double bed, skylites, 352 engine, outside rust, inside all carpeted, $1,200.00, 796-5477, 4t76e

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FOR SALE- 1990 Pontiac Sunbird convertible, turbo, black, excellent condition, low miles, 463-2684. 2t73p

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2-1983 DODGE Spirit 4-doors, one is an Arizona car; 1992 Ford Taurus, 4-dr., V-6; 1992 Olds. Delta 88 Royale, 4-dr., V-6; 1990 Buick LaSabre Limited, 4-dr., V-6; 1991 Plymouth LE Caravan, 7-passenger, Arizona van; 1992 Geo Metro, 1989 Buick Skyhawk, 4-dr.; 1988 Mercury Topaz, 4-dr., Gene's Machines, Erskine, MN 687-5226. P4t73p

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Numedal Township (T154N, R45W), all or parts of sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 28, 29, 30, 31 & 32.
Grey Township (T153N, R45W), all or parts of sections 5 & 6.

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Helgeland Township (T154N, R46W), all or parts of sections 25, 26, 34, 35, & 36.
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Angus Township (T153N, R47W), all or parts of sections 1, 11 & 12.

Bids received will be opened and read aloud at the above noted date, time and place.

Bid forms, plans and specifications will be available from Field Services in Bemidji. You can get a bid package by calling or visiting the address listed above.

The State of Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Region 1 reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in the bidding.

Star News

Sunday Dalbert Sharry of Warren was a visitor and coffee guest at the Vernon Iverson home.

Thursday Mr and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Leslie Iverson made a business trip to Warren. Then later Mr and Mrs. Vernon Iverson went on to Hallock to visit at the Harlen Iverson home. Mr and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were also overnight guests at the Harlen Iverson home that night. Then on Friday on their way home Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson stopped and enjoyed coffee with Anna Krial at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Elva Fiedler went to the Eloda Knutson home on Thursday for Delta Gamma Coffee.

Michelle Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were the lucky ones to win each a gift from the Hartz Store and Cafe in Goodridge for writing recipes for the Cafe to try and make at the cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Krial went on Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dercey Moeas in Rush City. The Norman Krial's returned home on Monday.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon were visitors at the Greg and Gail Helgmen home.

Jessica and Monica Johnson and JoAnna Johnson were visitors on Friday night at the Clarence Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Maria Naasath spent the weekend visiting with JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Wellman and Zachary at their home in Motley.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Krial brought birthday greetings to Anna Krial at her apartment in Thief River Falls. Happy Birthday Anna.

Alvin Sunsdahl of Salol was a visitor and coffee guest on Saturday at the David Sjulestad home.

Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the Clarence Johnson home were Joan Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica. Jean made the supper and took over to her parents home.

Jean Johnson visited by phone with Raymond Palm at the Roseau Area Nursing Home Monday night.

Tuesday morning, Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Shirley Johnsrud attended the funeral for Arnold Haugen held at the Nazareth Lutheran church. Our sympathy to the Arnold Haugen family. May his memory be blessed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristian visited at Olstad areas near Grygla over the weekend.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors at the Oscar Norhus home.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest on Tuesday at the Allen Hawk home.

Monday morning, Albert Johnson of Goodridge was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gary Johnson home.

Visitors and supper guests on Thursday at the Darwin Eidelbes home were Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeBoer of Spring Lake Park, Mr. and Mrs. Brett DeBoer, Alex, Britany, Kelle and Allison of Spring Lake Park, Mr. and Mrs Heath DeBoer, Blake and Cassandra of Coon Rapids and Agnes Eidelbes.

Friday visitors and dinner guests at the Eddy Slucy home were Jeremy Johnson and Jennifer Nelson.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud on Sunday.

Saturday, Agnes Eidelbes and Mrs. Honk Kuznia, Tina and Autumn of Coon Rapids were visitors and supper guests at the Phil Kuznia home in Flonan.

Sunday afternoon, Troy Schroeder, Heather and Jessica of New Hope were visitors at the Bruce Solberg home.

Tim Lundeen visited with his father Merle Lundeen a patient at the hospital in Fargo on Monday. We wish Merle a speedy recovery.

One morning during the week visitors and coffee guests at the David Sjulestad home were Denny Johnsrud, Merlin Koirba, Bobbie Miller and Jonathan, Brian Wiseth and Keith Nelson.

Friday night, JoAnne Johnson visited with Jessica at the Jean Johnson home.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji was an overnight guest on Wednesday at his parents home the Clayton Johnsrud's. Randy left for Bemidji on Thursday evening.

Those who brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Obert Hovet on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Mr and Mrs. Olaf Sioleos of River Valley. A lunch was served to all with a decorated cake. Kathy also received gifts and cards from her guests.

Monday evening, Agnes Eidelbes was a visitor at the Darwin Eidelbes home.

Viking

Mrs. Glenn Moose has spent the past week visiting her daughter and grandchildren in Milwaukee WI.

Wednesday morning Mr and Mrs LeRoy Sustad called on Alice Tangquist Swanson and at the Douglas and Doris Gloude home in Warren. On their way home from Grand Forks they called on their long time friend Mrs. Ed Paschke at her home in Oslo.

Leonard Larson was a dinner guest at daughter Kay Medment's last Sunday.

Last Thursday night Arlene Erickson and Liz Swenson drove to Warren and had supper at the Glenn and Marion Halvorson home and also stopped at Kendall McGlynn on the way home.

Thursday Mr and Mrs LeRoy Sustad called on Alma Drotts at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Bill and Joyce Bulger of Rosewood are back from a month of sight seeing and visiting with friends and relatives in the Western states. The Bulgers left on August 1st in their motor home. They drove to Bismarck, ND to pick up Bill's sister, Vivian Gerhardt who accompanied them. They headed for West Yellowstone National Park and then drove the Bearfoot Post highway to Allston National Forest and viewed the Grand Tetons. They visited Jackson Hole, WY. Jackson Hole is a very old Western town with lots of museums and old restored buildings.

From there they motored on to Idaho following the Snake River which is know for its white water rafting. Visited in Rexburg, ID with Joyce's brother Roger Parent and his wife Gerrie. The Parents are "summer birds" in Idaho and winter in Mesa, AZ. Rexburg is a small college town with a lot of potato fields in the area. From there they headed for Oregon. On the way they viewed the "Craters of the Moon" visited at Baker City, OR and the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center. The impressions made by the wagon trains can still be seen. A must for everyone traveling that way. They were also able to see Mt. Hood very clearly.

In Oregon, the Bulgers visited a friend of Bills from Stephan, the Al Kilars who live at Welches, OR. Next they left for Shelton, WA where they visited a cousin of Bill and Vivians, the Walt Albadale family. The Albedales took them on sight-seeing tours which included visiting Puget Sound. After leaving Shelton they motored to Kent, WA where they visited a former neighbor and good friend, the Billy Copeland family. While there they drove to Seattle. They went up in the "Space Needle" and visited the famous "Pikes Fish Market". There they caught some very nice halibut which they had for dinner that night. The Copelands showed them a very good time. After leaving Kent they traveled to Moses Lake, WA to visit another of Bill's friends from Stephan. The Clerance Kilea family who live in the fruit country, apples, peaches, pears, cherries. What a beautiful sight and wonderful taste.

After leaving Moses Lake the trio headed for Idaho again to Coeur D' Alene, ID. There they visited another former neighbor, Gail (Aaseby) Gertrude. While there they drove to Wallace, ID to take in the Huckleberry Festival. Wallace is an old historic mining town of the 1880's and is noted for its brothels on Main street.

After leaving Wallace, they motored to Kellogg, ID where they rode the worlds longest gondola to the top of Silver Mountain.

The trio then drove to Missoula, MT and visited another relative, the Ted Flecks. While there they toured the Elk National Reserve Museum.

After leaving Montana it was back to North Dakota. At Medora they took in the Musical which Mrs. Gerhardts granddaughter had performed in earlier. The bulgers visited in Bismarck for a few days then home and Bill said it was a great way spend August.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad spent Labor Day at Cooperstown Bible Camp and had the privilege of hearing in person gospel singer Dick Anthony.

Last Wednesday, Marion and Bill Gleditics of Colorado arrived at the Bert Kron home for a visit. On Friday they drove to Winnipeg for sight-seeing. Saturday they drove to Moorhead where they stayed overnight and were part of the family reunion of Orland and Laura Roppe. Marion got to see all of the nephews and nieces in one spot. They returned on Sunday night. The Gladitics will leave on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjervon attended the funeral for Travis Russell Berger of Roseau at Moe Lutheran church on Tuesday.

Elsie Hedik of Thief River Falls visited at the Sidney Renum home on Tuesday. Helen Bello of Thief River Falls was also a caller one day last week.

Liz Swenson was a Sunday night supper guest at the Floyd Erickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand drove to the Cities to visit Grace Lundin at Scandia, spend some time at the fair and visit at Rodney Grandstrands on their way back.

Gloria Ness hosted a coffee party in honor of Sheri Choll's birthday last week. Those who attended were Edna Gustafson, Irene Grandstrand, Amy Hjelle, Joan Anderson, Sheri Choll and hostess Gloria Ness.

Trail News

Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA arrived by plane to Thief River Falls on Thursday afternoon to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Al and Vi Rednecki at Oklee. Dolores Healy was her sisters bridesmaid.

Oorwin and Paulina Tanem of Oak Creek, WI are spending a few days with his mother Lillian Tanem at Oklee.

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Sen. Moe notes back-to-school changes in '95

State Sen. Roger Moe reported that there were several back-to-school changes passed by the legislature last year.

"In most public schools, students returned for the new academic year this week. Several actions taken during the 1995 legislative session will have an impact on students this year, and for years to come.

"Legislators made education policy decisions that are intended to help students participate and compete in the information age, protect schools from violence, and make it easier for teachers and administrators to use funds as they see fit for classroom equipment. In addition, many schools are receiving increased funding for the first time in four years.

"Some of the more significant policy changes follow:

• All educational institutions will have access to local, state and worldwide computer database nets. Policies limiting inappropriate access will be developed, as will curriculum assisting students in use of the various informational networks. Interactive television systems serving both public and non-public schools will continue to be developed. All of these technological advances will enhance learning opportunities for nearly every Minnesota student, but they will be particularly useful in small and remote school districts where on-site informational resources and class offerings are more limited.

•Safe schools provisions include defining lockers as property of the school (not the student), subject to search at any time; starting in 1996, background checks will be conducted on all new school employees; and students caught bringing firearms to school will be expelled for at least one year. Although we tend to think of the worst school safety problems as primarily big-city concerns, it is also clear that a disturbing trend in violence and other unacceptable behavior exists in nearly all schools.

• Performance standards intended to assure a basic level of mastery continue to move forward. Students entering the eighth grade this fall will have to meet a meaningful graduation standard in order to earn their high school diploma.

• The effort continues to reduce class sizes in the lower elementary grades where students benefit most from personal attention from their teacher. The goal is to reduce the lower grade class size to 17 students per teacher.

• Special-needs children will receive additional state funding, and the size of the state's commitment will increase in future years. The legislature provided more than 10 per cent above the Governor's biennial budget recommendation for special education.

• The consolidation of various state-designated capital and equipment funds will make it easier for parents, teachers and administrators at the school level to decide how to equip classrooms.

• For years, schools have successfully supplemented their core role of educating students by providing a variety of family, community and social services to children at risk. In recognizing this expanding role, the legislature has authorized a new department of children, families and learning starting October 1, replacing the department of education. This change is not expected to be noticed immediately in the classroom, but should make delivery of these various services easier and more efficient in the future.

• State formula funding has increased from $3,150 to $3,205. This is the first general education increase since 1992 for many schools.

"Educating our children is the state's most significant public investment. I hope students and parents will make the most of the 1995-96 school year, laying the groundwork for a lifetime of future successes."

Highlanding Community News

Margie Coan
378-4351

Lois Swanson departed August 10 for Centreville, VA to be with her sister Lucille Griebel who was seriously ill in Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Lucille Griebel died August 17, 1995. Her funeral was held in the United Methodist church located on Old Centreville Road. Burial was in the Stonewall Memory Gardens near Manassas State Park. This area is famous for Civil War battles and troop movements during the Civil War.

Mrs. Griebel was an active member of the Centreville United Methodist Church since 1969.

Lucille is survived by her husband Phillip Griebel and four children Miss Marcia Griebel and Miss Catherine Griebel of Limerick and Troy of Pennsylvania. Two sons Franklin and daughters Allison and Sofia of Pennsylvania and son George and wife Karen and children Philip and Sofia of Virginia.

Lucille accompanied her parents George and Bertha Jones and brothers Clark, Harland and Arthur and sisters Lois (Swanson), Gail (Brunston), Carol (Anderson), Audrey (Nolting) and Wanda (Weinberg) to Goodridge from Kansas in September 1936. Lucille attended the Goodridge school until 1943 when she accompanied her mother and family to Iowa where she graduated from high school. She is also survived by a younger brother Clair R. Jones of Boerne, TX.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her sister Audrey in 1981 and sister Dena in 1994.

Enroute home Lois visited with Kathleen Sturre and Alice Noer via phone on August 22.

Michael Swanson was a guest of his grandparents August 23-26 while his mother and Kari and Aaron attended the MN State Fair.

Deb Swanson was one of the 4-H club chaperones for the Highlanding 4-H club which presented their Share the Fun number at the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swanson, Alan and Michael Swanson attended the outdoor wedding of Teri and Brian Nelson on Saturday, August 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swenson attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary party of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bendickson on August 29th at their farm home.

Saturday evening, Lois and Ernie Swanson visited at the Roy Anderson home.

Gertie Haugen, Arda Anderson and Lois Swanson attended Bible study leaders lesson at the home of Pastor Bob Dahlen on Monday night.

Lois Swanson was a caller Monday night at the Kevin Theraldson home.

Gertie Haugen was a Tuesday caller at the E.L. Swanson home.

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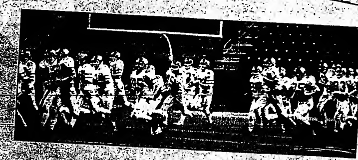

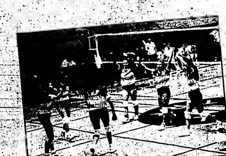

Team Photos/Schedules
Lincoln High School, Northland Community and Technical College

Northland Community and Technical College volleyball team for the 1995 season includes, front row left to right, Dana Hendrickson, Stacy Stanwick, Alissa Hietala, Erika Splice, and head coach Shari Olson; back row left-to right, assistant coach Kathy Huechle, Melissa Skarstein, LaVonne Nelson, Jenny Steen, Jenny Smith, Erika Halvorson, and assistant coach Heidi Klegstad.

NCTC Volleyball

Head coach - Shari Olson; assistant coaches - Kathy Huechle, Heidi Klegstad.

September

8 - NCC Pepsi Triangular, 4:30 p.m.
13 - Isanti, 6:30 p.m.
15 - at Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.
16 - at Moorhead, 12-noon
20 - at Concordia JV, 6:30 p.m.
22 - Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.
23 - Rainy River, 12-noon
25 - at UND-Lake Region, 6 p.m.
27 - at Central Lakes, 6:30 p.m.

October

4 - at Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.
6 - at Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.
7 - at Rainy River, 12-noon.
13 - Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.
14 - Moorhead, 12-noon
17 - at Isanti, 6:30 p.m.
24 - Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.
26 - Central Lakes, 3 p.m.

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Photo session for the 1995 Northland Community and Technical College football team included, front row left to right, James Zephyrin, Luke Anderson, Erik Hamre, Brandon Baker, Eddie Fluerenz, Brian Remick, Laurence Reid, K.J. Kippenhan, and Jesse Berbot; second row left to right, assistant coach Terry Wiseth, Keavney Watson, Willie Skylark, Jon Sale, Robert Carlson, Jason Noyes, Shane Myhre, Terrance Nafziger, Josh Majerus, Scott Lorenson, and assistant coach John Ott; third row left to right, assistant coach Dan Willoughby, Jon Hosler, Brent Miller, Jason Blomquist, Jose Hernandez, Mason Thompson, Tony Heise, Ryan Estey, Tony Kleeow, and assistant coach Rick Ostby; fourth row left to right, assistant coach Rick Nikunen, Werner Getzie, John Lee, Scott Fowler, Brant Eaton, John Davis, Corey Schouten, Monty Burnette, Ryan Waggoner, Travis Halvorson, and head coach Gene Klinke; fifth row left to right, Curt Funk, Brian Kosmatka, Jeremy Erickson, Jim Mertens, Bennett Germundson, Nathan Martell, Caylor Olson, and Jeremy Holmvik; back row left to right, Jeff Aakhus, Kevin Stuckey, Jamieson Werk, Jason Homme, Gene Gruger, Chris Shawstad, Tom Demers, Melvin Whitney, Dan Lindseth, Tyree Thomas, Jamie Spates, and Greg Blue. Not on hand for the preseason picture day were Jason Hruby, Eric Heibert, Scott McCollum, and Paul Barringer, who were scheduled to report later.

NCTC football

Head coach - Gene Klinke; assistant coaches - Rick Nikunen, Terry Wiseth, John Ott, Dan Willoughby.

September

9 - Worthington, 12-noon
16 - Fergus Falls, 1:30 p.m.
23 - at Willmar, 1:30 p.m.
30 - at Moorhead, 1:30 p.m.

October

5 - at Isanti, 7 p.m.
12 - Vermilion, 6 p.m.
19 - Hibbing, 1:30 p.m.
28 - at Central Lakes, 1:30 p.m.

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Junior varsity football cheerleaders at Lincoln High School this fall include, front left to right, Beth Grysklewicz and Jessica Nelson; back row left to right, Jessica Olson, Patti Smaby and Kinzie Hibbert. (Photo by Caulfield Studios).

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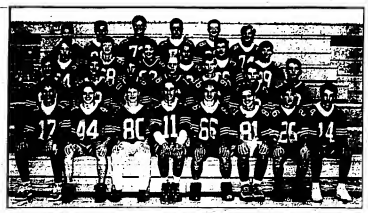

Freshman who are playing football at Lincoln High School this fall include, front row left to right, Traevor Peterson, Jason Hanson, Matt Dyer, Wade Haviland, T-Jay Wojciechowski, Allan Bolar, Robert Bakken, and Tom Fogarty; second row left to right, Aaron Sorvig, Darrin Bjerknes, Jarod Reierson, Jaramy Smsky, Brendon Engen, Joan Lawrence, and Joey Pribula; third row left to right, Andy Janisch, Christian Batalden, Keith Woodruff, Aaron Hendricks, Wade Chlodo, and Jeff Rislow; back row left to right, David Halvorson, Jarrod Peterson, Jesse Hornseth, Andrew Solem, Leif Spaare, and Darren Torkelson. Not present at the time of the picture: Jeff Beste, Garret Novak and Jeremy McClandon.

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31 - at Grand Forks Central, 4 p.m.

September

7 - at Grand Forks Red, 4:30 p.m.
14 - Grand Forks White, 4:30 p.m.
21 - at Crookston, 4:30 p.m.
28 - at Bemidji, 4:30 p.m.

October

2 - Grafton, 4:30 p.m.
5 - at East Grand Forks, 4:30 p.m.
12 - Grand Forks Central, 3:45 p.m.
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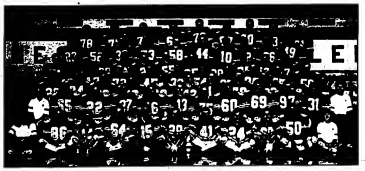

Football players in grades 10-12 at Lincoln High School in 1995 include, front row left to right, student manager Stephanie Henney, Billy Fogarty, Chad Hanson, James Jorgenson, Keith Anderson, Nick Chlodo, Paul Gomerowski, Josh Harris, Chanc Keate, Chad Nordhagen, and camera operator Heather Torstveit; second row left to right, camera operator Desirae Alberg, Ron Larson, Jason Brelland, Anthony Hendricks, Anthony Klotter, Kyle Waterworth, Nick Swanson, Adam Nordin, Matt Larson, Eric Rouland, Andy Herbott, and student manager Reid Freiland; third row left to right, Robbie Stock, Aaron Ehrenstrom, Steve Rambeck, Nathan Lallogue, Brent Rohl, Bret Newton, Mark Hissen, Declan Wolff, Cody Hueshie, Tony Fletcher, and Jay Radniecki; fourth row left to right, Ryan Bendickson, Adam Fulton, Peter Johnson, Paul Koperi, Kyle Anderson, Mike Morris, Trevor Lee, Jeremy Burns, Mike Rose, and Travis Forsberg; fifth row left to right, Dallas Germundson, Curt Edwards, David Heise, Lance Cota, Jon Blomker, Ryan Stengrim, Karl Anderson, Bryan Cleven, Kyle Nelson, Ben Furuseth, and Christopher Mumm; sixth row, left to right, Andy Furuseth, Justin Stavenson, Rick Donarski, Kyle Rokke, Luke Davis, Adam Kuck, Paul Frank, Matt Bitzegio, Eric Thayer, and Chad Skalm; back row, left to right, Kyle Miller, Jason Brunkhorst, Matt Lawrance, Robby Farbo, Jeremy Jensen, Nick Dee, Jared Brandt, Courtney Skjerven, and Robert Spry. Not pictured: Darran Nelson, Kevin Bakken, Josh Clark, Billy Lubitz.

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LHS Football

Head coach - Jeff Mumm; assistant coaches - Tim Olson, Glenn Chlodo, Scott Brekke, Charlie Cornett

August

31 - Detroit Lakes, 7:30 p.m.

September

8 - at Fergus Falls, 7:30 p.m.
15 - Wadena Deer Creek, 7:30 p.m.
22 - Staples Area, 7:30 p.m.
29 - Park Rapids Area, 6 p.m.

October

6 - at Crookston, 7:30 p.m.
13 - Woodbury (Fargodome), 5:30 p.m.
28 - at East Grand Forks, 7:30 p.m.

Sophomores/Juniors

August

30 - Soph. at Crookston, 7 p.m.

September

5 - Soph. at East Grand Forks, 5 p.m.
11 - Soph. at Bemidji, 5 p.m.
18 - Jr. vs. Warroad, 5 p.m.
21 - Soph. vs. Crookston, 5 p.m.
25 - Soph. at Roseau, 6:30 p.m.
26 - Jr. at B/G-MR, 5 p.m.

October

9 - Soph. vs. East Grand Forks, 5 p.m.
10 - Jr. vs. Bemidji, 5 p.m.
16 - Soph. at Detroit Lakes 4:30 p.m.
17 - Jr. vs. Roseau, 4:30 p.m.

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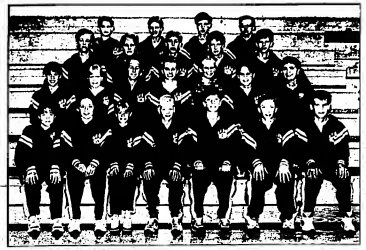

Boys and girls participating in the 1995 Thief River Falls cross country program include, front row left to right, Jacqueline Mooney; Tackie Paraventi, Jenae Harlow, Dewey Worker, Seth Harow, Brady Anderson, and Matt Trontvet; second row left to right, Becky Mooney, Emily Mugess, Kate Ihle, Lisa Swenson, Jenny Flynn, Angie Klinker, and coach Ceera Holmstrom; third row left to right, Craig Lawrance, Hamilton Keela, Michael Hahne, Ryan Hendrickson, and Jeremy Swanson; back row left to right, John Schwartz, Brandon Gerardy, Jordan Goldesberry, and Chris Pribula.

LHS Cross Country

Head coach - Ceera Holmstrom; assistant coach - Clark Hendrickson

September

7 - at Roseau, 4:30 p.m.
11 - at Warroad, 4:15 p.m.
14 - at Crookston, 4:30 p.m.
19 - at Bagley, 4:30 p.m.
21 - at Detroit Lakes, 4:30 p.m.
26 - FMS Invitational, 4:15 p.m.
28 - at East Grand Forks, 4 p.m.

October

3 - TRF Invitational, 4:15 p.m.
9 - at Park Rapids, 4 p.m.
12 - at Hawley, 4:30 p.m.
17 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.

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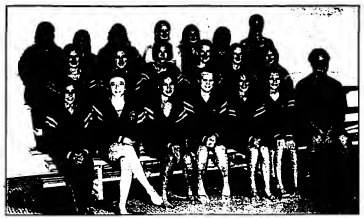

Members of the 1995 Thief River Falls girls high school swimming program who were on hand for a preseason photo session included, front row left to right, Chelsea Haviland, Robin Bolliesen, Alexis Klockman, Sunny Carlson, Ayla Donlin, Ashley Hammer, and student manager Nels Kaller; second row left to right, Jennifer Olin, Melanie Johnson, Danica Schroeder, Jamie Kalanes, Kristin Naplin, and Andrea Olin; back row left to right, Lindsay Ehrsanstrom, Julia Chrzanowski, Jennifer Sorvig, Kristin Chrzanowski, Erin Delmore, Naomi Olson, and Alicia Bakken.

LHS Swimming

Head coach - Scott Hatherington; assistant coach - Gayle Borchert.

August
29 - at Fosston, 3 p.m.
31 - at Fergus Falls, 5 p.m.

September
5 - Crookston and Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.
7 - Park Rapids Area, 5 p.m.
9 - Benidji Invitational, 12 noon
16 - Park Rapids Invitational, 12 noon
19 - Grand Forks, 5 p.m.
21 - Crookston JV Invitational, 5:30 p.m.
26 - at Crookston, 5 p.m.
30 - Fergus Falls Invitational, 10:30 a.m.

October
5 - Moorhead, 5 p.m.
12 - Fergus Falls and Benidji, 5 p.m.
14 - JV at Warroad, 10 a.m.
17 - Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.
27 - Crookston Invitational, 5 p.m.

November
3 - Crookston, 5 p.m.

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LHS Tennis

Head coach - Sylvia Sjoberg; **assistant coach** - Kyle Jordet

August
23 - Grand Rapids, 4 p.m.
24 - TRF Boosters Invitational, 9 a.m.
29 - at East Grand Forks, 11 a.m.

September
8/9 - Lake Hubert Invitational, 3 p.m.
12 - Crookston Triangular, 2 p.m.
19 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 2:30 p.m.
22 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.
23 - Brainerd Invitational, 9 a.m.
26 - Bemidji Invitational, 12-noon
28 - TRF Quadrangular 12-noon
30 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 11:30 a.m.

October
3 - at Roseau, 4 p.m.

LHS JV Tennis

August
24 - at Crookston, 10 a.m.
25 - Mahnomen, 10 a.m.
29 - at East Grand Forks, 2 p.m.

September
7 - at Mahnomen, 4 p.m.
12 - Crookston Triangular, 3 p.m.
14 - at Bemidji, 4 p.m.
18 - Roseau, 4:30 p.m.
25 - Crookston, 4:30 p.m.
26 - at Roseau, 4:30 p.m.

October
2 - East Grand Forks, 4 p.m.

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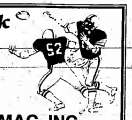

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Freshman Volleyball

Coach - Brenda Kasprick.

September
7 - Crookston, 4:30 p.m.
19 - at East Grand Forks, 4:30 p.m.
21 - Bemidji, 4:30 p.m.
26 - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, 4:30 p.m.

October
3 - at Crookston, 4:30 p.m.
5 -
9 - Roseau, 4:30 p.m.
10 - Bemidji, 4:30 p.m.
12 - East Grand Forks, 4:30 p.m.
16 - at Roseau, 4:30 p.m.
24 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, 4:30 p.m.
28 - Freshman League playoffs in TRF

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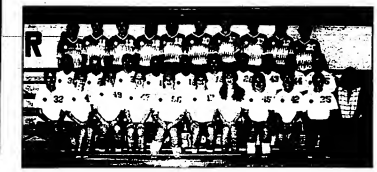

Sophomores, juniors and seniors who are participating in the 1995 Lincoln High School volleyball program include, front row left to right, Erika Altepatac, Kim Haugan, Beth Olson, Sarah Hagen, Monica Schroeder, Amber Klinkar, Jamie Philips, Erica McGeary, Amy Wessel, Angie Erickson, and Jenni Brunkhorst; second row left to right, Breann Pugelberg, Kelly Almquist, Holly Bjorgaard, Danielle Goulet, Alissa Austad, Erica Owen, Jenni Erickson, Missy Hams, Amber Troy, and Angie Judd; back row left to right, Heather Holthusen, Desiree Alberg, Michelle Mathson, Sara Koland, Shelley Koland, Carrie Rud, Maren Thorson, Kendra Dimich, Katie Kraemer, and Kim Hook.

LHS Volleyball

Head coach - Helen Anderson; assistant coach - Jodi Bendickson.

September

5 - Crookston (AB), 6 p.m.
7 - at Stephen (AB), 5:15 p.m.
9 - Roseau Invitational, 9 a.m.
9 - TRF C squad Invitational, 9 a.m.
11 - at RLCC (AB), 5:15 p.m.
14 - at Bemidji (AB), 6 p.m.
16 - Roseau JV Invitational, 9 a.m.
19 - East Grand Forks (AB), 6 p.m.
23 - Warren-A-O Invitational, 9 a.m.
26 - Roseau (AB), 6 p.m.
28 - Fosston (AB), 6 p.m.
30 - Northern Lites Invitational, 9 a.m.

October

3 - Moorhead (AB), 6 p.m.
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Two European bicyclists who stopped briefly in Thief River Falls last Thursday said they have found people in the U.S. to be very friendly.

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Jon Hendrickson of Thief River Falls received assistance from several organization so that he could be a Boy Scout camp counselor at the International Scout Center at Blackwell Court in England. Hendrickson received assistance from the American Legion, Elks Club, Eagles Club, VFW, and Minnesota Deer Hunters Association. Pictured from left are: Greg Daily of the Deer Hunters and Eagles, Don Berggren, commander of the VFW, Jon Hendrickson, Derlene Jelle, representative of the American Legion, and John Nicholson of the Elks Club.

Hendrickson travels as Boy Scout counselor

David Hill
Associate Editor

Jon Hendrickson of Thief River Falls was very much aware that he was a long way from Minnesota. An outstretched hand from a beggar at a place called Piccadilly Circus in London, England, just emphasized the point.

While the differences were sometimes shocking, Jon praised the people he met while in England as open and helpful. In fact, had someone not pointed him in the right direction, he might not have made all the train exchanges to Blackwell Court, on International Scout Camp, where he was o camp counselor from August 5-30.

Blackwell Court is located on 50 acres of land outside the city of Birmingham, England — hardly the kind of remote camp setting that Hendrickson is used to. Hendrickson, an Eagle Scout, has worked at Camp Wilderness in Park Rapids for five years. This summer he was program director at the camp, where he organized sessions on everything from nature to mountaineering. At Camp Wilderness there were roughly 60 staff members. At Blackwell Court, there were six, including Hendrickson.

A different perspective on how Scouts receive training, was just one of the differences Hendrickson observed. At Blackwell court, the camp staff were mainly responsible for upkeep of the camp; although, Hendrickson also taught mountaineering.

Hendrickson explained that concern about liability at camps in the United States has created numerous rules and regulations, which partly accounts for the large staffs. At Blackwell Court, Hendrickson said Scout leaders traveling with the Scouts were responsible for most of the training, and they were a little less concerned about rules and regulations. "They were very laid back," said Hendrickson.

Hendrickson learned about the International Scout Center at Blackwell Court and the exchange program while at Camp Wilderness in Park Rapids. He also said he probably would not have been able to attend the camp without assistance from several organizations in

United Way opens drive

United Way of Thief River Falls kicked-off the start of this year's fund-raising efforts Tuesday night. Volunteers will soon be visiting local businesses asking for their help and support.

This year's theme — "Paint a Brighter Tommorrow" — is exactly what the local chapter is hoping to do by raising $143,750. Money raised in Thief River Falls is used to support local agencies. Last year, the chapter allocated over $108,000 to 35 agencies, most of which are local. Less than one per cent of that amount went to United Way of America. Organizations receiving funds last year include: Area Ag Information Center, Arthritis Foundation, Boy Scouts, Camp Sunshine, Cerebral Palsy, Children's Home Society, Confidence Learning Center, Courage Center, Crossroads, DARE, Discovery Place, Falls Day Activity Center, Friendship Club, Girl Scouts, Heritage Community Center, Heritage Seniors, Heart Research, Inter-County Nursing Service, Leukemia Society of America, Little Brother, Little Sister, Lutheran Social Service, North Country Foodbank, Northland Community Hospice, Northern Lights Community, ODC, Options, Pennington County Child Protection, Pennington County 4-H, Pennington County Health Promotion, RSVP, Salvation Army, Sister Kenny Institute, Umbrella Tree, Violence Intervention Project, United Way of America.

Questionnaires will be sent to interested agencies in November. For more information and/or a questionnaire, contact Mary Anderson at 681-3303.

In 1994, the organization raised $130,870 and allocated $96,950. In 1993, the organization raised $112,996, and allocated $100,547. Last year, the organization received more donations that it has ever received. The board hopes donations will exceed what was raised last year, so that it will be able to make an even bigger impact on the lives of residents of Thief River Falls.

Volunteers make up the backbone of the local chapter. Over 100 people take time to make it work. Soon they will be out asking for residents and businesses to support United Way for another year.

Council approves 7.3% increase in levy limit

Thief River Falls city council has approved a 7.3 per cent increase in the levy limit. The city had until September 15 to set the limit. After that deadline, the city council can no longer increase the limit. They can only decrease the levy limit.

The 7.3 per cent increase was approved only after the city considered several options, including a 12.3 per cent increase. The 12.3 per cent increase was based on a 5 per eent general fund increase to meet general fund service increases, and over 7 per cent to help the city meet the Aid to Disabilities Act requirements.

"I think it's the consenses that no one wants a double digit figure," said Mayor Robert Reeve.

City Administrator Roger DeLap explained that each percentage point in the levy raises about $10,000. A 7.3 per cent increase in the levy, is an increase in the general levy of about $73,000.

Members of the City Administrative Services committee explained that they were not eliminating the increase for ADA and debt service requirement. It appeared that quite the opposite was true. The council agreed to hold the line on general governmental expenditures, which were expected to account for 5 per cent of the levy increase.

Alderman Frank Hamerlinck said a fund should be established and the city should start saving for the costs associated with meeting ADA requirements.

Upon agreeing on a 7.3 per cent increase, Alderman Ken Schmalz said, "I think we got our work cut out for us." Schmalz was not only referring to finding ways to decrease a projected $300,000 budget deficit, but hold the line on general governmental expenditures.

■ The city has received notice from the Minnesota Department of Employee Relations (DOER) that it is in non-compliance with the state's pay equity law. The problem identified by DOER is the exceptional service pay test. According to DOER one more female class must receive exceptional service pay to improve the city's score enough to pass the exceptional service pay test.

An appeal to reverse DOER's decision was denied. The memo state's that adjustments will be necessary in order for the city to pass the exceptional service pay test. Failure to make the necessary adjustments to achieve compliance will result in a second notice of non-compliance and a penalty notice. The minimum amount would be $58,900.

■ Plans and bidding documents for the Soo Depot asbestos removal project have been prepared and the council approved authorization for bidding. Bids will be opened on Tuesday, October 3. Don Stewart, community development director, explained that the project will be completed in two phases, with a majority of the project completed in the fall.

■ WANTED: eligible industries interested in taking out community development revolving loans. Tuesday, the council approved o request to advertise for community development revolving loan fund applications. The city

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Electric Line pilings refresh Kulseth memory

Les Kulseth, now 82 years young, well remembers the job he had with H. P. Lund & Son to tear down the old Electric Line railroad bridge in Thief River Falls in 1940. Stubs from some of the pilings he broke off with a dragline have become visible with the recently lowering of water levels in the river.

by Marvie Lundin
Times Editor

Les Kulseth has an explanation for his actions in walking o 19-ton dragline out on o somewhat unstable railroad bridge over the Thief river in 1940 and tearing it down behind him as he went.

"I was 27 years old," the octogenarian recalls with a grin. "I wouldn't begin to even think of doing something like that now!"

Lowering of the water levels in the Thief and Red Lake rivers the past couple of weeks has coused o number of things to surface in the river channel. Among them have been some stubs of pilings from the old bridge which was built for the Electric Line railroad between Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

"I was working for H. P. Lund & Son, a road contractor in Thief River Falls, in 1940," Kulseth explains. "I had worked for them for 10 years at that time. It was in the spring and I was working on equipment in the shop.

"A potato company—I don't remember the name—had bought the bridge for its timbers to build a pit directly west across the tracks from the old Forsberg's plant and they needed somebody to take it down. I later dug the hole for the potato pit, too."

Harry Lund was down in southern Minnesota trying to drum up some road work for the summer when Les got in contact with him. He told Kulseth to hire the men he needed and go ahead and take it down.

Four years before, in 1936, H. P. Lund & Son had purchased a new Model 251 Koering dragline which also had a shovel front that was interchangeable with the dragline boom. Kulseth had been the principal operator of that machine, and it was four years old when Kulseth drove it across Long's Bridge to the east side of the river. He moved it north to the railroad bridge and out onto the bridge from the east end.

Three years earlier, in 1937, with o shovel machine owned by Clifford Hedeen, Kulseth had dug 37 basements. He knew how to handle the controls.

"The tracks on the dragline were just about the same width as the bridge," Kulseth said, "and you had to brake each one individually to move the machine, so it didn't leave much room for error. The bridge seemed pretty sturdy when I moved out on it, but it was different after I took the east end loose."

Kulseth said he doesn't remember ever being concerned for his safety ("I was 27 years old!"), and that once he had removed the east end of the bridge he was committed to going west anyway.

The ends of the bridge consisted of pilings driven into the riverbed and wooden timber crosspieces. Les remembers that the pilings broke off quite easily with a tug from the dragline, indicating that they may have deteriorated quite o bit from the time the bridge was built.

There was an acetylene torch on the front of the dragline. Stanley Thomas would cut the bolts and spikes and attach the cables and Les would swing the rails and timbers out over the water to the west side of the dragline and place them on carts to be hauled to shore.

"Stanley had to crawl under the

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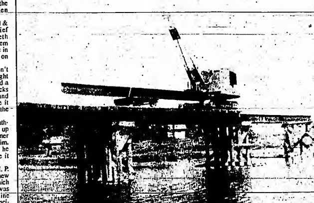

When it came time to remove the railroad bridge which was used by the Electric Line between Thief River Falls and Goodridge, Les Kulseth of Thief River Falls had the task of doing the removal. He recalls that the job took only four or five days, using the method above.

Kulseth dismantled Electric Line bridge

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dragline to get out on the bridge, cut the bolts and connect the cables," Kulseth said, "but he could get on the material to catch a ride back. Once in awhile for fun I would swing him down so his feet just about touched the water."

The middle three spans of the bridge had four steel "I" beams 24 inches high and 37 feet long. They rested on piers which were wooden cribs filled with rocks. At first Les thought it would be necessary only to retrieve the "I" beams and break off the pilings, but part way through the job someone informed him that the river was navigable water and he had to spread the rocks as well.

"So I went out to Harry Myrom, the well driller, and got a case of dynamite and some electric caps and wire," Kulseth said. "Herman Sturre went out in a boat, tied a couple sticks of dynamite to a stick and shoved it down in the rocks any place he could find an opening. I would set it off from the dragline."

Les doesn't remember how many sticks of dynamite there were in the case, but he knows he used most of them. The dynamite removed the cribbing, distributed the rocks and floated a few fish as well.

He also said he didn't think much about it at the time, but if one of the 37-foot "I" beams had slipped while he was bringing it around, it could have flipped his dragline off the bridge. By good fortune, and probably a bit of skill in operating, none slipped.

Also joining Kulseth, Thomas and Sturre on the job was Art Nelson. Kulseth said he believes it took four days, possibly five, to get the bridge removal job done.

A year and a half later, after spending all summer working on the Duluth airport, Kulseth decided he wanted to stay off the road. He quit the construction business after 11 years and went to work for Forsberg's, Inc.

Although he had no formal training, he designed gravity separators and built prototypes. He worked for Forsberg's in various capacities for 48 years.

People who worked with him respected his abilities, but they may not have seen him walk a dragline across a railroad bridge over the river and take the bridge down behind him. That was an application of skills with no room for error.

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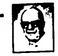

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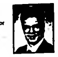

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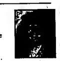

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Thief River Falls council approves levy limit boost

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has almost $500,000 in the account. The city will now place advertisement soliciting applications. Stewart explained that there are a couple of projects in the works.

■ **The city council approved a request to call for 1995 improvement project bond sales.** The city will sell $1,140,000 in bonds. Bids will be opened October 10. Projects included in the bond offering include the 1995 street, sidewalk and utility project, manufactured home, airport reservoir, and legal and bonding costs.

■ **Ron Lindberg, city engineering services director, has been appointed the city's new public works director.** The position is new in the city and will include several departments, including streets, sanitation, and engineering.

■ **A quote for the construction of a gazebo in Floyd B. Olson park was approved by the council Tuesday night after it approved use of approximately $13,000 from the Revolving Capital Fund.**

Madelyn Vigen, parks and recreation director, explained that approximately $11,652.17 had been raised for the gazebo, but it was expected to cost $24,975 for a 28-foot gazebo. The quote of Yoder Gazebos for $24,975 was approved.

■ **The city council has approved a rate increase to rent the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center and the Old Arena.** The rate was increased from $40 per hour to $50 per hour at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center, and from $30 per hour to $40 per hour at the Old Arena. The new rates are effective October 1, 1995.

Vigen said the rates are lower than many, such as the rate in Crookston which is at $60 per hour. Most facilities charge from $70 per hour to $125 per hour. She said she looked at a three-year history of what the rates raise in money for the city and said she expects the rates to raise about $1,000. The new rates do not affect the contract with the school district.

Vigen said the department is in the process of reviewing the entire rate structure for parks and recreation facilities and services.

In other business, the council: approved a progression raise for Madelyn Vigen; approved a salary increase for Ron Lindberg, approved hiring of Mark Borsheim as CAD operator in the electric department; accepted an agreement with Red Lake Electric for the compensation of annexed territory; approved an application for exemption from lawful gambling for bingo; approved two change orders to the 1995 street, sidewalk and utility improvement project; awarded the bid for improvements at Snetting Manufactured home park to Davidson Construction for $390,268; and established hours for the municipal election.

Consent agenda items approved by the council included the following: removal of all "No Parking During School Hours" and "School Crossing" warning signs at the former Northrop, Knox and Washington elementary school sites; declared a 1965 IHC fire truck as surplus property; approved a low quote of Arrow Industries for 500,000 plastic garbage bags at $39.31 per 1,000; approved a memo of understanding with North township covering city maintenance of township roads in Nelson First Addition; a resolution relating to financing of Snetting Home Park improvement project to be undertaken by the city establishing compliance with reimburse bond regulations under the Internal revenue code; approved a dance permit for Matt Perkins on September 22 at the armory; and approved a temporary liquor license at St. Bernard's school for September 30.

City, committee win award for effort to save the Soo Line depot building

The City of Thief River Falls, Save the Depot Committee and Don Stewart, community development director in Thief River Falls, have won an award for helping to raise $525,000 to buy the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie (Soo Line) Depot in Thief River Falls.

The Preservation Alliance of Minnesota announced that they will receive one of 12 awards which recognize outstanding contributions by groups and individuals in preserving the historic resources of the state. The award will be presented at a ceremony on October 22 in Minneapolis.

This is the 11th year for The Preservation Alliance of Minnesota awards program, which was started in order to recognize grassroots preservation efforts throughout the state. Awards can be given for "bricks and mortar" restoration, the work of community groups, or the efforts of individuals. This year's recipients reflect the diversity that has been typical of the awards and include:

• The Gibbon Restoration Society, for their work on the Gibbon city hall and their "grass roots" efforts to get support from the citizens of the community of Gibbon for their endeavor.

• Malt-O-Meal Corporation, for their restoration of the 125-plus year old Ames Mill in Northfield, MN.

• Almo B. Joseph, for her lifetime of community service and her dedication to preservation.

• St. Mary's Romanian Orthodox Congregation, for the restoration of the exterior of their church to its original appearance.

• The Central Community Housing Trust, for their renovation of the Continental Hotel (Ogden Apartments) to provide affordable housing for lower income residents.

• The City of Little Falls, MN and Metro Plains Development, Inc. for the renovation of the Hotel Buckman and the Little Falls fire house into the Buckman Senior Congregate Housing in Little Falls, MN, a 27-unit senior housing complex and a community support space for the elderly.

• Merrill Busch, for the renovation of the Historic Rand House in Monticello, MN. The house was taken from a state of complete disrepair and restored to serve as a bed and breakfast.

• Linda Mack, for her years as an advisor to the National Trust for Historic Preservation, former editor of Architecture Minnesota Magazine, and as the Architecture critic for the Star Tribune. She has supported historic preservation and increased our understanding and critical evaluation of the built environment.

• David and Beverly Rowland, for their restoration of the Hutchinson building in Jackson, MN.

• The City of Thief River Falls, Donald Stewart and the Save the Depot Committee, for raising $525,000 to buy the Minneapolis St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie (Soo Line) depot in Thief River Falls, MN and save it from imminent demolition.

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Scenario 1: You've come home from work and sit down to relax with a book. You're really enjoying it and want to read more book by that author, but you're just too comfortable to leave the house. What do you do?

Scenario 2: You're a student and you've completely exhausted your school library's resources and you need more information for your term paper. You only have a few minutes before you catch the bus home so you can't run over to the public library to see what they have. What do you do?

Scenario 3: You're a business person struggling with an employee problem. Maybe the library has a video on that, you think. But the library is closed so you can't call now and you don't want to call when your employees are at work and can hear you. What do you do?

Scenario 4: You're a school teacher (or a parent) wanting to encourage your children to read the Newbery, Caldecott and Corretta Scott King award winning books. Where do you find a list easily? What do you do?

Scenario 5: You've lost your date due slip for your books-on-tape from the library and you want to check on your requests. But it's early in the morning and the library doesn't open until 9 a.m. (when you're at work). What do you do?

Scenario 6: You want to check on a library program but you've misplaced the issue of the Times that had the article on it. What do you do?

What do you do?

For these and many other scenarios, library patrons may contact the TRF Public Library either by phone or by a new Internet access address called TRFLIBRARY. Those who have Internet access with telnet capabilities, can simply telnet to northernlights.lib.mn.us. Internet users can also go through a search engine like Yahoo or through Northstar and go in through Minnesota libraries. At the Username prompt, type TRFLIBRARY and press return or enter. What appears next is a menu of items from which you may choose: S for search, A for About library services, L for Library hours and phone numbers, E for events at the library, H for library history, B for best-sellers and EX when you wish to exit.

Who could contact the library for these services? Anyone in the five counties served by the Northwest Regional Library system (Pennington, Marshall, Red Lake, Kittson and Roseau) who has Internet access with telnet capabilities can use these services.. The TRF Public Library is the interlibrary loan headquarters for the Northwest Regional Library system and this service is a way for the library to reach beyond its walls to provide people with library service. Originally, the Pennington county commissioners directed librarian Heidi Hoks to seek out cost-effective alternative methods of providing service to a population that was becoming busier and unable to access library service during conventional library hours. Many methods have been discussed and a two-step access plan was adopted. The access to the library via Internet is the first step and plans are already in place to incorporate this system into a community information network once that is in place. The library's Internet access is provided by the Northern Lights Library Network, so it is already in place and paid for by the organization. Since that agency decides what level of Internet access is available to the individual libraries, agreements were made with NLLN and the Northern Lights Cooperative Automation Project to allow this project without additional cost to the TRF Public Library. (Northern Lights Cooperative Automation Project is the governing board for the server on which the library's database is loaded. This database contains not only holdings of the TRF Public Library but also the holdings of 17 counties of public libraries in midwestern Minnesota. The server (mainframe) itself is housed in Moorhead with a full-time systems coordinator operating it.)

Upon surfing into the TRFLIBRARY account choose S to connect to the library catalog of 17 counties of public libraries, including the TRF Public Library. Anything the TRF Public Library owns will be highlighted. Internet users can search by author, title, subject or a variety of key words. A brochure is available from the TRF Public Library which explains how to search the catalog and request materials on it by using the library bar code number, which is located on the back of each library card. Card holders may request a PIN number from librarian Heidi Hoks. With that PIN, a card holder can go into his or her owner borrower record and see what he or she has out and renew it or see what he or she has on request and cancel it if desired. The requesting process and the borrower information searches are the same as is done by the public library's regular online catalog, notes librarian Heidi Hoks. "If you're used to using the computerized catalogs at the library, you'll have little trouble with this," she says.

Anyone coming into the TRFLIBRARY account may also choose to look at some other databases. This can be done by arrowing down to Choose Database or pressing C while in the Find pull down menu. Other databases that are available for TRFLIBRARY users to search are PALS (Minnesota academic libraries), Borealis (various K-12 school libraries), Lumina (University of Minnesota libraries) ERIC, CARL UnCOVER, Northstar (the state's database), some federal government Internet resources and limited other Internet resources across the United States.

What's offered in each of these?

"There's just too much to talk about," notes Mrs. Hoks. "Just last week, I pulled off an extension brochure article on basement humidity from the Northstar database for a patron. We find our public is always using PALS to see what the Northland college library has and many people like to see if the Grand Forks library has something (ODIN through PALS) because they're willing to run over to get it immediately if it does. Business people like CARL UnCOVER for citations of magazine articles on specific topics. But I could go on with examples of how each of the databases is used. There is just a wealth of information on them."

Besides the many databases from which to choose, the TRFLIBRARY account offers a great deal of information. To find out more about what the library has to offer, Internet users may simply surf into the TRFLIBRARY account and press A. Information available includes check-out periods for different materials, what equipment rental is, what types of reference service are available, interlibrary loan services and internet accesses, to whom the meeting room is available and how to reserve it, procedures for using the public-use computers and typewriters and fax and procedures and programming.

To find out about library hours, press L. Library hours and phone numbers are outlined.

By pressing E, patrons can find out what events are going on at the library.

By pressing B, patrons can find out what is on the *New York Times* bestsellers list, who all the Newbery, Caldecott and Coretta Scott King award winners are, what is currently on heavy demand (very popular) with people in Thief River Falls and what the newest additions to the library are. By each of these is a notation of the call number (if the TRF library owns it) or an "on order" notice or a notice that it is available through interlibrary loan. Never be afraid to request a book through interlibrary loan. By sharing books statewide, everyone benefits from a cost effective way of purchasing materials.

Will people need a great deal of training to work on this account? Mrs. Hoks feels not.

"We have calls daily about accessing the library through Internet or via a dial-in method. There is definitely interest! Also, those people who have been trained on our catalog find it simple to use and since the Internet account is based on that, I don't expect a great deal of problems. Probably most problems will come from the differences in PC's that individuals own and which keys your specific PC will allow you to accommodate different functions."

For training on utilizing the TRFLIBRARY account, please contact the librarian at the TRF Public Library at 681-4325.

Librarian Heidi Hoks shows Sara Kallnoski how to use the online computer services at the Thief River Falls Public Library. In order to better serve the public, the library catalog, information about the library and its programs and other information are now accessible through the Internet.

Senior meal at the Heritage Center

The evening senior meal at the Heritage Center on September 25 will be BBQ ribs. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
Sons of Norway to meet at 7:30 p.m.
Trinity Women of ELCA guest speaker and supper at 5:30 p.m.
Storytime at the Library from 11:15 to 11:45.
Retired Educators to meet at noon at Evergreen.

Thursday
Beginning Experience meets at 7 p.m. at United Methodist Church. Call 681-8325 for more information.
Writers' Group meeting at the Library from 7 to 9 p.m.

Friday
Falls Squares Dance at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium.

Monday
Blood Pressure and Foot Care Clinic at Skylite Apartments from 1 - 2 p.m.
Senior meal at the Heritage Center is a BBQ rib dinner. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
TRF Quilter's Guild meets at 7 p.m. at NCTC.

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Johnson and Hinrichs exchange vows at Redeemer Lutheran Church

Susanne Johnson and Jody Hinrichs were united in marriage on August 12 at 6 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls. Pastor Terri Jo Skildum officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Curtis and Marlene Johnson of Thief River Falls. The groom is the son of Calvin and Marilyn Hinrichs of Wessington Springs, SD.

Vocal music was provided by soloists Jenny Lindberg, friend of the bride, and Jason Hohn, cousin of the groom. Organist was Joyce Halbasch, violinist was Jim Solsten and flutist was Jessica Brekke. Candle lighting music was "Ode to Joy." Musical selections were "Keeper of the Star," "This Is the Day," "I Will Be Here" and "The Lord's Pray." The bridesmaids' processional was "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" and the bride's processional was "Marche Nuptiale." The recessional was "The Wedding March."

The maid of honor was Jana Johnson of Thief River Falls, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Janelle Ensrud of Fargo, ND and Stephanie Howard-Clark of Golden Valley, both friends of the bride. Flower girls were Kayla Johnson of Grand Forks, ND and Samantha Muzzy of Fargo, ND, both cousins of the bride. The bride's personal attendants were Jodi Jagol of Thief River Falls and Andrea Sell of Moorhead, both friends of the bride.

The best man was Jason Hohn of Aberdeen, SD, cousin of the groom. Groomsmen were Chad Anderson of Vermillion, SD, friend of the groom and Paul Johnson of Lafayette, IN, brother of the bride. Ushers were Aaron Hanson of Wagner, SD, friend of the groom, Pete Kaatsman of Fargo, ND, friend of the bride and Travis Hohn of Woonsocket, SD, cousin of the groom. The ring bearer was Tyler Penas of Moorhead, friend of the bride.

Special guests were Odin Hanson of Thief River Falls, grandfather of the bride, Victor and Irene Hohn of Woonsocket, SD, grandparents of the groom and Ione Hinrichs of Wessington Springs, SD, grandmother of the groom.

Hosts and hostesses were Lester and Violet Muzzy of Thief River Falls, aunt and uncle of the bride, Shirley Johnson of Thief River Falls, aunt and godmother of the bride, and Darrell and Marcia Hohn of Wessington Springs, SD, aunt and uncle of the groom. Candle lighter was Mark Mehlhoff of Aberdeen, SD, friend of the couple.

Flower attendants were Laureen Johnson of Grand Forks, ND, cousin of the bride and Val Hohn of Woonsocket, SD, aunt of the groom. Gift attendants were Dustin and Michelle Hohn of Huron, SD, cousins of the groom.

At the reception, the punch servers were Brad and Kari Penas of Moorhead, friends of the bride. Kransekaka server was Joanie Muzzy of Fargo, ND, cousin of the bride. The coffee servers were Dorothy Hanson of Thief River Falls, cousin of the bride and Diane Golay of Sioux Falls, SD, aunt and godmother of the groom. The cake cutters were Jean Hohn of Huron, SD and Dee Hohn of Sioux Falls, SD, both aunts of the groom. The cake servers were Katherine Hansan of Minneapolis, Rose Gunstad of St. Hillare, Deb Holmgren of Thief River Falls and Angel Gunstad of St. Hilaire, all cousins of the bride.

Candid videos and photos were taken by Mark Johnson of Grand Forks, ND, Mitch Muzzy of Fargo, ND and Angel Gunstad of St. Hilaire, all cousins of the bride.

The couple lives in Sioux Falls, SD. They will be relocating to Chadron, NE to accept a promotion with the groom's company, Harkers, Inc. The bride will be working with Royal Weddings Ltd. and she is a graduate of Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls and Moorhead state University, Moorhead. The groom is a graduate of Wessington Springs High School and a graduate of Western Dakota Technical Institute in Rapid City, SD.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On September 10, a baby girl was born to Gerald Sunsdahl and Sherry Peterson of Goodridge. She has been named Allison Lynn Sunsdahl.

• On September 11, a baby boy was born to Davin and Kristin Veselka of Thief River Falls. He has been named Aaron Ray.

• On September 11, a baby girl was born to Kevin and Bonnie Barth of Thief River Falls. She has been named Kirsten Nicole.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

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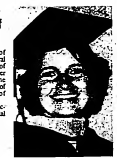

Mary Rogalla

Mary Rogalla, daughter of Vernon and Audrey Rogalla of rural Goodridge and a 1986 graduate of Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls, is a 1995 graduate of the University of Minnesota School of Dentistry, earning a Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS) degree.

Dr. Rogalla is presently practicing at the Sandwick Family Dental Office in Bagley.

Quilter's Guild to meet Sept. 26 at NTCT

The Thief River Falls Quilter's Guild will meet on Tuesday, September 26 at 7 p.m. at the Northwest Technical College room 114. Pat Dunning will present a demonstration on quilting artist "Faith Ringgald" and her work.

Members are reminded to bring their quilt raffle tickets and money to the meeting. Dues are also due at the September meeting.

All members and guests are welcome.

Bridal shower for Amy Pittman

A bridal shower for Amy Pittman will be held September 24 at St. Ann's Church in Goodridge from 3 - 5 p.m. Amy is the bride-to-be of Wade Grindeland. All friends and family welcome.

Wentland and Kvalvog to exchange vows November 18

Raymond Kvalvog and Katherine Wentland announce their engagement.

She is a graduate of Elbow Lake — Wendell High School, a 1984 graduate of Alexandria Vocational Technical Institute and is a full-time student at Moorhead State University majoring in accounting.

He is a 1980 graduate of Marshall County Central High School. He graduated in 1984 from Moorhead State University with a bachelor's degree in finance and he received his MBA from North Dakota State University in 1989. He is currently Vice President of Investments at A.G. Edwards & Sons, Inc. in Fargo, ND. He has taught classes at University of Minnesota Crookston and he also farms near Thief River Falls.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Carroll and Ramona Anderson of Elbow Lake and Roger and Sandy Wentland of Lake Preston, SD. The groom-to-be is the son of Phi and Lola Kvalvog of Middle River.

A November 18 wedding is planned for Atonement Lutheran Church in Fargo, ND.

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Expectant parent classes begin fall session on October 3rd

The fall session of Expectant Parents Classes will begin at Northwest Medical Center on Tuesday evening, October 3 at 7 p.m. in Meeting Rooms B1B2. Registrations are being taken now.

Classes are designed for those in their first six months of pregnancy. Parents and parents-to-be are provided with information that promotes healthy babies and healthy mothers and gives new families a good beginning.

The classes will be held on Tuesday evenings for five consecutive weeks and are free. The instructor is Evadell Tangquist, RN, Patient Education Coordinator at Northwest Medical Center. For more information or to register, call 681-4240, extension 446.

Diabetes support group begins meeting

The September meeting of Riverview Healthcare Association's Diabetes Support Group will be held Wednesday, September 20 at 4:30 p.m. in the Riverview Board Room. The topic for the meeting will be "New research in Diabetes," presented by Sharon Stewart, RD, from UMC.

Riverview Healthcare Association's Diabetes Support Group is open to those with diabetes, their family members and friends. All meetings are free of charge.

Open House for Owen Weckwerth's 75th Birthday Party at the Heritage Center Saturday, Sept. 30th 2-5 p.m. No Gifts Please

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Filpulas to celebrate 40 years of marriage

There will be an open house celebrating the 40th anniversary of LaVerne and Maxine Filpula on Sunday, October 1 from 2 to 5 p.m. at Oak Ridge Church. The church is seven miles west of Thief River Falls on Highway # 1 and one mile north. All friends and relatives are welcome.

WIC will be held at Redeemer Lutheran Church in October

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of October.

Infants and children up to the age of five and women who are pregnant or breast feeding may be eligible for the program. Prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby and it is important to apply for WIC early in the pregnancy. No proof of pregnancy is needed.

All potential clients must write or call WIC and complete an application.

The following is the schedule for WIC clinics to be held at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls for this month:

- Monday, October 2
- Monday, October 9
- Thursday, October 19
- Friday, Ocotober 20.

Note: Immunizations will now be given by the county nurses. Contact Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls at 681-5950 for dates and times.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/EPS, Quin County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 1-218-253-2125.

The WIC program must treat everyone the same. A person cannot be treated unfairly because of race, color, national origin, age, sex or handicap. If you feel you have been treated unfairly, write Administrator, Food and Nutrition Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

(Quin County serves the counties of Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Roseau.)

Michael and Pauline Norgard have a baby girl

Mikaela Pauline Norgard was born September 10 in Iowa City, IA to Dr. Michael and Pauline Lindberg Norgard. She weighed 9 pounds 2 ounces. Her grandparents are Ron and Judy Lindberg and great-grandparents are Roy and Cathy Jorgenson, all of Thief River Falls.

Open house anniversary party for Doyle Nelsons

There will be an open house, for Doyle and Sue Nelson in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, September 24 at Silver Creek Church, rural Thief River Falls. The open house will begin with a program at 2 p.m. and will continue until 5 p.m.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

Thanks For The Little Things

Call them "random acts of kindness," call them "thoughtful gestures," call them anything you want. These are the deeds people perform that make someone else feel good. These good deed doers may not realize the impact they make, but I'm here to thank them.

I'm talking about a special kind of act. It's not one that someone does for me, but one that someone does for a child.

Raising a child can be a challenging, frustrating and difficult procedure. There are many instances, most of them in public, when you'd like to renounce your parenting rights and forget about the whole operation.

But there are some who help to make this parenting job a little bit easier. Most of the time, these "random acts of kindness" aren't long or involved deeds. They're little, but leave big impressions in a child's mind. People may not even realize what their gesture means.

These are just some of the people who make a parent's job easier. Thank you to:

- The convenience store clerk who gives your child two Tootsie Rolls, just because.
- The people, young and old, who smile and wave and say "hello" when your son is practicing his friendliness on everyone. It would be just as easy to ignore the little tyke, but these people don't.
- All those who gush and exclaim when a child presents them with personalized artwork. And to those who actually post these items in a public spot.
- Those friends, relatives and acquaintances who read book after book after book to your child when they're visiting your house. And they don't complain; in fact, they act as if they're privileged to be doing it.

Thank you to:

- The airplane pilot who invites your son to tour a Leer jet while you're waiting for another plane to arrive. The pilot lets your son select a candy bar and another gentleman presents him with a pair of imitation pilot wings.
- The woman at the restaurant who says "just enjoy them," while your offspring is under the table kicking and screaming. The other diner is also the one who says, "It's OK. I understand. I had a couple of them myself and now they're all grown up. I miss them."
- The unknown gentleman who gave you a quarter so your kid could ride that helicopter in the mall. You had only a $20 bill, zero quarters, and your child looked truly sad.
- The neighbors who don't mind (too much) when your preschooler hangs around asking a lot of questions like: "What are you doing?" "Why?" "Can I help?" They let him and then pay him for working.
- Relatives and friends who talk to your toddler and preschooler on the telephone, even if they don't know what they're saying. It's a big deal for children to talk on the phone.
- The clerk at the post office who offers an antsy child a piece of chewing gum.
- The shoppers at the grocery store. The ones who smile and show compassion when you're battling a crabby 4-year-old while trying to buy milk.

There are many, many more "random acts of kindness" toward children. They may just be little ones, but they count for a lot.

The next time you have an opportunity to perform a thoughtful gesture, do it. The parents and the children will thank you.

Family night at Evangelical Free Church

There will be a family night program at the Newfolden Evangelical Free Church on Sunday, September 24 at 6:30 p.m. There will be songs, readings, puppet ministry and prayer. There will even be audience participation.

There will be refreshments and fellowship after the program. Everyone is invited to attend.

Display at TRF Public Library about scientist from Minnesota

The Thief River Falls Public Library is hosting the P. Gerald Kruger display for the month of September. This exhibit is provided courtesy of the Pope County Historial Museum in Glenwood. Dr. Kruger was a pioneering scientist raised in Deer Creek, Otter Tail county and was the brother of the late Orrin C. Kruger of Warren.

Dr. Peter Gerald Kruger was a well-known particle acceleration physicist. This exhibit was assembled from a great number of his research and personal papers. Also included is a model of an atom to demonstrate the idea of atom smashing. Its very expanded form helps demonstrate atom smashing, getting a glimse of what lies inside.

The exhibit begins with Dr. Kruger's resume. He was a physics professor at the University of Illinois from 1931 to the mid 1970's. One of the most personal parts of the exhibit traces his studies at the Kaiser Wilhelm institute in 1926-1927 when he studied with three Nobel Prize winners: Max Planck, Max von Lowe and Albert Einstein. Included here is a personal invitation to dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Planck and a letter describing his travels.

The next part of the exhibit gets into the technical/scientific side of Dr. Kruger's life when Dr. Kruger started building his first cyclotrons for the periodic/atomic chart.

Some of the developements from particle acceleration research included advances in X-ray technology. Due to his work with radioactive particles, Dr. Kruger severly damaged his eyes and required cataract surgery and thick glasses to correct his vision. In the 60 years since his research, a great many safety features and containment room have been incorporated into accelerator labs.

The results of Dr. Kruger's research was the basis for the discovery of 30 additional ele-radiation treatments, photographic reconstruction, television cathode ray tubes, atomic and hydrogen bombs and temporary radioactive solutions used in medicine, agriculture and industry. Dr. Kruger himself helped develop the superconducting quadropole magnetic lens used to focus the electron beams in particle accelerators.

The exhibit will be up in the library through September.

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ON THE OTHER HAND

Angeline Omstad
Lincoln High School

On September 5, I woke up and thought this is my last "first day" at Lincoln, and I thought back to many of my earlier school years.

In 1983, I was an excited kindergartner. School started for me in Mandan, ND. My brother John had been telling me stories from his three years' experience. I started kindergarten with my pink and lavender velcro tennis shoes, but my teacher didn't like the noise my shoes made when I adjusted them. After promising not to adjust my shoes again, a tear slid down my cheek. My best friend Vanessa had the shiniest hair that I had ever seen. I went home crying to mom because I wanted to have shiny hair like hers.

I had to start a new school for the first day of first grade. My family moved to Mayville, North Dakota, because my dad had a new job. I spent seven months in Mayville and then we relocated in Thief River Falls.

Starting at Washington elementary was scary because I was used to a school where there were half as many students. Halfway through second grade, I had a new teacher because the one we had retired. Third grade started out by memorizing my teacher's saying:

"Some burgers are hamburgers"

Some burgers are cheeseburgers,

But the best Berger is a Hinschberger!"

Timed multiplication tests had us competing for scores. Miss Hinschberger brought us to her house the last week of school to see her teddy bear collection. Starting my fourth grade year, I had my first male teacher, Mr. Peterson. The class read so many books that we earned a "Book-It" pizza party. Mr. Peterson would also take us outside to have kick ball games. Fifth grade was my final year at Washington elementary. Our class was lucky enough to have white rats as a science experiment. We voted on the names "Sticky and Snowball". Sticky got his name because he got super glue on his feet. I took Snowball home for a weekend and had to keep him in the bathroom so my cat couldn't get him. At the end of the year, we were ready to go to Franklin.

The three years at Franklin were spent worrying about no-passing time, having time to get ready after swimming, and carrying school bags. After Franklin, I was off to Lincoln.

Starting my senior year at Lincoln was fun. I was able to talk to friends that I had not been able to see all summer. It was surprising to walk the halls and see all the familiar faces. Being older than the majority of people, I was shocked to see so many underclassmen who were taller than I was. The uncertainty on the faces of freshmen who passed by on the way to first hour class was obvious.

I have been looking forward to my senior year for many years. Now that it has arrived, I am reluctant. Knowing that there is only a short time before classmates will start to move all over the country, I will have to make this the best year ever.

(The writers of this column are members of the Literary Arts class, a Magnet Arts Program at Lincoln high school.)

Deer Park garden club meeting held September 12

The annual meeting of the Deer Park Garden Club was held Tuesday, September 12 at the home of Ben Israelson in Thief River Falls. A potluck supper was held with each member bringing something from his or her garden. The hostess provided the beverage.

The business meeting was called to order by President Norma Hanson. The club creed was recited. Roll call was answered to "How my garden grew" and also mentioning the food item brought for supper.

The district 13 annual horticultural meeting will be in Roseau October 7, hosted by the Four Seasons Garden Club. Ethel Wiseth and Lois Swanson will receive Distinguished Service awards at the district meeting.

A motion was made and seconded that all present officers remain as officers for the new year.

David Hanson was a guest at the meeting. October meeting place was announced. Programs for the new year will be finalized at the October meeting.

Blanche Hovden celebrated her 103rd birthday on Wednesday, September 13. The celebrating started September 6 when the first group of family and friends arrived. On her big day, Blanche got a special call from Big Red, who sang "Happy Birthday" to her over the radio. "He made such a big splash," said Blanche with a smile. The birthday lady received presents and cards and phone calls from all over. She said she is thankful for the cards and calls she received from her friends and family. Blanche is still very independent and even cooks her own meals each day.

Children's cardiac clinic October 5 at Redeemer Church in TRF

Children with suspected heart problems or other medical problems may attend a clinic on October 5 at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

G.F.W.C. Zehlians and Minnesota Children with Special Health Needs (formerly Services for Children with Handicaps) of Minnesota Department of Health are sponsors. The clinic is for any child under 21 years of age with a heart murmur, a congenital heart problem, a history of rheumatic fever, delayed physical development, coordination problems, cerebral palsy, club feet, scoliosis or other physical handicaps. The clinic sponsors recommend, if possible, that each new participant get a referral from a doctor.

A physical medicine specialist, orthopedist, pediatrician and pediatric cardiologist will be available to examine children who attend the clinic. Parents may also consult with a public health nurse, medical social worker and physical therapist.

For more information or to make an appointment, please contact Bunny Dondelinger, 212 W. Trinity Pk. Rd., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, (218) 681-2445 or Ardy Tunberg, 1415 Birchlane Dr., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, (218) 681-3760.

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These Couples Have Registered Their Selections Of Gifts, China And Dinnerware.

Laure Ruth Genter and Jeffrey Dale Geske were united in marriage, June 3 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Leavenworth, KS. Revs. Ed Meese and Howard Patten officiated at the 2 p.m. double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Genter of Leavenworth, KS. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Geske of Thief River Falls. The couple is now living in St. Louis, MO.

Thief River Falls couple married on riverboat

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Walseth are at home in Thief River Falls following their marriage on board the Dakota Queen Riverboat, Grand Forks on September 6. She is employed at Digi-Key Corp. of Thief River Falls and he is employed by Independent Machine Services of Thief River Falls.

Her parents are Harold and Lois Carlson of Tower and his parents are Mrs. Gladys Walseth and the late Harold Walseth of Thief River Falls.

Attendants were Chickie Walseth as maid of honor, Sue Helm, bridesmaid, Roger Hruby, bestman and Wally Walseth, groomsman.

Special guests were Nathan Fanfulik of Thief River Falls, son of the bride; Elizabeth and Travis Walseth of Strathcona, children of the groom.

Beginning Experience starts Thursday

Beginning Experience, a support group for divorced, separated or widowed person, begins meeting on September 21 at 7 p.m. at the United Methodist Church. Everyone welcome. For more information call 681-8325.

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Minnesota ranks high in nation for preschool immunzations

Minnesota is one of the highest-ranking states in the nation when it comes to immunizing preschool children against vaccine-preventable diseases, according to a survey released by the U. S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Minnesota had the highest immunizations rate of any state for measles, mumps and rubella (MMR), the survey found. Ninety-five percent of Minnesota two-year-olds in the survey had been immunized against MMR according to current recommendations — with a single dose of the standard combination vaccine for those diseases.

Immunization levels in Minnesota were slightly lower for the other vaccines included in the survey. Eighty-one percent of the state's two-year-olds had received the full course of recommended immunizations for seven major diseases — four doses of the standard vaccine for diphthena, tetanus and pertussis (DTP), three doses of polio vaccine and a single dose of MMR. Minnesota ranked 12th among states in immunizing children properly against all seven diseases.

"This survey provides further evidence of Minnesota's leadership in protecting children against these diseases," said Anne Barry, Minnesota Commissioner of Health. "Everyone who has worked on immunization issues in our state — health care providers, public health agencies and organizations, advocacy groups and individual citizens — can take pride in what we've been able to accomplish.

"At the same time, we need to recognize that we still have a lot of work to do," Commissioner Barry said. "Many of our children still aren't being properly immunized — especially in some geographic areas of the state, some segments of the population. We need to continue our efforts if we are to achieve the goals we've set for ourselves in this area."

The CDC survey was based on phone interviews with a nationwide sample of parents who have children 19 to 35 months of age, conducted between April and December of last year. The survey also incorporated information from another survey on health issues conducted by CDC.

Although MHD officials were gratified at the survey results, they cautioned that the survey offers a limited picture of actual immunization levels in the community.

"The survey only looked at who was or wasn't immunized at the age of two years," Commissioner Barry said. "While that can give you a quick snapshot of what's happening at a particular point in time, it doesn't tell you the whole story.

"In fact, the recommended schedule of immunizations is very complex," she said. "Children need a variety of immuniations, and they come due at various times during the preschool years. To see if children are really up to date, you need to look at immunization levels for each of the recommended vaccines, at a number of different age levels.

Nonetheless, the new survey results suggest that Minnesota is getting closer to achieving its long term goals, according to MDH officials.

"We want to make sure all of our children are being properly immunized," Commissioner Barry said. "That means making sure they've had all their immuniations, and that each dose was given within two months of the recommended time. We're getting closer to that goal, but we're still not all the way there yet."

Officials believe the high immunization levels for MMR may partly reflect the community's response to a major measles outbreak that occurred in the early nineties. Lower immunization levels for other diseases may be attributable to the complexity of current immunization recommendations — which may make it more difficult to keep children on schedule, they noted.

For example, 96 percent of the two-year-olds in the CDC survey had received their third dose of DTP vaccine — but only 82 percent had received the forth and final dose, which may be given as late as 18 months of age under current recommendations.

Further complicating the picture is the fact that children also need to be immunized against a number of other diseases — including haemophilus influenzae and hepatitus B — in addition to the seven highlighted in the CDC survey report. Commissioner Barry urged parents to keep careful records of their children's immuniations and to call their family physician or medical clinic if they have questions about current childhood immunization recommendations. Information about immunizations is also available from the state immunization hotline at 1-800-657-3970 or phone Nancy Maurstad at 1-800-950-6986 or (218) 745-5154 at North Valley Home Health.

Falls Squares to hold a dance

Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, September 22 at the City Auditorium, Main Avenue and Second Street, Thief River Falls. The dance will start at 8 p.m. with Larry Johnson calling the tips.

Lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.

Shawn and Kara Wagner have a new baby girl

Shawn and Kara Wagner of Dickinson, ND, formerly of Middle River, are happy to announce the birth of a daughter, Jessica Paige. She was born September 7 and weighed 8 pounds 5 ounces and was 22 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Lloyd and Sharon Wagner and Keith and Gayle Gram, all of Middle River.

Terri Jo Skildum is the proud mother of a girl

Terri Jo Skildum joyfully announces the adoption of her baby girl. Johanna Mary-Faye Skildum was born November 19, 1994. She was placed in her mother's arms on November 29 and came home December 3. The adoption was finalized July 26, 1995.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Voigt to marry Swanson

Joel Swanson II, formerly of Thief River Falls and Heidi Voigt of Rice, are pleased to announce their upcoming wedding in St. Cloud.

Joel is the son of Joel and Donna Swanson, formerly of Thief River Falls. Heidi is the daughter of Joe and Renata Voigt of Rice.

The couple will be united in Christ during a 4 p.m. ceremony, October 28 at the Evangelical Free Church in St. Cloud with a reception to follow at Rice City Hall. All family and friends are invited to attend.

The couple plans to live in the Twin Cities were Joel currently works as a Communications Technician for the Minnesota Education Association.

Firefighter's benefit supper Oct. 6

The Newfolden Firefighter's Benefit Supper will be Friday, October 6 from 4 - 7 p.m. at the Newfolden Elementary school Funds will be matched by AAL Branch #9863 and Branch #9590. A spaghetti dinner with garlic toast, coffee, milk and pop will be served.

Open house for Orvin Anderson

The family of Orvin M. Anderson is hosting an open house in honor of his 80th birthday. The celebration will be from 2 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, September 24 at the Orvin and Arda Anderson home in rural Goodridge. All friends and family are invited.

... There Are Super Bugs This Year

I've heard that everything grew well this year — vegetables, flowers, apples, berries. That is wonderful, but I've noticed that something else also grew well — bugs.

I mentioned the spider webs in my house in one of my previous columns. Well, I did finally get around to dusting everything down and got rid of them, but in no time at all they were back, and I also caught glimpses of the spiders that were making them. They were huge!

I hate spiders and only go near them to try and kill them if there is no one else home. If someone else is home I scream loudly and then they rush in to see what I am screaming about and I can con them into killing the spider for me. But this year I found myself chasing spiders all over the place — to heck with the silly screaming. Isn't it amazing what tiny spaces those spiders can fit themselves into? And they are so quick — that's what I hate about them most of all, I think I am afraid that they will quickly jump onto me and start climbing around.

It isn't only the spiders that are around in abundance. Earlier this year there were those little black, "jiggly" bugs that fly in swarms around the face and I always think I am seeing spots until I realize they are really there. They are horrible too. I always figured it was because they were so dumb that they would fly right into eyes, ears, noses and even mouths, but then I realized that I was the dumb one — standing there so they had the chance to fly into anything I had that was open. Needless to say, after that I tried to stay in the house as much as possible when they were around.

Lately we have been besieged with some other little black bugs. These are a little larger than the "jiggly" ones, and shaped like bullets. One night the dog couldn't decide whether he wanted to be in or out, so I was opening the back door a lot, either letting him in or putting him out. By the end of the evening, I saw that the back entry ceiling was totally covered with these black bugs.

After I turned off the light in the back entry and went back to my quilting in the living room (under a rather bright light, I might add), the darn things were dive-bombing all over me. Later, when I went to bed, they were even attracted by the light on my digital clock. I finally had to get up and turn on the bathroom light to lure them away from me.

And aren't the lady bugs huge this year too? I have an apple tree and the lady bugs love to eat the apples that have fallen on the ground, so I have seen a lot of them. I don't know if it is just the well-fed lady bugs in my yard that are so big or if they all are that way this year, but they are so big that they can hardly fly around. They look like little blimps as they careen around from one place to another, knocking into anything in their paths. I don't think that "Lady bug, lady bug, fly away" is going to work on the little porkers at all.

The bees are terrible this year too. I have already had several of them in my clothes when I bring the clothes in from outside. We have always had bees in our clothing because I am so stubborn and hang my clothes outside until as late in the year as I possibly can, but the bees usually don't climb into the pant legs and sweatshirt sleeves until much later when it is colder.

(The house used to ring with screams at least once a week when the sleeping bee in someone's freshly washed pants or shirt was awakened and warmed and decided to sting. The kids quickly learned to shake out all clothing before placing it on their little bodies.)

But the bees are already getting sleepy and wanting to cuddle on warm things. I returned to work from my lunch one day and wandered around the office for quite some time, even waiting on a customer, before I heard a strange buzzing coming from the front of my shirt. I thought there was a fly on me and I quickly reacted by brushing at the spot. Imagine my surprise when I looked down and saw I had brushed off a rather angry bee. I stepped on him really fast. I think I will not wear that flowered blouse again until the bees have frozen. I wonder if that customer thought I had a rather realistic-looking pin on my shirt.

Needless to say, I am looking forward to a good frost — just one — to get rid of all of this year's super bugs. It will certainly be nice to be able to go outdoors without being bombarded with one form of insect or another.

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TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Fall Fingerplays

The fall season is upon us and it is time to learn some new fall fingerplays.

Way Up High In The Apple Tree

Way up high in the apple tree
(hands above head)
Two little apples smiled at me.
(form apples with each hand still raised)
I shook that tree as hard as I could.
(shaking motion)
Down came the apples.
(drop hands)
Ummmmmm. Were they good!
(rub stomach)

Two Little Blackbirds

Two little blackbirds sitting on a hill
(lift pointer fingers)
One named Jack.
(wiggle one pointer)
One named Jill.
(wiggle the other pointer)
Fly away, Jack.
(put the first pointer behind back)
Fly away, Jill.
(put the other behind back)
Come back, Jack.
(Bring first pointer in front again)
Come back, Jill.
(Bring other in front again)

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need your time.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Rockwell, Anne. No! No! No! Why is it that when not one single thing goes right the entire day, Mom always knows exactly what to do?

Alexander, Martha. You're a Genius, Blackboard Bear. Anthony wishes he could go to the moon and hopefully, with the help of his friend, Blackboard Bear, will have everything they need to build their own spaceship.

VIDEO VARIETY

Barney: Families Are Special. Through games and songs, the children, along with Barney, Baby Bop and BJ, explore family values and the specialness of each individual.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Listening Skills

Most parents want their children to be good listeners. It is a skill that will help children throughout their lives. One way to help young children develop listening skills is to make a game out of it.

If you have a tape recorder, use it to tape familiar sounds around the house and yard. For example, record a can opener, a door bell, an alarm clock, a dog barking, a bird singing. The idea is for your child to listen and name what he/she hears. It is even fun to have your child accompany you while you make the tape. This way you can give him or her to names of the objects you are recording.

If you don't have a tape recorder, you can still play this game. Gather some noise-making objects. Then, sitting behind your child, so he/she can't see you, make a noise and have him/her guess what it it.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

To continue this game, have your child try to recreate the noises he/she hears. This way your child can practice making different sounds.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

"Spanish Door" by Cathy Mueller tied for viewers' choice at the Northern Prairie Artists annual art show and sale. Of the 33 paintings entered in the show, 19 of them received one or more votes for viewers' choice, which means that there was a painting that appealed to almost everyone who viewed the show.

Roseau artist to teach painting at Northern Lights Workshop

Frances Karlsson, a well known area artist from Roseau, will be teaching a two-day watercolor workshop. She encourages beginners and intermediates to take this class. The first day will be rocks and water. The second day will be weathered buildings.

Registration is limited to the first 15 students who pay the registration fee. The fee for members of Northern Lights is $55. The fee for nonmembers is $65. For more information, contact Marian Oates, 1515 17th Street S., Grand Forks, ND 58201, (701) 772-5029.

Oak Ridge Fall Bazaar to be on September 30th

The Oak Ridge Fall Bazaar will be held on Saturday, September 30 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Items for sale include, baked goods, garden produce, craft items. There will also be a noon lunch. Coffee and Bars will be served all day. Recycling information is sponsored by AAL Branch #7453. Oak Ridge Church is seven Miles West of Thief River Falls on Highway #1 and One mile North.

Youth programs at United Methodist Church in TRF

Praise through Play will be held on Monday, September 18 at 3 p.m. All students are welcome to attend. Anyone needing transportation is welcome to call 681-4388.

UMYF will be held Wednesday, September 20 at 3 p.m. All students in grades 6-12 are welcome to attend. Anyone needing transportation is welcome to call 681-4388.

CORRECTION

In last week's edition of the Times JoAnn Peters was incorrectly identified as Joanne Peterson. The Times apologizes for the mistake.

The Northern Prairie Artists held a very successful show on Saturday. The public voted on its favorite paintings, and the results were a tie. Pictured here is one of the winners, LaVonne Forsberg's painting entitled "Desert Morning," which features an young Indian women tying her moccasin.

Blood pressure & foot care clinic

Monday, September 25, there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 1 -2 p.m. at the Skylite apartments, 415 Arnold Avenue, Thief River Falls. Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only. Call Inter-County Nursing Service for foot care appointments at 681-5950. There is a $4 fee for foot care. The public is welcome.

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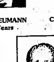
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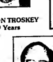
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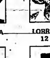
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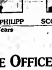
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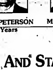
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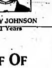
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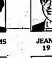
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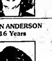
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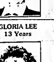
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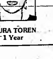
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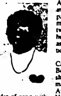
Walterine Gilbert, 71

Thief River Falls — Walterine Gilbert, 71, died Tuesday, September 12 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, September 16 at 10 a.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls. Fr. Joe Decrans celebrated the Mass of the Resurrection. St. Bernard's Resurrection Choir was the leader of song with Kris LaSalle as organist. Cantors were Mary Beth Kolar and Anne Padilla. Special music was provided by Dorie Gilbert.



Casketbearers were Delwin Schob, Sam Genereux, Richard Evans, Donald Engelstad, Robert Wurst and Willard Fleegel. Interment was in St. Bernard's Cemetery. Arrangements by Belmont Funeral Hame of Thief River Falls.

Walterine Mary Anne Chaput was born in Langdan, ND on October 20, 1923, the daughter of Ralph and Blanche (Plante) Chaput. She grew up in Langdon, graduating from St. Alphansis High School in 1941. She attended the College of St. Scholastica in Duluth until 1943.

On September 27, 1943, was united in marriage to Edward L. Gilbert in Carlsbad, NM. They lived in Carlsbad, Las Vegas, Chicago and Walker before moving to Thief River Falls in 1950.

She worked in the Chemical Warfare Office at the Las Vegas Army Air Force Base in 1945, and in the late 1940's she worked in the payroll department of Walgreen's main office in Chicago, IL. For twenty years she worked with her husband in his optometric practice as an opometric assistant and receptionist.

She was a member of the Catholic Daughter of America; St. Bernard's Catholic Church, where she taught religious education for many years; Minnesota optometric Auxiliary; Noon lioness Club; Northwestern Hospital Auxiliary; American Legion Auxiliary; Thief River Falls Golf Club, and she was a charter member of Northland Community Hospice.

She was a devoted mother and grandmother and loved sewing, gardening, animals and traveling. She especially loved helping friends and family.

Walterine is survived by her husband, Dr. Ed Gilbert; a daughter, Mary Beth Kolar; sons Wayne of Eagan and Allen of Seattle, WA; 12 grandchildren; a sister, Patricia Erickson of Fargo, ND; eight nephews and two nieces.

She was preceded in death by two infant sons; three infant daughters; her parents; sisters, Geraldine MacDonald and Lorraine Gellner and her stepmother, Clara Plante Chaput.

Ardith Brown, 77

Thief River Falls — Ardith Brown, 77, died on Sunday, September 17 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls.

Alexander Cloutier, 16

Holt — Alexander Bryce Cloutier, 16, of Holt, died on Sunday, September 10 at United Hospital in Grand Forks. Funeral services were held on Thursday, September 14 at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls. Fr. Joe DeCrans celebrated the Moss of the Resurrection. Music was provided by members of St. Bernard's Mognificat Choir and the Marshall County Central Mixed Octet.

Hanarary pollbearers were Alexander's classmates and fellow members of Boy Scout Troop #57. Active pallbearers were Paul Thompson, Croig Forbo, David Larson, Bruce Elseth, Phillip Farbo and John Fremming. Interment was at St. Bernard's Cemetery. The Belmant Funeral Home wos in charge of arrangements.

Alexander Bryce Cloutier was born in Thief River Falls on May 30, 1979, the san of Arthur and Carole (Farbo) Cloutier. He lived at Halt until he was five then maved ta Thief River Falls and attended St. Bernard's School. When he was 11, he returned to Holt and went to school at Marshall County Central where he was currently a member of the junior class.

He enjoyed hunting and fishing and other outdoor octivities. He wos the Senior Patrol Leader of Scout Traop #57 in Thief River Falls and was o Life Scout. He was presented with his Eagle Scout Badge, posthumously, on September 13, 1995.

He is survived by his father, Arthur Cloutier of Holt; his mother, Carole Cloutier of Thief River Falls; o brother, Bryan C., stationed with the US Marine Carps in Okinowa; a sister, Carone Alten of Bemidji; his matemal grandfather, Alvin Farbo and step-grandmother, Nellie Farbo, of Thief River Folls ond several aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents and his maternal grandmother.

Agnes O. Peterson Polich, 84

Son Diego, CA — Agnes O. Peterson Polich, 84, formerly of St. Hilaire, died on Friday, September 8 at Sharp Memarial Hospital in San Diego, CA.

Graveside services will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, September 20 at the St. Hiloire Community Cemetery with Rev. Terri Skildum officiating. A funeral processional will form from the Belmant Funeral Home at 2:30 p.m.

Agnes O. Peterson was born in St. Hilaire an Navember 7, 1910, the daughter af Ed and Inger Peterson. She grew up and attended school in St. Hilaire.

In the early 1940's she moved to Seattle, WA, where on January 15 1946, She was married to Elmer J. Polich. They lived in New York, Florida, Washington and California, settling ond living in San Diega, CA.

She was o loving wife and wonderful mather and the best cookie maker in the warld ta her grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, Elmer; twin daughters, Jeon Barelich, Seward, PA and Jeanette Williams of Blaine; sons, Dennis Polich, San Diego ond Gary Hofstad, St. Louis Park; five grandchildren ond four greot-grandchildren. She is alsa survived by sisters, Irene Ness of Corvcalis, OR and Stella Skinnemoen of Blaine.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a brother, Vernon Peterson and sisters, Eunice Borgie and Idella Lawler.

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Belmont Funeral Home
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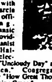
Edna Pederson, 77

Thief River Falls — Edna Pederson, 77, died on Monday, September 18 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, September 22 at 10 a.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church with Rev. Marcia Sylvester officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Joyce Halbasch. Selections are "Uncloudy Day" and "In the Garden." Congregational hymns are "How Great Thou Art." and "Amazing Grace."



Casketbearers were Kent LeMoine, John LeMoine, Gary Granum, Ryan Bakke, Shaun Carlson and Richard Hoglo. Interment will be at Rindahl Cemetery, New Solum township, Marshall county with arrangements by Green Funeral Home.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, September 21 at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls from 2 - 9 p.m. with a 7 p.m. prayer service and at the church on Friday one hour prior to services.

Edna Gwyndolyn Blomberg was born on February 12, 1918 at New Solum township, Marshall county to Emil and Christine (Johnson) Blomberg. She attended Rosebud School at Rosewood.

She worked at various jobs in Thief River Falls before her marriage to Kenneth Pederson on October 11, 1938 at Thief River Falls. The couple lived in Thief River Falls all but two year when they lived in Grand Forks, ND.

Kenneth died on March 2, 1982. Edna continued to live in Thief River Falls.

She was a member of the Eagle's Auxiliary and the Senior Heritage Center.

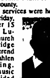
She is survived by daughters, Janice Laufman and Sheryl Kees, both of Thief River Falls; sons, Kendall of Red Lake Falls, Lyle of St. Hilaire and Royce of Edinburgh, TX; daughter-in-law Yvonne Pederson of Thief River Falls; sister, Norma Pederson of Eugene, OR; 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Kenneth; son, Keith in 1985; grandson, Trent Carlson; brother Elmer Blomberg; sisters, Alice Granum, Alma Kalbakdalen, Ruth Wilson and Ann Nyhus.

Dayle Kainz, 61

Goodridge — Dayle Kainz, 61, died Tuesday, September 12 at his home in Grand Plain township, Marshall county.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. on Friday, September 15 at Faith Lutheran Church in Goodridge with Reverend Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music was provided by organist Marjorie Iverson with vocal music provided by Jodi Peters, Marie Anderson and Joy Nordby. Selections were "The King of Love My Sheperd Iis," "On Eagle's Wings" and "Surely Goodness and Mercy." Congregationol hymns were "Rock of Ages" and "Bringing in the Sheaves."



Casketbearers were Raymond Aandol, Vernon Rogalin, Vernon Philipp, Merlin Drangstveit, Joe Philipp and Kenneth Sanders. Honorary casketbearers were oll Dayle's fellow postol employees. Interment was in the Goodridge Cemetery, Goodridge township, Pennington county, with Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Alton Dayle Kainz war bom June 6, 1934 in Thief River Falls to Frank and Lillian Tomino (Graff) Kainz. The family lived on o farm in Grand Ploin township. He was baptized in the Christian Faith at Mavie. He attended school at District 76 School and graduated from high school at the Northwest School of Agriculture in 1953 in Crookston. Dayle worked in the mines on the Iron Range and also worked in Minneapolis for a number of years before returning home to the family farm.

On July 28, 1962, he was united in marriage to Delores Jones at the Zion Church in Thief River Falls. The couple continued to farm in Grand Plain. Dayle was also employed at Arctic Enterprise and in 1979, was a substitute mail carrier for the Goodridge Post Office. In 1984, he became a full-time carrier. He was a member of Faith Lutheran Church, the Rural Letter Carriers Association, Masonic Northern Lodge #236 and the Kem Temple of Grand Forks.

Dayle was president and treasurer of Faith Lutheran Church for several years and Grand Plain township treasurer for years.

Doyle is survived by his wife Delores; three sons, Dr. Kent of Thief River Falls; Kurt of Bemidji and Kraig olso of Bemidji; three grandchildren, Hannah, Lillian and Kiefer; two brothers, Dennis Kainz of Goodridge and Franklyn of Brooklyn Center.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his stepfather, Lloyd Taylor; three sisters, Joan Koinz, Jeanine Lutz and Gaileen Knutson; three nephews, Gory Knutson, Harlan ond Wollace Jones, Jr. and one niece Kara Jean Kainz.

Walter Rasmussen, 82

Middle River — Woiter Albert Rasmussen, 82, died unexpectedly ot his home in Middle River on Thursdoy, September 7.

Funeral services were held Mondoy, September 11 ot First Lutheran Church, Middle River with Pastor John Jorgenson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Lois Peterson and vocalist Barb Geer. Congregational hymns were "Beautiful Sovior" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Larry Nelson, LaVerne Nelson, Gordon Nelson, Dean Hemp, Elmer Rasmussen, Jr. and Ron Rasmussen. Military honors were accorded by Middle River American Legion Post. Interment was in German Evongelical Cemetery in Middle River with arrangements by Collins Funeral Home in Middle River.

Wolter Rosmussen was born October 15, 1912, the son of Oscar and Ido (Olson) Rosmussen, in Cedar township, Marshall caunty, near Middle River. He ottended school and grew to manhood there. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran Faith.

Walter served in World War II, and was owarded the Bronze Star for his octions while serving in the Philipines. Following his discharge in 1945, he returned to Middle River.

He was united in morriage to Morie Wogner at Newfolden on June 9, 1948. The couple farmed in Cedar township and later in Spruce Valley township.

Mrs. Rasmussen passed oway April 15, 1962 and Walter moved into Middle River short time later. For the past several years, he has resided at the Royal Manar Apartments in Middle River.

He was o long-time member of the Middle River American Legion Post.

He is survived by two sons, Daniel of Newfolden ond David, Thief River Falls; three grandchildren, Terry, Darryl ond Paul; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Henry of Grafton, ND and John, Middle River; four sisters Elsie Knutson, Ellen Hemp, Bertho Nelson and Elvina Kolden, all of Middle River; ond several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his wife; his parents and three brothers, Fred, Clarence and Elmer.

Lloyd Hutchinson, 93

Menomonie, WI — Lloyd Nicholas Hutchinson, 93, formerly of Greenbush, died Thursday, September 14 at Dunn County Health Care Center, Menomonie, WI.

Runerol services were held at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 19 ot Blessed Sacrament Cotholic Church, Greenbush with Fother Gene Wesely officiating. Special music war provided by organist and vocalist Jeanne Novacek.

Casketbearers were Edward Efta, Ernie Mekash, Sylvester Duray, Richard Novocek, Jahn Stauffenecker ond Jim Fugleberg. Interment wos at Blessed Socrament Cemetery. Arrangements by Gieseke Funeral Chapel of Greenbush.

Lloyd Hutchinson was born to Frank and Sophie (Hemetsbach) Hutchinson on Jonuary 20, 1902 near Euclid. He grew up near Euclid where he also farmed as o young man.

He married Aimo Josephine Rambol on September 5, 1923 ot Crookston. They farmed at Euclid until they moved to Baudette in 1935. They farmed there until 1942 when they moved to Greenbush. Thoy farmed near Greenbush until he retired in 1972. They moved into the city of Greenbush in 1973. Mrs. Hutchinson died on March 13, 1991. Shortly after her death, Lloyd moved to Wisconsin. He had been a nursing home resident at Menomonie, WI for the part few years.

Lloyd loved working with horses.

Lloyd is survived by one son, Frank of Detroit Lakes; two daughters, Adelyne Streiger of Aurora, CO and Donna Rinowski of Rochester; 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; three sons, Charles, Roland and Dwaine; one brother and one sister.

Otelia Lokstad, 86

Warren — Otelia Lokstad, 86, died on Thursday, September 14 at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Warren.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, September 20 at 10:30 a.m. at the Evangelical Free Church in Newfolden with Rev. Gary Barrett officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Beverly Lindstrom and Soloists Albin and Ivy Folden. Selections are "Home Sweet Home" and "At the End of the Road." Congregational hymns are "It Is Well With My Soul" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers will be Leslie Folden, Raynard Huglen, Morris Hansen, Maynard Hjelle, Floyd Hanson and Carroll Curtiss. Interment will be in the Folden Cemetery, New Folden township, Marshall county with Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Otelia Lokstad was born on March 11, 1909 in New Folden township, Marshall county, the daughter of John and Elen (Ostangen) Lokstad. She attended and graduated from Newfolden high school in 1927 with the distinction of Valedictorian. She stayed and worked on the family farm all her life. Otelia often worked with her brother John who manufactered rolling pins. She always enjoyed family and friends who stopped at the house.

She attended the Evangelical Free Church in Newfolden and also a member of the Free Church Women's Ministry.

Otelia is survived by two nieces, Lois Jean Benish of Tobaccoville, NC and Shirley Schoenfeld of LaCrosse, WI; one nephew, David Lokstad of Newfolden and several great niece and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Oliver, Ingvard, Albert, Hans and John and sisters, Emma and Clara.

Gunda Syrtveit, 85

McIntosh — Gunda Syrtveit, 85, of McIntosh, formerly of rural Oklee, died Sunday, September 17 at the Fosston First Care Hospital.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, September 20 at 10:30 a.m. in the Oak Park Lutheran Church, rural Trail, with Rev. Philip Lehmann officiating. Special music will be provided by organist and soloist Grace Hammer. Selections will be "How Great Thou Art" and "The Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns are "Beautiful Savior," "Rock of Ages" and "Just As I Am."

Casketbearers will be Ole Watne, Larry Watne, Les Watne, Ron Christianson, Warren Solheim ond David Carlson. Interment will be in the Clearwater Lutheran Cemetery near Oklee with Petterson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Gunda Olene Syrtveit was bom on October 7, 1909, the daughter of Ole and Laura (Olson) Watne, at Gully.

She was stricken with polio when she was a young girl, so she traveled with her father back and forth to Sister Kenny hospitol in Minneapolis for treatment.

She ottended school in Trail and Crookston. Later, she worked for Dr. Shedlove in Fosston and moved to Oklee and worked as a telephone operator.

On November 11, 1933, she was united in marriage to Alfred Syrtveit. The couple farmed north of Oklee.

Gunda spent her time helping on the farm, cooking, gardening and canning. She enjoyed sewing, embroidery work, crocheting and music.

Alfred passed away March 25, 1967.

Gunda worked at Arctic Cat for 11 and one half years. She was also involved with the Clearwater Ladies Aid and also served in the Farmers Union Board in Oklee. Gunda lived on her son Oren's farm until 1991 when she entered the McIntosh Manor.

She is survived by two sons, Oren of Oklee and Orlo of Westby, MT; one daughter Lois Tryan of Flaxville, MT; fiver grandchildren; three stepgrandchildren; eight great grandchildren; sisters, Corrie Christianson of Winger, Vye Norgaard of Gully and one brother Lewis Watne of Clearbrook Nursing Home and severol nieces ond nephews.

Florence Peterson, 90

Fargo, ND — Florence Emelia Peterson, 90, formerly of Middle River, died ot Dakota Hospitol in Fargo, ND on Soturday, September 9.

Funeroi services were held Wednesdoy, September 13 at Bethlehem Lutheron Church of Newfolden with Postor John Jorgenson officiating. Speciol music was provided by organist Sheilo Nelson ond vocalist Barb Geer. Selections were "Lord I'm Coming Home" ond "Amozing Grace." Congregational hymns were "Just as I Am" ond "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were oll of Florence's grandchildren. Interment was in Spruce Valley Cemetery in Middle River with Collins Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Florence Peterson was bom ot Moose River township, Marshall county, near Gatzke on September 28, 1904, the daughter of Elling and Josephine (Luthen) Knutson. She ottended school and grew to womanhood in the Middle River Cammunity. She was baptized in the Lutheran faith.

On March 6, 1923, Florence was united in morriage to Elmer E. Peterson ot Middle River. The couple lived and farmed in the Middle River community for many years. Elmer passed oway January 4, 1981, ond o short time later, Florence moved into Middle River.

A few years later, she moved to Newhall, CA where she resided for seven yeors. She then moved to Bagley. She later moved to Newfolden to live with her daughter Sharon. She later lived with her daughter Audrey at Lakeville, CT. For the past six months, she hos resided with doughter Margaret ot Fargo, ND.

She wos o member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church of Newfolden.

She is survived by four sons, Ervin, Floyd and Ronnie, oll of Thief River Falls and Elmer Jr. of Fargo, ND; six daughters, Margaret Johnson, Fargo, ND, Hazel Herk, Vergas, Audrey Peterson, Fargo, ND, Shirley Lorraine Stacey, Riverside, CA, Lilo Knutson, Bagley ond Sharon Gustofson, Newfolden; 34 grandchildren; 40 great-grandchildren; three greot-great-grandchildren; one brother, Archie Knutson, Thief River Falls and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband; parents; one son, Donald; one daughter, Donna; one sister, Mabel and two brothers.

Heritage board donated $600 from its bingo fund to the Salvation Army. Pictured above, Frank Womeck, president of the Heritage board, presents the donation to Ken Froschhaiser, Thief River Falls Police Chief and chairman of the local Salvation Army Unit.

Star News

Meyme Johnson
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Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Hanson.

Friday, Jennifer Kotrba visited at the Norman Adams home. Jennifer also visited with her Aunt Elaina Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ, a houseguest of the Norman Adams home.

Cyclists say Americans are friendlier than most

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

Two European bicyclists who stopped briefly in Thief River Falls last Thursday said they have found people in the United States to be more friendly than in either Europe or Canada and that they are enjoying the dip down into the United States on their cross-country trip.

Don Martin, 30 of Inverness, Scotland and Robin Baldwin, 39 of Twickenham, England didn't start their ocean-to-ocean trip together. Each started on his own and Baldwin had been on the road five days when he chanced to meet Martin and they decided to travel together.

They were just about to leave a local fast food restaurant where they had been lured into stopping by a sign advertising a steak sandwich for 99 cents—an offer which Martin couldn't refuse—when they took a few minutes to visit about their travels.

Robin Baldwin said he undertook the cross-country trip which began at Vancouver, BC, September 1 as a training exercise for his winter job—as a ski guide in France. His intent was to cycle from the Pacific to the Atlantic (at Boston, MA) and then ride on up to Toronto and catch a plane back to England.

Martin, on the other hand, has been riding bicycle around Canada, the United States and points both north and south for nearly the past six years. He earned his college degree in biology and now believes it may be time for him to go home and see if he can get a job in that field.

This little coast-to-coast jaunt is just another phase in the odyssey. Baldwin said he had traveled 1,639 miles since leaving Vancouver September 1 to reach Thief River Falls September 14.

Martin had traveled just a bit more, heading from Edmonton on up the Alaska highway and then circling around to come back down the Cassiar Highway, but he had no odometer on his bicycle. Their best day in traveling together totaled 150 miles. They tried to average about 100 miles a day. Wind was the main factor in determining their distance.

Martin said his long bicycle trip in 1993-94 had taken him from a start above Vancouver on the western edge of Canada to Chile in South America. The trip took six months and covered thousands of miles.

While Don didn't have a job to take time off from, Robin does have ski guide job in the winter. He is a professional dancer by trade and owns several properties in London which he rents out "...to Americans, actually, because they are too expensive for Europeans." He says the income isn't great, but it is good enough to allow him to do what he wants to do.

Don and Robin said they had breakfast that morning in North Dakota and "a young lad" had come to their table and visited with them, then left before they did. When they went to the counter to pay their check, they were informed it had already been paid by the man who had been talking with them.

"That was very nice," Baldwin said, "but we're sorry we couldn't thank him. No one knew who he was or where he was from or if he would be back again so we could leave our names and our thanks. It will rank right up there in our memories of pleasant things that happened to us."

Robin Baldwin (left) of Twickenham, England and Don Martin of Inverness, Scotland, stopped in Thief River Falls briefly last Thursday enroute from the Pacific Ocean to the Atlantic Ocean.

First National Bank observes anniversary

First National Bank, with banking facilities in Thief River Falls and Middle River, will be celebrating its 50th anniversary with on open house in Thief River Falls Thursdoy, September 28, and another Friday, September 29, in Middle River.

Coffee and cookies will be served ot the open houses and there will be drawings for o Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce gift certificate or Middle River Merchant Bucks. Public attendance is invited.

In conjunction with the Middle River Goose Festival, the bank will also serve o free breakfast Sunday, October 1, from 10 a.m. to noon ot the Spruce Volley Community Center in Middle River.

Middle River State Bank opened in January of 1945 with $25,000 in capital. First officers were Oscar Schenkey, president; Henry Young, vice president; S. J. Bredeson, cashier; and Emmo Aune Anderson, assistant cashier.

Joining Schenkey and Young on the board of directors were John Asiolo, Victor Berg ond Wolter Johnson. All board members were incorporators, olong with W. C. Wolton, G. O. Overvold, Emil Peterson and Harold Johnson.

Emmo Anderson served as cashier of the bank from 1967 until her retirement in 1992. George Fricker joined the bank in March of 1955 as director ond cashier ond was the monaging officer of the bank until his retirement in 1967. Alice Matero was o teller in the bank from 1957 to 1971.

Cecil Pogotchnik assumed the position of president in 1967 ond his brother Lowell succeeded him in 1968. The bank war converted to First national Bank in 1969 and Lowell Pogatchnik resigned in 1973.

James Kayfes was chairman of the board of directors from 1973 to 1976. Curt Neumann, current bank president, joined the bank in 1972 as o vice president ord became president and director in 1973, the same year Ervin Peterson joined the bonk as a director. Neumann's wife, Terryl, joined the bank in 1971 as o teller, became assistant cashier in 1975 and o director in 1976. Peterson's wife, Betty, also was elected to the position of director in 1984.

Long-time employees who joined the Middle River bank in the 1970s include Clayton Troskey, bronch president; LeMae Rybo, cashier; JoAnn Anderson and Jean Beito. Scottie Peterson was employed by the bank as o teller in 1984 and become on officer ond director in 1987.

Ervin Peterson was president of the bonk from 1988 to 1992, at which time Curt Neumonn ogain became president.

In May of 1994 the charter of the bonk was relocoted to Thief River Folls where o new building hod been constructed on highway 59 south. The Middle River office began operating as o branch.

At that time the total assets of the bonk were $12,500,000 and they hove since grown to the current level of $25,800,000. The original capital of $25,000 in 1945 has grown to approximately $2 million.

Current staff members in oddition to Curt Neumann, Scottie Peterson, Clayton Troskey, LeMae Ryba, JoAnn Anderson ond Jean Beito include Morty Johnson and Roger Philipp, vice presidents; Connie Manke, assistant vice president; Marie Adoms, heod teller; Lorrie Rose, Judy Johnson, Rebecca Vigstol, Gloria Lee, Laura Toren, Brendo Pals and Michelle Samuelson.

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Floyd and Fern Hesse visited over Labor Day weekend in Elk River with their daughter and granddaughters Diana, Amanda and Erica Grindo. On Sunday they attended the Memorial service honoring the Minnesota Medal of Honor recipients and all World War II Veterans at the Fort Snelling Chapel. It was a very impressive ceremony in which Floyd was included. After touring the Fort, they made it a full day by going to the Mall of America, visiting friends Bill and Carol Christian and her parents of Bloomington and also visited with Wade and Sarah Grindo at Sarah's aunt in Bloomington. Dennis Hesse accompanied them for the day so they visited at his home in Elk River before they came home on Monday.

Floyd and Fern Hesse were treated to supper at the American Legion in Thief River Falls on Friday evening by Bruce and Shelly Hesse of North Branch. They were here to attend the wedding of Neil Mattison and Linda Hesse on Saturday.

Edna Hyde hosted the Presbyterian Ladies Aid on Wednesday afternoon at her home. Ruth Wilkens presided over the afternoon and led in the Bible study with Edna serving lunch.

Gaylene Ness, a former resident of Plummer, and Lorna Huotari visited Amelia Eskeli on Tuesday.

Jim and Deb DuChamp, Marci DuChamp and Bunny DuChamp returned home on Monday after spending a few days with Mark and Jana Grenum and boys of Minneapolis and attending the State Fair in Falcon Heights. While there Jana, Tim, Sam and Bunny visited with their aunt, Martha Bamlatt at the Lyngblomsten Care Center in St. Paul.

Welca Meets

The Women at Immanuel met last Thursday afternoon at the church parlors with President Lucille Kvasager presiding over the meeting. Bunny DuChamp and Gerde Koskela gave the Secretary and Treasurer's reports. Plans were finalized for the church supper to be held on September 30th. The Joy circle presented a program on "Helping the Needy People" with Hazel Ollie in charge assisted by other members of the circle. Hostesses were Fern Eskeli, Bea Larson and Dorothy Myhre.

Richard Fossum of Chippewa Falls, WI spent a few days visiting his parents Art and Gloria Fossum and attended the funeral for his uncle Eugene Carpenter.

Orlin Van Devenier of Minnetonka was a Thursday morning caller at the home of Ruth Wilkens.

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Dee and Anderson Student Rotarians

Nick Dee and Keith Anderson, seniors at Lincoln high school, are serving as Student Rotarians with the Thief River Falls Rotary Club for the month of September.

Nick is the son of Wally and Mary Sjaaheim of Thief River Falls. He is captain of the wrestling team where he has won the Hardest Working Wrestler and Irv Wilson awards. He participates in football, track and cross country, being named to the Academic All-State team in cross country in 1993 and the Academic All-State team in football in 1994.

Nick works at the Kmart store in Thief River Falls and is a member of St. Bernard's Catholic Church. His hobbies include weightlifting, hunting, fishing and mountain biking.

Other members of his family include Carly Dee, 19; Mandy Sjaaheim, 18; Aaron Sjaaheim, 16; and Reid Sjaaheim, 11.

Nick has applied for both West Point and the Reserve Officers Training Corps and plans an engineering major in college.

Nick Dee

Keith Anderson

Keith is the son of Rory and Helen Anderson of Thief River Falls and is involved in high school athletics as well as other activities. He is captain of the football, tennis and hockey teams, voted most valuable in tennis as a sophomore and junior and most valuable in hockey as a junior. He lettered in tennis in grades 8-11, hockey in grades 10 and 11 and football in grade 11.

He is a member of the National Honor Society, an Academic All-State champion in football, sings in concert choir and Swingsations jazz choir, was Sno-Fest king as a freshman, homecoming attendant in grades 9 and 11 and a member of Project-4-Teens.

Keith's hobbies and interests include snowmobiling, hunting, hockey, football, tennis and golf. He has two brothers, Kyle 15 and Robby 12.

Keith plans on enrolling in pre-med in college with a view toward becoming a radiologist or anesthesiologist.

Student Rotarians attend the Monday noon dinner meetings of the Thief River Falls Rotary Club and report on activities at Lincoln high school for the week.

Sarah Holmstrom, a 1993 graduate of Lincoln high school, currently studying psychology at Moorhead State University, has been awarded a $250 St. Hilaire Lions scholarship from the Thief River Falls Education Foundation.

Viking

Melvin Grandstrand celebrated his birthday from Thursday to Sunday with family members coming at various times. Those who visited were Ward and Barb Sinn, Jim and Angie Hoglo, Liza and Seth of Thief River Falls, Gordon and Lyla Grandstrand of Stephen, Dale and Beth Grandstrand from Karlstad, Also Barnica Hultgran from Kennedy, Dean and Patti, Grandstrand, Conner and Chelsea from Viking. Keith and Earl Grandstrand were up from the Cities a week ago.

Lona Ranum is attending a Bible Camp near Motley

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Olivia Jo Kilen celebrated her second birthday August 17. A party was held last Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Doug and Cindi Kilen. Those present included Olivia's sister and brother, Jada and Kolton, along with Roger Solum, Rebecca Solum, Calla Karopatnicki, Kani Nelson, and Pela, Valaria, Andrew and Rebekah Solum all of Thief River Falls, Sharon Kilen, Lori Kilen of Middle River, Wayne and Shirley Kilen of Holt, James Kilen of Dickinson, ND, Rachel, Rory and Randi Green of Greenbush and Karmit, Bonnie, Casey and Carson Solum of Cameroon, West Africa. Olivia enjoyed an evening of opening presents and her decorated birthday cake.

Tuesday of last week, Frederick Meyers of Granite Falls stopped in at the Bert Kron home to visit his sister and brother-in-law on his way to Montana to visit friends.

Darral and Shirley Swenson visited at the Liz Swenson home in Thief River Falls on Saturday evening.

Ken Wakerhauser of Sun City, AZ was a houseguest of Douglas and Doris Glauda in Warren before coming to Viking on Sunday. Following Sunday morning worship service at the Covenant church he and the Sustads drove to Strathcona where they enjoyed the activities of the Northland Steam Threshing Bee. They then were coffee guests at the Albin and Ivle Folden home in rural Newfolden. Ken and the Foldens have close friendship relations, especially during the winter months in Arizona and when Ken's wife Margy (Tamall) was still living. Ken has been a houseguest at the Sustads during his stay here. On Monday he and the Sustads called on cousins in Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stark, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sackett and at the Orville Peters home.

On Friday night, Bart and Joyce Kron visited with Sharon and Bill Hoglo.

Liz Swenson was a Sunday night supper guest at the Floyd Erickson home.

On Monday evening, Ken Wakerhauser of Sun City, AZ and LeRoy Sustad had an enjoyable evening of fellowship with Raymond Drotts at his home.

Allen Swanson enjoyed Sunday at the Northland Threshing Bee east of Strathcona.

Ken Wakerhauser left Viking on Tuesday morning heading for Duluth through Wisconsin and Michigan and a few other states before arriving back in Arizona by October 1st.

Supper guests at the Maynard Ranum home a week ago Monday were Margaret and Dol Lind from Lakeville, Sidney and Clarisa Ranum, Lloyd Ranum Marcellena Greendhaue and Elsie Hadik of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjervan attended the funeral for Arthur Efterfield at Big Woods Lutheran church. Lillian Sundby accompanied them.

Leonard Larson and his son, Bruce and grandchildren, Sarah and John attended the Steam Threshing Bee at Strathcona on Sunday. They attended church, ate breakfast and enjoyed the day and ate supper at Strathcona Paradise Cafe.

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Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
696-4479

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Velma Kathman and Jay Reese of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Riel and daughter Kristie and a friend of Cloquet, Russell Hince, Evangeline Grove and Mrs. Mable Babburn.

Mrs. Eleanore Hodgson of Red Lake Falls hosted a dinner party in honor of Mrs. Dorothy Myhre with Dorothy, Adelaid Mae of Mentor, Chet and Lorraine Brown of Red Lake Falls, Edna Hyde and granddaughter Jesse Hodgson of Red Lake Falls as guest to help Dorothy celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel, Deon and Pam Deck and Tyler of Warroad, Bob and Emilie Brenner of Oklee were Friday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Ann Hince. little Tyler celebrated his 6th birthday with a special birthday cake and gifts. Happy Birthday Tyler.

Dianna Davis and son Larry of Grand Rapids, Sarah Johnson of Crookston, visited Ben and Ethel Riendeau at Maple Lake on Saturday and attended the Blast to Brooks celebration.

Charlie and Lora Johnson of Oklee entertained Sunday evening with Linus and Ruth Carriere of Spring Lake Park, Jim and Barb Laniel, Tis and Beau of Prior Lake, Mike and Dianne Laniel of Minneapolis, Gary and Joan Carpenter of Jamestown, ND, Arnie and Alice Cehalla of Hinckley, Darryl and Delores Grimm, Roger and Janel Welter, Eric, Kyle, Kristine and Marc of Plummer, Damn Grimm of Salol, Denise Grimm and Darby Zerfler of Williams, Deon and Pam Deck and Tyler and Pearl Laniel.

Entertainment Guide

OAK RIDGE **FALL BAZAAR**
Saturday, Sept. 30
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Baked Goods, Garden Produce, Craft Items and Noon Lunch
Coffee and Bars Served All Day
Recycling Information
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Immanuel Lutheran Church
FALL SUPPER
Sat., Sept. 30, 1995
4:30 - 8:00 p.m.
Plummer Community Hall
Turkey, Trimmings, Pie & Beverage
Prices: Adults - $5; 6-12 yrs. - $2.50; Preschool - Free
Co-sponsored by AAL #10106 & Lutheran Brotherhood Branch #8129

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Goodridge, MN
Sunday, October 1
11:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.
Roast beef and all the trimmings, salads, homemade desserts, coffee and milk.
CAKE WALK, FISH POND, BAKE SALE, RAFFLE, COUNTRY STORE AND FANCYWORK.
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17 Senior Citizens Special $5.00 Off Bingo	18 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	19 Sea Food Buffet	20 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	21 Steak Night $5.00	22 Try The Noon Buffet	23 2 For 1 On All Levels At Bingo
24 Hat & T-Shirt Day At Bingo	25 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m.	26 Italian Food Buffet	27 Breakfast Special Free Cup With Breakfast	28 Steak Night $5.00	29 Prime Rib & Walleye Special	30 September Birthdays $5.00 off Bingo

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Polaris stock split of three-for-two is announced

Polaris Industries Inc. on Thursday announced a three-for-two stock split to be effected in the form of a stock dividend. One additional share of common stock will be issued on or about October 17 for every two shares of common stock held by shareholders of record on September 25.

The company also announced the declaration of a quarter 13 cents per share dividend payable on or about November 13 to shareholders of record on November 1.

After giving effect to the three-for-two split, the 13 cents per share regular cash dividend represents, in the aggregate, a 30 per cent increase from the quarterly dividend previously paid by the company in 1995.

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Entertainment Guide

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MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
SEPT. 18 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 COOTIE SCRATCH	SEPT. 19 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	SEPT. 20 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	SEPT. 21 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	SEPT. 22 FISH FRY 5:30-8 DANCE 9-1 "DEALER'S CHOICE"	SEPT. 23 BAR BINGO 5-6:30
SEPT. 25 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	SEPT. 26 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	SEPT. 27 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	SEPT. 28 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	SEPT. 29 DANCE 9-1 "MARSHALL JONES BAND"	SEPT. 30 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 AUX. SR. CITZ. LUNCHEON NOON

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BINGO 2:00 p.m.
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MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
SEPT. 18 AUXILIARY MEETING 8:00 P.M. WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	SEPT. 19 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "ELDON LARSON"	SEPT. 20	SEPT. 21 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 22 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 23 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.
SEPT. 25 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	SEPT. 26 AERIE MEETING 8:30 P.M.	SEPT. 27	SEPT. 28 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 29 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 30 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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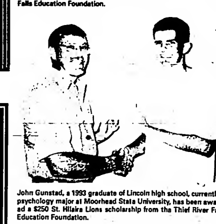
Brad Cota, a 1994 graduate of Lincoln high school, currently studying business at the University of North Dakota, has been awarded a $250 St. Hilaire Lions scholarship from the Thief River Falls Education Foundation.



John Gunstad, a 1993 graduate of Lincoln high school, currently a psychology major at Moorhead State University, has been awarded a $250 St. Hilaire Lions scholarship from the Thief River Falls Education Foundation.

Heart recipient supports donor card proposal

Gary Rux of Thief River Falls, who received a heart transplant several years ago, has joined in support of a bill introduced in Congress by Reps. Dick Durbin and Dave Camp and Sen. Byron Dorgan.

The legislation would direct the Secretary of the Treasury to enclose with each income tax refund check mailed between February 1 and June 30 of next year an insert card encouraging organ donation.

The insert would include a detachable organ donor card and a message urging recipients to sign the card, tell their families about their willingness to be an organ donor and encourage family members to request or authorize organ donation if the occasion arises.

"I want you to know that I support this legislation with all of my NEW HEART," Rux wrote in letters to the bill's sponsors. "I have enclosed a few of the articles to give you an idea of what my past few years have been like. As you can see, I have firsthand knowledge of what it is like to spend over two years dying, not knowing for sure if I would be around to provide for my family."

Rux said he considers himself to be "the luckiest man alive!" There are many, he writes, who are not so lucky and it is they who need and deserve our sympathy.

"Fortunately for them, you are in a position to do more than simply offer sympathy," Rux states in his letters. "I thank you on behalf of the many individuals who are waiting, and dying, at this very moment. Bear in mind as you promote this legislation that some of these individuals who are dying are just children. I believe they deserve a chance, and with your and our support, perhaps they can have that chance."

Cost of the insert cards is estimated at $210,000 and about 70 million households would receive the appeal—most of them involving adults who are younger than retirement age. For most organ transplants, it is best if the donor is between the ages of 15 and 65.

More than 40,000 people are now on waiting lists for an organ transplant, including more than 1,400 children and more than 25,000 people who must have dialysis treatments while waiting for a kidney to become available. More than 3,000 people on the waiting list will die this year before receiving a transplant and another potential recipient is added to the waiting list every 18 minutes.

"By encouraging organ donation and emphasizing the importance of family discussion," states the Association of Organ Processing Organizations, "this legislation could expand the pool of potential donors, increase the likelihood that families will authorize donation for their loved ones and reduce the number of people who die while waiting for transplants."

Rux is offering to pay the entire cost of form letters for as many individuals as are willing to assist with the campaign in support of the legislation. He may be contacted at his office (218-681-1133) or home (218-681-6039).

Brooks

Tim and Tracy Novak and Anna of Seattle, WA were Thursday evening dinner guests of Walter and Monica Novak.

Mrs. Dione Plonte, Evangeline Grove and Dorrin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Walter and Monica Novak and Ray attended a family reunion picnic held at the Jerome Novak home on Saturday when at this time they celebrated birthdays.

Mrs. Sherrie Engen and sons of Thief River Falls and Ross Arit of Plummer visited Walter and Willie Ketschke on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Jane Kembre, Renie Grove of Mentor, Ricky Grove, Rochael Carlson, Evangeline Grove, Dorrin Grove of Oklee visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Saturday.

MARKETS

as of Monday, September 18

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.60
New Crop 95	4.60
Spring Wheat #2	4.30
Winter Wheat	4.25
Durum	6.00
Top Malting Barley	2.75
Feed Barley	1.95
Top Milling Oats	1.65
Ordinary Oats	1.50
Oil Sunflowers	11.40
New Crop 95	10.90
Corn	2.55
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.50
Soybeans	5.85
Buckwheat	10.25
Confectionery Sunflowers	12.00
Conola	11.00

Time off during his four weeks as a camp counselor at an International Scout Center in England, allowed Jon Hendrickson to explore some of the historical landmarks in England.

During four weeks as a camp counselor at an International Scout Center in England, Jon Hendrickson made several new friends: (from left) Louise Smith of Birmingham, a Venture Scout; Jon Hendrickson of Thief River Falls; Alea Wilson of Birmingham, a Venture Scout; and Gill Battle of Birmingham, a Venture Scout.

Hendrickson travels as Scout counselor

(Continued from Page 1)

Thief River Falls. Hendrickson is preparing to enter his second year at South Dakota State University on an Air Force ROTC scholarship. He is pursuing a degree in environmental engineering, which is a double major. Even though the Scout exchange program paid for half of his airfare, along with his food and accommodations, travel on a student's budget is almost an impossible dream. That problem was solved with some help from the American Legion, Elks Club, Eagles Club, VFW, and Minnesota Deer Hunters Association in Thief River Falls.

Overall, the experience was very rewarding. Hendrickson Intends to keep in touch with many of the people he met while at the camp. Other than several new friends in England, he also met a scout from Columbia, and one from Germany. Hendrickson said the staff members at the camp were very friendly and helpful. "I guess that goes with Scouting," he said.

In an atmosphere mixed with different cultures, heritage and where most of the participants came from large cities, there are bound to be differences of opinion. Hendrickson learned that many people believe Americans are participating in a new form of expansionism — impressing their values and beliefs on others. Hendrickson said because of this view he tried hard to just observe — and there was much to observe.

Each week Hendrickson also had an opportunity to spend one day visiting castles, churches, and many historical sites. He took the opportunity to visit Shakespeare's birth place, Piccadilly Circus, Buckingham Palace, Big Ben, the Houses of Parliament, West Minster Abbey, the Tower of London, and London Bridge, and many other sites. Despite some minor language barriers, he remarked on how easy it is to get around in London, a city of about 11 million.

Hendrickson said he found the English accent a little confusing at first. Scouts and counselors quickly made adjustments. For Jon, it was necessary as he was in charge of teaching young scouts, age 10 to 16, how to rappel. Simple slang, of the type used in everyday speech, could cause confusion. It also became a challenge for English students to translate American phrases into terms they understood. Differences are worked out quickly when one is hanging from a thin rope over a precipice.

Overall, Hendrickson said the young Scouts were intensely interested in America and where he was from — once they got over the mistaken belief that he was from Australia. Jon explained that he wore a wide-brimmed felt hat of the type apparently worn in Australia.

Jon said they were very interested in hunting. There are strict gun laws in England, even peace officers (Bobbies) don't wear guns. So friends and Scouts, mostly from inner cities, found hunting stories very peculiar. They also found it outrageous that someone would sit 16-feet up in a tree in November while it's nearly 30-degrees below 0-degrees fahrenheit waiting for a deer to walk by.

The concept of travel and distance was hard to accept for them as well. Hendrickson said a two hour trip for many at the camp was considered a major excursion. He explained that where he lived the nearest "major" city was about an hour to two hours away and many people make that trip fairly routinely. They also found it fascinating that a person could go camping and canoeing in the Boundary Waters and not see another person for several days.

The International Scout Center was probably as remote as many of the young Scouts had ever experienced. Hendrickson said, however, that when he wrote back home about the camp's swimming pool, the fact that it was located on 50 acres next to a large suburb, and that he was living in a small mobile home, his dad thought it sounded more like a resort than a camp.

Though Hendrickson has now travelled to England and back, he might not ever be able to scrape off the good Minnesota dirt from the bottom of his shoes. He said during the entire time he was in England, he didn't see one pick-up truck.

Hendrickson is the son of Clark and Anita Hendrickson of Thief River Falls. In Thief River Falls he was a member of Troop 57 of St. Bernard's Church. Upon successful completion of his degree at SDSU, he will serve four to eight years with the United States Air Force.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

The days of going without a jacket came to a sudden halt today in Northwest Minnesota, the thermometers couldn't get the mercury much over the 30 mark and now it's beginning to rain. We had a lovely fall and perhaps we may get some of the "bright blue weather of October" that the poet wrote about when I was in school. The beet loaders are starting to work and we have to be happy for them as if it is too warm they can't dig the beets and if too cold the problem is the same. But let's not forget who made each day and be as happy as we can be.

The Strandquist seniors went to Drayton on Wednesday the 13th for a trip, the fruit of their labors. They went to the Shirt Factory, KFR Limited where they demonstrated how they made stencils for the painting of shirts. They enjoyed turkey dinner with all the trimmings at the Senior Center. In the afternoon they toured the facility of the Teasdale Manor and were entertained by the Grafton Kitchen band. On the way home they shopped at Landowski's store.

Thursday, Pearl Thompson and Elsta Lalranth accompanied Betsy Thompson to Mane Johnson for WMC.

Larina Berggran also visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachtar this past week.

I was told that the lady who always had potato bugs on her most wanted list had been up from her penthouse in the Cities and I didn't get to see her. There are no potato bugs in your garden if you haven't planted any spuds there this year, Ebba. I sure miss you a lot.

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Newfolden

Monday afternoon visitors at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Keri Josme and Collin.

Sunday, Beverly Erickson attended the Team Penning at Thief River Falls.

Worthless check citations listed

Disposition of several violations for issuance of worthless checks issued were listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin during the past week.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Mark Edward Browne, Thief River Falls, 31, driving after cancellation, $682.50 or 60 days in jail; Colleen Michelle Fesko, Thief River Falls, 25, issuance of dishonored checks, $142.50, $34.78 restitution; Colleen Michelle Fesko, Thief River Falls, 25, issuance of worthless checks, $142.50, $120 restitution; Holly Susan Howe, Thief River Falls, 44, issuance of dishonored checks, $257.50, $142.98 restitution; Joseph Daniel McCraw, Thief River Falls, 29, issuance of worthless checks, $142.50, $60 restitution; Robert Oakgrove, Redby, 56, driving while intoxicated, $467.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years;

Debbie Lynn Haugen, Badger, 36, issuance of dishonored checks, $5, $50 restitution; Mothusi Emmanuel Khupe, St. Paul, 26, issue dishonored checks, $247.50, $50 restitution; Todd James Kruse, St. Hilaire, 27, 78/55, $99; Dale Henry Merhkens, Thief River Falls, 20, issuance of dishonored checks, $247.50, $93 restitution; Jeannine Terese Oliver, Duluth, 21, issuance of worthless checks, $52.50, $22.47 restitution; Christian Garner Stephenson, Hutchinson, 20, issuance of worthless checks, $147.50, $90.15 restitution;

Mark C. Fesko, Thief River Falls, 29, issuance of dishonored checks, $80, $52.01 restitution; Mark C. Fesko, Thief River Falls, 29, issuance of worthless checks, $35, $91.59 restitution; Lee John Haugen Jr., Thief River Falls, 19, issue dishonored checks, $70, $648.83 restitution, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed; Kara Renae Rinde, Badger, 21, issue dishonored checks, $264.58 restitution, 20 days in jail stayed for one year; Paula Marie Rud, Thief River Falls, 20, issue dishonored checks, $167.50, $168.88 restitution;

Heather Joy Dalzell, Thief River Falls, 19, issue dishonored checks, $152.50 or 30 days in jail, $93.70 restitution; Jeffrey Christopher Hahn, Fridley, 24, 72/55, $87.50; Debbie Lynn Haugen, Badger, 36, issue worthless checks, $147.50, $110 restitution; Gina Olise Olson, Thief River Falls, 26, issue of dishonored checks, $177.50, $134.33 restitution; Stephen Louis Paulos, Madison, AL, 37, 86/55, $133.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Donovan Burns Johnson, Thief River Falls, 63, failure to report an accident, $68.50; Walter August Wolberg, no address listed, 81, disorderly conduct, $150; William Marvin Yonke, Thief River Falls, 21, inattentive driving, $122.50.

Paul Ray Adelman, Thief River Falls, 25, no insurance on motor vehicle, $410; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, no Minnesota driver's license, $65; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, no driver's license, $65; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, no Minnesota driver's license, $65; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, no driver's license, $65; Nancy Irene Homme, Thief River Falls, 43, no insurance on motor vehicle, inattentive driving, $432.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year;

Terry Allen Benson, Thief River Falls, 23, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Randall Walter Naeseth, Thief River Falls, 30, allowing a dog to run at large, $36.50; Joseph Edward Sabol, Thief River Falls, 18, inattentive driving, $122.50; Diane Kay Tiani, Newfolden, 33, overtime parking, $22.50; Lloyd Marion Urdahl, Thief River Falls, 81, stop sign violation, $76.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Kelly Marie Clark, Thief River Falls, 17, 81/55, $133.50; Rodney Wayne Harder, Thief River Falls, 27, possession/open container/passenger, $180; Tara Lynn Wittman, Warren, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Kurt Michael Quam, Goodridge, 22, 71/55, $87.50; Larry Scott Segebarth, Omaha, NE, 29, 75/55, $87.50; Troy Alan Tadych, Fertile, 32, 65/55, $64.50; Shane Douglas Wahl, Thief River Falls, 27, 73/55, seat belt violation, open bottle/driver, $239.75; Susan Wiebe, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 55, 65/55, $64.50;

Steven Michael Allepeter, Red Lake Falls, 18, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; William Raymond Greaver, Fosston, 28, 75/55, $87.50; James Matthew Lomen, Thief River Falls, 24, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Jason Lee Magnuson, Fargo, ND, 25, 65/55, $64.50; Vernon Norman Nelson, Oklee, 59, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail with all but one day stayed;

Derrek David Dakken, Grand Forks, ND, 21, 65/55, $64.50; Kathryn Elizabeth Mitchell, Abilene, TX, 19, 70/55, $87.50; Roy Joseph Simon, Webster, 40, 65/55, $64.50; Kenneth Alan Geske, Thief River Falls, 22, seat belt violation, $47.25; Jason Robert Homme, Thief River Falls, 18, 65/55, seat belt violation, $111.75; John William Johnson, Warren, 51, 65/55, $64.50.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Thursday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and granddaughters Michelle and Monica Johnson were visitors and dinner guests on Thursday at the Marla Naeseth home.

Saturday, Katie Anderson spent the evening with Tanya at the Larry Nerhus home.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with her grandmother, Bonnie Johnsrud, at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening.

Tuesday afternoon those who gave birthday greetings to Leonard Johnson were Anne Kriel, and Hazel Huot of Thief River Falls, Linda Broehar of Eden Prairie, Phylis Wikert of Thorhult and Brenda Dahlen and Bernice Johnson. They all enjoyed birthday cake with Leonard. Leonard also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Leonard!

Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba visited during the week with her sister, Debbie Hanson in Thief River Falls.

Emily Bjorklie and Lucas Bjorklie were overnight guests on Sunday at the Gene Marquis home.

Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes came on Saturday morning to visit at the Leonard Johnson home. Curtis also helped his dad with some work. Curtis left for his home on Sunday night.

Wednesday evening, Ruby Anderson of Thief River Falls and Granddaughter Kacey Anderson brought birthday greetings and a gift to Mrs. Dale Anderson.

Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alisse were visitors on Sunday evening at the Greg Helgman home.

Saturday, September 23rd, a turkey supper and all the trimmings will be served starting at 4 o'clock at the Ekelund Lutheran church. A quilt will also be raffled off that evening.

Marlin Kotrba and Jason were visitor and dinner guests on Saturday at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Tuesday, Jarod Hougen was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Bruce Solberg brought birthday greetings and a gift to Mrs. Dale Anderson on Wednesday.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at her grandparents home, the Clarence Johnson's on Tuesday.

Saturday visitors and those who enjoyed a barbecue supper at the Clarence Johnson home were Jason Naeseth, Joanna Johnson, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica along with Clarence and Mayme. Jean and the girls made the supper.

Labor Day in the afternoon, visitors and coffee guests at the Larry Kotrba home were Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ, Mrs. Bob Mislavic of Detroit Lakes and Mrs. Norman Adams.

Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt, ND spent Labor Day weekend visiting with her mother Shirley Johnsrud and also with other relatives.

Visitors on Thursday night at the Clarence Johnson home were Marlin Johnson of Thief River Falls, Joanna Johnson and Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica.

Tuesday, visitor and coffee guest at the Gene Marquis home was Clare Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday afternoon at the Alfred Iverson home. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson also visited with Gary Iverson of the Cities. Gary spent the Labor Day weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson and brother Leslie.

Mrs. David Sjulestad visited and had coffee on Saturday night with Karen and Howard Sjulestad.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Jodi and Jonna of Fairmont came on Thursday night to spend the Labor Day weekend at the Leonard Johnson home. While here the Jim Johnsons also visited at the Juell Charvoslod home. The Jim Johnson's left for their home on Monday.

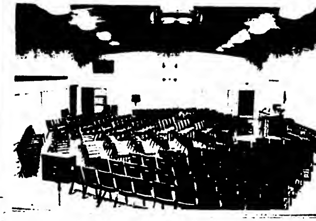
Saturday, Mrs. Gary Johnson, Joanne and Kylie were visitors at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorry Norhus, Trent and Tanya Verboul came with birthday greetings, a cake and gift to Mrs. Dale Anderson on Friday. Happy Birthday Susie.

Sunday night, Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors and lunch guests on Monday at the Ruby Anderson home in Thief River Falls.

Tuesday evening, Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.



Former gymnasium of Washington elementary school is now the sanctuary for the Thief River Falls Evangelical Free Church. The congregation purchased the school building from School District 564 for $525,121 in March and budgeted $60,000 for repairs and improvements.

In what was once the library at Washington elementary school, the Thief River Falls Evangelical Free Church has created a small chapel. Other areas of the 34,000-square-foot building are used for nursery, office area, classrooms, sanctuary, kitchen and storage.

Classrooms which once served public elementary school students are now being used for Sunday School rooms. Thief River Falls Evangelical Free Church purchased the Washington elementary school building early this year and have now used it for two weeks for Sunday School and worship services. The church offices are also located there.

School Lunch Menu

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Pancakes, syrup, sausage, apple sauce, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Fried eggs, bacon, toast, jelly, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Rolls, sausage, juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: French toast, syrup, sausage, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 25: Chicken nuggets, sauce, oven fries, corn, chocolate pudding, bread, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Cook's choice.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Sausage pizza, green beans, pineapple sauce, peanut butter bread, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Hot ham and cheese on a bun, lettuce, vegetable soup, grapes, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Tacos with meat sauce, lettuce, chips, tomato, shredded cheese, pineapple chucks, bread, milk.

Thief River Falls

Breakfast: Served daily in all schools from 7:45-8:22 a.m.
Breakfast Prices: Elementary Middle school and Lincoln 75¢/Student $2.20/Adult.
Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25; Middle school/$1.40; Lincoln High/$1.40; Adult/$2.20. 25¢ Extra milk.

LINCOLN
Toppings for Potato Bar: Chili, sour cream, shredded cheese, bacon bits, chopped ham.
"Taco Thursday" - Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2 tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.
In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes, and snack items.

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, muffin, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 25: 1-Chicken grill pattie on a bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: 1-Tacos and chips, fixings, pineapple, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: 1-Meatball sub with cheese, potato rounds, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.
Thursday, Sept. 28: 1-Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, roll, green beans, cherry dessert. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.
Friday, Sept. 29: 1-Hot ham and cheese on bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL
Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, muffin, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 25: 1-Chicken grill pattie on a bun, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: 1-Tacos and chips fixings, pineapple, bread, fruit choice. 2-Polish sausage on bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: 1-Meatball sub with cheese, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Thursday, Sept. 28: 1-Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, roll, fruit choice, cherry dessert. 2-Cheeseburger on bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Friday, Sept. 29: 1-Hot ham and cheese on a bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY
Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).
Thursday, Sept. 26: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.
Friday, Sept. 29: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, muffin.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 28: Chicken pattie on a bun, corn, fresh fruit.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Tacos and chips, cup of fixings, pineapple tidbits, bread, graham cracker.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Hamburger or cheeseburger on a bun, oven fries, apple/caramel dip.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, mixed fruit, cherry dessert.
Friday, Sept. 29: Hot ham and cheese on a bun, hash brown pattie, peaches.
- Menu subject to change.
- Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50; 2 cartons per day is $9.

Marshall County

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Donuts, rice krispies, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Egg and sausage biscuit, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Caramel roll, corn flakes, juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: French toast, syrup, fruit, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Oatmeal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 25: Pepperoni pizza, green beans, apple sauce, bread and milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Italian dunkers, meat sauce, lettuce salad, pear sauce, bread and milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Barbecued pork rib on a bun, whole kernel corn, fruit cup, bread and milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Vegetable beef soup, hamburger on a bun, pickles, fresh fruit, bread and milk.
Friday, Sept. 28: Taco tubs, lettuce and cheese, peas and carrots, peach sauce, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Pancakes, butter, syrup, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Cereal, mini muffins, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Donuts, granola mix, juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Cereal toast, juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Asst. rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 28: Barbeques on a bun, French fries, pickles, fresh fruit, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 28: Hot ham and cheese, green beans, pineapple, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Burritos with lettuce and cheese, vegetable tray, pears, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 26: Turkey gravy over mashed potatoes, vegetable sticks, whipped jello, PL. & P.B. bread, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Pepperoni pizza, corn, applesauce, milk.

Plummer

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Froot loops, cinnamon life, apple juice, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: cinnamon roll, Cheerios, orange juice, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Lemon muffin, Berry Berry Kix, cranapple juice, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Cinnamon roll, Rice Krispies, grape juice, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Coffee cake, cocoa puffs, apple juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 25: Pizza patties, potato roundabouts, lettuce salad, peach sauce, pudding on a stick.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Ham slice, AuGratin potatoes, green beans, dinner roll, melon wedges.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Spaghetti over meat sauce, lettuce, bread stix, applesauce.
Thursday, Sept. 26: Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberries, dinner roll, pineapple.
Friday, Sept. 29: Chicken Fajitas, southwest beans and rice, salsa, churros, melon wedges.

Senior Meals

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Sept. 25: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned broccoli cuts, orange ambrosia, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 26: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, corn O'Brien, creamy coleslaw, carrot cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 27: Roast beef, oven browned potatoes, parslied carrots, three bean salad, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Sept. 28: Sliced turkey with gravy, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, carrot raisin salad, apple crisp with topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Sept. 29: Baked fish almandine, O'Brien potatoes, tiny whole carrots, frosted angel food cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday evening, Sept. 25: Barbecue ribs, baked potato, green peas and green beans, roll, peach fluff, milk.

Tuesday, Sept. 26: Liver and onions, boiled potatoes, mixed veggies, roll, pumpkin bar, milk.

Wednesday, Sept. 27: Ham, scalloped potatoes, carrots, roll, apricots milk.

Thursday, Sept. 28: Pork chops, baked potatoes, beets, roll, pears, milk.

Friday, Sept. 29: Cooks choice, meat, potato, vegetables, roll, dessert, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:
Monday, Sept. 25: Milk, apple juice, muffins, Cheerios.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Milk, orange juice, toast, oatmeal.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Milk, apple juice, Corn Chex, toast with peanut butter.
Friday, Sept. 29: Milk, orange juice, scrambled eggs, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:
Monday, Sept. 25: Dakota hotdish, lettuce salad, boiled eggs, bread and butter, applesauce, milk.
Tuesday, Sept. 26: Cream of chicken, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, jellie cranberry, lemon jello with vegetable, vanilla pudding, milk.
Wednesday, Sept. 27: Cream of tomato soup, grilled cheese, pickles, saltines, sliced peaches, milk.
Thursday, Sept. 28: Tuna macaroni casserole, buttered peas, lime jello with pineapple, milk.
Friday, Sept. 29: Barbecued hamburgers, French fries, pickles, fruit cocktail, milk.

Goodridge

Sunday afternoon, Dawn Hanson, Clifton, Andrew, Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel visited at the Linda Ventura home at Oklee and helped Linda, Jason and Joramy move into their home. Dale Hanson came to the Ventura home later in the day. Other visitors at the Ventura home were Clifford and Gunda Haggo, Leona Stetto and Donnie Larson.

Evangelical Free Church using Washington elementary building

Thief River Falls Evangelical Free Church is now using the former Washington elementary school building for its worship services, Sunday school and offices. Sunday services have been held in the building for the past two weeks.

The congregation purchased the 34,000-square-foot elementary school on bids in March for a total of $525,121 and allocated $60,000 for repairs, improvements and furnishings.

"So far it has been working out quite well all the way around," notes Rev. Curtis D. Anderson, senior pastor. The pastoral staff also includes Rev. Melvin Sich, associate pastor and Rev. Edsel Lindquist, visitation pastor.

Members of the congregation have pitched in and provided a great deal of volunteer labor to paint inside and outside the building, do plumbing and cleaning, refinish some of the woodwork and expand the parking area on the west side of the structure.

Other improvements have included carpeting, installation of four chandeliers near the main entryway on the east side and purchase of 400 upholstered chairs for use in the former gymnasium and library, converted respectively for a sanctuary and small chapel.

Classrooms in the building are now used for Sunday school rooms and the kindergarten room has found a new use as a nursery. School office area is now the church office where secretary Carolyn Tronivet has room for the photocopier and there are separate offices for the pastors.

There was an average attendance of 275 people at Sunday services in 1994 and there are 229 people enrolled in Sunday School where classes are offered from preschool through adult. There are four adult classes plus a special class for mentally handicapped adults.

The former building used by the congregation was built by the Evangelical Free Church about 45 years ago at the corner of Kendall Avenue and Third Street. That church property, which includes a parking lot on the east side, is being offered for sale.

While the converted building is presently working well, more improvements and changes are in the offing. Work will have to be done to furnish the kitchen with necessary appliances since the school's equipment had been removed and the church's electric stoves don't match connections for the gas stoves which the school had used.

At some undetermined point in the future, the plan is to construct a new sanctuary to the southwest —tucked into the inside corner of the L-shaped building. One thing that isn't in the plan is a Christian school, as has been rumored off and on in the community.

Pastors and congregation of the Evangelical Free Church invite all in the community who are interested to attend a Sunday service.

Dedication of the building has been scheduled for the afternoon of Sunday, November 12, when Dr. Paul Cedar of Minneapolis, president of the Evangelical Free Church of America, will be present to assist in the dedication service.

BSU seeks info on stolen regalia

Bemidji State University is seeking assistance from individuals who may have information relating to six items of Ojibwe regalia stolen August 24 from the Bemidji Community Arts Center where they were on display.

Part of the Lanham Collection of Native American Artifacts, the items include a fully beaded man's dance vest, woman's jingle dress, man's beaded leggings, beaded dance apron, beaded deer hide and beaded pipe bag.

Kent Smith, director of the Indian studies program at BSU, said the artifacts are held in trust for the people of Minnesota and especially the tribal communities of north central Minnesota. A $1,000 reward is being offered by BSU for return of the regalia.

Anyone with information may call the Indian studies program at 218-755-3977.

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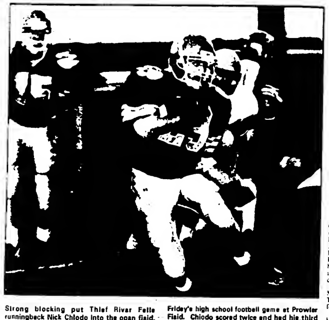


Strong blocking put Thief River Falls runningback Nick Chiodo into the open field, and he did the rest, maneuvering his way into the end zone for a 12-yard first quarter touchdown against Wadena-Deer Creek in Friday's high school football game at Prowler Field. Chiodo scored twice and had his third 100-yard rushing game of the season as the Prowlers beat the Wolverines 19-6 to go 2-1. They host Staples-Motley Friday.

Thief River Falls beats Wadena-Deer Creek in 8A football

Strong start nets 19-6 win

One half of very good football was enough to carry Thief River Falls past Wadena-Deer Creek 18-6 Friday in a Section 8A high school match up at Prowler Field.

The Prowlers looked sharp at the start with a 19-0 lead that included a half-ending goal line stand. Two long second half possession took time off the clock, but did not add to the scoreboard total. They carried the shutout into the final minute before giving up a 43-yard touchdown pass.

"We had a good first half," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm, whose team improved to 2-1. "Things came very easy for us. And that goal line stand at the end of the half was big. It used to be that teams would score on us in those situations. The last couple of games we've managed to come up with the plays at the end of the half."

Thief River Falls senior Nick Chiodo, running behind solid blocking provided by interior linemen like Robby Farbo, Nick Dee, Jeremy Jensen, Matt Lawrence, and Peter Johnson, along with tight ends Kyle Nelson and Steve Rambeck, had his third straight 100-yard rushing game, netting 149 yards on 18 carries.

"Nick ran well, again," noted Mumm. "Give our line credit. They did a nice job opening holes for him."

The Prowlers took the opening kickoff and scored in 14 plays. The smart-looking 83-yard drive ended on a 12-yard Chiodo run off right tackle with 4:40 elapsed. Chane Keefe added the conversion kick.

It became 13-0 when Paul Kopari scored from a yard out 2:41 into the second quarter to cap a 7-play, 60-yard drive that featured a pair of 15-yard runs by Chiodo and a 17-yard burst by Kopari.

After forcing the Wolverines to punt deep from in their own territory and setting up shop at the Wadena-Deer Creek 41, the Prowlers scored for the third time in four possessions when a three-play mini-drive included a 24-yard Keith Anderson to Nelson pass, a 13-yard Jason Breiland carry, and a 4-yard Chiodo run when he went wide left and bowled over a defender at the goal line with 6:03 left in the first half.

An interception by Jason Mahlen and an 8-yard return to the Thief River Falls 37 with 1:35 remaining gave the Wolverines a chance to get on the board before intermission. A 27-yard gain on a reverse by Eric Carlson set up a first-and-goal from the 7, but the half ended when quarterback Mike Richards lost two yards on a third down roll-out from the 3-yard line.

Both teams moved the ball in the second half, but the only points came when Richards hit Carlson down the right sidelines on a 43-yard touchdown pass with just 58 seconds remaining to spoil the Prowlers' shutout bid.

"We're happy with the win," said Mumm. "We're doing what we do best – run the football, and mix in the play-action pass. They (Wolverines) have a good football team. They're going to beat some people."

Wadena-Deer Creek fell to 1-2 with the loss.

Statistics

	TRF	W-DC
First Downs	17	10
by rushing	16	7
by passing	1	3
by penalty	0	0
Rushing attempts-yards	47-286	33-145
Pass att-comp-int	11-4-1	12-5-0
Yards passing	54	129
Total offensive yards	340	274
Fumbles-fumbles lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties-yards	1-15	6-46
Punts-average	1-24.0	8-27.8

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Wadena-Deer Creek	0	0	0	6	6
Thief River Falls	7	12	0	0	19

TRF - Nick Chiodo, 12-yard run. Chane Keefe kick.

TRF - Paul Kopari, 1-yard run, kick blocked.

TRF - Chiodo 4-yard run; run failed.

W-DC - Eric Carlson, 43-yard pass from Mike Richards, run failed.

Individuals

■ Rushing (TRF) Nick Chiodo 18-149, Paul Kopari 9-60, Jason Breiland 5-41, Josh Harris 6-13, Aaron Ehrenstrom 0-8, Kyle Anderson 1-8, Keith Anderson 1-5, Andy Furuseth 1-3, Justin Stevenson 1-3, Bryan Cleven 1 (-) 2, (W DC) Eric Carlson 7-71, J.J. Truax 10-61, Jacob Anderson 8-25, J.J. Karn 1-8, Corey Eckholl 1 (-) 1, Mike Richards 7 (-) 18

■ Passing - (TRF) Keith Anderson 4-for-11, 1 interception, 54 yards. (W DC) Mike Richards 5-for-12, 0 interceptions, 128 yards.

■ Receiving - (TRF) Nick Chiodo 2-17, Kyle Nelson 1-24, Ryan Bendickson 1-13. (W DC) Eric Carlson 3-73, Corey Eckholl 1-53, J.J. Truax 1-3.

Spartans win on safeties

■ Fergus Falls shuts down Northland 10-6

Give the Northland Community and Technical College defense an A for Saturday's efforts against Fergus Falls. A touchdown even earned the defense extra credit. But for the second straight week the Pioneers' offense flunked out, and as a result the Spartans left windy Prowler Field with a 10-6 nonconference football win.

With eight quarterback sacks and eight other tackles for losses, the Northland offense wound up on the negative side (-13 yards) for the afternoon. The Pioneers crossed midfield – barely – just once in the first half and picked up only one first down in the second half – on a Fergus Falls penalty.

Time to go back to the classroom for Offense 101, admitted Northland coach Gene Klinke, whose wishbone option has been stopped cold-turkey.

First order of business, according to Klinke, a former offensive lineman at Northland, is to simplify the blocking assignments. "I'll have to talk things over with the rest of the coaching staff, but I think we're making things too complicated up front for our young kids," he said. "I think we have to go back to high school football – just line up and smack the guy ahead of you."

Northland's defense, on the other hand, has been top gun caliber in both the 7-0 season-opening loss to Worthington and the defeat at the hands of Fergus Falls, both Minnesota Community College Conference Southern Division members. Led by Thief River Falls linebackers Scott Fowler and John Davis, the Pioneers' defense was accountable for just one score Saturday, and they got that back on a fumble recovery/return for a touchdown by 6-2, 250-pound Paul Barringer. The Spartans' winning margin came on a pair of safeties.

"Our defense tied their offense 6-6," noted Klinke. "Everybody we used on defense played a great game. Fergus Falls is a whale of a football team. We found out we can play defense with anybody."

Scoring started when the Pioneers, facing a strong wind, took an intentional safety with 4:28 left in the first quarter instead of punting on a fourth-and-29 from their 1-yard line. The snap went over punter Jamison Wark's head and out the back of the end zone.

"It was an intentional," confirmed Klinke. "We had to play the wind."

However, the Spartans took the ensuing free kick and scored on a six-play, 42-yard drive when Nate Froehling broke away on a 28-yard run to the Northland 4-yard line and Ben Dold went into the end zone from two yards out. A high snap foiled the conversion attempt, leaving it 8-0 with 1:46 left in the first quarter.

The Spartans never gave up the football on their side of the field in the first half, but the Northland defense kept it close by stopping Fergus Falls at the Pioneers' 18, 11 and 5-yard lines.

Northland's defense got into the scoring act midway through the fourth quarter when a busted play in the Fergus Falls backfield found James Mertens wrapping up quarterback Cam Will, forcing a fumble that was picked up by Barringer at the Pioneers' 31. He was escorted the length of the field by a convoy of blockers.

But the two-point conversion try out of an unusual formation fell short of the end zone, leaving it 8-6 and making that early safety loom large.

A goal line stand in the final minutes epitomized the Northland defensive effort as the Pioneers stopped Fergus Falls after the Spartans had a first-and-goal at the 2-yard line. The situation was set up after an 18-yard Northland punt into the wind carried only to the Northland 27. The Spartans had eight snaps from inside the 7, but gave up the ball at the 4 with 17 seconds to play.

However, the Northland's offense could not move, and quarterback Eddie Flucrant was tackled in the end zone for a safety on the game's final snap from scrimmage.

Dold, a 5-10, 180-pound sophomore from Sauk Centre had a 26-carry, 74-yard day for the Spartans, who were smoked 58-0 by Vermilion in their season opener. Brent Miller, a 5-11, 210-pound sophomore from Mahnomen, kept Northland's offense from being even further in the hole by netting 51 yards on 12 carries.

Brian Remick, a sophomore from Red Lake Falls, succeeded Flucrant, the first week starter, at quarterback for the Pioneers. Flucrant, a sophomore from Miami, was thrown into the fire in the final 4 1/2 minutes in an effort to pull out a miracle finish in the air. Fergus Falls starting quarterback Jamie Scherber gave way to Will in the second half, but was back in the game following the botched play and Northland touchdown.

The Pioneers will go on the road for the first time Saturday when they close out their nonconference schedule at Willmar. They open Minnesota Community College Conference play Sept. 30, vs. Mesabi in Virginia.

Statistics

	NCTC	FF
First Downs	6	13
by rushing	4	6
by passing	0	5
by penalty	2	2
Rushing attempts-yards	42(-)13	49-122
Pass att-comp-int	8-0-1	26-11-0
Yards passing	0	100
Total offensive yards	(-)13	222
Fumbles-fumbles lost	4-1	2-2
Penalties-yards	6-41	10-90
Punts-average	8-31.3	6-31.5

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Fergus Falls	8	0	0	2	10
Northland	0	0	0	6	6

FF - safety, punt snap sailed out of the end zone.

FF - Bed Bold, 2-yard run; kick failed.

NCTC - Paul Barringer, 60-yard fumble recovery return; run failed

FF - safety, Jeremy Johnson tackled quarterback in end zone.

Individuals

■ Rushing (NCTC) Brent Miller 12-51, Mason Thompson 3-9, Eddie Fluerant 2 (-) 14, Luke Anderson 11 (-) 17, Brian Ramick 14 (-) 42. (FF) Ben Bold 26-74, Nate Froehling 4-35, Christian Slaughter 7-18, Jamie Scherber 3-15, Dave Nilhang 5-1, Cam Will 4 (-) 21.

■ Passing - (NCTC) Brian Ramick, 0-for-5, 1 interception, Eddie Fluerant 0-for-3, 0 interceptions, (FF) Jamie Scherber 9-for-19, 77 yards, 0 interceptions, Cam Will 2-for-7, 23 yards, 0 interceptions

■ Receiving - (NCTC) none; (FF) Eric Nick Riba 5-52, Nate Froehling 2-7, Dave Nilhang 1-13, David Folden 1-12, Bryon Snortum 1-10, Cory Seifert 1 6

Pioneers wind up with a weekend volleyball split

Northland Community and Technical College volleyball team rebounded from a Friday night loss to Vermilion with a Saturday afternoon victory over Mesabi for a weekend split and a 3-2 season record.

Travel lag cost the Pioneers a Friday decision in Ely, figured Northland coach Shari Olson. "We beat a stronger team Saturday," she said. "Friday was our first road trip. None of the kids had ever traveled that far in a van, stepped out and played a match. Our legs just gave out on us. Our blocking and hitting (numbers) were way down."

Vermilion won 15-13, 15-13, 15-3.

Olson was happy, however, with the way Northland battled back from early deficits to push Vermilion to the end in Games 1 and 2.

After coming up with just 21 kills Friday – a team-high 8 coming from setter Ali Hietala – the Pioneers doubled that figure to 42 Saturday in the 4-15, 15-10, 13-15, 15-12, 15-13 rally-point finish against Mesabi in Virgina. Jenny Steen had 15 kills, Hietala 10 and Jenny Smith 9.

"Both Jennys (Steen and Smith) had a nice weekend," said Olson.

Northland is playing the Concordia College junior varsity tonight (Wednesday) in Moorhead. The Pioneers will play Minnesota Community College Conference matches at home this weekend when they host Hibbing Friday at 6:30 p.m. and Rainy River Saturday at 12-noon.

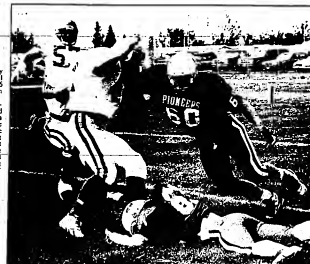
Prowler football JV shuts out Warroad

Thief River Falls shut out Warroad 20-0 Tuesday in junior varsity high school football.

Touchdowns came on runs by Andy Harbott, 74 yards; Kyle Anderson, 4 yards; and Bryan Cleven, 26 yards.

Anderson added a two-point conversion.

Thief River Falls junior varsity/sophomore team is 2-2 for the year.



Fergus Falls runningback Ben Dold was hit low by Northland's Curtis Funk, then tackled high by the Pioneers' John Davis for a short loss on this first half carry during Saturday's college football game in Thief River Falls. The Spartans beat the Pioneers 10-6.

Nordics win MCC volleyball title

Championship honors went to the host Nordics Saturday at the Marshall County Central Sports Boosters Invitational high school volleyball tournament.

Marshall County Central beat Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 15-7, 15-10 in the quarterfinals, overcame deficits in both games while getting by Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 15-13, 15-12 in the semifinals, then rallied for an 8-15, 15-12, 15-12 championship match victory over Red Lake Falls.

"We played pretty well in our first match," said Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson, "and we came back in the second match."

Despite the first-game title match loss to Red Lake Falls, it was a belated Marshall County Central comeback that fueled the Nordics' title-winning effort, explained Jorgenson. "Red Lake Falls came out strong, but we came back and found out we could play with them. That gave us a lift," he said.

Senior Tricia Pederson had an all-tournament effort for the day for the Nordics, and Jorgenson added that junior Brandi Olson "played a good, solid three matches."

The title-winning outing doubled the Nordics' win total for the year, putting them at 6-1.

Warren-Alvarado-Oslo swept Argyle 15-1, 15-5 in the third place match.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke, after losing to the Nordics, beat Stephen 11-15, 15-12, 15-7 in the consolation semifinals, and stopped Kittson County North 16-14, 14-5 in the consolation final. The Wolverines are 3-4.

Joining Pederson on the all-tournament team were Erin Aakre, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Sara Kees and Kari Thompson, Red Lake Falls; Amanda Shane, Argyle; and Naomi Welebski, Kittson County North.

Tournament Results

■ Quarterfinals - Red Lake Falls vs bye; Argyle def. Kittson County North 7-15, 15-4, 15-12; Marshall County Central def. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 15-7, 15-0; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Stephen 13-15, 15-11, 15-11.

■ Semifinals - Red Lake Falls def. Argyle 15-12, 15-8; Marshall County Central def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 15-13, 15-12.

■ Championship - Marshall County Central def. Red Lake Falls 8-15, 15-12, 15-12.

■ Third place - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Argyle 15-1, 15-5.

■ Consolation semifinals - Kittson County North vs bye; Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke def. Stephen 11-15, 15-12, 15-7.

■ Consolation final - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke def. Kittson County North 16-14, 15-6.

Out-scoring an invitational field for the first time since 1989, the Thief River Falls girls high school cross country team was a winner at Crookston Thursday. The winning combination included, left to right, Becky Mooney, Lise Swenson, coach Ceere Holmstrom, Angie Klinker, Kate Ihle, and Emily Mugeee. (Submitted photo).

Sportsmen to meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday

Pennington County Sportsmen's Club monthly meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the club house.

TRF is fourth in JV tourney at Roseau

Thief River Falls finished fourth Saturday at the Roseau Invitational C squad volleyball tournament.

It was an eight-team, two-pool, round-robin format.

Pool A

■ Places - 1. Warroad, 2. Thief River Falls, 3. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, 4. Tri-County

■ Round-robin results - Warroad def. Tri-County 15-6, 15-3, Warroad def. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 9-15, 15-3, 15-7, Warroad def. Thief River Falls 15-12, 15-12; Thief River Falls def. Tri-County 15-6, 15-6, Thief River Falls def. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 15-3, 15-12, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River def. Tri-County 15-11, 16-14.

Pool B

■ Places - 1. Roseau, 2. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; 3. Kittson Central; 4. Lake of the Woods.

■ Round-robin results - Roseau def. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 15-17, 15-7, 15-6, Roseau def. Kittson Central 15-12, 15-1, Roseau def. Lake of the Woods 15-2, 15-6, Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke def. Lake of the Woods 15-13, 15-8, Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke def. Kittson Central 15-11, 15-6, Kittson Central def. Lake of the Woods 15-6, 9-15, 15-8.

Finals

■ Pool play match-ups - (championship) Warroad def. Roseau, (third place) Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke def. Thief River Falls; (fifth place) Badger/Greenbush-Middle River def. Kittson Central; (seventh place) Lake of the Woods def. Tri-County

Bemidji 6-1 winner vs. TRF tennis JV

Bemidji beat Thief River Falls 6-1 in junior varsity girls high school tennis Thursday.

Bemidji 6, TRF 1

■ Singles - 1. Eeva Young (TRF) def. Nikki Langan 10-9 (7-3); 2. Jass Brown (Bemidji) def. Toni LaMoine 10-9 (7-2); 3. Erin Nelson (Bemidji) def. Jenna Tsukichi 10-7; 4. Brittany Will (Bemidji) def. Ann Gustafson 10-2; 5. Heidi Langan (Bemidji) def. Becky Phillips 10-4; 6. Stacy Wood (Bemidji) def. Rebecca Kenner 6-2.

■ Doubles - 1. Jennie Freeman-Rochelle Clark (Bemidji) def. Pauline Cullen-Caryn Omdahl 8-1; 2. Jaan Robinson-Jasela Williams (Bemidji) def. Laura Stelgar-Rebecca Kenner 10-0; 3. Stacy Halgrimson-Erin Rigchels (Bemidji) def. Beth Nelson-Bridgette Stock 10-8.

Wednesday, Sept. 20

■ Volleyball - NCTC at Concordia JV, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 21

■ Cross country - LHS boys/girls at Detroit Lakes Invitational, 4:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 22

■ Tennis - LHS girls at Bemidji, 4 p.m.

■ Volleyball - NCTC vs. Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.

■ Football - LHS vs. Staples-Motley, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 23

■ Tennis - LHS girls at Brainerd Invitational, 9 a.m.

■ Volleyball - LHS at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational, 9 a.m.; NCTC vs. Rainy River, 12-noon.

■ Football - NCTC at Willmar, 1:30 p.m.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Sept. 21 - volleyball at East Grand Forks.

■ Saturday, Sept. 23 - football vs. Waubun (at Fargodome).

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Sept. 21 - volleyball vs. Roseau (at Goodridge).

■ Friday, Sept. 22 - football at Marshall County Central.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Saturday, Sept. 23 - football vs. Red Lake Falls (at Fargodome), 3 p.m.

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Sept. 21 - volleyball vs. Warroad.

■ Friday, Sept. 22 - volleyball at Lake of the Woods; football vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke.

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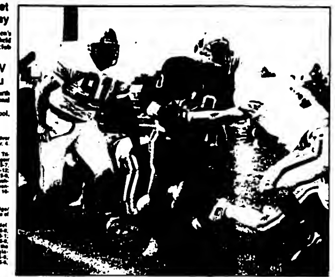

Northland quarterback Brian Remick was tackled by Fergus Falls' Shena Bohnart for a one-yard loss on the first play from scrimmage in Saturday's college football game at Prowler Field. Chris Camacho (91) also gave chase on the play, which set the tone for a day in which the Pioneers were held to a minus figure in the total yardage department and lost 10-6.

Mustangs edge Gators 12-6

Defense was featured Friday as Red Lake County Central got by Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 12-6 in Valley Plains Conference high school football at Middle River.

The Mustangs scored twice in the first quarter – following a fumble recovery and on a punt return – and kept the Gators off the scoreboard until the final minutes to put both teams at 2-1 for the year.

"There was lots of defense," confirmed Red Lake County Central coach Gary Brantl. "Our defense did a great job. They have a good club. We're real happy with the win."

A fumble recovery at the Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 11-yard line by Jake Anderson set up a 2-yard Brett Bishop touchdown run – the first points scored against the Gators this year.

It became 12-0 when Justin Rewertz scored on a 41-yard punt return.

That was all the scoring until the Gators' Joe Melby reached the end zone from a yard out with just under four minutes left in the game.

The stretch run then included a Badger/Greenbush-Middle River on-side kick recovered by the Mustangs; a Red Lake County Central fumble recovered by the Gators; and finally a game-clinching interception by the Mustangs' Dusty Paquin – his third of the night.

Bishop led the Red Lake County Central offense by rushing for 95 yards on 21 carries, and shared the team lead in tackles with Nate Lundeen with 8.

The Mustangs was hampered by the loss of Aaron Chaput, a wide receiver/defensive back/kicker, who left with a knee injury suffered on on third play of the game.

Red Lake County Central and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River will part of the Valley Plains Conference line-up at the Fargodome Saturday. The day-long series of conference match-ups will start with Red Lake County Central vs. Waubun at 10 a.m., followed by Lake Park Audubon vs. Fosston, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Red Lake Falls (3 p.m.), Warren-Alvarado-Oslo vs. Fertile-Beltrami, and Hawley vs. Ada-Borup.

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Co. Central	12	0	0	0	12
B/G-Middle River	0	0	0	6	6

RLCC - Brett Bishop, 2-yard run; run failed.

RLCC - Justin Rewertz, 41-yard punt run; run failed.

B/G-MR - Joe Melby, 1-yard run, run failed

Prowlers host Cardinals

Staples Motley will be at Prowler Field Friday for a 7:30 p.m. Section 8A high school football game against Thief River Falls.

The Cardinals are winless, losing to Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 14-12 on a failed two-point conversion attempt in overtime, East Grand Forks 21-13 and Park Rapids Area 21-13 last week.

Thief River Falls is 2-1 with a 34-15 season-opening loss to Detroit Lakes and then back-to-back wins over Fergus Falls 12-7 and Wadena-Deer Creek 19-6.

The Prowlers will close out a three-game homestand with their final regular season home game next week – a Sept. 29 homecoming contest vs. Park Rapids Area.

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Nordics lose to Wildcats 28-20

Marshall County Central picked up some yards in the air but went no where on the ground Friday in a 28-20 Top of the State Conference Nine Man high school football loss to Tri-County at Newfolden.

It was the 1995 home opener for the 0-2 Nordics, who will host Goodridge/Grygla/Gatzke Friday.

Marshall County Central quarterback Terry Olson was 8-for-17 passing for 150 yards and three touchdowns, but the Nordics running game netted only 48 yards.

"Our air game is going better than our ground game right now," concerned Marshall County Central coach Kent Warne, whose team trailed only 8-6 at halftime, but fell behind 22-6 in the third quarter.

A 50-yard Olson touchdown pass to Braden Olberg and a two-point conversion pass to Garrett Magner pulled the Nordics within 28-20, but with just 23 seconds left in the game. An on-side kick was recovered by the Wildcats, who ran out the clock.

Trever Magner, who caught a 63-yard touchdown pass from Olson to start the scoring and led the Nordic with 15 tackles, sat out much of the second half with a back problem.

Olson complemented his passing with a defense effort that included 11 tackles and a fumble recovery. Sophomore nose guard Ryan Olson was in on 9 tackles.

"I feel really good about the effort, but we can still do more," noted Warne.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Tri-County	8	8	14	6	28
Marshall Co. Central	0	6	0	14	20

MCC - Trever Magner, 63-yard pass from Terry Olson, run failed.
T-C - Tryg Spade, 8 yard run, Jeremy Olson run.
T-C - Derek Jacobson, 4-yard pass from Paul Kazmierczak, pass failed.
T-C - Brian Adams, 1-yard run, Brian Nelson pass from Kazmierczak.
MCC - Aric Studsem, 38-yard pass from Olson, run failed.
T-C - Jacobson, 10-yard run, run failed.
MCC - Braden Olberg, 50-yard pass from Olson, Garrett Magner pass from Olson.

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Thief River Falls defenders Paul Gonsorowski (41) and Robbie Stock (26) closed in on a Wadena-Deer Creek ball carrier that was already being brought down by a tackler in Friday's high school football game at Prowler Field. Thief River Falls won 19-6.

- Sports Briefs -

TRF positions still open

School District 564 Director of Student Activities Jim Sims is continuing his search for coaches to fill vacancies that remain for the 1995-96 school year.

Head coaches still have to be found for boys swimming and wrestling this winter, and for girls golf and softball this spring.

Other winter coaching spots that have to be filled include assistant boys swimming, freshman boys basketball, assistant girls basketball, assistant wrestling and seventh grade boys basketball.

Spring coaching vacancies also include assistant boys tennis, middle school boys tennis, assistant girls golf, and assistant baseball.

Co-Rec volleyball program will meet

Thief River Falls Park and Recreation Department co-rec volleyball program organizational meeting will be held Wednesday, Sept. 27, at 7 p.m. in the council meeting room of the city auditorium.

A representative from each team should be on hand. There will be a limit of 20 teams in the 1995-96 program.

For additional information, contact Murray or Cheryl Engelstad at 681-8287.

Middle School

Eighth Grade Football

Nick Drees scored four downs as the Franklin Middle School eighth grade football team opened its 1995 season with a 34-12 win at Grand Forks Twining Tuesday (Sept. 12).

Seventh Grade Volleyball

Thief River Falls seventh grade volleyball team beat Crookston 15-1, 15-4, 15-12 in the A match and won 15-5, 15-2, 15-4 in the B match Thursday (Sept. 14).

Tuesday (Sept. 12), Thief River Falls' A team beat Marshall County Central 5-15, 15-1, 17-15 in season-opening action. Marshall County Central won the B match 15-9, 15-8, 14-16.

Saturday, Franklin seventh graders beat East Grand Forks twice – 15-5, 15-5, 15-0 in the A match and 15-4, 15-1, 11-15 in the B match.

Park Rapids Invitational includes TRF swimmers

Thief River Falls girls were sixth in an eight-team field at the Park Rapids Invitational high school swim meet Saturday.

Team totals featured Bemidji with 573 points, Fergus Falls/Hillcrest Lutheran Academy 472, Detroit Lakes/Frazee/Perham 360, Park Rapids Area 334, Moorhead 297, Thief River Falls 180, Bagley/Fosston 88, and Staples-Motley 76.

Meet Results

200 medley relay - 1. Bemidji (McKee, Allstrup, Bredon, Ballon), 2:01.19, 2. Park Rapids, 2:02.45; 3. Fergus Falls/Hillcrest, 2:03.13; 4. Detroit Lakes/Frazee/Perham, 2:08.41, 5. Moorhead, 2:10.35. TRF places - 8. (Sorenson, Bakken, Bollesen, Carlson), 2:20.19; 13. (Johnson, Chrzanowski, Olson, Harger), 2:25.37.

200 freestyle - 1. Christie Seyfried, FF/H, 2:07.72; 2. Jackie Carlson, Bemidji, 2:08.26; 3. Tara Burthwick, Moorhead, 2:09.45; 4. Allison Dahl, Bemidji, 2:10.31; 5. Erin Boole, FF/H, 2:10.84. TRF places - 18. Nicole Kopari, 2:18.74; 15. Andrea Olin, 2:27.79.

200 I.M. - 1. Brook McKee, Bemidji, 2:15.56; 2. Kristie Krull, FF/H, 2:28.82; 3. Lise Ballon, Bemidji, 2:29.61; 4. Miranda Ilstrup, Bemidji, 2:30.93; 5. Jill Peters, Moorhead, 2:31.18. TRF places - 13. Lindsey Ehrenstrom, 2:53.13; 18. Alicia Bakken, 2:59.43.

50 freestyle - 1. Erin Rickard, Bemidji, 26.59; 2. Jess Dawson, Moorhead, 27.01; 3. Aysen Wallace, PR, 27.15; 4. Becky Ostgarden, DL/F/P, 27.19; 5. Lisa Schwartz, Bemidji, 27.47. TRF places - 13, Andrea Sorvig, 29.31.

Diving - 1. Shelly Kringen, Bemidji, 155.10; 2. Jennifer Olin, TRF, 154.35; 3. Jennifer Redfield, Moorhead, 153.05; 4. Becky Mattson, TRF, 153.35, 5. Jenny Gardner, Bemidji, 153.15.

100 butterfly - 1. Kristi Krull, FF/H, 1:08.89, 2. Betsy Vukas, Moorhead, 1:11.26, 3. Erin Ouren, FF/H, 1:12.71, 4. Jill Klotz, PR, 1:14.18, 5. Kristi Curl, FF/H, 1:14.50. TRF places - 15. Myndy Olson, 1:39.80.

100 freestyle - 1. Erin Ricard, Bemidji, 57.84, 2. Jess Dawson, Moorhead, 59.75, 3. Becky Ostgarden, DL/F/P, 59.83, 4. Hilary Hansen, FF/H, 1:00.51; 5. Aysen Wallace, PR, 1:00.73. TRF places - 13. Becky Harper, 1:04.78.

500 freestyle - 1. Allison Dahl, 5:40.73, 2. Christie Seyfried, FF/H, 5:49.58, 3. Erin Boole, FF/H, 5:55.25, 4. Jackie Carlson, Bemidji, 5:56.41, 5. Rachel Scribe, Bemidji, 5:59.31. TRF places - 14. Wendy Lindquist, 8:43.88.

200 freestyle relay - 1. Bemidji (Carlson, Ilstrup, Schwartz, Ricard), 1:48.54; 2. Fergus Falls/Hillcrest, 1:48.92, 3. Moorhead, 1:49.66, 4. Park Rapids, 1:51.11; 5. Detroit Lakes/Frazee/Perham, 1:51.19. TRF places - 5. (Carlson, Sorenson, Sorvig, Kopari), 1:55.11; 16. (Bollesen, Chrzanowski, Bakken, Lindquist), 2:14.77.

100 backstroke - 1. Brook McKee, Bemidji, 1:00.93, 2. Lise Ballon, Bemidji, 1:07.19, 3. Lisa Schwartz, Bemidji, 1:07.88; 4. Steph Schmitz, DL/F/P, 1:08.96; 5. Trina Uvaas, FF/H, 1:09.53. TRF places - 15. Melanie Johnson, 1:21.19, 15. Alicia Bakken, 1:22.05.

100 breaststroke - 1. Beth Morris, PR, 1:12.76; 2. Miranda Ilstrup, Bemidji, 1:14.40; 3. Jena Lund, DL/F/P, 1:17.58, 4. Kari Olson, FF, 1:17.75; 5. Sarah Gravalin, PR, 1:19.72. TRF places - 15. Cami Sorenson, 1:27.46.

400 freestyle relay - 1. Bemidji (Carlson, Dahl, McKee, Ricard), 3:54.79; 2. Moorhead, 4:01.47; 3. Fergus Falls/Hillcrest 4:03.38; 4. Park Rapids, 4:08.52, 5. Detroit Lakes/Frazee/Perham, 4:09.65. TRF places - 5. (Kopari, Sorvig, Ehrenstrom, Carlson), 4:21.85, 14. (Sorvig, Harger, Lindquist, Olin), 4:48.53.

Blue Devils are 3-0 with win over KCN

Trevor Kiesow rushed for 187 yards on 24 carries and scored three touchdowns Friday in leading Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke to a 27-6 Nine-Man high school football win over Kittson County North in Goodridge.

The Cougars began the scoring when Kevin Grabowska returned the opening kickoff 77 yards for a touchdown.

But the rest of the game belonged to the 3-0 Blue Devils, who led 8-6 at halftime and had a 20-6 third quarter edge.

"Overall, we played pretty well," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Darwin Hagen.

Kiesow, a 175-pound senior, scored on runs of 2, 2 and 34 yards. Jesse Lunsetter added a 17-yard touchdown run for the winners and finished with 56 yards on 6 carries.

Jamie Lunsetter led the Blue Devils' defense with 8 tackles.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke will play Marshall County Central Friday at Newfolden.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Kittson Co. North	6	0	0	0	6
Goodridge/G-G	0	8	12	7	27

KCN - Kevin Grabowska, 77-yard kick-off return; run failed.
G/G-G - Trevor Kiesow, 2-yard run; Jared Sunsdahl pass from Jamie Lunsetter.
G/G-G - Kiesow, 2-yard run; kick failed.
G/G-G - Kiesow, 34-yard run; pass failed.
G/G-G - Jesse Lunsetter, 17-yard run; Jesse Lunsetter kick.

NCTC president to speak at Boosters

Dr. Orley Gunderson, president of the Northland Community and Technical College campus, will be the guest speaker Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting at the Elks.

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Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Hartz Truck Line	10	[illegible]
Wetteth Construction	10	4
Materie Dairy	8	5
Randall Electric	8	5
B-H-R	8	5
Rainbow Nursery	8	5
Mid. Riv. Community Club	7	7
Sorter Construction	5	8
Prowler Express	5	8
Gunderson Realty	5	8
Northwest Asphalt	4	10
D-Team	0	10

High Game
Kraig Melvie 213
Darren Wagner 203, 193
Jodi Gustafson 203
Marie Nowacki 193
Marge Rasmussen 177

High Series
Darren Wagner .... 203-170-193=566
Kraig Melvie .... 148-186-213=544
Randy Rasmussen .... 167-186-188=511
Jodi Gustafson .... 203-111-163=476
Marge Rasmussen .... 123-177-186=486
Arlene Wetteth .... 124-169-163=456

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	14	0
Arctco	10	4
Northern Motors	8	6
Lostiller Agency	8	6
Bud Ice	8	6
Ketch Strip	4	10
Creative Clippers	3	11
Team 66	2	12

High Game
Dollie Newland 219, 207
Shirley Colden 204
Roberta Kloety 184

High Series
Dollie Newland .... 156-207-219=582
Roberta Kloety .... 181-164-171=516
Shirley Colden .... 127-204-151=482
Shirley Schmidt .... 136-175-151=462

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers Union	7	1
CAD's	6	2
Sizzlers	5	3
Fire Flies	5	3
Digi-Key	5	3
Tommy G's	4	4
Rusty Nail	3	5
Bonnheim	3	5
Imaging Plus	3	5
Hill Trucking	2	6
NW Eye Center	2	6
Material Girls	2	6

High Game
Rhonda Joppru 196
Pam Joppru 184
Carol Lambert 180
Sharon Odegaard 177

High Series
Rhonda Joppru .... 198-136-176=510
Sharon Odegaard .... 173-177-157=507
Cindy Vennee .... 167-171-138=476
Laura Carlson .... 148-165-159=472

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
RV Sports	60	20
Sheldon's Auto Parts	59 1/2	19 1/2
Kalinoski Construction	52	28
Wikstrom Telephone	45	35
Pennington Square	36	44
Germundson's	35	45
1st National Bank	34	46
VFW	31 1/2	48 1/2
North Border Whis	28	52
Thyren Auto	19	61

High Game
Brent Fuller 240
Steve Kloety 231
Mike Desseller 223

High Series
Craig Melvie .... 200-220-213-192=825
Brent Fuller .... 240-147-184-222=793
Al Baumgartner .... 210-208-200-167=785

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
B & E Car Wash	7	1
Glass Farm	6	2
Auction 2-Sell	5	3
Amoco 24	5	3
Joe's Floor & Tile	1	7

High Game
Craig Peterson 222, 215
Diane Peterson 203
Larry Olson 201
Lee Carriere 192
Jan Olson 182

High Series
Craig Peterson 589
Jan Olson 509
Lee Carriere 488
Larry Olson 487
Diane Peterson 479
Curt Quesnell 476

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Larson's Drywall	12	2
Dee's Kitchen	10	4
B & B Expresso	9	5
Phyllis's	5	9
Olson's Auto	4	10

High Game
Sharon Wold 176
Cheryl Rosten 169
Shirley Schmit 164
Mindy Shnyder 158

High Series
Cheryl Rosten .... 169-164-149=482
Peggy Kolvisto .... 155-153-155=463
Shirley Schmit .... 134-143-164=441
Sharon Wold .... 176-120-144=440

City League

	Wins	Losses
St. Hilaire Elevator	12	2

FSA	10	6
Rich's Appliance	8	8
The Spot	8	8
White Builder	7	7
Hanson Repair	7	7
Mill & Coolers	6	8
MN/DOT	6	8
Homark	5	8

High Game
Dan Snyder 215
Mark Fuller 212
Neil Zutsrels 211

High Series
Dan Snyder .... 143-190-215=548
Mark Fuller .... 182-164-212=558
Neil Zutsrels .... 211-141-159=511

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers	5	1
Peter's Back Hoe	5	3
Clip N' Tan	5	3
Brooks Auto	5	3
Arctco, Inc.	3	5
Michelob	3	5

High Series
JoAnn Peters .... 134-180-167=488
Jan Hanson .... 142-199-179=476
Kim Peterson .... 148-113-186=444
Dave Majeres .... 119-240-171=530
Wayne Peters .... 178-190-136=501
Griffin Newland .... 168-151-176=495

Deanna Larson finishes first ultra marathon

Deanna Larson of Thief River Falls has joined the ranks of a very select few runners. Larson recently completed her first ultra-marathon, a 50-mile running race between Silver Bay and Tofte called the Superior Trails 50.

Fifty-eight runners started the event last weekend but about 30 were able to complete the tough course. Larson said the weather was cool, the way she likes it, but the trail had the runners scampering up and down cliffs and rocky trails. After 40 miles she said she started to have a tougher time keeping herself going.

Though the trail had her climbing hills like a mountain goat, Larson is shuffling on very sore muscles and admittedly, using hand rails and backing down stairs. She said she didn't have any blisters as a result of the event and the sore muscles will soon fade away. In all, she said she had a fun time.

Larson said Jim Grindley, another Thief River Falls ultra-marathon athlete, also participated in the event, but decided to pull out of the race after he fell, somewhere after 20 miles, and twisted his knee. Larson said Grindley didn't want to risk further injury as he is planning to participate in another ultra-marathon called Le Griz and the Twin Cities Marathon.

Larson completed the Superior Trails 50 in around 13 hours. She participated in the Walk Pennington County program and is a member of the Thief River Falls Fleet Feet, running and walking club. She is registered to participate in the Twin Cities Marathon on October 8.

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Darrell Magner of Thief River Falls neared the finish line to complete the Aug. 25 Hood to Coast relay race – a 196-mile event from Mt. Hood to Seaside, Oregon that featured approximately 9,800 runners on 800 teams, including several professional teams with major sponsors. The race includes 36 legs, with each team member running three legs, varying in length from 3 to 9 miles. The race takes from 18 to 22 hours to complete. Magner averaged a 7.5-minute mile – a personal-best outing. Each finisher received a medal and T-shirt for their effort. Magner will be participating in the Twin Cities Marathon Oct. 8. (Submitted photo).

Sixteen-year-old Adam Swanson of Thief River Falls downed this 400-pound male black bear about 7:50 p.m. Sept. 3 while hunting 15 miles north of Grygla on Randen Ridge. Using a 50-caliber 350-grain hollow-point bullet, he stopped the bear with a heart shot from 30 yards. Two days earlier a shot at a smaller bear slipped away when the gun failed to fire because the primer fell off the nipple. It was the second bear for Swanson, who connected with a 270 Winchester when he was 13. (Submitted photo).

DNR News

A number of landowners in the vicinity of the Nereson Wildlife Management Area in Roseau County have recently received a letter on Minnesota Department of Natural Resources letterhead stationary alleging that a large male deer of record size has been reported by DNR field staff.

According to Paul Telander, manager of the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area, the letter is a hoax. "The DNR has not conducted a field study on deer in that area as the letter indicates, nor does the DNR have any knowledge of a deer of such proportions," Telander said.

Telander added, "We are concerned about the letter, and are unsure why anyone would send out a letter of this nature. Those who have read or heard about the letter need to know that it is not valid. Those who continue to receive letters or have information about the letter should contact the Thief Lake Wildlife Office at 218-222-3747."

Goose Hunter Warm-Up will be held on Sept. 30

Fourth annual Goose Hunters Warm-Up - a practical hunting clinic to help hunters sharpen skills and improve their performances - will be held on opening day of the 1995 waterfowl season at the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area.

The warm-up is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 30, from 3 to 7 p.m. at the wildlife management area located two miles south of the Moose River campground, southeast of Thief Lake. There is no admission charge for participants or spectators.

The warm-up includes a shotgun patterning range and waterfowl range-estimating demonstration. The events will be conducted by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Hunter Education Program, DNR area wildlife staff and local volunteers.

At the shotgun patterning range, participants will be able to test-fire, or pattern, their own guns on paper targets – comparing several different steel shot loads to find out which load works best in their gun.

Paper targets have been donated by Blandin Paper Co. and a variety of steel shot shells have been donated by Federal Cartridge Corp. of Anoka. Hunters are also welcome to bring their own favorite loads to test.

Range-estimating demonstration features several life-size goose silhouettes placed at varied distances in the field, with size-to-distance charts of flying geese for comparison.

"The response from hunters have been very favorable the past three years," said Paul Telander, manager of the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area, "and we hope more hunters visiting the Thief Lake area will take advantage of the warm-up this year."

With the 50-day duck season, five-duck back limit and population estimates for most goose and duck species increasing the past couple of years, Telander said he expects more hunters will be coming back to waterfowl hunting.

"The warm-up is a good opportunity for both experience hunters and those new to the sport to learn more about shooting steel shot and how to judge shooting distances more accurately under field conditions," said Telander.

Participants should bring their own shotguns, and all guns must be cased or handled with the breech open when not shooting.

For more information, call the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area office at 218-222-3747.

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General	1,430,572.31	1,373,669.09	166,651.59	1,419,742.00	1,365,716.00	220,677.59
Food Service	94,361.73	94,361.72	0.00	87,760.00	98,570.00	-10,810.00
Transportation	168,775.56	229,302.62	1,127.47	157,151.00	205,270.00	-46,991.53
Community Service	25,073.34	14,780.25	43,345.43	24,024.00	16,805.00	50,564.43
TOTAL OPER. FUNDS	1,718,782.94	1,712,113.68	211,124.49	1,688,677.00	1,686,361.00	213,440.49
Capital Expenditure	287,567.50	188,521.04	225,086.50	190,414.00	236,000.00	179,500.50
Building Construction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Debt Redemption	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Trust and Agency	16,250.00	18,647.00	16,250.00	0.00	0.00	16,250.00
TOTAL NON-OPER. FUNDS	303,817.50	207,168.04	241,336.50	190,414.00	236,000.00	195,750.50
TOTAL-ALL-FUNDS	2,022,600.44	1,919,281.72	452,460.99	1,879,091.00	1,922,361.00	409,190.99

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OUTSTANDING JULY 1, 1994	0	PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977	0	ORDERS NOT PAID FOR WANT OF FUNDS 6/30/95	0
PLUS: BONDS AND LOANS ISSUED	0	LESS: APPROPRIATED FOR SOD - 6/30/95	0	CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS 6/30/95	0
LESS: BONDS AND LOANS REDEEMED	0	LESS: PAYABLE 1995 SOD LEVY	0	PUPILS IN AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP	248.2
OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1995	0	NET REMAINING AS OF 6/30/96	0	COST PER PUPIL	6,282.00

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Randall and Catherine Noper are pictured at the 85th birthday party which board, staff and residents at Valley Home held for him last Friday afternoon. Randall has been on the Valley Home board of directors since February of 1959.

Randall Noper is honored

Service to Valley Home in Thief River Falls by Randall Noper since 1939 was recognized Friday, September 15, with a party in honor of his 85th birthday anniversary at the home.

The birthday party was arranged by the home's administration, staff and board and included those people plus residents of the home and a number of members of the community. Randall expressed his gratitude for the sponsorship and those who attended and/or sent cards or greetings.

Noper was elected to the board of Valley Christian Home in February of 1959 when the home was the converted Central Hotel—a frame building at the corner of Horace Avenue and Fourth Street where the Heritage Community Center now stands.

He chaired the building committee for the first segment of the present facility which opened in October of 1963. Because federal loan funds were involved in the project, the term "Christian" had to be dropped from the title and the name Valley Home remained.

Randall is the only living member of the board which was involved with construction of the present Valley Home. That board included Waldie Christensen, chairman; M. C. Gulbranson, vice chairman; Stewart McLeod, secretary; George Beito, treasurer; Art Bartelson, Chris Anton and Noper.

When the home was built Noper served on the furnishings committee. Demand for rooms was such that two wings were added to the home in 1968. Noper served as chairman of the board from 1973 to 1992 and continues to be a member.

Present board includes Orin Green, chairman; Tom Harlow, vice chairman; Dolores Berg, secretary; Gene Beito, treasurer; Clyde Christensen, Harry Sjulson, John Tofte, Dr. Ben Sayler and Noper.

Noper remembers the early days of the former home which had several stories and steep, narrow stairways. "I remember Waldie saying that every time he heard a fire siren blow he had visions of how to get all the residents out of that building."

Noper was born in Illinois and came to Thief River Falls with his family when a year and a half old. He said he just missed being a native of Calgary in Canada, since his father, V. C. Noper, had first gone to consider location before deciding on Thief River Falls. The Noper farm was a section of land on the west edge of town.

V. C. Noper was active on the school board and fair board and Randall was also an active citizen of the community. He chaired the Chamber of Commerce and was active in PTA, square dancing, the Methodist church and the Elks lodge. Thief River Falls hosted the state square dance convention in 1964 and Randall and Verna Noper and Mel and Catherine Simon were co-chairmen of the event.

In 1937 Randall and Fred Wennegler purchased a rental operation which included five cabins, a gas station and two outhouses on North Main Avenue. Three years later Noper bought out the Wennegler interest and continued the business, building and adding five times to what had became Noper's Motel. He sold the business in 1974.

Randall has two daughters who married brothers. Karen Trentzsch is a teacher and lives in Canyon City, CO and Jeanette is an occupational therapist and lives in Central Point, OR. Both are graduates of Lincoln high school and the University of North Dakota.

Presently the Nopers spend about six months in Florida and the remaining six months in Thief River Falls.

Assaults, thefts, DWI's listed in local law enforcement news

During the past week, law enforcement officials received several reports of assaults, thefts, and arrests for driving while intoxicated.

Driving while intoxicated. On September 12 at 6:10 p.m. the state patrol arrested Mitchell Delowyn Hinden, 35, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

On September 13 at 1:45 p.m. the sheriff's department stopped a vehicle westbound on Highway 1. Cited for open bottle and driving while intoxicated was Joaquin Julis Lara-Santos, 25, El Paso, TX.

On September 16 at 1:40 a.m. Timothy Schaff, Thief River Falls, was arrested for driving under the influence.

On September 16 at 9:10 p.m. Robert Lee Anderson, 27, Thief River Falls, was arrested for driving while intoxicated, no driver's license, refusal to test, and furnishing alcohol to a minor. Two female juveniles were cited for consumption under age. Eighteen year-old Daniel Lee Timm, Thief River Falls, was cited for consumption under age, and Louis Maynard Krueger, Thief River Falls, 20, was cited for consumption under age.

Thefts. On September 12 at 4:12 p.m. police received a report that someone took a woman's wallet with $31 in cash, and checkbook. She left her purse in the car, returned to her residence for something and a man took the wallet with the cash from her car. The man was described 5'3"-5'4", thin build, shoulder length brown hair, tinted glasses. His age was estimated in the mid 20s.

On September 12 at 10:26 a.m. a resident of Apple Valley, parked his semi tractor along Highway 59 South, and the CB radio valued at $450 was taken.

On September 12 at 1:01 p.m. several knee pads, shorts and other clothing, valued at $430, were taken from the Northland Community and Technical College girl's locker room.

On September 15 Alison Marie Wolbeck, Thief River Falls, 20, is being cited for theft under $200 for failure to return a Nintendo game and VHS movie.

Over the weekend, police received a report of a break-in at storage units behind the Family Bowl. In the first break-in, a $90 compound bow was taken. In the second break-in discovered Monday, a .22 calibre long rifle was taken. The rifle was valued at $125.

Accidents. On September 12 at 2:45 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Highway 59 and Brooks Avenue. Merle Roley Torgerson, Warren, who was driving a car east on Highway 59 hit the rear of a vehicle driven by Edmund Mathew Kuznia, Argyle, which was facing east and turning left. Torgerson said the sun was reflecting off another vehicle. Damages were estimated at $2,000 to the Torgerson vehicle and $300 to the Kuznia vehicle. Torgerson and Kuznia complained of sore necks.

On September 18 at 11:35 a.m. police received a report of an accident at First and Duluth. Lisa Marie Odegaard, Thief River Falls, was driving south on Duluth, entered the intersection with First Street and her vehicle collided with a westbound vehicle driven by James Lynn Hanson of Thief River Falls. Odegaard's vision was obscured by a vehicle parked on First Street. Odegaard complained of a bump to her head. A passenger in the Hanson vehicle complained of a sore neck. Damages were estimated at $500 to the Odegaard vehicle and $1,200 to the Hanson vehicle.

Harassing communications. On September 12 at 2 p.m. a resident of Greenhill Drive reported getting harassing phone calls. Charged with harassing communications are two 13-year-old girls from Thief River Falls.

Assault. On September 13 at 2 a.m. a woman came to the law enforcement center and reported she had been assaulted by Terri Jean Steagrim, 23, Thief River Falls. Charges of assault are pending.

On September 13 at 7:17 p.m. police received a complaint that a woman had been tackled and injured in the 200 block of North Tindolph. Charged with fifth degree assault is Philip Anthony Nowacki, 26, Thief River Falls.

On September 16 at 1:28 a.m. a female and male reported they had been assaulted. William Edward Nelson, 25, Thief River Falls, was cited for fifth degree assault.

On September 17 at 6:19 p.m. the police department received a report of an assault. James Gouldin Disse, Thief River Falls, was cited for fifth degree assault after he allegedly struck another man.

On September 19 at 1:56 a.m. Brandi Lynn Johnson, 19, Thief River Falls, was cited for fifth degree assault after allegedly striking a man with a metal lamp.

Consumption under age. On September 16 at 11:24 p.m. Nathan Gumf Anderson, Thief River Falls, age 18, and Eric Leonard Bjorgaard, 18, Thief River Falls, were cited for consumption under age.

On September 17 at 12:50 a.m. Jeremy Allen Pearson, 18, Thief River Falls, was cited for consumption under age.

Escape. On September 17 at 8 a.m. Dispatcher notified the law enforcement center that an inmate released to conduct sentence to serve (STS) work had escaped. Rodney Melvin Nissen had been observed removing something from an STS vehicle. Upon investigation by an officer, contraband consisting of tobacco and what was thought to be marijuana, was found. Nissen promptly ran from the scene. Nissen was in jail on a charge of assault.

At about 4:20 p.m. Monday, law enforcement arrested Nissen at a residence in Saadera township. Kathryn Baum, 32, Thief River Falls, was also arrested on a charge of obstruction of legal process. The incident is still under investigation and charges are pending.

A representative of the sheriff's department said they received assistance from the Roseau County Canine unit, the Minnesota State patrol, the Thief River Falls police department and Bureau of Criminal Apprehension.

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The Second Section

State and regional unemployment rates decline in month of July

State and regional unemployment rates were down for the month of July.

Minnesota's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 3.7 per cent in July, down from a revised 3.9 per cent in June and 4.0 per cent a year ago. The state's unadjusted unemployment rate decreased to 3.4 per cent in July from a revised 4.2 per cent in June. This was well below the July 1994 unadjusted rate of 3.7 per cent.

Both the unadjusted and seasonally adjusted rates were the lowest for July since 1978, when the rates were, respectively, 3.6 per cent and 3.8 per cent.

In region one, which includes the counties of Kittson, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake and Roseau, the rate of unemployment was 5.0 per cent, down from 5.8 per cent in June of 1995. In July of 1994 the rate of unemployment was 5.2 per cent.

Red Lake county had the highest rate of unemployment in the region. However, July figures of 8.9 per cent were down from 10.3 per cent in June of 1995. In July of 1994, the unemployment rate in the county was 10.5 per cent. Roseau county maintained the lowest rate of unemployment in the region with 3.4 per cent, down from 3.9 per cent in June of 1995. In July of 1994, however, the rate of unemployment was 3.0 per cent.

Other counties in the region recorded the following rate of unemployment: Kittson was 5.3 per cent down from 6.5 per cent; Marshall with 7.1 per cent, down from 8.2 per cent; Norman county with 5.7 per cent, down from 6.0 per cent; Pennington county with 4.7 per cent, down from 5.4 per cent; and Polk county with 4.8 per cent, down from 5.6 per cent.

The average unemployment rates for all regions of Minnesota declined from June to July. The seven-county Twin Cities region had the lowest average unemployment rate at 2.9 per cent, down from 3.5 per cent in June. The region around Bemidji (Region 2) and the Arrowhead region including Duluth (Region 3) had the highest regional unemployment rates, both at 5.5 per cent.

Cottonwood county, again, had the highest unemployment rate among the counties at 11.0 per cent as a result of a continuing manufacturing layoff. The lowest county unemployment rate was 2.2 per cent in both Carver and Houston counties.

Nationally, seasonally adjusted wage and salary employment changed slightly between June and July. The manufacturing sector lost 85,000 jobs, continuing a pattern evident since April. Orders for automobiles and heavy equipment were down from last year. Offsetting these job declines were gains in wholesale and retail trade, and to a lesser extent, in business, health and engineering services. The nation's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 5.7 per cent, up slightly from June's rate of 5.6 per cent.

In Minnesota, unadjusted wage and salary employment declined by 30,000 from June, largely due to a normal decline in education employment. In comparison to last July, however, wage and salary jobs increased by 50,900. This represented a gain of 2.2 per cent, outpacing the national gain of 2.1 per cent. Industries adding the most jobs over the past year were services (22,000), trade (13,300) and manufacturing (7,100). Average weekly wages in manufacturing were up only 2.6 per cent since last July.

Wage and salary employment in the Twin Cities metropolitan area grew by 29,800 over the past 12 months. Manufacturing added 5,500 jobs, evenly divided between durable and non-durable industries. the service sector contributed 14,900 of the jobs added over the last year. Business services added the most jobs within this sector. Wholesale and retail trade employment increased by 3,100.

Both the Fargo-Moorhead and Grand Forks-East Grand Forks metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) added jobs at a relatively rapid pace over the past year. Construction employment has been healthy in both communities, and manufacturing jobs have increased. Health services employment continued to grow in the Grand Forks area, while wholesale and retail trade added jobs in Fargo-Moorhead.

Dutch firm seeks to buy Behavioral Dynamics, Inc.

A firm from the Netherlands that markets innovative health care products worldwide has expressed interest in acquiring Behavioral Dynamics, Inc., of Thief River Falls.

Behavioral Dynamics, Inc., developed, manufactures and markets a health care/self improvement product known as the MotivAider, which was invented by Dr. Steve Levinson, director of the mental health division of Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Officers of Unicorn Services PLC recently traveled to Minnesota from Amsterdam and London to meet with Behavioral Dynamics board members.

"Unicorn presented us with a serious proposal," states Dr. Levinson, president of Behavioral Dynamics. "It calls for Unicorn to purchase Behavioral Dynamics, which would then become a wholly-owned subsidiary of Unicorn Services.

"Behavioral Dynamics would retain its identity and remain in Thief River Falls but would have the benefit of Unicorn's financial resources and international marketing capabilities," Levinson said.

He added that he and his company's board members are pleased that the MotivAider has attracted this international interest and is taking the proposal very seriously.

"However," he added, "our board needs to very carefully weigh the risks and benefits of being acquired by Unicorn Services before making a recommendation to our shareholders."

Behavioral Dynamics was formed in 1987 and began marketing the MotivAider in 1988. The company has been very careful to assure the quality of its product as it has evolved and as a result has a number of purchasers who have been using it for seven or eight years with complete reliance on its performance, Dr. Levinson said.

The intentional deliberate approach to development and marketing has resulted in slow but steady growth, he added, and that reasoned approach is one of the attractions the company has for Unicorn Services.

Dr. Levinson said there also may be other ways in which Unicorn and Behavioral Dynamics could join for mutual benefit and those aspects are also being examined.

Jonelle Swanson, a fifth grade student at Challenger Elementary school, recently received the school district's "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award." Jonelle, who rides route 1, was commended, not only for safe conduct, but also for showing a kindness and helpful attitude that has a positive effect on everyone who rides on her bus. She was selected for the honor by her school bus driver, Jerry Odegaard.

New school bus conduct awards given

Jonelle Swanson, a fifth grader at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls, has received the District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award." The award was presented to Jonelle this week by her driver, Jerry Odegaard, and Transportation Superintendent Fred Mykleby.

Mykleby, says Jonelle, who rides route 1 bus, was selected for the honor by her driver, Jerry Odegaard. Mykleby says Jonelle's "conduct" goes well beyond general safety rules. "Jonelle also shows a kindness toward others and a helpful attitude that has a good effect on everyone who rides her bus."

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes in the Thief River Falls/St. Hilaire school district.

Self-improvement classes offered

"Interests, Attitudes and Values" is the topic for a self-improvement course to be offered Thursday, September 21, from 3 to 4 p.m. at the Crossroads library room at 403 LaBree Avenue North (US West building) in Thief River Falls.

Crossroads staff members will serve as discussion leaders for the Coffee Break at Crossroads session. Child care and transportation are reimbursable for Crossroads clients. For more information, call 681-8158 or 1-800-450-8158.

Session planned for Thursday, September 28, is "Personal Strengths."

St. Bernard's adds events to marathon

Annual marathon for non-public education operated by St. Bernard's Catholic school will have a new twist this year with an Oktoberfest added to the day. The marathon is scheduled for Saturday, September 30, from 9 to 11 a.m.

As in the past, students at St. Bernard's will secure pledges for ditch and park clean-up in the area with a goal of raising $7,200 during the two-hour effort in the morning.

From 11 a.m. to noon the Knights of Columbus will serve a lunch to students and parents who participated in the clean-up marathon. A kids' carnival, beer garden and concessions will open at 12 noon.

Other afternoon events include Bingo at 2 p.m., treasure hunt road rally from 4 to 6 p.m. and a polka dance from 7 to 10 p.m. At 6:30 p.m. the "winner" of the kiss the pig contest will be announced and the swine smooch will take place. The winner will be determined by the most money donated to one of six "candidates" in donation jars to be located throughout the community.

The treasure hunt road rally is expected to draw at least 60 teams ($20 entry fee per team) and each

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No sign-up for CRP acres in Pennington Co.

Although a nationwide sign-up in the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) is underway through September 22, no sign-up is being held in Pennington county.

"Pennington still has 25 per cent of the cropland enrolled in the CRP from past sign-ups," states Phil Bergland, director of the Consolidated Farm Service Agency (formerly ASCS) in the county. "This is the maximum allowed by law and the county will not be open for additional enrollments."

Bergland said the county is offering two conservation practices (field windbreak and farmstead shelterbelt) which could be enrolled in the CRP. The NRCS will make a determination of land eligibility.

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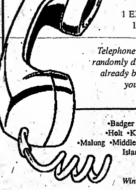

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Winner will be posted in next week's paper.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Visitors and coffee guests on Monday at the Marion Zavoral home in Goodridge were Mrs. Tommy Cullen and Mrs. Clarence Johnson was just a brief visitor at Marion's that day.

Sunday night Mr and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Shannon and Alisse were visitors and coffee guests at the Dave Fredericks home.

Jim Johnsrud and Dwight Carlson were visitors on Wednesday evening at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Sunday Edna Hawk and Ida Haugen were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Monday evening Jean Johnson and Jessica were visitors and coffee guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Shannon Lundeen had dinner on Monday with his Grandmother Shirley Johnsrud.

Mrs. Norman Adams moved Jami Adams from Fargo to Boise, ID on Tuesday where Jami will be working there. Elaine Kotrba of AZ met them in Boise, ID and she returned home with Mrs. Norman Adams to spend 2 1/2 weeks visiting. Elaine will also visit with other relatives while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Henford Roisland were visitors and supper guests at the Galen England home of rural Grygla one day during the week.

Wednesday Elva Fiedler attended a work shop in Crookston.

Mildred Hovet and Anna Kriel of Thief River Falls were visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at the Vernon Iverson home.

Hilda Hoffman was a visitor and coffee guest on Tuesday at noon at the Alfred Iverson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud spent from Saturday till Monday at Rollag.

Sunday visitors and supper guests at the Leon Peterson home in Dully were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henford Roisland home were Alfred Iverson and Leslie, Robert Myrum of Oklee, Wallace Jones, Allen Englund of rural Grygla, Norman Stenvick, Eddy Larson of Oklee and Clayton Lolland and Jeremy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday evening at the Obert Hovet home.

Tuesday Jean Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed dinner at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls.

Sunday morning Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes and Michelle were visitors and coffee guests at the David Sjulestad home.

Elva Fiedler and Mrs. Robert Parnow enjoyed lunch at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls during the week.

Saturday late afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors at the Jean Johnson home.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mrs. Jim Johnson of Fairmont attended the 80th birthday party for Alton Sparby held at the Community Center in Grygla on Sunday evening.

Jason Naeseth was a brief visitor at his grandparents home the Clarence Johnson's on Saturday afternoon.

Saturday Tracy Kotrba, Paula Carlson, Andy and Victoria of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests at the Larry Kotrba home.

Shirley Johnsrud visited and had dinner with her mother Ella Mostrom in Gonvick on Tuesday. Then later Shirley Johnsrud visited and had coffee with Doris Danielson also in Gonvick. Shirley also visited on Tuesday with Cheryl and Kenneth Nybo in Gully.

Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited with Ione Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls late afternoon on Tuesday.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parnow of Thief River Falls brought birthday greetings to Dale and Susie and Katie. All of their birthdays were in August. Happy Birthday Dale, Susie and Katie.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited on Friday at the Greg and Gail Helgman home.

Thursday Mrs. Gene Marquis, Megan and Andrea were visitors at the Dick and Marion Marquis home in Oklee. Megan and Andrea remained with their grandparents, Dick and Marion Marquis and were overnight guests there that day.

Joanna Johnson was an overnight guest of Jessica Johnson's on Friday night. Joanna and Jessica camped out in the Clarence Johnson's camper.

Sunday afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Watne home were Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth met Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Naeseth at Rollag to spend the day on Sunday.

Sunday those who enjoyed a potluck supper at the Ronnie Kotrba home were Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Arnie, Melinda and Nicky, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kotrba and Jason, Mrs. Bob Mislevic of Detroit Lakes, Micah Ranum of Viking, Tracy Kotrba and a friend Paul and Andy and Victoria of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Deanna and Dustin.

Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson were callers on Sunday evening at the Gary Johnson home.

Labor Day, Mrs. Allen Hawk, Jesse, Jenny and Zane and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Jean Johnson home.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alisse were visitors and dinner guests on Labor Day at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Venca Wiseth, Dana and Dallas were callers at the Larry Kotrba home.

Randy Johnsrud came home on Saturday to visit. Then on Saturday night Randy attended the Stag party for Brian Larson.

Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Jean Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Labor Day.

Church Directory

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
211 Arnold North, Thief River Falls
Curtis O. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sch, Associate
Edsel Lindquist, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-3 • 681-3855
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 6:30 p.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
Galen & Marcia Sylvester, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Sunday, Sept. 24— Volleyball/All city-church at 2 p.m.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m., Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Sunday school is followed by worship service.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Pastor; Henry Moyer, Pastor
Gary Johnson, Associate
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Richard Lundgren, Interim Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Nondenominational
Highway 1 East, Rt. 4 Box 11A, Thief River Falls
Curtis Jacobson, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 9-3 • 681-2285
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

ABUNDANT LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
1602 Pennington Avenue, Thief River Falls
Wesley Langaas, Pastor
Office Hours: Tues.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-2300
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

CNC CHAPEL
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Wednesday, Sept. 20 — "See You at the Pole" youth gathering (LHS & FMS) at 7 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 21 — Beginning Experience meets in Fireside room at 7 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 23 — Rev. Don Richardson in concert at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays worship featuring Rev. Richardson at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9 a.m.

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
101 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rothchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4718
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. - Joy 4 Kids Children's church; Sunday school (Ages 2-Adult) at 9:30 a.m.

CHURCH ON THE MOVE
1563 Highway 59 Southeast, Thief River Falls
Cameron Stratton, Pastors
Peter and Greer Mevis, Children's Ministers
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move Children's church and preschool and nursery every service.

ST. BERNARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
105 Knight Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Father Joe DeCrans, Pastor
Father Tim Bushy, Associate Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-Noon, 12:30-5
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wollanzien, Pastor; Timothy M. Bauer, Pastor
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Baptist General Conference
818 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Ron Gullman, Senior Pastor
681-2477
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
1024 Tindolph Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Robert Forbes, Pastor
681-7685 Office or 681-4606
Worship Services: Saturdays at 11:05 a.m.; Sabbath school at 9:15 a.m.

PRECIOUS SEED BAPTIST CHURCH
Independent
1007 County Road 62, Thief River Falls
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-12 Noon • 681-3842
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Evening services at 7 p.m.

ST. PAULI LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
County Road 20 South of rural Thief River Falls
Terri Jo Skildum, Pastor
964-5447 or 964-5750
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Fall turkey supper–Starts serving at 4 p.m. (September the 24th)

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Water Street, St. Hilaire
964-5447 or 964-5750
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
401 South Saint Paul Avenue, Thief River Falls
Del Palmer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed.-Fri., 9-4:30 • 681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m. Morning devotional hour; Service is at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.

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Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3446

Congratulations to Bob and Linda Engelstad who celebrated their 25th Wedding Anniversary recently.

Susan Kanarr of Grand Forks and Keryl Larson spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the Cities. They stayed at the Lorraine Chamberlain home and also visited with Lyn Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bulcholz of Grand Forks and Terry Blaine of Grygla, also Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were supper guests at the Ray Sorenson home at Grygla on Saturday after attending the Grygla Fall Festival.

Julie Klamar of Fargo spent the weekend at her parental home the Roland Klamars and also took in the Fall Festival in Grygla.

Mrs. Ronald Beachy of Staples spent several days with her parents the Reuben Engeviks.

Eunice Hagen visited with Mrs. Arvin Dahl on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus, Mrs. Alan Severts were to a Gladiolus and Dahlia show at Winnipeg recently. Tammy got Grand Champion with her glad corsage and her name put on a plaque which will stay in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Dean Dolezal, Kody and Hailey of Savage spent several days at the Paul Klamar home.

Gordon Brown of Bagley, Pat McCullogh of Holt, Alma Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wagner of Middle River have been recently visitors at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair have been recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair have been recent visitors at the Alan Severts home.

Kelly and Nancy Englund, Cody and Savannah of Duluth spent the weekend at the Larry Hagen home.

Mrs. Lew Wallace was a supper guest on Tuesday at the Alan Severts home.

Alfred and Gladys Haglund of Long Prairie visited on the 20th at the Alan Severts home.

Glenn Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune spent the weekend at the Ed Wold home in the Cities and also visited with Jaylene and Carole Aune and attended the wedding of David Bjerke.

Wednesday, Evalyn Severts and Mrs. Alan Severts visited with Louise Lyon at Grey Eagle.

Ashley Bratang spent Saturday until Tuesday with her grandparents the Gene Petersons.

Diane Engen visited one evening at the Alan Severts home.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited at the Greg Harris home in Thief River Falls and Kayla accompanied them home for a few days.

Sunday, Evelyn Severts, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones were dinner guests at the Alan Severts home. Later visitors were Mrs. Dean Dolezal, Kody and Hailey of Savage and Mrs. Paul Klamar.

Congratulations to Bruce and Diane Lunsetter who celebrated their 25th Silver Wedding Anniversary on Tuesday.

Nathan and Karen Engevik and Katie of Roseau spent several days at the Reuben Engevik home.

Tuesday afternoon lunch guests at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Franzman of Carman, Manitoba, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Franzman of Grygla and Mrs. Orvin Anderson of Goodridge.

Tuesday, Mrs. Philip Roen of Grygla and Keryl Larson visited with Donnie McMillin at the Roseau Area Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited on Sunday afternoon at the Eugene Ruud home at Pencer.

Several people attended the 80th birthday party for Alton Sparby on Sunday in Grygla.

Senior News

The Seniors met on Wednesday with Keryl Larson winning the door prize. They celebrated the birthdays of Ann Engelstad and Harold Klamar. Mrs. Bill Bernstein served lunch. Cheslie Ruud will serve at their next meeting on September 13th.

Brian Kanarr of Thief River Falls was an overnight guest on Saturday of his grandmother, Keryl Larson.

Dinner guests on Sunday at the Gene Peterson home were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mansen of New London, Alma Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wagner of Middle River.

Mrs. Dean Anderson and Mrs. Ronald Beachy of Staples spent several days at the Reuben Engevik home.

Circle Meets

On Tuesday morning, the Salome circle met at United Lutheran church, present were Pastor Arlen Lloyd, Mrs. Alton Sparby, Mrs. Juel Aune, Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mrs. Reuben Brawley, Mrs. Reuben Engevik, Mrs. Larry Hagen, Mrs. Gene Peterson and Bonnie Nelson. Arlette gave the Bible study and potluck lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik spent the weekend at the Ronald Beachy home at Staples and helped one of their great-grandchildren celebrate their birthday.

Susan Kanarr of Grand Forks and her grandson Drew were overnight guests on Thursday at the Karyl Larson home.

Jordan Bratang of Grygla spent several days with his grandparents and on Monday Tammy and Ashley came and got him.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik attended the Team Penning in Thief River Falls on Sunday and Dean and Jill Anderson won several of the events.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud attended the football game at Roseau Tuesday evening of Warren-Alvarado-Oslo and Roseau.

Wednesday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Peterson visited at the Mervin Espe home near Roseau.

Pastor Arlen Lloyd and Kelsey visited recently at the Reuben Engevik home.

Visitors during the weekend at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruud, Anna and Lorantze of Rochester and Terry Ruud of Moorhead. Supper guests on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ruud and Mandi of Karlstad and Chris and Ross Howard of Warren.

Coming to help Alton Sparby celebrate his 80th birthday on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Elden Sparby and Stellenie of Middle River, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sparby, Kip and Lindy of Cold Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sparby, Brian and Therse of Eden Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sparby of Milaca, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Renum, Sean, Dane and Micah of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sparby, Kellie, David and Briley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sparby, Adam, Greg and Keith of Grygla, John Sparby, Tracy Sparby of Moorhead, Chad, Tina and Page Sparby of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Johnson of Hallock, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sparby, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kurtz, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sparby, Mr. and Mrs. Berry Hoffer all of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Nygaard, Mr. and Mrs. Derin Nygaard, Christy Nygaard all of Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Buchlez of Grace City, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Young of Bagley and also many friends from Middle River, Thief River Falls, Oklee, Roseau, Salol, Wannaska, Grygla and Gatzke. Also Mr. and Mrs. Armand Marx of Pierz, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baser of Big Lake.

Saturday, Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls, Opal Hoy and Sylvia Arnonson of Wannaska and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar attended funeral services for Paul Flaten at the Westaker Free Lutheran church at Newfolden.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sparby of Seattle, WA, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sparby of Minneapolis spent a couple of days at the Alton Sparby home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter spent the weekend at the Alan Lunsetter home at Wahpeton and Sunday Alans family, Elaine Arntson and Howard and Mary Ann went to the Rollag Threshing Bee.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Aune were coffee guests at the Juel Aune home.

Sunday morning, Dwight Peterson of Warren visited at the Gene Peterson home.

Weekend visitors at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hostutler of Minneapolis, Mrs. Bill Jowell of Bloomington. Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud and the above were coffee guests at the Darlene Swagger home.

Mary Polansky of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. George Polansky of Lewistown, MT were supper guests on Tuesday at the Eugene Polansky home.

Monday, Bennie Syos was a dinner guest of the Howard Lunsetter home.

The Chamber of Commerce presented Horsk Hus with its first dollar of clear profit. Innkeeper Dr. Dixie Klein says she and her family are planning holiday tours of the bed and breakfast for those who are curious to see it. Representing the Chamber are ambassadors Mike Malby and Holly Haugen.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Tyler, Trent and Brittney, children of Tim and Brenda Gagner visited with their grandparents Clarence and Dianne Gagner last week.

Wednesday guests of Pearl Laniel on Wednesday were Mrs. Pat Proulx, Vi Gagner, Dorothy Myhre, Martha Gagnar, Mamie Riendeau, and Joann Delage.

Mark and Kristi Brockberg of Fargo, Cary and Stacy Barberich and Natashia of Lake Mills, IA were weekend guests of their parents, Bob and Eleanore Barberich and to attend the 50th Anniversary of their grandparents Fredie and Delores Berberich.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was a Tuesday evening dinner guest of Mrs. Eleanore Hodgson of Red Lake Falls.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Mayme Barberich were Mrs. Frances Liebal, Gail and Allen of Mahnomen, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pittman and Lone, Marlene Harbott and Ami all of Thief River Falls, John and Stacy Barberich, Brittney and Ben, Betty Lindy, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Sinner, Kert, Paul and Marc of Bemidji, Don and Marie Abrams of Northwood, IA, Judy and Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Omally of Washington.

Sammy Getenmiller of Montana arrived on Wednesday to visit at the home of Del and Cindy Determan, Mike and Cathy DeMars of Red Lake Falls.

Monday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Renie Grove, Willard Hince, Russell and Shawn Hince, Sharlin and Evangeline Grove, and Michael Heggor.

Mrs. Brenda Gagner of Fergus Falls arrived on Saturday at the home of Clarence and Dianne Gagner, Tylor and Trent.

Arthur and Martha Gagnor accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Donna Josephson of Thief River Falls to Rollag Sunday and enjoyed the Rollag Threshing Demonstration and Craft Fair.

Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Hince visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gagnor of Crookston visited with Clarence and Dianne Gagnor on Saturday afternoon.

Fredric and Doleres Berberich were the honored guests on Saturday when their children hosted a special 50th Wedding Anniversary with a beautiful Mass at 4 p.m. held in the St. Frances Catholic church in Oklee with Fr. Duane Pribula the celebrant and a reception held at the Community Hall with a dinner and a program of the grandchildren singing special songs to their grandparents, and showed down memory lane throughout Fredric and Deleres fifty years of blissful life together with the family, relatives and friends.

Thursday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Harold Cyr, Mrs. George Burlhwick and Tracy, and Courtney Dustaison all of Oklee, Ronie Grove, Willard, Russell and Shawn Hince, Sharlin and Evangeline Grove

Ronnie and Dallas Paradis entertained Brock, Vern and Dary Landerville, Aurst and Diona Perenteau, Marc and Connie Perenteau, Clarence and Dianne Gagner and Amie Paradis Sunday evening.

Don and Ranie Plante hosted a birthday party in honor of their son Tyler on his third birthday with great-grandparents, Harvey and Mamie Riendeau, Mrs. Helga Schmitz, and Lucille Osigard of Red Lake Falls, grandparents Sharlin and Jean Plante of Red Lake Falls, Mike and Sharon Riendeau, Wade and Brenda Stinbrink of Crookston, Mrs. Laurie Malwitz and family of Red Lake Falls, Joe Riendeau, Michelle Riendeau and Ami Rux of Plummer to help Tyler celebrate. Happy 3rd Birthday Tyler!

Mrs. Ragna Gunderson of Oklee visited her daughter, Dianne and Clarence Gagner on Sunday.

Walter and Menice Novak visited Ray and Rienette Walter of Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

On Sunday, Willard and Shirley Hince, Betty Hanson, Bill Hawkyard and Velma Kathman of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachorey of Oklee, Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Evangeline Grove and Diane Plante visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Vern Landerville of Walker, Blackie and Gary Landerville of St. Paul were weekend guests of Marc and Connie Perenteau and while here they helped Joe Jewel of Mentor celebrate his 80th birthday on Sunday. Gary was the pilot of their plane when they fly in for the occasion.

St. Bernard's adds events to marathon

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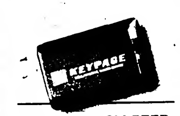
team will be required to solve puzzles, perform crazy stunts, scavenge for items and follow clues all over Thief River Falls. Winning team at the end of 10 clues will find a treasure chest with $200 in cash.

First of five Booster Dinners for parents of St. Bernard's students only will be served at 6 p.m. October 24. Incentives are being offered for dinner attendance.

Events are being arranged through the St. Bernard's Booster Club. Officers are Shelby Sorvig, president; JoAnn Paraventi, vice president; Mary Walseth, secretary; Barb Kalinoski, treasurer; Sue Dondelinger, sergeant-at-arms; and Polly Breitenfeldt, past president and school committee.



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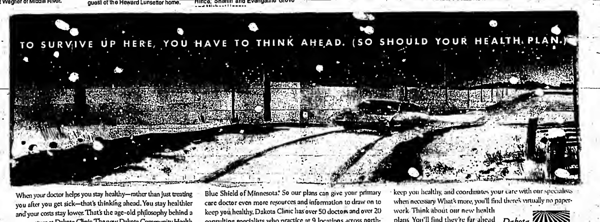

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Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
486-4378

Word has been received of the death of David Oatty, 93, formerly of Plummer but more recently of Cannon Falls. He passed away on July 8th from complications following a broken hip and his funeral was at the Lundberg Funeral home of Cannon Falls. He was preceded in death by his wife Esther and son John, 2 brothers and 4 sisters. He is survived by his 2nd wife Anne Marie and son Philip. While residing at Plummer, Dave was a member of the school board and active in other community affairs. Esther was a long time organist at Immanuel Lutheran church. They are both well remembered. They left Plummer in 1967.

Last Sunday visitors of Edna Hyde for noon dinner were Dennis Hyde of Bad Medicine Lake and his friend Luan.

Eleanor Hodgson entertained at a birthday supper for Dorothy Myhre last Tuesday evening. Guests besides the birthday girl were Chet and Lorraine Brown, Adelaide Naas, Edna Hyde and Jesse Hodgson.

June Bergeson of Fosston was an afternoon and supper guest of Edna Hyde last Thursday.

Visiting Ron and Kathy Juneau this past week was Toni Baca. On Thursday he joined the Juneau's for the Senior meal at the hall and on Saturday they all went to Rollag for the Steam Thresher's Reunion.

John Haley recently addressed the faculty and staff of Bemidji State University at a "Welcome Back" breakfast to start the new academic year. He was introduced to Judith Eaton, Chancellor of Minnesota's State Colleges and Universities. Then John and his wife Clara visited the U of M in Minneapolis where John participated on ITV hookup with U of M Crookston for participation in the Red Lake County partnership Sub-Community on affordable housing. Red Lake County and city officials, the U of M Archetectual Department head and the McKnight Foundation conducted business for 2 hours on ITV.

Clara and John met with the Minnesota Special Olympics field manager and made plans for a Bowling Tournament in October for the Special Olympic Athletes in Northwestern Minnesota.

The Haley's trip to the Cities was concluded by a visit to the State Fair. There they attended a picnic in honor of all Minnesota Mayors hosted by State Fair officials. The activities climaxed with a concert by Tony Bennett and his trio, which was very enjoyable.

Bridal Shower

Linda Hesse, daughter of Lorette and the late Don Hesse was the honored guest at a bridal shower at the American Legion Club on Thursday evening. Games were played and a dessert lunch was served. She opened her gifts assisted by her mother, Lorette and her future mother-in-law, Janice Frietag. Hostesses for the evening were Brenda Knutson, Mary Hesse, Connie Peterson and Sandy Hesse. Linda will become the bride of Neil Mattson on Saturday the 9th of September.

New Residents

Russell and Erica Wheeler and baby Jenna of Fosston and Erica's sister Evangeline Bekken of Lengby moved into the Byer apartment on Friday. Both girls are taking classes at Northland College and Russell and Evangeline work at Arctco. We welcome them to our community.

Percy Blair of Neche was a Friday night overnight guest of his sister Edna Hyde.

Neil Huotari of Rochester spent from Wednesday to Friday of last week at his mother Lorna Huotari's home. He had come for his brother Bryce's football opener and will come again this week for the next football game. With such a loyal fan, we will hope for future victories.

Funeral

Dorothy and Ernie Pederson, daughter Donna and Ken Wisnewski, newly arrived from Milwaukee, WI, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pederson, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Pederson, Harold and Janice Margerum, all of Bemidji attended the funeral of Ernie's brother Oscar, 91, of Langdon, ND on Sunday. Ernie and Dorothy, Ken and Donna had driven out on Saturday and visited many friends and relatives on Sunday. Sincere condolences go to the family.

Edna Hyde and Ruth Wilkens attended the Golden Wedding celebration for Frederick and Doloras Berbarich on Saturday evening at Brooks.

Pam Milligan, Sharon and Terry Griffiths and daughter Tracy visited with Charlotte Leming on Saturday.

Raynold Gulsvig of Crookston and son Bob were Saturday afternoon visitors at the Loren LaFayette home.

Mike, Sandy and Sheena Greenwald left on Friday and went to Valley City, ND to watch their daughter Cheryl participate in a college tournament. She is a student at Jamestown College and after the game they spent the weekend with her in Jamestown and returned home on Monday.

Howard and Myrtle LaFayette spent Labor Day weekend in International Falls visiting Myrtle's sisters Hilma McKee and Grace Tomes.

40th Anniversary

Joan and Eldon Burstad, former residents of Plummer, were guests of honor at a 40th Anniversary party on Saturday, September 2nd at Bethany Lutheran church of Red Lake Falls. The event was hosted by their children Debbie, Tammie and Monte. A program was given at 2:30 with musical selections by son-in-law, Dean Barend and the grandchildren. The couple renewed their vows and a time of reminiscing brought a lot of response. The church parlors were beautifully decorated and a delicious lunch was served. Special guests were Joan's parents Alving and Nellie Nelson of Riverview Nursing home of Crookston, her sisters Marilyn and Diane and brother Mark and families. Eldon's mother Winifred Johnson of Red Lake Falls and others in his family, as well as many friends and relatives in the area. attending from Plummer were Goodwin and Lucille Kvasager, Bumol and Effie Byer.

Lorna and Bryce Huotari, Tom and Wilma Huotari enjoyed Sunday dinner at Third Base in Brooks.

Edna Hyde and June Bergeson spent Sunday at the Rollag Steam Thresher's Reunion. Stopping in Ulen for breakfast, they found Rick and Lorraine Lorenson, the Leiler family and the Ray Mages family all heading in the same direction and enjoying breakfast.

Art and Norma Hemstad of Park Rapids arrived on Sunday at the Loren LaFayette home and visited friends and relatives until Tuesday morning.

Nebraska Trip

Don and Connie Hagen, Emily, John, Molly and Elizabeth returned on Sunday evening after a 9 day vacation. They headed for Kimball, NE where Connie's sister, Jennifer and Kim Erickson live, camping a couple of nights on the way and also on the homeward way. They did a lot of sightseeing including the Black Hills and Rollag Steam Thresher's Reunion. They spent 5 days at Jennifer's at Kimball, the mailing address, although they actually live in Colorado. Karl Vigstol did chores for them while they were gone.

Sunday dinner guests of Ruth Wilkens were Leonard and Veronica Boucher of Brooks.

Birthdays

A small party was held in Brooks on Sunday for Ron Juneau and Martin Eskeli who just had their birthdays. Attending were Martin and Fern Eskeli, Ron and Kathy Juneau, Betty and Herb Derosier, Herb's sister Mercey and Dennis, Ray Nenonen, Morris and Doreen Cote. On Sunday evening Ron and Kathy went to the Derosier home for a great meal.

George and Hazel Olke spent Sunday afternoon at the home of John and Evelyn Kuiper of Red Lake Falls.

Frances Schiafert, Oora Derosier and Kay Ford lunched at Best Western on Monday evening and enjoyed a time of reminiscing.

Labor Day supper guests of Karn and Alice Tillman were Roy and Chuckie Wilcox, Vivian and Harry Sjulson, and Pastor Bob Schurr, all of Red Lake Falls.

Sharon and Terry Griffiths and daughter Tracy who have been visiting their father and grandfather Penn Milligan left on Monday morning for Minneapolis, where they flew to their home in Florida. Tracy's husband had been called home earlier to his work.

Pam Hesse of Tempa, FL arrived at her mother Loratte Hesses' home on Tuesday. She will visit and help with preparations for her sister Linda's wedding on September 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hemstad of Park Rapids were callers at the home of Hilma Hemstad on Tuesday morning.

John and Evelyn Kuiper and son Teddy visited on Tuesday at the Ernie Pederson home.

Homemaker's meeting

The Hollyhock Home Study group met at the home of Luverne Sevigney of Brooks on Tuesday evening. Attending from Plummer were Kathy Juneau, Edna Hyde, Bertha Hughes, Keran Dumrais, and Rosemary Eskeli. Lorna Nelson presided in the absence of Jean Carpenter with Sue Hegge and Dianne Gagner giving the reports. The "Homemakers Crate" of home created items for the Blast to Brooks was readied for Saturday and the group will have its annual Bake sale. Luverne served lunch for the 10 members attending.

Bertha Hughes was a Tuesday overnight guest of Edna Hyde.

Dorothy Myhre and Veronica Boucher of Brooks were Wednesday afternoon visitors of Ruth Wilkens.

Funeral

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Eugene Carpenter who died quite unexpectedly on Monday evening. His funeral was held on Friday morning at Immanuel Lutheran church of Plummer.

Edna Hyde received word that her nephew Glen Blair, who had been in a coma for 6 years following a traffic accident, had passed away. His father, Edna's brother had died 2 years ago so the family had known a lot of grief. He is survived by a sister and 3 brothers. His home was in Bellingham, WA. Sympathy goes out to Edna and her family.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

Malenie Lefrooth of Willmar was home this weekend to attend her cousin Scott Brekka's wedding on Friday. She visited Elsie Lefrooth on Saturday afternoon and in the evening accompanied Greg Lefrooth to Winnipeg to spend some time with their father, Donny Lefrooth.

Dale Erickson of Alaska who attended the 4th of July celebration in Karlstad, passed away in Seattle, WA on Saturday. His parents, Alvin and Doloras Erickson are present residents at Karlstad Nursing Home.

The weather in Northwest Minnesota has been ideal for harvesting and most of the farmers haven been busy early and late taking advantage of it. We also escaped the frost so the flowers are still beautiful but today it is clouding up so we can expect some moisture. Before the days of clothes dryers, I remember that if it froze, I would hurry and get the clothes on the lines and in again before three days went by because we would have rain or snow. Of course that was west of the Rockies. The apples have taken on a pretty blush, making a complexion any 16-year-old would be proud to have. This incessant wind hasn't been able to blow them off but I imagine Roy will be after them soon.

The Strandquist seniors met at the Center with 12 members and 2 guests, Clara Nelson and Myrtle Vagle. Evelyn Kline was the hostess and served a delicious lunch. The door prize was won by Adeline Stennes. They tied a quilt and visited with their friends. Joyce Sjodin and Evelyn Kujava brought bingo prizes to the center.

Many of the Strandquist Seniors attended the dinner at the Center in Karlstad on Friday evening to help get that project going again. They all were appreciated very much.

JulieAnn Engler, Justin Engler and Annie from Heron Lake spent the weekend with Lorraine Sallen and Mary Johnson. JulieAnn, Lorraine, Justin and Angie went to the Noracres on Saturday. They found the Roseau River Bridge removed entirely so they had to backtrack to Caribau, cross the river and follow the Canadian border to the refuge. Justin had just finished his 6 year hitch in the Navy, in the nuclear program on the aircraft carrier, Abraham Lincoln.

Morna and Kenrick Anderson attended the Threshing Bee at Strathcona on Sunday. Other folks who were there from here were Vance and Adrienne Lefrooth, Jeff, Margaret, Aleura and Sara Donaldson. There is an event that is a lot of fun to attend. Strathcona always makes the folks feel young again, reminding them of old times.

Judy Kleinvachter, Claudia Berggren, Jessie and Kali were among other relatives for lunch at Irene's Cafe after Jacob Kasprowicz's baptism on Sunday. Later they were joined by Lowell Lefrooth and Kathy Femrite to visit Frank and Judy Kleinvachter at their home.

Ida Bruce accompanied Ray and Ruth Austin and Robert and Ruth Strandberg to Northwest Angle and visited with Tom and Linda Keshel a couple of weeks ago.

Henry and Vanette Pettis and family, Margaret Donaldson and girls, Lowell and Pete Lefrooth and girls enjoyed grilled chicken supper at Vance Lefrooth's Wednesday evening. Vanette was the Chef.

David and Elaine Grovum and Molly of Thief River Falls visited Elsie Lefrooth on Sunday afternoon after attending the Northland steam Threshing Bee at Strathcona. Margaret, Aleura and Sara Donaldson joined them at Elsie's.

Holly Haugen, Mike Barry, Bob Bergan and Mike Melby were at the ribbon cutting ceremony for Pennington Main. Pennington Main is open 24 hours and features a dining area with Smash Hit Sube and Hot Stuff Pizza. It also has a touchless car wash. Pennington Main celebrated their Grand Opening last week.

Chamber members Holly Haugen and Mike Melby welcomed Jeff Hepper to the city. Mr. Hepper is the new manager at the Jewel Box. He enjoys living in Thief River Falls and thinks it is a great place to raise his two children. The Jewel Box will be having a store-wide sale in conjection with the store in Grand Forks.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Wednesday evening, Jodi Gustafson visited at the Neil Liedberg home.

Mrs. Bob Purdy of Thief River Falls visited at the Neil Liedberg home Thursday evening.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls visited with Elmer Liedberg at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Liedberg of Sabin also visited with Elmer at the hospital on Saturday evening and also visited at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

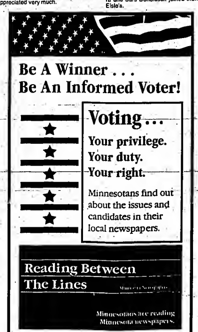
Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lovly attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary Mass service at the Catholic church in Oklee Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Al Radniecki. Later they attended the supper and program at the Community Center in Oklee. Congratulations Al and Vi!

Friday evening, Brittany Hanson was an overnight guest with Brittany Pearson at the Brian Nelson home.

Friday evening, Marshall Tanner was an overnight guest at the Dale Hanson home.

Saturday, Dale and Dawn Hanson attended the wedding of Paula Mulnansky and Todd Olson at the St. Anne's Catholic church in Goodridge and the reception at the Goodridge Community Center. Congratulations Paula and Todd!

Saturday morning, Dawn Hanson was a coffee guest at Joanie Jensen's.



Rev. Don Richardson

Classical piano concert Sept. 23 at TRF church

United Methodist Church of Thief River Falls will host Rev. Don Richardson of Holiday, FL, for a classical piano concert Saturday, September 23, at 7 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

The public is welcome to attend and a free-will offering will be received. A coffee and cake reception will be held following the concert.

Rev. Richardson is a native of Florida and has a bachelor's degree in piano from Florida Southern College and Stetson University. His first concert appearance was in 1986 and since then he has appeared in several states and in Washington, DC.

He also received his Divinity degree from Duke Divinity School and is currently senior pastor at Community United Methodist Church in Holiday.

Newfolden Community News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Thursday, Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch at the Tom and Sue Dondelinger home.

Dennis and Marie Skadsem came from Wyoming on Sunday to visit with Lucille Skadsem and other relatives and friends.

Curt Thompson visited Tuesday morning with his mom Olga Thompson and enjoyed coffee and donuts with her.

Monday visitors and coffee guests at the Lillie Olson home were Helen Sorenson and JoAnn Gibbs of San Jose, CA.

Saturday afternoon after Paul Fleten's funeral Frank and Harriet Kujava visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Friday evening, September 8th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nelson enjoyed supper together in Thief River Falls, afterwards Thompson's were invited out to visit at the Nelson enjoying a lovely evening.

Linda Glenzer, Joseph, Benjamin and Nathen Spent the weekend of September 2nd at the Merle and Buelah Bjornrud home.

Saturday, Arnold and Vernice Larson were among many to attend the funeral of Paul Fleten.

Sunday evening supper guests at the Lucille Skadsem home were Dennis and Marie Skadsem of Wyoming, Myron and Ila Anderson, Steve Boe, Brandon and Brittany visited there later. Later in the evening, Dennis and Marie and Lucille walked over to visit with Archie and Anita.

Shirley Wagner stopped over to Emma Kammens on Tuesday after work at Arctco and then they walked over to Olga Thompsons for a visit and enjoyed coffee and goodies before going home.

Saturday evening, those that brought birthday wishes to Mona Olson were Gary and Cindy Borg and their granddaughter Taylor, Becky Olson and Lillie Olson.

Saturday, Laura Roppe attended the Bridal shower for Becky Berggren at the Community Center.

Saturday evening, September 9th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson enjoyed a lovely evening visit over goodies with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson.

Merle and Buelah Bjornrud went to Blackduck, Friday, September 8th to babysit for Charles and Linda Glenzer children while they spent some time to celebrate their 10th Anniversary. Merle and [illegible] returned home on Saturday [illegible].

[illegible] evening visitors and lunch guests at the Arnold and Vernice Larson home were LaVoi Thun of [illegible] and Roy and Laura Roppe.

Monday evening those that went to Lake [illegible] and enjoyed picnic and boat rides were Dennis and Marie Skadsem, Lucille Skadsem, Beverly [illegible], Myron and Ila Anderson, Samantha and Tiffany Rose, Archie and Anita Skadsem and Kristen. They also saw two bear cubs at the park.

Those who have visited during the week with Emma Kammen at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls have been Shirley Wagner, Curt and Elaine Thompson and Olga Thompson. Emma Kammen is a patient there after having Eye Surgery at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening, Lillie Olson visited at the Lyle and Becky Olson home.

Sunday evening, Hanna Moen visited and enjoyed supper at the Gerald and Elone Moan home. They also enjoyed birthday party for Beth Moen.

Sunday Gladys Erickson and Harriet Kiesow of Goodridge visited at the Roy and Laura Roppe home.

Last Sunday afternoon, September 10th Curt Thompson and Percy Strikke took in the Threshing Bee at Strathcona while Elaine and Vernace attended the Bridal Shower for Becky Berggren at the Community Center.

Sunday, Merle and Buelah Bjornrud visited with Carl Johnson, Clara Bakke, Kora Myhrer, Mrs. Klonp and Eunice Hanson at the CNC unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. In the evening, Merle Buelah attended the Bible study at the Sanford and Doris Bergaas home near Argyle.

Sunday afternoon, Vernice Larson, Carol Ness and Marie Ness were among many to attend the Bridal Shower in honor of Lone Jesme in Middle River.

Dennis and Marie Skadsem left on Tuesday to visit with Marie's folks at Mahnomen.

Randyne Sham of Grand Forks is spending a week with Clara Hanson her sister.

Sunday afternoon, Vernice Larson, Carol Ness and Marie Ness were among many to attend the Bridal shower for Becky Berggren at the Newfolden Community Center.

Merle and Ardys Knutson, Mark and Teri Knutson and children came Friday evening to Bill and Shirley Wagner and attended the funeral of Paul Fleten at the Westaker church on Saturday.

Chuck and Sherry Olson visited with Lillie Olson one evening last week.

Saturday morning, Henry and Kay Nelson visited and enjoyed coffee with Hanna Moen.

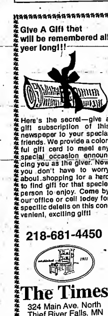
Roy and Laura Roppe visited at the Wallace and Joan Roppe home and also visited and enjoyed lunch with Jean Roppe on Sunday evening.

Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Lillie Olson on Tuesday afternoon.

Curt and Elaine Thompson and Shirley Wagner visited with Emma Kammen on Tuesday afternoon at the CNC Unit at the the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. She would enjoy company so just pop in on her and say Hi!

Dennis and Marie Skadsem went to visit with Brian Skadsem and family on Friday and they'll leave for their home on Sunday afternoon.

Monday afternoon, Vernice Larson and Sybil Peterson visited with Sybil Cwikla and enjoyed lunch with her.



The Times' Editorial Opinion

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Why Do Farmers Do Stupid Things?

GUEST EDITORIAL
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It never fails. I've been in the business of trying to help farm families prevent needless deaths for over 10 years now, and every year around harvest time I get a call from a reporter doing a story on the latest farm injury or death. They always ask the same thing: "Why do farmers do stupid things that get them hurt or killed?"

The answer is simple. Farmers aren't stupid, they're just human. It takes people to do farm work. People are not machines. Unlike the massive combines and tractors they use, people are relatively weak, small and slow.

For example, the "average" person is only able to produce about one-fifth of a horsepower while doing work. Even an Olympic class sprinter can generate only about five horsepower for a few seconds at a time. Compare that to a machine like a rotating power take-off shaft that transfers 100 horsepower or more!

This huge difference in power is what accounts for the severity of injuries from farm equipment. The chances of injuries increase dramatically when we don't shut off equipment before leaving the operator's station or when we don't replace protective covers designed to shield dangerous areas.

People are also a lot smaller than machines. The "average" farmer weighs 150 to 200 pounds, compare that to a 10-ton tractor! What happens when a tractor overturns, pinning the operator underneath? Too often, the answer is death.

In fact, tractor rollovers are the single biggest leading cause of farm death in Minnesota and the United States. These 300 to 400 deaths every year throughout the country are almost entirely preventable if every tractor were equipped with a rollover protective structure.

Finally, people are a lot slower than machines. "Reaction time" is the time it takes for your brain to sense danger and send a signal back to your hand, leg or some other body part to "move it!" For most people, reaction time is a second or more. Compare that to the snapping rolls in a combine header, which can pull in corn stalks at a rate of 12 feet per second. If a farmer gets off to unplug a jammed combine without turning off the engine, he can be entangled much faster than he can pull free.

As human beings, we simply cannot compete with farm machines!

"How can we prevent more farm accidents?" is the second question I'm always asked. I have a simple answer to that one, too. As humans, we have one big advantage over machines. We can read, and we can follow directions. Read and follow the safety and maintenance instructions supplied in your machine's operator's manual. It just might save your life some day.

Cause For Optimism In Farm Safety

While any accident is still too many, there is cause for optimism in regard to farm safety and the number of farmers who are paying greater attention to it. Fatalities in 1994 in Minnesota were down to 24 in 1994 from 32 the previous year. Through June 30, the number in Minnesota was down to seven—a decrease from nine in 1994 and 12 in 1993.

Over the past 10 years, however, 37 per cent of the state's total farm fatalities have happened in the three months of September, October and November when the rush of the harvest season means additional hours in the field and apparently causes farmers to take more chances. Two-thirds of all harvest season fatalities are caused by tractors and harvest equipment. Highway collisions involving slow-moving farm equipment and suffocation deaths in grain bins and silos each account for seven per cent.

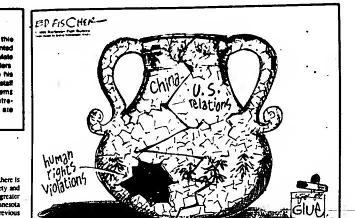
This week—National Farm Safety and Health Week, September 17-25—we would like to think that farmers are paying more attention to shutting down equipment before working on it, keeping shields in place and making a conscious decision that the few minutes lost in a shut-down or replacing a shield is minor compared to time spent in a hospital or worse.

This writer can tell you from personal experience that taking chances will eventually catch up with you, and probably when you least expect it. Farmers become so accustomed to living a hair's breadth from disaster when they operate equipment or work around livestock that they become comfortable with it. They may even have had a few close calls and escaped unharmed or with only minor injury. Consider those close calls an act of Providence and a warning to avoid taking chances in the future.

Technology offers the possibilities of making farming safer in the future through the use of electronic sensors which will either sound a warning or shut off equipment when something—such as a person—comes too close to a PTO shaft or some other danger area.

Researchers are still considering the "human factor" implications of having such safety equipment on machinery; even if it is relatively inexpensive and extremely reliable. There is the possibility that farmers will take additional risks because they believe a safety system is in place. It's something like an auto driver taking chances on the road because his car is equipped with a seat belt and air bag.

Such devices are worth developing, however, and could help prevent unnecessary death or injury. Any equipment, however, no matter how high-tech, is only as safe as its operator. And take it from me, being safe is a whole lot more comfortable than being careless.



LETTERS

To The Editor:

This letter is for the man who stole my billfold out of my purse while I was parked in front of my mother's house in the late afternoon of September 12, 1995. I made the mistake of leaving the car for just less than five minutes to step across the street to look at the river.

Having spent the better part of my 44 years in Thief River Falls (even though it has changed dramatically in the 10 years I have been away), I will never again be able to think of it as the pretty, friendly little town I left....

It makes me sick that someone would just reach in a car on a bright, sunny day in a close residential neighborhood and steal a billfold right out of a purse. It makes me ragingly angry that such a man hasn't the conscience to realize that I can replace the money, but the mementoes I carried in the billfold can never be replaced. The very least the thief could do is throw the billfold back in the yard after he's finished with it—after all, the rest of the things in it are of no value to him.

I have another message for you, Mr. Thief. That's what you are, aren't you? You may not have gotten caught this time, but there'll be another since you've chosen the lifestyle you have. It will catch up with you, you know, as always what goes around comes around. Maybe it will be your turn to get ripped off in the future.

In the meantime, I will never forget your face, as you made the mistake of staring at me when you walked by my car that day before you did your "deed."

So, sooner or later, we will meet as you can run and run, but you can't hide; and you have no way of knowing who I know in this town that you also may know. People talk and people brag, sometimes to the wrong people.

Just remember that the next time you're helping yourself to another person's property. My late father told me one time to be careful because "the night has a thousand eyes." Just imagine how many the day has.....

Sincerely,
Darl Le Johnson (Bee)

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

On the 28th of August, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter enjoyed birthday dinner with Mrs. Dwight Scharmer at Drayton.

Irma Harris, Mrs. Reuben Engevik took Jamie Harris to Bemidji on Sunday to enroll at Oak Hills Bible College.

Saturday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the Merlin Sistad home were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls and Walter Lunsetter.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harris of Thief River Falls visited at the Juel Aune home.

Mrs. Penny Johnson of Eagen spent Tuesday until Friday visiting with her mother, Eunice Hegen.

Several ladies attended a bridal shower for Audrye Selmon at United Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon. Audrya will become the bride of Shannon Nelson on September 23.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bernstein, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd visited at the Chestlo Ruud home.

Sunday, Mrs. Dwight Schermer, Layne and Houston of Drayton visited at the Howard Lunsetter home and they all attended the 25th Silver Wedding Anniversary party for Bruce and Diane Lunsetter at the Steak Knife.

Monday, Keylynn Mills, Petric and Linsey of Vancouver Island, B.C. and Mr. and Mrs. Leverne Aune of Grygla visited at the Juel Aune home.

On Thursday, Keylynn and family returned to their home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pelansky visited at the Donald Verbout home with Mr. and Mrs. George Pelansky of Lewistown, MT.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited at the Wayne Lunsetter home on Sunday evening.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson were to the Wiskow Threshing Bee and later visited at the Dale Peterson and Oline Erickson homes at Badger.

Monday, Franklin Lundsetter and Mrs. Rick Larson visited at the Walter Lunsetter home.

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Reiner Community News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Wedding Bells!

Congratulations to Mitchell Horning and Jennifer Dero who were united in marriage on Saturday, September 2nd, at the Trinity Lutheran church at Casper, WY.

Mitchell Horning is the son of Allen and Marilyn (Sigarud) Horning at Casper, WY and grandson of Harry Sigerud who attended the wedding. God's blessings to Jennifer and Mitchell as they begin their life together.

Labor Day weekend guests at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home were Virgil Sigerud and son, Dale Sigerud and Tami Wilson all of Bloomington and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Heinrichs and granddaughter, Brianna Gunderson of Angora.

Visitors at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home during the week were Helen and Earl Halvorson, Jean Halvorson, Chancey, Cole and Amy and Rose Needham and grandson, Scott Needham.

Kenny Coan was a supper guest at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home Sunday evening along with Mari Lou Anderson, Garrot and Laura.

Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to Inga Coan who celebrated her 87th birthday at her home at Valley Home in Thief River Falls on September 11th.

Sunday, Dorothy Miller, Kenny Coan, Mari Lou Anderson, Garrot and Laura, Gertie Haugen, Ardis Rare and Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Huden along with Inga's friend Hazel Blom celebrated Inga's birthday.

Many others brought Inga birthday greetings during the weekend and she received many nice cards and gifts. Happy Birthday, Mom!

Happy Birthday to Kathleen Shirie at St. Paul who celebrated her birthday on September 12. God's blessings to you, Kathy!

Olay Mikkelson of Mt. Vernon, WA spent three weeks visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Hulda and Otto Sigerud and other family and friends in the area.

Wednesday evening, Otto, Hulda and Olay visited at the Steve and Julie Olson home at Grygla and brought Julie birthday greetings. Happy Birthday to you, Julie!

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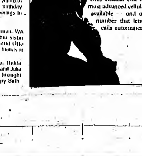
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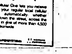
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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—The school board has furnished each room with a wastepaper basket and a large dictionary and holder for the high school room.

—There are 152 pupils enrolled. Miss Wallin has 61, Miss Lafreniere 42, Miss Amea 30 and Professor Sage 19.

—The school has five new library books last week making in all 122 books now in our library.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—W. C. Smiley has prepared a book of field notes for new settlers.

—According to Agent Baker, Thief River Falls Great Northern agent, there are more pounds of freight shipped and received in Thief River Falls in a week than there is in Red Lake Falls in a month.

—The St. Hilaire creamery, built in the spring of 1903, has proved a big success. During August, 60,713 pounds of cream was received from which 18,269 pounds of butter was made.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Sanitary drinking fountains are being placed in the school buildings with wells to provide the water.

—More than 20 cars carrying local businessmen made a trade extension tour as far north as Roseau. W. J. LaBree served as starter.

—H. A. Brumund started work on a new movie theatre adjoining the Brumund hotel.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—The local American Legion post is considering starting a drum corps.

—The commercial club is planning an Alfalfa Day celebration in January.

—Opening day enrollment in the local schools was 1,311.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—T. P. Smidesang is opening a flower shop in Thief River Falls.

—Odegaard and Sons purchased a building on Horace avenue north.

—Dr. Warren J. Hanson, formerly of Warren, opened a dental office here.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—This city was host to a district meeting of the League of Minnesota Municipalities.

—Ole Engelstad was named secretary of the Elks lodge.

—Farm home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Parks in Kratka township was destroyed by fire.

—Legislative advisory committee allocated $18,000 for improvements on the local airport.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Northwest area sportsmen gathered in this city for their fall conference with George A. Selke, state commissioner of conservation, James Kimball, state game and fish director, and Ken Beegle, safety lecturer for the Remington Arms company, addressing the group, with Beegle later giving a shooting exhibition at the trap club and leaving as a souvenir an Indian head engraved in a steel plate with .22 rifle bullets.

—Incorporation of Thief River Falls Jobs, Inc. was completed, with Dr. O. D. Beich elected president, Bill LaFave, vice president, Ralph Luhman, secretary, and E. O. Peterson, treasurer.

—Dr. Jim Disse was top gun in the trap league for the year with an average of 22.7.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Classes began in the new junior college in Thief River Falls with 159 freshmen enrolled from 38 different communities and a full-time faculty staff of five.

—City council voted unanimously to place upon the general election ballot in November the question of whether the city should issue general obligation bonds not to exceed $200,000 for constuction of an outdoor swimming pool.

—Eeklund-Holmstrom Legion Post 117 of the American Legion in Thief River Falls is planning a grand opening of its extensively remodeled clubrooms.

—Lowell Swenson, associated with Dow Key company as general manager for six years, has purchased controlling interest in Arctic Enterprises, Inc. from Edgar Hetteen.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Concrete panels are being set in place to form walls of the Best Western motel, now under construction.

—Named Sheepman of the Year for the national Columbia Sheep Breeders association of America was Alvin Fjeld of rural Goodridge.

—Homecoming royalty at Goodridge high school were Shirley Grabowska and Richard Nelson.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The school bond issue for a proposed addition to Lincoln high school was soundly defeated 2,439 to 1,701.

—King and queen of homecoming festivites at Goodridge high school for 1985 are Tracy Kotrba, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kotrba, and Tami Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Miller.

—Joshua, Justin and Jeremiah Altepeter, triplet sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Altepeter, were baptized at St. Bernard's Catholic church Sunday.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Adolina Provost of Okloo and Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA were Thursday evening visitors with Rose Aaknes.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Sunsdahl of Saudon and Frances Sunsdahl of Tower arrived at the home of Rose Aaknes. They came to attend the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Al and Vi Radniacki at the Community Center in Okloo on Saturday afternoon. Frances Sunsdahl is spending a few days with Rose Aaknes and her other sisters Adolina Provost, Vi Radniacki and Lillian Tanam all of Okloo and Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA.

All that were dinner guests at Al and Vi Radniacki home in Okloo were Mr. and Mrs. Roman Radniacki of Staples, Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA, Frances Sunsdahl of Tower, Rose Aaknes of Trail, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Radniacki and family of Hoyt Lake, Tony Radniacki and daughter and her friend of Fargo, ND, Matt Radniacki of Lake Mills, Adolina Provost and Lillian Tanam of Okloo.

Evening visitors on Sunday at the home of Rose Aaknes were Adolina Provost of Okloo, Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA, Frances Sunsdahl of Tower and Kathy Bakko of Gonvick.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Radniacki of Okloo visited with Rose Aaknes on Wednesday evening.

Trail Auxiliary

The Trail Auxiliary to Post #6426 met August 8 with six members present. Jr. Vice President, Doris Evjo, presiding. Secretary's report was read and approved. Treasurer's report given and placed on file. General orders #2 were read, also committee reports given no bills presented. Received for cancer aid and research $17.00 in Memory of Clare Strand, Lester Evjo, and John Twooten.

District dues were sent in. We are to contact our congressmen to restore the funds to the Veteran's Administration. Safety work on highways skills. Check home safety rules. Members there are membership drawing this year, so lets each do our part.

We are to look for ways we can help our Veterans. They did so much for us. Old business: Audit report was read and placed on file. Cancer Aide lapel pins arrived and Rose's necklaces are here to sell. We will be taking pies to Good Samaritan home in Clearbrook for birthday party on September 14.

Rose Aaknes name was drawn for our attendance drawing. Grace and Kiki to service Carolyn. Perry hostessed this meeting.

Adolina Provost of Okloo, Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA, Frances Sunsdahl of Tower, Rose Aaknes all enjoyed dinner at the Joyce Cafe on Tuesday. They came to get Frances Sunsdahl of Tower to spend a few days in Okloo with her sisters Vi Radniacki, Lillian Tanem, Adolina Provost and with other relations.

Kathy Bakko of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes delivered a 50th Anniversary cake at the Okloo community center on Saturday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schmit and Jarod of Shoreview were weekend guests at the Phillip Schmit home.

Allde Samson visited Wednesday with Mabel Schmit. Mable had been fitted with a smaller cast but must wear this cast until about September 20. This has been a long time to be in a wheel chair and walker.

Frances Sunsdahl of Saudan, Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA, Adolina Provost of Okloo and Rose Aaknes were luncheon guests with Kathy Bakka at Gonvick on Wednesday afternoon.

Sylvia Flatoland was a brief caller on Kathy Bakka at Gonvick on Tuesday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota · September 20, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: September 27, 1945

An announcement will be made about expanded service at the Soo Line depot. The new traffic department office at the local passenger station will provide improved service to patrons. Before this change, the depot waiting room was open for either day or night hours but not both. In future, the waiting room will change its hours to include 24-hour services: what will be added: all night or all day?

Advanced question: Who was the woman employed by the Soo Line to handle inquiries at this office?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the public library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Globe-girdling Plane May Have Gone Over City

"Local residents who heard the drone of a huge airplane over the city early Wednesday afternoon believe the ship was one of three Superfortresses that landed in Chicago late in the afternoon after having attempted a non-stop flight from Tokyo, Japan, to Washington D.C. The planes flew over the Aleutian Islands, Alaska and Canada before entering the United States over Minnesota. Overcast skies here prevented view of the plane."

Basement Excavated For Forkenbrock Garage

"During the past week a dragline was in operation excavating the basement for the large new garage to be erected by the Forkenbrock Motor company on Horace avenue east of the Evelyn hotel."

Employment Offices In Minnesota Have 27,270 Jobs

"Minnesota entered September with 27,270 non-agricultural job openings in the files of the 33 U.S. employment service offices, according to Dreng Bjornaraa, state WMC director. This is an increase of 24 percent over the previous month. The increases were reported from offices outside the Twin Cities and Duluth, the metropolitan areas reporting a decrease - 6 percent in the Twin Cities. Outstate the primary need, which is not included in this 27,270 figure, is for manpower on the farms, particularly in the Red River Valley where the potato harvest is just getting under way."

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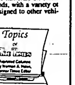
Many County Men Obtain Duck Hunting Licenses

"More than 200 Pennington county duck hunters had taken out hunting licenses up to Tuesday afternoon at the office of County Auditor A. M. Senstad, while the local post office sold a corresponding number of federal duck stamps at $1 each."

Only One License Plate On Cars Again In 1946

"Minnesota motor vehicles carrying only one license plate again in 1946, J. P. Bengston, supervisor of the license department for the secretary of state, announced last week. Passenger car licenses will have white numerals on black backgrounds, with a variety of colors assigned to other vehicles."



—If you are obsessed by the tired feeling, cheer up. October 12, Columbus Day, will be observed as a legal holiday in Minnesota.

—It might be all right for congress to make a cut in federal taxes, but a more urgent job is to apply the tax to superfluous job employees.

—Fittingly enough, a man named Key bought a Detroit Lakes resort known as the Locks.

—Some big cheeses have been point-free right along, opines the Mahnomen Pioneer.

—It might not be a bad idea for the government to keep its lips buttoned up when requested to pass on the secret of the atomic bomb.

—Simile: As popular as a bear with the owner of an apiary.

—This is the time of year when football coaches throughout the land are waving their crying towels.

—With the duck hunting season opening today, everything is lovely for the Nimrods except the shell situation.

—Congress is ending war time September 30, and Minnesota citizens can be depended on to obey the law.

—As Wes Meyer reminds us in the Detroit Lakes Tribune, death takes no holiday in these days of thin tires and fast driving.

—The current epidemic of strikes in industrial plants hits a sour note in the symphony of reconversion.

—Quoted comments: A dimple is the kind of depression that businessmen like.

—Commercial fishermen must be in clover these days. The Baudette Region reports that wall-eyed pike last week were fetching 47 cents a pound, just as they come from the lake.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota · September 18, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

From the Editorial Page

"Do you see that wave of prosperity in the air? No, is there one coming, Tom? Why, yes! Don't you see it in almost every daily paper we get from New York, Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis that a great rich liberal wave has started out on the wings of a demo-republican breeze and is traveling towards the corn-laden prairies with astonishing rapidity? It hasn't reached us yet but when it does come you'll see 35 cent wheat and ten cent oats coming into the towns on their own legs and the farmers will be so fat and sleek that they'll be no living with them, so cranky and independent, don't you know. I tell you, it's coming; it's almost here; what a rejoicing there will be among the rich farmers and the mechanics and laborers; and the merchant shall rejoice because of his great business and good profits. The poor and hungry shall rejoice, too because of the cheapness of bread and meat. We'll all rejoice and give thanks that Grover the First has initiated such as enormous movement of political wind and hence we record the deed in memory of his greatness."

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Mary Ann Norum and Jill Hanson from Bemidji visited at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home one day last week.

Lillian Monson from Green Valley, AZ was a visitor and coffee guest of Bernice Barth on Thursday.

Carla Torgerson, Mariah and Kaleb were weekend guests at the Harriet and Tom Sellers home at Edmore, ND. On Sunday afternoon, they helped Carla's niece, Sherry Dick, celebrate her birthday. Carla and Kaleb returned in the evening and Mariah remained to visit at the Michelle and Ken Krumm home. On Tuesday, Martha Torgerson motored to Oslo where she met Michelle and Mariah. Mariah returned to her home with Martha. Enroute home, Martha and Mariah visited with Luverne Wagner in Argyle.

Doris Keushagen, Chad and Bill Keushagen and Kathy Baum were supper guests at the Dean Keushagen home on Friday evening. They helped Dean celebrate his birthday.

Bernice Knutson was visitor and coffee guest at the Evelyn and Art Joppru apartment.

Pam Oscarson of Red Lake Falls visited at the Ray Barth home on Sunday afternoon.

Glenda Olson and Philip were Tuesday evening visitors at the Martha and Jarvis Togerson home.

Florence Nabben and Adeline Moe were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Ede and Harold Nabben home.

Jaramy Anderson was a Tuesday morning visitor and dinner guest at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Carmen Gustafson was a business caller in Grand Forks on Tuesday morning. At noon she treated Tony Gustafson, Brad Blazek and Lars Dyrud to dinner at a Grand Forks restaurant. Carmen visited the young gentlemen at their apartment in the afternoon.

Ida Rupprecht was a Friday morning coffee guest at the Ray and Bernice Barth home.

Jean Nelson visited with Bernice Trochmann and Edna Rupprecht at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and with Oscar Odegaard at his home on Friday afternoon.

Doris Keushagen and Joan Keushagen attended a baby shower for Heather Nelson and infant son Blair on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mary Jane Paradis near Brooks.

Bernice Knutson was a Tuesday afternoon visitor at the home of Marlene and Mike Beedy. She also visited with Marlene's mother, Bernice Danielson, who was visiting there from Grand Forks.

Alice Rodahl was a Tuesday morning coffee guest at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

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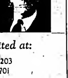
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Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
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The Annual "Blast to Brooks on Saturday started off as usual with the 9 a.m. prayer service and the raising of the flag with the song of "Old Glory" being sung. The early birds ball teams, Bake sales, and at noon the dinner held in the fellowship hall. The Kiddie parade was well attended, with the big parade after, the egg throwing, Lip Sync and many other activities thru out the day, ending with the street dance. It is surprising how the nice size crowd attended the activities with so many other activities going on in the surrounding area. It was well appreciated.

Steph Korslewskie returned home in Rosemount on Tuesday after spending the long weekend with her parents Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Vern Landerville of Walker, Gary and Blackie Landerville of St. Paul returned to their home on Monday after visiting Marc and Connie Parenteau and friends.

Max Parenteau of Walla Walla, WA arrived on Thursday, Tom and Diane Parenteau and Aaron of Maple Grove arrived on Friday. Steve and Vickie Parenteau and boys, Clare and Patti Thompson all of Grand Forks arrived on Friday to attend the Golf tournament and Blast to Brooks and visited their parents Aurel and Gloria Parenteau.

Darrin Grove of Oklee visited his grandmother Mrs. Lillian Hince on Monday.

Wayne and Robin Kerbs and Alyssa of Grand Forks, Keith Delage of Oklee were Monday evening dinner guest of their mother Mrs. Joann Delage.

Mrs. Mary Jane Paradis spent a few days with her daughter Heather and Todd Nelson in Fargo last week returning on Thursday accompanied with Heather and baby Blair.

Craig Korslewskie of Rosemount was a weekend guest of his parents Val and Donna Korslewskie.

Russell Hince, Evangeline Grove and Mable Sabourin visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday.

Mrs. Joan Carpenter, Grant and Tanya of Jamestown, ND, Tracy Carpenter of Fargo, and Pearl Laniel were Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Ann Hince of Oklee.

Marie and Carol Cardinal of St. Paul were weekend guests of their parents Ernie and Anna Cardinal.

Wednesday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Renie Grove of Erskine, Evangeline Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee.

Greg and Donna Paranteau and boys of Crookston were Thursday to Sunday guest of his parents Marc and Connie Parenteau.

The St. Joseph church quilt that was raffled off on Saturday was won by Mrs. Char Gagner, the quilt was constructed and stitched and donated by Mrs. Lillian Hince and Evangeline Grove (Congratulations Char)!

Michelle Gagner and daughter Ashley of Fargo and Tim Richard of Grand Forks were weekend guests of Dick and Grace Reck.

Linus and Ruth Carriere of Spring Lake Park, Micheal and Dianne Laniel of Minneapolis were Saturday to Monday guests of their mother Mrs. Pearl Laniel and all attended the funeral of Robert Hince held at the St. Frances Catholic church in Oklee on Sunday.

Sunday evening Mrs. Dianne Gagner and sister Arlean Berry of East Grand Forks visited and got acquainted with her grand nephew, Devlen Robert, Son of David and Gayle Berry of East Grand Forks.

Arne and Alice Cekela of Hinckley, Darrin Grimm of Salol, Denise Grimm and Darby Zentner of Williams were weekend guests of Darryl and Delores Grimm and attended the funeral of Robert Hince on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Cyr and Dora Lajambe of Oklee, Willard and Stanley Hince of Thief River Falls, Evangeline Grove, Russell and Shawn Hince visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Gary and Joan Carpenter of Jamestown were Sunday overnight guests of Charlie and Lora Johnson of Oklee. Jim and Barb Laniel and family of Prior Lake were weekend guests of Roger and Janel Walter of Plummer and all attended the funeral of Robert Hince on Sunday.

Danny Gagner, student of UND at Grand Forks was a weekend guests of his parents Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hebert of Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hince of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. George Burthwick and Tracy of Oklee, Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Michelle Hince and Kevin of Terrebonne were Saturday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Shannon Knutson and boys of South Dakota arrived on Thursday to visit her parents, Dick and Judy Olson over the weekend.

Gary and Dannille Parenteau and boys of Fargo were Friday guests of his parents, Marc and Connie Parenteau.

Dianna Davis and son Larry of Grand Rapids, Sarah Johnson of Crookston, visited Ben and Ethel Riendeau at Maple Lake on Saturday and attended the Blast to Brooks celebration.

Dick and Grace Reck hosted a dinner party in honor of their children, Milton and Sue Reck of Mentor at Third Base on Sunday.

Walter and Monica Novak accompanied Ray and Renette Walter of Thief River Falls, Jerome and Barb Novak left on Friday to attend the wedding of a granddaughter and niece Jackie daughter of Leonard Novak of Warren to Bill Schroeder of Minneapolis held in the St. Nickles Catholic church in New Market. Walter, Monica, Ray and Renetta returned home Sunday evening.

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PRAIRIE RAMBLING

Gretchen Baltz

Prairie Rambling

Have you ever wondered where names of places in Pennington county came from? How about "Kratka bridge?" Or "Smiley bridge?" "Smiley" is easy: It is named for the township where it is located. The township was named for William C. Smiley, who was the Red Lake county surveyor in 1904. That was the year that Ojibwe lands east of Thief River Falls, then in Red Lake county, were opened for settlement.

Kratka bridge has a much longer story.

Both Kratka bridge and township were named for a prominent citizen at the time Thief River Falls was founded. Frank H. Kratka, born at Sugar Island, Wisconsin, in 1850, came to the embryo town of Rockstad, as the area was then called in 1893. Rockstad was a trading post for Ojibwe living at Red Lake and Pembina Reservations. The "town" was a smooth prairie covered with stakes.

The surveyor had put in the stakes, laying out the townsite, but the town had not been built. In 1893 only John LaBree's claim shanty and Wallin's Trading Post were in sight above the stakes.

Kratka bought land and proceeded to attract the nucleus of the town. He secured a blacksmith shop, a hotel, a church, several stores and even a newspaper by donating sites and assisting the owners financially.

He established an Indian trading post in town with three branches on the Red Lake Reservation. Kratka learned the Ojibwe language and became an interpreter. Some Ojibwes called him "Ogema", meaning "Chief." Kratka opposed a move to name the fledgling town "Ogema Falls."

A few years later he induced the government to establish a post office here and was himself the first postmaster. The hotel he had helped build became know as the "Great Northern Hotel" and was three stories high.

John Eastman, Publisher of the Thief River Falls News, said that Kratka "talked Thief River Falls, thought Thief River Falls dreamed Thief River Falls, and hustled for Thief River Falls until people began to think Thief River Falls was quite a town."

He helped persuade Patrick and James Meehan to build their sawmill here and entered enthusiastically into the enterprise of securing the first railroad. The railway was crucial to having the sawmill here and Kratka gave a large portion of the right-of-way through town.

"Ever since that time he has been prominently identified with every enterprise which has been for the advancement of our city," Eastman wrote in 1903.

At this time Eastman was boosting Kratka's candidacy for a third term as mayor of the city. Throughout these business endeavors, Kratko was serving in village and city government.

"Always a leader in every work that tends toward progress, the people will again take pleasure in honoring him with the office of chief executive of our city," Eastman said.

But Eastman was wrong: the 1903 city election was a close contest and Kratka lost out.

With Kratka's friendships among the Ojibwe and his knowledge of the Ojibwe language he had become involved in the acquiring of Reservation londs east of Thief River Falls. As mayor of the ciry he spent time in Washington, D.C., seeking enobling legislation during three Congressional sessions. Because the city had paid Kratka's expenses of $3,000 plus $750 a yeor for a secretory (Kratka's daughter), his opponents brought suit ogainst him to recover the money. His opponents, celling themselves the "Municipol League," said his mission hod failed.

After the election it seemed at first that Kratka had won by four votes. But after a recount, and two rulings by Judge Grindelond and the State Supreme Court, Kratko was denied the seot. Thief River Falls finished the turbulent year of 1904 without o mayor.

The following yeor Krotka's efforts were suddenly rewarded when Congressman Halvor Steenerson announced that indeed, the reservation londs adjoining Thief River Falls would be open to settlement.

The land wos auctioned with proceeds going to the Red Lake Band. From these lands of over 200,000 ocres, eleven townships were formed and one of them was named "Kratka" in honor of the man who hod worked so hard to open them to settlement. A villoge called "Krotka" sprong up on the banks of the Red Lake River.

When the bridge was built to the landing at the village of Krotka in 1919, reploing a ferry, the bridge was also called "Kratka."

Kratka's opponent in the 1903 mayoral race, Ira C. Richordson, wrote o few years later, "Mr. Kratko has always been one of the most ardent and earnest workers in the interests of Thief River Folls, never letting on opportunity pass to soy or do a good thing for this city. He has held the office of president of the village and mayor of the city a number of times, has represented the city in many woys on important matters, ond no doubt has worked os hard, if not harder, than ony other mon in the state for the opening of the reservotion. He is now postmaster of the city."

Frank Kratka ogain became postmaster of Thief River Folls, serving from 1907 to 1914. He moved to Pasadeno, California, where he died January 27, 1915.

An open letter to clients and friends of Regan Rohl:

Dear Clients and Friends:

I am writing to all of you to inform you of an exciting move that I have made in my professional career as an Investment Executive. Effective September 1, 1995, I, along with my wife, Julie and my assistant Judy Reger, have joined the firm of John G. Kinnard & Co., a full service brokerage firm based in Minneapolis, Minnesota. My new location here in Thief River Falls is at 213 N. LaBree Avenue, Suite 203. My phone numbers are: 681-3983 or 1-800-768-1869.

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HELP WANTED- Part-time Deli Cook, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also Clerk 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. pick up application at Petro Pumper. 67tfc

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HELP WANTED: The City of Thief River Falls Parks and Recreation Department is currently accepting applications for the following positions:
(1) Old Arena Attendant
(2) Public Skating Attendants
These are shift work positions and require the persons selected to work weekends, holidays and split shifts during the week days. You may apply at the Parks and Recreation Office located at 803 Barzen Avenue South (behind Digi-Key). Application deadline is October 5, 1995.
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Help Wanted

Positions Available Head Cook & Cook's Helpers. Afternoon shift, part-time with every other weekend. 681-3286 Valley Home Thief River Falls

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CARPENTERS IMMEDIATELY in Maple Lake area. Call Tim or Jim, 1-218-637-6600. P4t75p

C.D. TECH- Glenmore Recovery Center has an opening for a part time Chemical Dependency Tech at its Thief River Falls Halfway House. The position would entail monitoring the clients who occupy the residence, ensuring they attend to daily living and are in compliance with established guidelines and responsibilities. The Tech will also be responsible for some clerical duties and maintaining the residence. Competitive wage and rotating shifts. Prior experience is preferred, but not necessary. If interested, contact Louella La Franco, 821 LaBree Ave N., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, 218-681-6018 or Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resource Department, 323 S. Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. E.O.E. 5t77c

Help Wanted

COOK/DIETARY AIDE- Hillcrest Nursing Home has a position open for a Cook/ Dietary Aide. This position is part time approximately 45 hours every two weeks and will include working every other weekend. If interested apply at: Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 2t75c

FULL-TIME POSITIONS available. Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions available for full time employment, rotating shifts. Eligible applicants need to be on the nursing assistant registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the nursing assistant registry. Benefit package available. If interested apply at: Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 74tfc

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If you enjoy a fast-paced environment & the challenges of a rewarding career, send your résumé & cover letter by 9/25/95 to **Rural Cellular Corp/Cellular 2000, Attn: Karen Henrikson, P.O. Box 1027, Alexandria, MN 56308. No phone calls please. EOE.**

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(a) Experience in location and maintenance of underground cables; installation and maintenance of single and multiple-line telephone equipment, including electronic key and PABX systems; cellular and IMTS installation and maintenance, CATV installation, maintenance, system alignment and CLI testing; installation and maintenance of alarm equipment; C-band and DBS installation and maintenance; special emphasis may be given to applicants with computer networking, computer subscription services, and software applications; and demonstrated ability for the sale and marketing of telecommunications equipment and services. (b) Applicants must demonstrate that they are able to work cooperatively with member/subscribers and other persons. (c) Applicants must be able and willing to work, when required, under adverse conditions. (d) Applicants must be able to maintain and operate test equipment and tools used by Garden Valley. (e) Applicants must be willing to learn and adapt to technology and training as is required on an ongoing basis. (f) Applicants must have neat and orderly work habits. Benefits include a vacation and sick leave plan, and participation in the company's pension, health, dental, disability and life insurance plans. Qualified persons who are interested in applying for this position should submit written resumes, stating their qualifications. Résumés must be received by the company before 12:00 noon on September 28, 1995, at the following address: KEN STUHAUG, SERVICE & OPERATIONS MANAGER; GARDEN VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY; 201 ROSS AVENUE/P.O. BOX 259; ERSKINE, MN 56535-0259.

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Part-time person for evening work, call 681-7318. 2t79c

HELP WANTED- Full-time person for night work, call 681-7318. 2t79c

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NURSING ASSISTANT
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Oklee, MN

THANK YOU
I would like to thank the first responders and ambulance crew for their quick response and great care. Thanks to Dr. Browning and the nurses in ICU for their care, Pastor Bobbie for her visit, prayers and phone call. Thanks to the friends and family for flowers, gifts and cards and phone calls. A special thanks to the family for their support and much help with the farm work. It was all appreciated. God bless you all.
Robert Mosher

Snowmobiles

FOR SALE- '85 ZRT 800, studded, clutched, 8" carbides, low miles, $5,800.00, 681-8772. P4t75p

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WANTED- Used clothes dryer, call 874-2301 after 8:00 evenings. 75tfe

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Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE- Sept. 20-21. Furniture, tools and lots of misc., few antiques. 818 North Horace. 2t75p

LARGE MOVING sale. Sat., Sept. 23, 8 & Sun., Sept. 24, noon-5 p.m., 1444 Lester Ave., Grafton, ND. Will be selling all household items. 2t76c

SAT. 9/23, 707 N. Duluth, 8-3 p.m. Household items, old trunk, ice box, picnic table, windows, screens, golf balls, adult clothing, set of encyclopedias, dishes, glassware, bike. 2t78p

GROUP GARAGE sale at 302 W. 12th St., Wed. 9/20, 1:00-7:00 p.m., Thurs., 9/21, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Plants, Avon, bedding, spreads, electric blanket, maternity clothes, TV stand, range hood, vaporizer, qt. jars, exerciser rower, new afghans, baby, kids, Jr. men and women clothes, lots of misc. 2t75p

SATURDAY, 9/30, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Used carpet, double stainless steel sink, miscellaneous. Riverbend Trail, Fire #338. 2t77p

GROUP RUMMAGE sale- Saturday, September 23, 8:00-2:00, 819 South Tindolph (in alley), men's and women's clothing, exercise bike, golf clubs, curtains, tapes, dinette set (6 mos. old), wall hangings, coats, knickknacks, lots of misc. items. 1t75p

8-PARTY RUMMAGE sale- Sat., Sept. 23, 8:00 a.m., 1918 W. 2nd St., (Hwy. 1 West, turn left at Northern Motors, go 1 block, will be marked). Lots of misc. Men's, women's, boys clothing, craft supplies, exercise equipment, kitchen table and chairs, housewares, coffee makers, ice cream makers, jewelry, books, baseball cards, bikes, light fixtures, something for everyone! 1t75p

RUMMAGE SALE- Sept. 23, 8-5, 231 Merkley Ave. N. Lighted, mirrored waterbed headboard, weight lifting set, swivel rocker, luggage, dishes, men's leather jacket and shirts, little boys'

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Rummage Sales

10-PARTY RUMMAGE sale. Sat., Sept. 23, 221 North Crocker. Clothing (all sizes), coats, sweaters, sports jackets, men & women's shutters, Kirby and Bissell carpet shampooers, shower door, bikes, doll furniture, luggage, lamps, picture frames, furniture, jewelry, Christmas crafts, bedding, collectibles, curtains and drapes, fabric, toys, paperbacks, lots of miscellaneous. All major brands of collector sports cards. If raining, postponed to Wed., Sept. 27. 2t76p

LARGE GARAGE sale. Sat., Sept. 23, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Route 4 (Johnson Drive). East on Hwy. 1 for 1 mile, south on Johnson Drive 3/4 mile, east 1/4 mile. Road will be marked. Baby crib, sporting goods (golf, hockey, tennis, cross country skis), weight bench and weights, exercise bike, television sets, lamps, cassette players, radios and tables, pictures, many decorative items, dishes, household goods, dishwasher, humidifiers, miscellaneous items. Don't miss it! 2t76c

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Legal Notices

September 6, 13, 20, 1995
NOTICE OF HEARING
JUDICIAL DITCH #75

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 28th day of September 1995, at 6:30 p.m., in the Community Center in Alvarado, Minnesota, a public hearing will be held by the Board of Managers of the Middle River-Snake River Watershed District concerning a petition filed requesting the repair of Judicial Ditch #75. The drainage system is located in Esther, Northland and Tabor Townships in Polk County. However the properties benefited include properties within Viking Township of Marshall County, Minnesota; Higdem, Sandsville, Farley, Bristol, Helgeland, Esther, Northland, Tabor, Angus and Brandt Townships in Polk County, Minnesota and Numedal and Bray Townships in Pennington County, Minnesota.

That the Engineer's reports and the Viewer's reports for the above described project have been filed with the Board of Managers of the Middle River-Snake River Watershed District and are available for inspection at the office of the Middle River-Snake River Watershed District office at 453 North McKinley Street in Warren, Minnesota.

That the Engineer's report of the necessary repair of Judicial Ditch #75 includes the estimated cost thereof and all details, plans and specifications required to supply the necessary details to let a contract therefore and said report proposes resloping of the banks and increasing of hydraulic capacity of the culverts.

That the Viewer's report includes the damages to properties required for the repair of Judicial Ditch #75 and for the properties required for the establishment of a grass strip along Judicial Ditch #75.

All parties interested in the above described project are hereby invited to appear before the Board of Managers at said time and place and present their objections, if any, and show cause why orders should not be made confirming the reports of the Engineer and Viewers and ordering that the repair be made.

All costs and expenses related to the proposed repair will be paid by assessments against the properties benefited by Judicial Ditch #75, Polk County Ditch #43, Polk County Ditch #44, and Judicial Ditch #25-2. Approximately 77.5% of the costs will be paid by the Judicial Ditch #75 benefited properties and a total of approximately 22.5% of the cost will be paid equally by the benefited properties of Polk County Ditch #43, Polk County Ditch #44, and Judicial Ditch #25-2.

The following is a list of lands which are currently benefited by Polk County Ditch #43 and appear to be affected by these proceedings:

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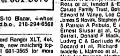

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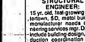

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1. Original Assumed Name: HAIR-TAGE SALON
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3. Current Expiration Date: 09/13/1995
4. Original Business Address: 309 LaBree Ave. N., Thief River Falls, MN 56701
5. Original Nameholder(s) and Address(es): Shelva J. Johnson, Box 171, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

I certify that I am authorized to sign the certificate and I further certify that I understand that by signing the certificate, I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in section 609.48 as if I had signed the document under oath.

Signature of Nameholder: Shelva J. Johnson

September 20, 27, October 4, 1995
Requests for Proposals

"Request for Proposals" The Minnesota Service Cooperatives, and the Northwest Minnesota Service Cooperative will accept group hospital, medical-surgical and major medical proposals for its city, county, and other governmental units, until October 23, 1995 at 10:00 a.m. Requests for proposal may be obtained by request in writing to Daniel J. Weir, 114 West 1st Street, PO Box 380, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

September 20, 27, October 4, 1995
Request for Proposals, Health Care

"Request for Proposals" The Minnesota Service Cooperatives will accept group hospital, medical-surgical and major medical proposals for its city, county and other governmental units, until October 18, 1995. Requests for proposals may be obtained by contacting Mr. Virgil Hammerstad, 8429 Wilderness Run Ct., Eagan, MN 55123, 612-699-1636.

September 20, 27, 1995
INVITATION TO BID

Sealed Bids for Asbestos Removal will be received by: the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 3, 1995.

Bids must be delivered before the time and date indicated above to: Office of the City Administrator, City Hall, 123 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701, where they will be opened and read aloud.

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Star Community News

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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerkle were visitors at the Gene Marquis home on Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Holthusen of Thorhult called and visited by phone with Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Wednesday forenoon.

Sunday visitors at the Norman Kriel home were Jeff Kriel of Thief River Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Johns Verbout, Mathew, Alisha and Megan of Wannaska. Jeff Kriel and the John Verbout family also visited at the Roger Kriel home that day.

Mrs. Gary Johnson, Joanna and Kyle were visitors on Monday evening at the Orvin Sunsdahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Boyer of Minneapolis spent the Labor Day weekend visiting with June Johnson.

Wednesday morning visitors and coffee guests at the Danny Johnsrud home were Howard Sjulestad, Kelly Dahlen and David Sjulestad.

Mrs. Bruce Solberg and Joyce left on Friday for Malmo to visit with Mrs. Solberg's grandmother Cora Olstad. On Friday night, Mrs. Bruce Solberg and Joyce stayed overnight at the Mr. and Mrs. Tom Comstock home. Mrs. Solberg and Joyce returned home on Saturday night.

Saturday, Shirley Johnsrud and Doris Danielson attended the funeral for Floyd Gulseth held at the Fridham Lutheran church at Lengby. Floyd was a cousin of Shirley and Doris. Our sympathy to the Gulseth family. May his memory be blessed.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt were among a large crowd that helped Jeff Lundeen celebrate his 30th birthday on Saturday evening. Happy Birthday Jeff!

Saturday morning, Gene Marquis was a visitor and coffee guest at the June Johnson home.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the Allen Hawk home were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rehm, Mrs. Merle Neeseth, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Monica and Michelle, Joanna Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Amie and Melinda were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday afternoon at the Vance Wieeth home.

Friday visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home were Gary Johnson, Aldon Hyland and Leslie Iverson.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sorenson of Thief River Falls were visitors and supper guests at the Shirley and Hanford Rolsland home on Sunday.

Sunday evening, Don Moan was a visitor and supper guest at the Gene Marquis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolstad of Thief River Falls went on Thursday to White Bear Lake to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Uglem. While there Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolstad and Harvey Uglem and a friend went to visit the graves of Mrs. Bolstad's parents. Then on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolstad went to St. Paul and visited with Keith Uglem. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolstad returned home on Sunday.

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson had lunch at the Cafe in Goodridge.

Mona Solberg was a visitor and coffee guest on Friday at the Bruce Solberg home.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited with their son Randy Johnsrud in Bemidji.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and dinner guest on Friday at the Merle Neeseth home.

Mrs. Bob Mislevic of Detroit Lakes spent Labor Day weekend visiting at the Norman Adams home and also with other relatives.

Wednesday evening, Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a lunch guest at the Jean Johnson home.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Norman Kriel home were Mrs. Robert Parnow of Thief River Falls, Leonard Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson.

June Johnson spent a week visiting in Minneapolis at the Mike and Kathy Boyer home. While there June Johnson visited with her sister, Thelma and also helped her celebrate her birthday. Happy Birthday Thelma.

Mrs. Bruce Solberg and Kristian attended the volleyball game in Newfolden on Tuesday night.

Sunday evening visitors at the Gary Johnson home were Mrs. Robert Parnow and Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls.

Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors at the Neil Johnson home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson had supper on Saturday evening with her Granddaughters Jessica, Monica and Michelle at the Jean Johnson home.

Tuesday, Shirley Johnsrud visited at the Tim Lundeen home.

Tony Rubischko was a visitor on Saturday morning at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Monday, Mrs. Gary Johnson and Kyle were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Tim Lundeen visited on Wednesday at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee. Tim also visited at the Dave Holicek home and the Dennis Moen home that same day.

Betty Zavoral of Butler, PA called and visited by phone with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Jean Johnson on Thursday night. The Johnson's also visited with Mrs. Jim Slater who was visiting at the Betty Zavoral home that night.

Dee Neeseth of Thief River Falls was a visitor and supper guest on Tuesday at her parents home the Merle Neeseth's.

Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors at the Leonard Johnson home.

Norman Kriel and Tony Rubischko and Joey were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday morning at the Dale Anderson home.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lundeen and family were visitors at the Tim Lundeen home. The Dale Lundeen's were also overnight guests at the Tim Lundeen home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Anderson and Tyler of Detroit Lakes were visitors on Sunday at the Dale Anderson home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud stopped to visit with Randy Johnsrud in Bemidji. The Clayton Johnsrud's were on their way to Cook to visit at the Lawrence Kleven home. The Johnsrud's were also overnight guests at the Lawrence Kleven home that night. Then on Friday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Johnsrud visited with Bob and Karen Kleven in Eveleth. Late Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Johnsrud visited with Grace and Carl Kleven in Iron. The Johnsrud's returned home on Friday night.

Raymond Palm of Roseau Area Nursing Home in Roseau called and visited by phone with Jean Johnson late Thursday night.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and Clara Paterson attended the funeral on Saturday afternoon for Ann Homme held at the Bethany Lutheran church. Our sympathy to the Homme family. May her memory be blessed.

Norman Stenvik was a coffee guest on Friday morning at the Clarence Johnson home.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud enjoyed supper with Roger Nelson, Troy and Miranda at their home.

Those who brought birthday greetings to Kristi at the Shirley Johnsrud home on Saturday were Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa, Tabitha and Chelsea Lundeen, Jan Gunderson, Dena and Abbie. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake. Kristi also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Kristi!

Clarence Johnson went on Friday morning to Fargo to have a check-up at the VA hospital.

Saturday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Adeline Hanson home. The Johnson's also visited with Adeline's houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Erickson of St. Cloud.

Travis Kotrba who attends college in Crookston spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, sister Deanna and brother Dustin.

Friday, Mrs. Tim Lundeen had dinner with her Grandmother Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Arne Bjerkle was an overnight guest on Sunday at the Gene Marquis home.

Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt, ND spent the weekend with her mother Shirley Johnsrud and also with other relatives.

Alvin Kompen was a visitor and lunch guest on Sunday evening at the Alfred Iverson home.

Agnes Eidelbes and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes and Michelle attended the wedding for Todd Olson and Paula Mutnansky at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge on Saturday afternoon. Agnes Eidelbes and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes and Michelle also attended the reception held at the Community Center in Goodridge. Congratulations Todd and Paula!

Thursday night, Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba and Dustin attended the volleyball game in Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors at the Leonard Johnson home on Friday night.

Friday night, Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at the Allan Hawk home.

Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams were visitors and coffee guests on Wednesday night at the Larry Kotrba home.

Sunday afternoon, Ron Fulton and Jesse of Roseau were visitors at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Mrs. Warren Saeverson of Thief River Falls visited with their mother Leola Cullen at the Good Samaritan home in Warren. Mrs. Stucy and Mrs. Saeverson also enjoyed a family picnic supper with their mother on Wednesday evening at the Good Samaritan home.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Marquis and Justin of Fosston were visitors at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Sunday, Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest on Saturday afternoon at the Dale Anderson home.

Jean Johnson and Jessica were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday at the Merle Neeseth home.

Friday evening, Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson had lunch with Jean Johnson on Thursday evening.

Shirley Johnsrud visited on Monday with her mother Ella Mostrom in Gonvick. Then later Shirley also visited at the Kenneth Nybo home in Gonvick.

Those who brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Howard Hanson on Sunday were Lorraine Watne, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Arveson along with Howard Hanson and Luane and Dean. A lunch was served with two decorated birthday cakes. Linda also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Linda.

Sunday evening, Jim Johnson, Elizabeth, Katie and Christine and Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica were visitors at the Clarence Johnson home.

Mrs. Eddy Stucy attended the wedding on Saturday afternoon at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge for Todd Olson and Paula Mutnansky. Mrs. Stucy also attended the reception held at the Community Center in Goodridge.

Saturday, Marie Adams and Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ spent the weekend visiting with the Bob Mislevic's in Detroit Lakes. Elaine Kotrba left on Monday for her home in Phoenix, AZ.

Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba was a visitor and coffee guest on Saturday afternoon at the David Sjulestad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel were among others that helped Ryan Kriel, Gaetan Kriel, Alisha and Megan Verbout celebrate their birthday's at the Lisa and John Verbout home in Wannaska on Sunday. A delicious big lunch was served with two decorated birthday cakes. Ryan, Gaetan, Megan and Alisha also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Megan, Alisha, Ryan and Gaetan!

Leroy Krebeck of Santa Rosa, CA was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the David Sjulestad home.

Friday, Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ spent the day visiting at the John Hammer home of rural Thief River Falls. Then in the evening Mr. and Mrs. John Hammer and Maren brought Elaine to the Norman Adams home. The Hammer's also visited and had coffee that evening at the Norman Adams home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam were visitors on Sunday night at the Rodney Bjerkle home.

Monday, Elva Fiedler and Adeline Parnow made a trip to Fargo and Grand Forks.

Visitors and supper guests at the Dee Neeseth home in Thief River Falls were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Neeseth, Jason Neeseth and Missy Hams on Sunday evening.

Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Radniecki of Oklee and Alfred Iverson.

Those who enjoyed supper at the Evergreen Eating Emporium restaurant in Thief River Falls on Thursday evening were Marie Adams, Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ, Francis Mislevic of Detroit Lakes and Helga Jell of Thief River Falls.

Sunday, Alvin Sunsdahl of Salol was a visitor and coffee guest at the David Sjulestad home.

Thursday, those who met at the Elva Fiedler home to do sewing were Betty Troska, June Johnson, Eloda Knutson, and Marion Marquis of Oklee and Adeline Parnow of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests on Tuesday afternoon at the Merle Neeseth home.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors at the Olaf Stolaas home of River Valley.

Elaine Kotrba of Phoenix, AZ and Marie Adams were visitors and supper guests on Thursday evening at the Marlin Kotrba home.

One day during the week Harvey Mugaas of Gatzke was a visitor and lunch guest at the Merle Neeseth home.

Jean Johnson was a visitor and lunch guest on Tuesday night at her parents home the Clarence Johnson's.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were brief coffee guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and coffee guests on Friday evening at the Leonard Johnson home.

Jean Johnson attended the volleyball game in Grygla Tuesday evening. Michelle and Monica Johnson were among other Goodridge girls that played volleyball that evening.

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BY WORKING TOGETHER, THE PRESSURE TO SERVE AND ALLOW THE USE OF ILLEGAL BEVERAGES AND DRUGS WILL BE SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCED. DON'T FALL PREY TO THE TEEN TACTIC, "BUT ALL THE OTHER PARENTS LET THEIR KIDS DO IT."

AS A PARENT YOU MUST TAKE A STAND, NO DRUGS OR ALCOHOL WILL BE ALLOWED.

PARENTS, WHEN YOUR TEENAGER IS GIVING A PARTY

Plan in advance. Check party plans with your teenager and know who the guests will be. If you agree on who is to be invited, you can curb the "open party" situation. Set definite time limits.

Agree to rules ahead of time. Possible rules could be:

NO DRUGS, INCLUDING ALCOHOL.
NO LEAVING THE PARTY AND THEN RETURNING
NO GATE CRASHERS.
SOME ROOMS IN YOUR HOME ARE OFF LIMITS.

Know your responsibilities. The responsible adult at a teenager's party must be visible and aware. Remember it is illegal to serve drugs, including beer or wine coolers, to anyone under 21 years of age. You may be liable both to the criminal charges and for monetary damages in a civil lawsuit if you furnish drugs or alcohol to a minor.

Anyone who leaves the party should not be allowed to return. This discourages people from leaving with the intent of drinking or using other drugs in their cars or elsewhere and then returning to the party.

Notify your neighbors beforehand that a party is being given and will be supervised.

Notify police when giving a large party. Discuss with them an agreeable parking plan. Let police know whom to contact in case of complaints.

Plan to have plenty of food and non-alcoholic drinks.

Plan some activities ahead: movies, dancing, sports, etc.

Discuss the party afterwards with your teenager and share your observations and possible frustrations.

PARENTS, WHEN YOUR TEEN IS ATTENDING A PARTY

Know where your teenager will be. Obtain an address and phone number. Agree that he will call you if the location is changed.

Personally contact the parents of the party giver to:

OFFER ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT
VERIFY THE OCCASION.
MAKE SURE THE PARENTS WILL BE PRESENT.
BE CERTAIN THAT ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED

Agree beforehand on a curfew.

Know how your teenager will get to and from the party. Arrange that you, a specified friend, or neighbor can be called if he needs a ride home. Discuss the possible situations which might necessitate this. Reinforce that under no circumstances should your teenager allow someone who has been drinking or using drugs to drive him or her anywhere.

If your teenager stays overnight with a friend after the party, personally check with the parents.

If your teenager attends a party where alcohol is either served by the parents or allowed, it is important to:

PHONE AND DISCUSS YOUR FEELINGS WITH THE PARENTS.
DISCUSS THE LEGAL RAMIFICATIONS WITH THEM.
SHARE NOTES WITH OTHER PARENTS.

Express thanks and support to parents and students who give parties within these guidelines.

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PARENTS, WHEN YOU ARE OUT OF TOWN

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Annual Thief River Falls Gun Show will take place Saturday and Sunday, October 14-15, at the Curling Club building on the fairgrounds.

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More wetlands talk here next Tuesday

Minnesota's wetlands law and the problems it appears to be causing on a local and county basis will be the subject of another hearing in Thief River Falls Tuesday, October 7. Sen. Joe Bertram will bring his Senate Agriculture and Rural Development Committee here for a public hearing at 7 p.m. in the Northland Community College cafeteria.

The hearing is the first of five planned by Sen. Bertram and the committee. The others will be Wednesday, October 4, at 1 p.m. at the American Legion club in Crookston and 7 p.m. at the Northwest Technical College conference center in Detroit Lakes; Tuesday, October 17, at 7 p.m. at the University of Minnesota— Morris Cow Palace in Morris; and Thursday, October 19, at 7 p.m. in the lower level of Atwood Center at St. Cloud State University.

County commissioners from several northwestern Minnesota counties have encouraged a large public attendance at the hearings. They note that opposition to the state wetland law is growing and that greater expression of public interest is needed to bring about meaningful change in the law.

Commissioners Donald Jensen of Pennington county and Delray Larson of Marshall county are among those heading area opposition to the act. Their counties are among five in the state which did not sign the wetland agreement and eight more counties have since rescinded their agreements.

At a recent statewide policy committee forum for county elected officials in Alexandria, sponsored by the Association of Minnesota Counties, interest in rescinding the agreement seemed high. "We couldn't keep enough hand-out materials on the table," Larson said.

"We have known from the start this was a bad law that did not fit the people we represent," Jensen added. "I'm happy we stuck to our guns and didn't sign the agreement."

Jensen said that Minnesota has the nation's most restrictive wetland laws. They require individuals and local governments to build new wetlands (a process called mitigation) when impact to a wetland cannot be avoided, he said. The law also saddles local governments with liabilities for implementing policy originating from the state.

"The costs are tremendous,"

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Marisa Toren, daughter of Gary and Marg Toren, was crowned Miss Middle River 1995-96 at the annual pageant Sunday evening in the school gymnasium. Pictured left to right are Krissi Super, daughter of Thomas and KayDell Super, first runner-up; Marisa Toren, Miss Middle River 1995-96; Heather Anderson, Miss Middle River 1994-95; and Tanja Lundmark, daughter of Roland and Karin Lundmark, second runner-up. Marisa won the talent and swimsuit divisions and was named Miss Congeniality. Krissi won the personal interview and on-stage personality divisions. The pageant was the opening event of the 21st annual Middle River Goose Festival sponsored by the community club.

Middle River hosts 21st Goose Festival

Middle River Community Club, along with a number of Middle River area organizations and individuals, will present the 21st annual Goose Festival Friday through Sunday. A host of events and activities are on the schedule.

Major events include the presentations by the Middle River Community Theatre tonight (Wednesday) through Sunday; festival parade at 12:30 p.m. following a kiddie parade at noon Saturday; craft show and flea market all day Saturday and Sunday; helicopter number drop at 1:30 p.m. Saturday; dances Friday and Saturday nights; and a Hee-Haw salute to Middle River at 2 p.m. Sunday in the school gym.

The annual Miss Middle River pageant was conducted Sunday, September 24, with Marisa Toren crowned the 1995 Miss Middle River to succeed Heather Anderson (see separate story in this edition).

Saturday's festival parade is expected to have more than 100 entries. Grand Marshal Mabel Peterson will be accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Fred Nissen of Middle River; granddaughter, Mrs. Mardy Anderson of Strathcona; and great-granddaughter Teryha (born in 1995) as the community celebrates 90 years with a "Past, Present and Future" salute to Middle River's birthday anniversary.

"The Cemetery Club" will be presented at Ye Olde Depot Theatre at 7:30 p.m. through Sunday with an additional matinee Sunday at 2 p.m.

One of the featured activities Friday from 4 to 6 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. will be the Top Gun/Birdbrain clay pigeon shoot. The Birdbrain is a computer operating six automotic traps including five which can be adjusted to throw angles from low horizontal to springing teal plus one auto rabbit. Target difficulty can be adjusted to any shooter skill level from novice to expert. This action will be east of the American Legion club.

Friday Events

Friday events begin with a blood pressure clinic at 10:30 a.m. at the community center. A pancake dinner will be served at the center by the senior citizens at noon. Jaycee beer garden and food stand will open at 3 p.m., Legion Auxiliary supper will be served from 4:30 p.m. and on, and dancing at the American Legion will be to the "J.D. Pepper" Band from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Saturday Events

Bike races and kiddie games will take place at 9 a.m. at the school, blood pressure checks will be from 9 to 11 a.m. at the ambulance garage, treasure hunt will begin at 10 a.m. with the first clue posted on the Community Club bulletin board, and St. Joseph's youth games will begin at 11 a.m. by the theatre.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church of Ringbo will serve food all day at the community center and Nazareth Ladies Aid will have a lefse demonstration and sale in the Davidson Construction building. The beer garden will open at 10 a.m. and Bingo will be played at 1 p.m. in the ambulance garage.

Girl Scouts prize walk and Goose Festival photos are scheduled from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. near First National Bank, scarecrow display and contest will be west of the post office and a best pet contest will begin at 11 a.m. on Hill Avenue. Jaycee free throw contest and golf chipping contest will be on Hill Avenue all day.

Volleyball tournament will start at 1:30 p.m. by the post office and a potato gun shoot and dog training exhibition will take place at 2:30 p.m. behind the American Legion. Afternoon entertainment will be presented at Hill Avenue and Second Street.

Beard and moustache judging booth will be open in the afternoon, a polka mass will take place at 5 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic church and arm wrestling tournament will start at 6 p.m. on Hill Avenue. Teen dance with a sound and light show by Club Dance will be held from 8 p.m. to midnight at the school gym. Dances are also set for the American Legion club with

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Marisa Toren crowned new Miss Middle River

Marisa Toren, 17, daughter of Gary and Marg Toren of Middle River, was crowned Miss Middle River 1995-96 Sunday evening at the annual pageant in the school gymnasium. The pageant officially opened the 21st annual Goose Festival celebration which continues with the community theatre production of "The Cemetery Club" beginning Wednesday, September 27.

Marisa succeeds Heather Anderson as Miss Middle River and will reign over the many Goose Festival activities. First runner-up was Krissi Super, 18, daughter of Thomas and KayDell Super and second runner-up was Tanja Lundmark, 18, daughter of Roland and Karin Lundmark.

In addition to the title, Marisa won the swimsuit and talent divisions and was named Miss Congeniality. Her talent presentation was a dance medley which included a combination of ballet, jazz and pom pon routine.

Krissi Super won the personal interview and on-stage personality (evening gown) divisions of the competition.

As Miss Middle River, Marisa receives her crown, a plaque, $250 and sponsorship in the Miss Marshall County Pageant in 1997 from the Middle River Community Club, $250 toward expenses of her reign from the Middle River Jaycees, $150 scholarship from American Legion Post 444, an engraved jewelry box and diamond earrings from the Fountain of Jewels in Thief River Falls, $25 from First National Bank, $20 from Gieske Floral in Greenbush, $15 from Gentry Tax Service and a necklace from Pamida.

First runner-up Krissi Super receives a plaque and $150 from the community club, $50 scholarship from the American Legion, $45 in cash and certificates and earrings.

Second runner-up Tanja Lundmark earned a plaque and $75 from the community club, $40 in cash or certificates and a cosmetic bag.

Division winners also received special prizes as did Miss Congeniality.

Judges for the competition were Sue Erickson, Jane Kennedy Collins, Kathi Anderson and Becky Roncowski. Master of ceremonies was Mark Allen Stromsodt. Gary Toren, president of the community club, gave the welcome. Theme of the pageant was "Something to Talk About."

The new Miss Middle River is a senior at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls where she participates in the Northern Expressions School of the Arts. She has an older sister, Alison.

Her school activities have included the Fineline Dancers (captain and most valuable dancer for two years), cheerleading, drama, band, choir and FLA/FHA. She lettered in choir, band, track, cheerleading and danceline and received gold and silver medals in Star Events through FLA/FHA.

She has been a Girls State representative, class vice president and is listed in "Who's Who among American High School Students."

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Strategic planning retreat held

Twenty-six residents get down to the business of mapping out a future for TRF

Allen Lemm, director of the water treatment facility, Mark Haugen, police sargeant, Dave Carlson, city councilman, Bill Ness, local businessman, and Dr. Orley Gunderson of Northland Community and Technical College, were among the 26 individuals from Thief River Falls participating in the strategic planning retreat held last week in Crookston.

Twenty-six citizens from different occupations and interest groups spent a couple of long, hard days last week reaching consensus on goals and beliefs that will hopefully guide Thief River Falls into the next century.

The strategic planning process, which began several months ago, involves several phases. The strategic planning retreat, which was held in Crookston, was considered the most important phase of the process in that the results from this session make the difference between getting another operational plan or a true strategic plan for the future. From the session, the group was to establish a set of fundamental beliefs or values for the organization, define a mission statement that states a clear purpose and function, a set of major strategic goals, and strategies for each major goal identified. It was led by the community's consultant, Mark Wolak.

Limited time meant the group could not possibly develop a complete list of beliefs, but the group did settle on seven:

- Communication is essential to effective government;
- City government shall promote

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Jennifer Olin and Keith Anderson were crowned homecoming king and queen Monday evening at coronetion ceremonies conducted in the Lincoln high school auditorium. Jennifer is the daughter of David and Muriel Olin and Keith is the son of Rory and Helen Anderson. Homecoming celebration continues throughout this week at Lincoln.

More testimony on wetlands bill will be heard on Tuesday evening

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Jensen said "We don't fix some roads because we don't have the money to mitigate, and that makes roads less safe. We mitigate road projects that must be done, and that adds tens of thousands of dollars to the cost of the projects. If someone challenges the restrictions put on private property by a wetland designation of a court of law, the county is liable."

Larson said he was glad to see that eight other counties had rescinded their agreements with the state since the failure of the legislature to pass a modified wetland bill at the end of the 1995 legislative session.

"I'm really glad to know support is growing for our position," Larson said. "Many other counties are talking very seriously about getting behind this movement to support real and needed change in the law, but also as a means of telling state government in St. Paul we're tired of having bad laws pushed on us for implementation at the county level.

"The Wetland Conservation Act is a bad law with a nice title." Larson continued. "It's not our fault and legislators should listen when we say it doesn't work."

Jensen said that Sen. Bertram has worked with those seeking changes in the law and "it is up to us to show him and his committee that this issue continues to be important."

Last week Rep. Tim Finseth of Angus and his committee from the House of Representatives held a hearing at Northland on the same topic. About 60 people attended and a number presented testimony in regard to their experiences with the state wetland law.

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District 5580 Governor of Rotary International, Henspeter Borgwarth of Lakeshore and his wife Gisela paid a visit to the Thief River Falls Rotary Club Sunday and Monday. They are shown with club president Jerry Wigness. Borgwarth has been a member of the Brainerd Rotary club since 1965, served as its president in 1970-71, has held a number of club and district offices and is the recipient of the Rotary Lifetime Achievement Award in 1993. He was Brainerd Lakes area boss of the year in 1972 and citizen of the year in 1993 and among other past and present offices is chairman of the Brainerd Technical College Advisory Board.

21st Goose Festival is this weekend

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"Ramblin Fever" to play at 2 p.m. and "J.D. Pepper" at 8 p.m.

Sunday Events

First National Bank will serve a breakfast at 9 a.m. at the Spruce Valley Community Center. Local churches will conduct their regular worship services to which the public is invited. Jaycee three-on-three basketball tournament will start at 1 p.m. at the tennis courts and Mark Halvorson memorial mixed softball tournament will begin at 10 a.m. at the local field. Jaycee food stand and beer garden will be open from 1 p.m. and on.

All roads will lead to Middle River for the 21st Goose Festival.

"Autumn Leaf Run" planned in Cass county

First "Autumn Leaf Run" for owners of classic cars and street rods as well as the general public is being planned for Friday, September 29 to Sunday, October 1, in Cass county.

Special events are planned at Walker, Remer and Pine River and sponsors are Cass county, Walter Runabouts Car Club, Leech Lake Area Chamber of Commerce, Remer Area Civic and Commerce Association, Pine River Chamber of Commerce and the Northern Lights Casino.

For registration materials and touring information packets, call the Cass County Economic Development and Tourism Promotion Office at 218-947-3101. Registration is required for all participating classic car and street rod owners but no entrance fee is charged.

Gun show set in TRF Oct. 14-15

Annual Thief River Falls Gun Show will take place Saturday and Sunday, October 14 and 15, at the curling club building on the fairgrounds in Thief River Falls.

Show hours will be from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. Set up times for exhibitors will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, October 13, and 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday.

In addition to guns, the show will also include sports cards to be bought, sold or traded.

The show is open to the public and admission is $2. Children under 12 are not admitted unless accompanied by an adult. All federal and local firearms laws and regulations must be observed.

Eight-foot tables are available to exhibitors for both days at a cost of $17.50 for the first table and $15 for each additional table. There are no one-day rentals.

Further information is available from Robert Campbell at 218-681-3114 or 218-874-6781; or from Gail Steinhauer at 218-449-4751.

School Dist. 564 to orient volunteers

Danie Packard, farm management education instructor through the Northland Community and Technical College system in Thief River Falls, has been elected to the board of the Minnesota Vo Ag Instructors Association (MVAIA).

The organization represents about 400 agriculture teachers in Minnesota and is a part of the Minnesota Vocational Association, American Vocational Association and the National Vo Ag Teachers Association.

Purpose of the association is to promote ag education, update members in technological advances in agriculture and strive to keep vo-ag a part of schools and communities through high school ag education and the Future Farmers of America.

Danie Packard is elected to MVAIA board

Orientation for participants who are new to the School District 564 volunteer program will take place Thursday, September 28, at 8 a.m. and 1 and 7 p.m. at Challenger Elementary and Preschool.

The orientation will familiarize volunteers with policies and procedures at Challenger. Volunteers who have not attended an orientation in the past are encouraged to attend one of the sessions Thursday.

Persons with questions may call volunteer coordinator Carol Ihle at 681-8358.

Large turnout for Grinding Day

Approximately 926 people attending the Annual Grinding Day at Old Mill State Park on September 3.

The weekend of activities included a hike to look at the gentians and other colorful flowers, and human artifacts excavated in the beach sand by visitors at Naturalist Gladwin Lynne's morning programs. The Case steam engine No. 359 was fired up and the mill stone began turning to grind rye and wheat all afternoon with engineer Kent Broten and several others volunteering their time. Ward Sinn and Steve Broten kept the Case 359 fire going as the steam power turned the stones to grind the grain and the whistle blew. Dorlyne Broten, Norman Hougen, Betty Connely, and Florence Kuznia bagged the rye and wheat flower and bran. Emil Kuznia, David and Betty Conely, Ed Soores, Dennis Hjelle, Oliver LaBine, and other volunteers poured wheat down to the stones and other tasks while answering many questions from visitors. Fifty-two bags of fresh ground wheat flour, 29 bags of rye flour and 49 bags of bran were purchased by visitors at the site.

Tracy Safranski was at the Mill site with Minnesota State Park merchandise and the new Old Mill State Park mugs for sales.

Ethel Thoralacius in pioneer period dress greeted visitors to the Cabin and offered each a taste of whole wheat bread, fresh turned butter and haney as she told them about her terrible morning and the cow that kicked over the milk bucket. Allan Hess showed several visitors how to milk a cow. The young calf brought along with the cow was popular with the young and old visitars. Avis Mattson was on hand to show the weaving of rugs on her loom. Ethel Olson displayed several quilting samples and information on styles and patterns. Fresh butter was provided by the hand-cranked churn with fresh cream from the San Loma Dairy farm, courtesy of John and Nancy Hess. Clayton Broten provided fiddle music to visitors by the cabin. The Park staff and the Marshall County Historic Society thank all of the volunteers who made "Grinding Day 1995" a success.

Old Mill State Park is open year round. Visitors to Old Mill State Park can start to enjoy the changing leaf colors. Fall hiking, picnicking and camping can be a relaxing, bug-free time. Services and facilities at the park have been reduced as of September 6 until next spring. The water in the picnic area and campground has been shut off. Water is available at the park shop area on the side of the building.

During the winter the park is open for cross-country skiing and snowmobiling with a shelter building to warm up at. New this winter will be cross country skis for rent and snowshoes. Coming soon will be Minnesota State Park merchandise featuring the new permit design of the Small White Trout Lily and many sale items that make great gifts.

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Regional Farm Bureau to hold meeting in Roseau

Northwest Regional Farm Bureau will hold its annual meeting Thursday, September 28, at 8 p.m. in the library museum complex in Roseau. The region includes Roseau, Marshall and Pennington counties.

Business meeting will include election of directors and approval of resolutions to be presented to the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation.

Guest speaker will be Sen. LeRoy Stumpf who will update the organization on wetland legislation in the state. Public attendance is welcome.

Door prizes will be awarded and coffee and rolls served following the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Robin and Adam met Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Aspen of Hillcity in Bemidji and Amy Aspen of Bemidji and Amy's fiance, Dave. They all got together and had a picnic on Sunday.

Monday, Norman Knel was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Elva Fiedler went to Sleepy Eye on Thursday night to spend the weekend with her mother Clara Hudson. While there Elva also attended the funeral for her sister-in-law, Arlene Steffl at Morgan. Our sympathy to the Steffl family. May her memory be blessed. Elva Fiedler returned home on Sunday night.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Vertzout of Grygla were visitors at the Dale Anderson home.

Wednesday evening, Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Elva Fiedler attended homemakers at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Monday.

Bobbie Miller was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday night at the David Sjulestad home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad visited by phone with Mrs. Sjulestad's brother Leroy Welberg on Sunday morning at his home in Colorado Springs, CO. Leroy Welberg has been a patient at the hospital in Colorado Springs, CO for two months. We wish Leroy a speedy recovery.

Tuesday evening, Leslie Iverson was a visitor at the Dale Anderson home.

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NCTC music faculty will present a benefit recital on October 6

Community Focus

Queen Jeny p.6
Jeny Stumpf is Moorhead State University's homecoming queen

Fall planting and fertilizing leads to brighter yards in the spring

For many, fall means harvest and the end of the growing season. Just because days are getting cooler, doesn't mean there is no more gardening to do. Now is the time to prepare plants, gardens, shrubbery and lawns for winter and early spring. Many early spring-flowering bulbs need to be planted in the fall.

Most bulbs should be planted by mid-October so their roots can start developing before winter. Tulips are heartier; they can be planted later than other bulbs.

Bulb Varieties

The most difficult part of planting spring flowers is choosing from the wide varieties available. Some of the most common varieties are tulips, narcissus, muscari and chiondosa. Tulips are the most popular of all spring flowering bulbs. They offer gardeners a wide range of choices in height, color, shape and bloom time. Narcissus are more commonly known as daffodils. This winter-hardy flower comes in many shapes and colors. The bulbs develop extensive root systems in fall and provide better flowering results in colder climates.

Muscari are also called the "Grape Hyacinth." These tiny, bright purple flowers multiply quickly and resemble bunches of unturned grapes. Flowers stay in bloom for one to three weeks and thrive in sun or shade. They are an excellent choice for borders. Chiondoxa is commonly known as "Glory-of the Snow." It blooms in loose clusters of white, blue or pink and can vary from three to 10 inches in height. This bulb is an ideal plant for borders and rock gardens.

Planting Tips

When planting spring-flowering bulbs, remember the three P's: (1) Prepare soil, (2) Plant at proper depth and (3) Protect against pests.

Prepare the soil — Once the planting bed has been selected, turn the soil over to the depth of about 10 inches to aerate the site and give bulb roots ample room to grow. Bulbs flourish best in light, well-drained soil. Where necessary, condition soil with fertilizer as required.

Plant at proper depth — Using a bulb planter or trowel to dig holes, the general rule of thumb is to plant bulbs to a depth of three times the height. With the soil removed to the required depth, lightly press bulbs into place, bottom side down (the flat side is the bottom), return the soil and water thoroughly.

Remember, if bulbs are planted too shallow, the freezing and thawing of surrounding soil may interrupt their dormant phase; permanently damaging root systems and limiting the chance of producing bright, healthy blossoms.

Protect against pests — Bulbs are a tasty treat for many hungry creatures, such as mice, moles and chipmunks. To keep these animals out of a garden, soak each bulb in a repellent. After bulbs have grown and flowered, they can be sprayed again to deter other animals, such as deer and rabbits.

For gardens where spring blooming flowers already exist, remove the dying blossom from the wilting plant, but allow foliage to wither without immediate pruning. This is crucial as stems and leaves continue to create and store food for winter dormancy and eventual use next spring.

Bringing plants indoors

Not all plants can survive outdoors during cold Minnesota winters. Dahlias and Gladioli, also called glads, are examples of plants with roots that can be stored inside.

It is best to leave dahlias in the ground as long as possible, but they should be removed before the hard frost sets. To prepare the plants for digging, cut the stems off two to three inches above the soil after the frost has killed the tops.

Use a spading fork to gently pry the clumps from the ground, remembering that the tuberous roots are very fleshy and easily damaged. Label each clump and allow them to dry for a few hours. Clean the clump of loose dirt, dust with fungicide and insecticide and store in vermiculite boxes in a cool place, such as a basement or well pit. The roots should not be stored where the temperature dips to freezing. Inspect the roots monthly to make sure they have enough moisture. If roots are dry apply a limited amount of water directly to the vermiculite. If a root starts to rot, remove it before is contaminates the others. Roots can be brought out of storage in February or early March.

Like dahlias, gladioli can be stored over the winter. Corms should be dug before the hard frost, at least 30 days after the blooms have finished. After digging, wash the corms in running water and treat with a combination fungicide/insecticide. Allow the corms to air dry for a day or two. Store in plastic mesh onion bags or pantihose and hang to dry.

After a few weeks, the old corms will snap off from the new ones. Discard the old corms. Put the bags in a cardboard box and store in a cool area with air circulation. Like dahlia roots, glads can be stored in a basement or well pit, and they should not freeze.

Some flowers can be potted and brought inside for the winter. Minnesota horticulturalist Fred Glasoe picks the strongest of his geraniums to put inside his classroom each winter. He cuts them back about a third before planting them in cedar window boxes. He likes to get the plants indoors before the central heating is turned on and the humidity drops. The bright red blooms really brighten up a room on a cold winter's day.

Fertilizing

Fertilizing trees and shrubs in the fall ensures that nutrients are in place and available first thing when new growth resumes. Wait until late fall when leaves have dropped and trees appear dormant. Fertilizing too early can interfere with the hardening process that prepares these plants for winter.

Fertilize annual flower beds and vegetable gardens right after the frost-killed plants have been removed from the beds. Fall tilling of dry soil helps prevent the typical sod compacting which often comes with overworking planting areas in spring when the soil is still wet.

Grass should be fertilized, too. Underground portions of grass remain active even after cold temperatures have halted top growth. Fertilizing late in the year, mid-October in northern Minnesota, will help grass "green up" faster in the spring. It should also help grass to come back thicker. Rake the lawn before applying fertilizer, so granules or liquid can filter down to the sod easily.

Work and preparation in the fall can really help to brighten a yard in the spring. After the snow has fallen, gardeners can sit inside with a hot cup of cocoa and a seed catalog and dream of blossom-filled days to come.

With some planning and work almost anyone can have beautiful, brightly-colored tulips in the spring. Planning ahead is the key. Tulips and other spring-blooming flowers must be planted in the fall. Trees and shrubs need to be fertilized so the nutrients are in place when the spring thaw arrives. Lawns should also be fertilized before winter.

Shortage of child care for infants in Thief River Falls

Thief River Falls is currently experiencing a critical shortage in child care available for infants. Children of all ages need loving, quality care. Child Care Resource and Referral is working with the licensing department of Pennington County Social Services to address this need.

Licensed child care may appeal to those who are already at home with their own children or those who are looking to make a career change. If you are a parent who has experienced problems locating quality child care, you may also want to consider a career in licenses child care as an alternative. Anyone interested in pursuing a career as a licensed child care provider can contact Tri-Valley opportunity Council Child Care Resource and Referral at 1-800-543-7382. They will be happy to answer any questions and/or assist providers in becoming licensed.

Senior citizen dance at Heritage Center

There will be a senior citizen dance at the Heritage Center on Thursday, September 28 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music will be by the Cathy Erickson Band. All seniors are welcome to attend.

Scout Council holding search for volunteers

Pine to Prairie Girl Scout Council is searching for more volunteers to meet the needs of the many girls who have registered for the new scout year.

In addition to troop leaders, volunteers are needed to promote Girl Scouts, share cultural history and traditions with troop members and provide financial assistance to girls in their community for handbooks, uniforms and programs.

The council includes 33 counties in western Minnesota and eastern North Dakota. Its program is adapted to meet the developmental, educational, emotional and social needs and interests of girls ages five to 17.

Senior meal at Heritage Center on October 2

The evening senior meal at the Heritage Center for Monday, October 2 will be a pork chop dinner at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2743 for reservations.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Homecoming Week at Lincoln High School check the ad in this edition of the *Times* for more information.

Thursday

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs to meet at 8 p.m.

Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by the Cathy Erickson Band.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Senior Meal at Heritage Center is a pork chop dinner served at 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Legion Auxiliary to meet at 8 p.m. at the Legion Club Rooms.

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Legion Auxiliary to meet October 3

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, October 3 at 8 p.m. at the Legion Clubrooms.

Anne Padilla and Laura Williams will share their experiences at Girls' State. All Auxiliary members are urged to attend.

Baby shower for Kara Wagner and daughter Jessica

Baby shower for Kara (Eram) Wagner and infant daughter Jessica, will be held Friday, evening, September 29 at 7 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Middle River.

Joe & Darlene Mitchum have new baby girl

Alyssa Mitchum was born June 12 to Joe and Darlene Mitchum of Ellensburg, WA.

She is the granddaughter of Daniel Cariveau and the great-granddaughter of Laura Cariveau, both of Ellensburg, WA.

She is the great-great-granddaughter of Jane Helle, 94, of Thief River Falls.

Gunderson and Workman united in marriage July 22

Tammy Gunderson and Matthew Workman were married July 22 at Redeemer Lutheran Church.

Tammy is the daughter of Orley and Elaine Gunderson of Thief River Falls. She is a 1986 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1991 graduate of the University of Minnesota with a journalism degree. Matthew is the son of Lynn Workman Nodland of Edina and Curt Workman of Sedalia, CO. He is a 1988 graduate of Edina High School.

Both Tammy and Matt work for General Mills and make their home in Burnsville.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On September 19, a baby boy was born to Kevin and Karla Langaas of Greenbush. He has been named Benjamin Taylor.
- On September 21, a baby boy was born to Jason and Lisa Aubol of Thief River Falls. He has been named Blake Andrew.
- On September 22, a baby boy was born to Joel and Rebecca Wavra of Red Lake Falls. He has been named Jacob Dale.
- On September 24, a baby boy was born to William and Karen Bierman of Brooks. He has been named William Henry.

. . . Shame, Shame!

We have become a nation of skeptics, but it isn't any wonder.

Television touts products with claims that we know are not true. Everything is bigger and better than the competition and "super" has become the term for everything. We know that all of the product hype is not true. We listen to politicians promising this and that and we know very well that what they say is not going to happen. Newspaper and magazine claims and ads are greatly exaggerated and storias are aimed at being sensational rather than honest.

I think I have become even more than a skeptic. I have come to distrust nearly everything. I have yet to see a politician's campaign promises become reality, and I suspect what I hear on the radio, what I see on television and what I read in newspapers and magazines.

But as well as distrusting national things, I have also learned to be very suspicious right here in TRF. I have become very suspicious when shopping and find myself checking and double checking all of the prices of everything I buy, simply because some stores in our little town are cheating us. Yes, they are!

Most stores now use computers to ring up the prices of purchases. Back in the olden days, prices were calculated on an old-fashioned adding machine, or on a piece of paper. Mistakes were made, but they were usually simple human error. Nowadays, mistakes are made that are not simple human error. I think they are calculated errors, errors that are inevitably in favor of the store.

Nearly every time I shop in some stores — those that use the newfangled computers — I have found that prices are rung-up-wrong, and they are never wrong in my favor. Most of the time I have noticed items that are marked at a sale price in the aisle are rung up at the regular price at the check out.

Of course there is no price marked on the item itself. If items are marked at all, it is with the regular price. The sale price is not on the tag, but simply on a sign in the aisle, so it is difficult to verify.

When a person calls the clerk's attention to the fact that the item is being rung up wrong, the complaint sets in motion a long delay at the check out counter while an "assistant manager" of the item is called, comes to speak with the clerk, goes back to look at the item and then, finally, after a long time, comes back to the check out line. All this time, the customer is standing at the counter with a line accumulating behind him or her, feeling very small and nasty.

What happens once the sale price is verified and the customer is proven right? Are there apologies? No. Does the clerk admit being in the wrong? No. Does anyone smile and congratulate the customer for being right? No. The inevitable comment by the sales clerk is, "I guess the computers haven't been programmed with the sale price yet."

What a good excuse! Who is to say it is not true? What do we know about their computers anyway, even though the sale has been in force for several days and surely the person in charge of reprogramming the prices should have done it even before the first day of the sale and why didn't they and will they be reprimanded? No!

Those shoppers who are in a hurry and do not take the time to watch what is rung up with an eagle eye are often gypped. How many of us hurry into a store to make our purchases and then rush through the check out line without giving a second glance to how much we are charged for items? How often do we check the prices on the tape when we get home when we are rushing to put items away and take care of the family? How many harried customers must be cheated before something is done?

But let's call it what it really is — nothing but old-fashioned fraud. Customers are being swindled in what is nothing but a racket.

Are we going to stand for it? No. We're going to check our receipts and watch the prices as they are rung up. We are not going to be embarrassed when we cause a fuss because there will be many of us and, after all, who should be more embarrassed when the lines are held up because of mistakes? Who is causing the problem? It is the store itself.

It is shame, shame, on you — those certain stores who are cheating us — and you know who you are and so do we.

Families at Risk Network meeting on October 11

Families-at-Risk Network will meet on Wednesday, October 11 from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. in meeting room at at the Best Western Motel. The group uses a round table format to discuss area programs and agencies in need.

This month's topic is Holiday Help and Support for Families at Risk." Agencies with Holiday projects are encouraged to come and share information with professionals who work with families at risk. For more information, contact Sue Dupree, Director of Crossroads Displaced Homemakers, 681-8158.

Youth groups active at United Methodist church

Praise Though Play will be held at the United Methodist Church every Monday afternoon from 3-5 p.m. All Students in grades one through five are welcome to attend.

UMYF will be held at the United Methodist church this Wednesday, September 27 from 3-5 p.m. All students in grades six through 12 are welcome to attend.

Transportation will be provided for either group. Call 681-4388 for a ride.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding...
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

Martin Dirks visits family in Thief River Falls

Martin Dirks from Boston, MA arrived in Thief River Falls Sunday, September 3 to visit his mother Vola Dirks and other relatives. A family get-together was held Sunday afternoon September 3 at the home of his brother Marland Johnson and his wife Sharon. Afternoon lunch and supper were served by Marland, Sharon and Viola. Present were the above mentioned and Rev. and Mrs. Langaas from Abundant Life Lutheran Church, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Johnson and daughter Shelby, Ben and Kyle Johnson, and Julie Burtis, of Wisconsin, and sons Adam and Comer. Julie and her sons were home for a week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marland Johnson.

Martin Dirks and his mother called on Lillie Johnson on Tuesday afternoon. That same evening they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gerome Hermanson and family, all of Thief River Falls.

On Thursday, September 7, Martin left for Cass Lake to visit his only uncle, Roy Woods, and his wife Martha. From there his journey continued to Minneapolis where he spent Saturday with a friend. From there he took air flight back to Boston, MA on Sunday, September 10.

His mother reports he's back home. He kept contact with his company office at Harvard University daily and reported he made a million dollars for them that week.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs to meet on September 28

Odd Fellows #221 and Lyon Rebekahs #69 will meet Thursday, September 28 at 8 p.m.

Rebekah Assembly State President Wilma Schultz will be making her official visit for the Rebekah's and her husband, past Grand Master Ray Schultz will meet with the Odd Fellows.

A dinner will be catered at the Club rooms at 6:30. All Odd Fellows and their wives are invited.

On Friday, September 29, the Rebekahs of District 9 will attend a district meeting at Detroit Lakes at 9 a.m.

James & Haggard married August 12th in Reno

John James and Susan Haggard were married in Reno, NV on August 12 at the Chapel of the Bells.

Susan picked that day because it was the anniversary of her parents, the late Jack Johnsrud and Deloras Johnsrud.

On Saturday, September 3, all family and friends were invited to celebrate a wedding reception for the happy couple.

John and Susan James now live in Adin, CA.

The children of John James, Cheryl, Rainy, Diana, LaVerna and Victor hope Susan's family is as proud of her as they are.

Tri-Valley bus schedule

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of October 2 through October 6. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, October 2

Departs McIntosh at 8:50 a.m. with stops in Erskine 9:00, Mentor 9:15, Red Lake Falls 9:45, Gentilly 10:15, Crookston 10:30, Fisher 10:40. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Shelly at 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hendrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9:00 and Goodridge 9:20. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, October 3

Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Departs Bear Park at 9 a.m. with stops in Rindahl 9:15, Fertile 9:30, Gary 10:10 and Twin Valley 10:30. Arrives in Ada at 11:00 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 7:45 a.m. with stops in Holt 8, Thief River Falls 8:30 and St. Hilaire 9. Arrives in Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, October 4

Transportation to Retired Senior Volunteer Banquet in Polk, Red Lake and Norman counties.

Departs Strandquist at 9 a.m. and stops in Viking 9:45. Arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

Thursday, October 5

Transportation to Retired Senior Volunteer Banquet.

Friday, October 6

Departs Lengby at 8:50 a.m. with stops in Fosston 9:20, McIntosh 9:35, Erskine 9:45, Mentor 10:05 and Crookston 10:35. Arrives in Grand Forks at 11:15.

Transportation city-wide in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Transportation city-wide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

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Women of Today state president plans visit to TRF

Christine Jones, state president of the Minnesota Women of Today, will visit the Thief River Falls area on Saturday, September 30.

Jones, of Redwood Falls, and four state staff members will present a program on laughter for area chapters including Thief River Falls, Euclid, Middle River, Warren, Warroad, Roseau, Grygla, Greenbush and Blackduck.

A poolside luncheon and meetings will follow. All activities will be held at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

The visit comes at the end of Women of Today Week, celebrated September 24-30. The week recognizes the contributions that chapters make to their communities.

For more information on Women of Today, call Kim Quade at 681-4465. The local chapter meets the second Wednesday of each month at the Elks Club Rooms.

Open house for Eugene and Vivian Bruggeman

Eugene and Vivian Bruggeman will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on October 7 at the St. Hilaire Activity Center. Open house will be from 2 to 5 p.m. with a program at 2:30. All friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

Curt and Mary Jo Biegler have a new baby girl

Megan Joan Biegler was born September 1 to Curt and Mary Jo Biegler of Underwood.

Grandparents of Megan are Lawrence and Irene Klesow of Goodridge and Harold and Joyce Biegler of Battle Lake. Lucille Kawlewski of Otter Tail Lake Nursing Home.

Women of the Elks invited to take dance lessons

The Women of the Elks invite all members and guests to sign up for line dance lessons beginning October 1. The course will run for six weeks. Please call 681-3045 before October 3 to sign up.

Bill and Lourdes Holmes have new baby girl

Bill and Lourdes Holmes are the proud parents of Ariana Mary Holmes, born September 13 at United Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds 15 ounces at birth.

Grandparents are Gus and Mary of Thief River Falls and Rafael and Maria Hernadez of Phoenix, AZ. Ariana's great-grandmother is Signe Holmes of Thief River Falls.

Johnson and McGlynn plan October 21 wedding

Cecily Kay Johnson and Thomas Pierce McGlynn announce their engagement. Parents are Ivan and Jeanelle Johnson of Holt and Thomas, Sr. and Mary McGlynn of Mentor.

Cecily graduated from Marshall County Central High School, Newfolden and the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND. She is presently employed as an Early Childhood/Special Education teacher for the Area Special Education Cooperative in East Grand Forks.

Thomas graduated from Mentor High School and Northland College in Thief River Falls. He is self-employed in Hawley.

An October 21 wedding is being planned at Nazareth Lutheran Church in Holt.

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Guess Who?

ON MY MIND
Kim Chadwick-Quade

Making This A Better Place

Service, growth and fellowship. These three words describe the mission of the Thief River Falls Women of Today.

This organization has been serving the area for the last 37 years, first as the Mrs. Jaycees, the Minnesota Jaycee Women and now as the Women of Today.

As U.S. Women of Today Week is recognized September 24 through September 30, it's appropriate to explain what this group offers.

Service composes a large part of the Women of Today's purpose. I, as a member, take pride in the fact that we are a group of women doing good things for our community and our state. It makes me feel good inside to assist others.

Our service aspect comes in two forms: raising and giving money to local and state concerns, and providing public service for the youth and community.

With 2,432 members in 128 chapters across the state of Minnesota, the Women of Today raises thousands of dollars and donates it to worthwhile causes.

During the 1994-1995 Minnesota Women of Today year, donations were made to: March of Dimes ($29,808), Cystic Fibrosis ($4,054), Kidney Disease ($2,731), Leukemia Society ($7,915), Minnesota D.A.R.E. ($6,404), LUPUS Foundation ($1,335), People with Developmental Challenges ($3,435), and youth and community projects ($113,769).

In addition, these groups logged more than 23,000 service hours in the above areas.

Whew! That's a lot of figures to digest. But it shows what people working together can accomplish. If the Women of Today, and other similar organizations, didn't commit their time and resources, our communities would suffer.

The Thief River Falls chapter last year donated to: the Occupational Development Center, local D.A.R.E., LUPUS book to the library, Thief River Falls Kidney Foundation, children's Christmas gifts, food shelf, Fine Line Dancers, Falls DAC, Save the Depot, city's gazebo fund, and a scholarship for a student at Northland Community and Technical College.

Other projects undertaken by the TRF Women of Today include the spring babysitting clinic, kids' Halloween carnival and a creative crafts festival.

Though it sounds as if all we do is work, that's not correct. The organization provides opportunities for its members to grow by holding office, by listening to speakers, by participating in district and state functions, and just by being involved with a group of supportive women.

And that's the third focus of our group – fellowship. We plan quarterly social events so the members can get together and have fun. And we invite others to join us. Joining the Women of Today is a good way to meet other women in the community, especially if you're new in town.

The advantages to membership in the Women of Today are endless. Our goal is to work for the benefit of the community. The last line of the Minnesota Women of Today Creed sums it up: "May we leave the world a better place because we lived and served within it."

Women business owners sought for awards

Women in New Development (WIND) is searching for outstanding northern Minnesota women entrepreneurs, whose hard work and perserverance have resulted in successful business ventures. Nominees may represent retail, service, production or manufacturing businesses.

Awards will be given in the following categories: Entrepreneur of the Year; Emerging Entrepreneur; Turnaround Entrepreneur and Entrepreneur Against the Odds.

Separate awards will also be given to Entrepreneurial Advocates, women who serve as role models and support for area entrepreneurs. Recipients of Entrepreneurial Advocate awards may or may not be business owners themselves.

Recipients in each category will be honored at an October 17th banquet, to be held in Fosston. First Lady Hillary Clinton has been invited to attend and organizers are awaiting her answer.

If applicable, honorees may go to compete for state and national business awards, with assistance from the WIND program.

The Entrepreneur of the Year Awards Banquet also celebrates the five year anniversary of WIND and the opening of two new offices in Fosston and Park Rapids recently approved by the U.S. Small Business Administration. WIND has provided business assistance to over 800 women, through classes, technical support and one to one counseling, resulting in over 100 strong business starts.

To nominate a northern Minnesota business woman owner for an award, send nominee name, brief business description and address to WIND/Bi-CAP, Inc., P.O. Box 579, Bemidji, MN 56601.

For more information on the WIND program, the Entrepreneur of the Year Awards or banquet reservations, call the office at 751-4631 or 1-800-332-7161.

SHOP LOCALLY

ON THE OTHER HAND
Tina Krogstad
Lincoln High School

Everyone's senior year is full of excitement. There are many things to worry about such as selecting the right college or finding a date to prom, but the thing that has worried me the most so far has been taking my senior pictures.

I had put if off all summer. Of course, my mother harassed me every day to make an appointment, but I always managed to come up with some excuse: "I'm too busy working" or "Wait until these pimples go away." Finally, toward the end of summer, my mom got fed up and made an appointment for me. Unfortunately, I was free that day and couldn't ball out. I decided to face it and get it over with.

On the day of my pictures, I woke up earlier than normal in order to have everything ready by one o'clock. I took a shower and took extra care applying my make-up. Since I hardly ever do anything with my hair, I figured that it would be fine just to leave it down. That way, I would look normal in my pictures. I didn't want to look like someone I wasn't. I knew that looking completely natural was impossible, but I wanted to get as close as I could. I was ready much earlier than I had expected, so I was very nervous and tense when the phone rang and almost made me jump a foot off the floor.

"Our photographer has something going on at one; would two be okay for you?"

I knew that I worked at four o'clock, but they had said that my sitting should only take an hour, so I agreed.

As soon as I hung up the phone, I realized that I couldn't wait around the house until 2:00. I would be a nervous wreck. I piled my outfits into my car and went driving around with some of my friends for awhile. Big mistake. Sure, it relieved some of my tension, but it didn't do much for my appearance. When I showed up at the studio at 1:45, my hair was windblown and almost all of my make-up had worn off.

After my photographer had taken a look at my outfits, she went to set up. While I was waiting, I got to sit down and watch videos that had been made from someone's baby pictures all the way up to senior pictures. They were also set to music. Finally, she was ready.

She told me exactly how to sit, which way to tilt my head, and where to put my hands. She was very friendly and energetic. I soon found myself relaxing. She and her assistant would move around me to tug at my sleeves and play with my hair for each shot. My photographer kept making funny comments that made me smile naturally.

I felt uncomfortable in many of the poses, but she said that the weirder you feel, the better the picture will look. An hour came and went quickly. When I was changing into my last outfit, I was seriously wondering if I was going to make it to work on time. By that time, my mouth and cheek muscles were sore from smiling so much. When they shot the last picture, I couldn't have been more relieved, and I made it to work just a couple of minutes late.

(The writers of this column are members of the Literary Arts Class, a Magnet Arts Program at Lincoln high school)

Moccasin club holds monthly meeting

Moccasin Garden Club met at the home of Bea Wilson. Co-hosting with Mrs. Wilson were Diane and Mary Wilson. Attending were Valarie Torstveit, Arlene Thune, Joan Baber, Joan Nelson, Rhodella Tieman, Betty Troska, Deloris Mickelson, Beattie Mickelson, Pat Swanson, Marge Prestebab, Rita Soine, Carolyn Haugen, Carol Hammer.

President Arlene Thune presided at the business meeting. Roll call was answered to rose facts and tips. Business discussion was on the fall workshop held at Roseau on October 7, hosted by the Lady Slipper Club. The theme is "From the Past Into Tomorrow." Moccasin Club member Joan Nelson will give a demonstration on preserving presssed flowers. State dues were collected. Program on making paper roses was presented by Arlene Thune.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Valarie Torstveit and co-hosted by Joan Nelson on October 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Erickson receives BSU scholarship

Amy Erickson of Thief River Falls has accepted a $150 Carrie Schiltz Scholarship from Bemidji State University, to continue studies at the college. Erickson is a senior enrolled in the elementary education program.

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Jany Stumpf, daughter of LeRoy and Carol Stumpf of Thief River Falls and a 1993 graduate of Lincoln high school, was crowned 1995 homecoming queen for Moorhead State University.

Stumpf named queen of MSU homecoming

Jeny Stumpf, daughter of LeRoy and Carol Stumpf of Thief River Falls and a 1993 graduate of Lincoln high school, was crowned homecoming queen for Moorhead State University on Thursday, September 21.

Coronation followed a campus talent contest in the student union ballroom and a student homecoming dance followed the coronation in the Underground.

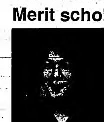
Jeny is a junior at MSU, majoring in public relations and marketing. She is a student orientation counselor, tour guide, telecounselor and coordinator of special performances for the campus activities board. She is also a member of Public Relations Student Society of America and Hall Council and is an honor student.

One of 20 students awarded tour guide positions for 1995-96, she will be responsible for conducting campus tours of administrative and academic buildings, residence halls and the athletic complex to students, parents and visitors. Guides are chosen based on a written application and interview.

Jeny was sponsored as a candidate for homecoming queen by the Student Orientation Counselors, a group she has been a member of the past two years.

Other queen finalists and the high schools from which they graduated were Darbie Dalzell, Elk River; Tania Fritz, Griggs County Central; Julie Johnson, Thomas Jefferson; Erin Repesh, Anoka; and Dawn Sloan, Moorhead high school.

Tsukichi is commended Merit scholar



Christopher Tsukichi

Christopher Tsukichi, son of Steven and Lucynda Tsukichi and a senior at Lincoln high school, has been name a Commended Student in the 1996 National Merit Scholarship program.

A Letter of Commendation from Lincoln and the National Merit Scholarship Corporation which conducts the program will be presented to Chris for his scholastic talents, according to Terry Soine, principal at Lincoln.

About 35,000 students throughout the nation are awarded Commended Student status for their exceptional academic promise. They place among the top five per cent of more than a million students who entered the 1996 Merit program by taking the 1994 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

"Although the qualifying test scores of Commended Students are outstanding," Soine said, "they are slightly below the level required to continue in the competition for Merit Scholarship awards to be offered in 1996."

"Recognition of academically promising students and of the key role played by schools in their development is essential to the pursuit of educational excellence in our nation," a Merit program spokesperson said. "Our hope is that this recognition will encourage these young people to develop their abilities to the fullest and will enhance their opportunities and stimulate support for their higher education."

Ronald Hansen attends seminar

Ronald Hansen of Thief River Falls attended a SuccessTrack seminar at the Aid Association for Lutherans home office in Appleton, WI, Sept. 10-15. The seminar focused on computer software packages.

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We find words are so inadequate to express our gratitude for the outpouring of loving concern shown to our family, since the death of our Husband and Dad, DAYLE KAINZ.

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts goes out to Deputy Kuznia, the Ambulance Crew and Northwest Medical Center Staff, who did everything humanly possible to help.

Thanks also to Pastor Bob Dahlen, Intoin David Dahl and Green Funeral Home for all their help and comforting words.

Thank you to those who provided music, the Pallbearers and Honorary Pallbearers, the Masons for their support and service on Thursday evening, and all who sent flowers and memorials.

Thank you to the Faith Lutheran Ladies for serving brunch and the many friends and neighbors who brought food to the house.

A special thank you to all of you for just being there when we needed someone. May God's Blessings be with all of you.

The Family of Dayle Kainz

NCTC music faculty will present recital

Music faculty members at Northland Community and Technical College will present a public recital benefit for the Northland College Foundation Friday, October 6, at 7 p.m. in the college auditorium. All proceeds will be donated to the Northland College Scholarship Fund.

Participating will be Diane Johnson, who teaches voice; Catherine Hagen, who teaches piano; Kristin Buckley, who teaches woodwinds; and Les Torgerson, who teaches brass, computer music and percussion.

Also performing will be tenor Dennis Johnson, legal assistant coordinator; soprano Jane Anderson, a member of the learning center faculty, and accompanist Avis Dyrud, English instructor.

Special guest performer will be Tera Marquis, Miss Thief River Falls 1995-1996 and a student at Northland.

Tickets will be $10 at the door or may be purchased in advance for $7 from Barb Noel in the NCTC business office. Seating is limited and advance purchase is recommended.

Reservations may be made by calling 681-0735 or 1-800-959-6282. Included in the ticket price is a coffee and dessert reception immediately following the concert in the college cafeteria.

Music faculty and several others on staff at Northland Community and Technical College will present a benefit recital for the Northland College Foundation on Friday, October 6 at 7 p.m. Pictured (left to right) are, front, Avis Dyrud and Catherine Hagen; back, Les Torgerson, Kristin Buckley, Dennis Johnson, Jana Anderson and Diana Johnson.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Recycled Collectibles

There are many items that we use and throw away that can be saved for children's projects. The following is a list of items that could be saved for future activities. A box or a bag could serve as a convenient storage place.

Baby food jars with lids, berry baskets, buttons, beans, cardboard, cotton balls, corks, coffee cans, egg cartons, fabric scraps, frosting containers, greeting cards, juice cans, LeMenu plates, L'eggs eggs, meat trays, oatmeal boxes, old socks, pie pans, postcards, popsicle sticks, roll-on deodorant jars, rocks, stamps (from magazine and holiday seals), six-pack holders, scoops (from juice mixes), spice jars, spools, tubes from paper rolls, washers, wallpaper scraps and yogurt cartons are some of these items.

There are just a few items that are worth saving and can have many uses. Remember that a clean disposable may be turned into a treasured collectible after your child's special touch has been added!

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need a paper or plastic bag.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Howard, Ellen. Murphy & Kate. A loving tribute to a very special friendship unfolds as Kate learns that the only way to live without her precious dog, Murphy, is to remember him with love.

Anholt, Catherine. What Makes Me Happy? Happy or mad, busy or bored, young readers will recognize and relish all the ups and downs of childhood.

VIDEO VARIETY

Dr. Seuss Green Eggs and Ham. This music-filled triple treat from Dr. Seuss is sure to bring triple smiles as you laugh at the story of Sam-I-Am and others.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Make Time To Talk With Your Children

Children of all ages need to talk with their parents. Yet a recent study found that parents spend very little time actually talking with their children. Talking with your child is very different than talking to or at your child. Think about the difference and try to determine which you are doing.

According to research the average American mother spends less than half an hour a day talking with her children. Fathers spend an average of only 15 minutes.

In this busy world, we may have to set aside some time each day to talk with our children. Choose a time when you are both relaxed. You may want to try mealtime or bedtime.

Quiet talks can also be a time when you tell your child how special he is. Saying, "I was proud of you when you put your bike away" will do more than encourage a child to put the bike away again. You're also helping your child to develop a sense of self-esteem and self-confidence. That will help your child long after you've forgotten what you said to each other.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

When you talk with your child, talk about some of the important things, such as how your child feels about things. What are his dreams, hopes, fears? What was the best thing that happened to him today?

Homework help is availble through special hotline

The Minnesota Homework Helpline is back for its fifth year of assisting students throughout the state. Thanks to the generous support of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota, the Helpline resumed service on September 11.

Parents and students can dial a toll-free number to access help for all subjects and grade levels. Trained, experienced teachers respond to student's calls with two specific goals. The first is to offer problem solving techniques and suggestions, not answers, so students can work with their subject matter independently. The second goal is to develop students' self esteem by acknowledging their successes and by building confidence through successful homework completion. Students from all school districts in the state have responded enthusiastically, with over 33,000 calls last year. 1,109 students in northwest Minnesota called the Helpline for assistance.

The Helpline also has a low-cost parent newsletter, Homework Help Lines, which is filled with homework tips and Helpline news.

The Homework Helpline is open from 4:30 to 9 p.m. Sundays through Thursdays, excluding holidays. The toll-free number is 1-800-657-6787.

Before calling, students are advised to be prepared by having textbooks, notes, paper and pencils by the phone and by re-reading the directions and questions before calling.

For more information, call the NW Service Cooperative, 218-681-8005.

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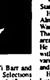
Vernon Johnston, 79

Thief River Falls — Vernon Johnston, 79, died Monday, September 25 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.



Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 28 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. John Wollenzien officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Vi Barr and soloist Mike Coppock. Selections are "How Great Thou Art" and "Because He Lives." Congregational hymns were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Casketbearers will be his grandsons, Bob Kofstad, Rick Kofstad, Tim Kofstad, Greg Kofstad, Spencer Johnston, Brian Johnston, Lonny Colden, Bret Colden, Brandon Seurer, Tracy Robinson, Bart Colden, Patricia Draughn and Penni Hanson. Honorary casketbearers are all of Vernon's relatives and friends. Interment will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Visitation will be from 4-9 p.m. on Wednesday, September 27 at the Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls, with a prayer service Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m. and at the church one hour prior to services on Thursday.

Vernon Johnston was born September 9, 1916 in Drayton, ND to the late Daniel and Myrtle Johnston. He was baptized in the Christian faith and attended schools in Drayton, ND and Roseau.

Vernon served in the United States Navy.

He was united in marriage to Alma Hanson on April 28, 1938 in Warroad. The couple farmed in the Thief River Falls area and Warroad area since 1944, retiring in 1978. He did woodworking and traveled with his wife, selling his goods at various malls throughout Minnesota and the west coast.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls and enjoyed traveling, woodworking, hunting and fishing.

Vernon is survived by his wife Alma; three children, Spencer Johnston, Thief River Falls, Barbara Robinson, Woodland, WA and Sharon Seurer of Thief River Falls; 13 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Florence Perry of Karlstad, Loreen Thompson, Baudette and Aileen Grahn, Roseau; sister-in-law, Violet Johnston of Roseau and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two grandchildren, Sherri Lynn Kofstad and Lenny Colden; brothers, Melville, Eldred, Edwin, Ralph and Douglas and one sister, Miriam.

Brad Anderson, 31

Thief River Falls — Brad Anderson, 31, formerly of Grafton, ND, died on Tuesday, September 12 at United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were held on Friday, September 15 at 10 a.m. at St. John's Catholic Church in Grafton, ND with burial in the church cemetery. Casketbearers were Kurt Anderson, Andrew Moe, Marvin Novak, Craig Ferguson, Gary Fisher and Michael Vary.

Brad was born September 8, 1964, the son of Louis and Evie (Vary) Anderson. He grew up and attended school in Grafton and was most recently employed in Thief River Falls.

While in school, he enjoyed playing hockey and was an excellent goalie. As his final gift of life he helped others as an organ donor.

He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Evie and Ron Capp of Grafton; brother Kurt Anderson of Slayton; stepbrother Robert Capp of Grand Forks; stepsister Laurie Capp of San Francisco, CA and special friends Linda of Thief River Falls.

He was preceded in death by his father and grandparents.

Dora Lunde, 97

Minneapolis — Dora Lillian Lunde, 97, of Walker Care Center, Minneapolis, formerly of Thief River Falls, died on September 25 at Walker Care Center.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 28 at Halstad Lutheran Church, Halstad. Interment will be in Shelly Marsh River Cemetery, Shelly. Visitation is from 7-8:30 p.m. at Morris Nilsen Chapel, Richfield.

Dora Lillian Lunde and her husband Alfred owned and operated the St. Paul Grocery Store in Thief River Falls from 1945 to 1973. After that she worked at the Piggly Wiggly Store in Thief River Falls.

She lived in Thief River Falls from 1945 to 1992 when she moved to the Minneapolis area to be near her daughter Donna Lunde. Donna was killed in an automobile accident in September 1994.

She is survived by grandsons, David, Tom and Tim Nicholson; four great-grandsons and brother-in-law Neil Nicholson.

She was preceded in death by her husband Alfred; daughters, Mila Nicholson and Donna Lunde; her parents; three sisters and one brother.

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Ardith Brown, 80

Thief River Falls — Ardith Brown, 80, died on Sunday September 17 at the CNC Unit of the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Memorial services were held on Friday, September 22 at 2 p.m. in the Green Funeral Home Chapel, Thief River Falls with Reverend Dennis Raymond officiating. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Ardith Brown was born on July 12, 1915 in rural Grygla, Marshall county to John and Anna Peterson Brown. She lived at home with her parents until their death, then moved in sheltered living arrangements until moving into the CNC Unit in 1970. She resided there until her death.

She is survived by her sister, Margaret Bjorkman, San Jose, CA and sister-in-law, Agnes Brown, Reston, VA.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Edith Englebert, Irene Sandberg, Violet Reimer and twin sister Avis Brown and brothers Ferdie and Roy Brown.

Ivan Brewer, 87

Thief River Falls — Ivan Brewer, 87, died on Thursday, September 21 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 25 at Black River Church near St. Hilaire. Rev. Gaten Sylvester officiated and music was provided by Ruthie Mosbeck, organist and Donald Wahlbeck, vocalist. Vocal selections were "Until then" and "I Won't Have to Cross the Jordon Alone." Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Michael Lage, Don Darling, Jr., Jeff Darling, Nathan Brewer, Wayne Brewer and Gordon Brewer. Military honors were offered be members of American Legion Post #117 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #2793. Interment was in the Black River Cemetery with Belmont Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Ivan W. Brewer was born on March 28, 1908 in Barnes county, North Dakota, the son of William and Margaret (Balow) Brewer. He grew up and attended school in the Oriska area and later attended Valley City State College where he earned his teaching certificate.

In 1934, he married Kathryn Plasterrer. He taught school and farmed in North Dakota before entering the Army, were he served in World War II.

Following the war, he moved to Chicago where he worked for Corn Products, Inc.

He married Vivian Melin in 1962 at Chicago, IL. He retired in 1972. He divided his time between Chicago, IL, Arizona and California in the winter months. In 1991 he moved to Hemet, CA where he lived until moving to Thief River Falls in the summer of 1995.

He was a member of the American Legion.

Ivan is survived by his wife, Vivian, Thief River Falls; a daughter, Jean Darling of Metuchen, NJ; sons Gordon, Newark, DE and Michael Lage, Chicago, IL; nine grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; three brothers, Russell, California, Robert, Idaho and Lynn, Oregon and sisters, Orace Flora, Audrey Boulton and Beth Morris, all of California.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Phyllis Brewer and Babe Zachow.

Henry Nelson, 80

Warren — Henry Axel Nelson, 80, died on Thursday morning, September 21 at Warren Hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 25 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Middle River with Father Bob Schreiner officiating. Special music was provided by organist Cathy Erickson. Congregational hymn was "The Old Rugged Cross".

Casketbearers were LaVerne Nelson, Rick Nelson, Scottie Peterson, Marvin Moen, Gordon Peterson and Larry Korpi. Interment was at St. Joseph's Church Cemetery, Middle River.

Henry Axel Nelson was born September 15, 1915 at Warren, the son of Gunnar and Emma (Brekkestran) Nelson. He attended school and grew to manhood there. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

In April of 1935, Henry was married to Marie Buckner at Warren. To this union was born a son, Robert. Marie passed away in April of 1945.

On October 28, 1946, Henry was married to Kathryn Adamski at Warren. They lived at Warren for one and one half years, then they moved to Middle River.

Over the years, Henry was first employed by the Warren Creamery and then, by Collins Construction Co. as a heavy equipment operator. He was employed as a crane operator for Morrison-Knutson at the missile base at Nacoma, ND and at Beulah, ND. He also worked as an electrician at Arctic Cat and Arctco in Thief River Falls retiring in 1991.

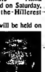
Since July of 1995, the couple has resided at Warren. Henry was a member of the Thief River Falls Eagles Club and of the International Union of Operating Engineers Local #49.

Henry is survived by his wife Kay; three daughters, Shirley Shockley, Fredrick, MD, Beverly Klegstad, Middle River and Renae Nelson, Hutchinson; four sons, Robert of Middle River, Kenneth, Knoxville, TN, Jerry, Cambridge and Ronald, Redwood Falls; 19 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; four sisters, Cora Rantanen and Betty Peterson, both of Middle River, Hannah Moen, Newfolden and Lila Jenson, Thief River Falls; three brothers, Wallace, Middle River, Harold, Meeker, CO and Lyle "Jimmy" of St. Paul and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife and four brothers, Evald, Melvin, Elmer and Lloyd.

Anna Holmstrom, 84

Red Lake Falls — Anna Holmstrom, 84, died on Saturday, September 23 at the Hillcrest Nursing Home.



Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, September 27 at 2 p.m. at the Bethesda Lutheran Church in Strandquist with Reverend Douglas Norquist officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Betsy Thompson, soloist Rev. Norquist and vocalists, Betsy and Isaac Thompson. The solo is "Children of the Heavenly Father" and the duet of "I Have a Friend" Congregational hymns are "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "When PeaceLike a River."

A graveside song, "Peace Give I to Thee" will be sung by Rev. Norquist. Honorary casketbearers are all of Anna's friends and relatives. Casketbearers will be Freddie Anderson, Gene Anderson, Harvey Baker, Roger Holmstrom, Ernest Holmstrom and Marvin Miller. Interment will be at Marmalund Cemetery near Strandquist.

Visitation will be at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls from 1-9 p.m. on Tuesday with a prayer service at 7 p.m.

Anna Viola Anderson was born on October 29, 1910 near Lancaster to Andrew and Frieda (Gustavson) Anderson. She attended rural schools near Lake Bronson and grew to adulthood there. She was baptized in the Lutheran faith and confirmed on November 24, 1924 in East Emonus Lutheran Church in Kittson county.

Following her education, she moved to Minneapolis and worked for a few years, then returned to Marshall county.

On October 30, 1935, she was united in marriage to Elmer Holmstrom at the Lutheran Parsonage at the Englund Store. The couple lived and farmed in Wright township, Marshall county for two years. In 1937 they moved to West Valley township, Marshall county. On November 4, 1992, the couple moved to the Newfolden Community Housing and on October 26, 1994, Anna moved to Hillcrest Nursing Home, Red Lake Falls.

She is survived by her husband, Elmer; one daughter, Carol Thompson of Red Lake Falls; two granddaughters, Nicole and Kari Thompson; one sister-in-law, Anna Anderson, Karlstad and one brother-in-law, Vernon Erickson, Anoka.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Carl, Olaf, Gust, Fritz, Elof and Victor and two sisters, Judith Erickson and Agnes Anderson, in childhood.

Mandy Defriece, 75

Greenville, OH — Mandy L. Defriece, 75, died Monday, September 11 in Greenville, OH.

Funeral services were held Friday, September 15 at Zechar Bailey Funeral Home in Greenville with Rev. Tim Smith officiating. Interment was at Sunset Memory Gardens.

Mandy was born April 17, 1920 at Bristol, VA.

She is survived by a son Virgil Defreece of Thief River Falls; four grandchildren, Michelle Kasprick and Shane Defreece of Thief River Falls and Tammy Ross and Tony Defreece of New Paris, OH and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband Winston Defriece; a son Winston Defrieca, Jr.; one sister and four brothers.

Eddie Dallager, 86

Greenbush — Eddie Nels Dallager, 86, died Friday, September 22 at the Roseau Area Hospital.

Funeral services were held on Monday, September 25 at Bethel Lutheran Church, Greenbush with Rev. Cheryl Berg officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ellen Kappfahn and vocalist Marie Olson.

Pallbearers were his grandsons, Mike and Mark Mikkelson, Ron, Pat, Tim, Jeff, Chris, Brett, Chad and Cory Dallager. Interment was at Bethel Lutheran Cemetery, Greenbush.

Eddie Nels Dallager was born November 20, 1908 at Mahnomen to Christopher and Ganda (Watterud) Dallager. He moved to Roseau county when he was young and attended school in Dewey and Lind township, rural Greenbush.

He married Hilda Brandvold in 1931. She died on July 16, 1963.

He married Loretta Lajambe on November 11, 1965. She died on July 31, 1985.

Eddie worked many jobs during his lifetime, including farming. He also drove school bus for many years for Greenbush area rural schools. He delivered milk in Greenbush and worked at the Greenbush Creamery. He also worked many seasons for Kiene Farms in Kittson county. He was a maintenance worker at the Greenbush Hospital. Most recently he was the caretaker of Elderbush Manor in Greenbush for the past 20 years.

Eddie enjoyed gardening, and his flower gardens at Elderbush were a main attraction in Greenbush.

He is survived by five sons, Edward H. of Strathcona, James, Oakdale, LeRoy, Richfield, Harvey, Greenbush, Gary, White Bear Lake; one daughter, Jeanette Mikkelson of Atchison, KS; 12 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; one brother, Willie Dallager of LaPorte; one sister, Katie Langaas of Greenbush and special friend, Frances Stanislawski of Greenbush.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two wives; one brother, Morris; two sisters, Oladys Magnuson and Hazel Paulson.

Grant Gjovik, 57

Roseau — Grant LeRoy Gjovik, 57, died on Thursday, September 21 in Rochester.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 25 at the Assembly of God Church, Roseau, with Reverend Bob Ludwig officiating. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Strathcona with Helgeson Funeral Chapels in charge of arrangements.

Grant Gjovik was born April 26, 1938 in Roseau county, the son of Gladys (Erickson) and Roy Gjovik. He spent a few years living in Chicago, IL with his parents. He also lived and grew up in Strathcona. He attended and graduated from Greenbush High School.

He has lived and worked in various communities in Roseau county. He worked for the Jackson Ford Motor Co. in Roseau. He farmed in the Strathcona, Oakley and Wannaska communities. He taught small engine classes at the Roseau Community School. He most recently owned and operated grain hauling semi-tractor trailers carrying grain from northern Minnesota to Duluth.

Grant is survived by his fiancee, Janette Medcraft of Wannaska; one daughter, Glory Johnson of Grand Rapids; two sons, Greg of Shevlin and Grady of Wannaska. Also surviving are 10 grandchildren; three sisters, Carole Selness of Woodbury; Renae Peters of St. Paul and Lois Warwick of Monument, CO and two brothers, James of Strathcona and Robert of Apple Valley.

Grant was preceded in death by his parents, Roy and Gladys Gjovik; one son, Grayson; one sister, Renay and one brother, Robert.

Louise Brostrom, 94

Pueblo, CO — Louise (Huot) Brostrom, 94, formerly of Red Lake Falls, died on Tuesday, September 19 at the University Park Nursing Home in Pueblo, CO.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, September 30 at 1 p.m. in the Presbyterian Church in Red Lake Falls with Rev. Robert Schurr officiating. Interment will be at the Oak Grove Cemetery near Red Lake Falls.

Louise Zaiser was born on August 11, 1901, the daughter of Fred and Mathilda (Daley) Zaiser. She was raised in the Red Lake Falls area and attended school there.

In 1922, she was married to Gilbert Huot at Red Lake Falls. The couple moved to Aurora where she resided until 1962 when Gilbert passed away. She later moved to Washington state where she lived for a time and was married to Norman Brostrom. Norman passed away and Louise returned to Red Lake Falls. In 1977, she moved to Pueblo, CO where she has lived since.

Louise is survived by two children, Daughter Beverly Hurley of Pueblo, CO and son Warren Huot of Virginia; 13 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one son, Allen; two brothers, Robert and Gus and four sisters, Alice Baker, Myrtle Jorgensen, Hazel LaCross and Janet Bourdon.

Amity Scholars for the 1995-96 school year at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls are Reyes Alcon of Barcelona, Spain, and Tobias Schmitz of Munich, Germany. Reyes is staying with Jane and Dan Shaflead. Tobias is staying with the Joan and Art Heinze family. "I want to thank our two host families for opening their homes to our Amity Scholars. Both host families are veteran host families for the School District 564 Amity program. The program is into the beginning of its sixth year now, with Tobias and Reyes being the 14th and 15th Amity Scholar working with the language students in the district," said Paivi Young, School District 564 Amity Coordinator.

RSVP banquet Oct. 4-5

Retired and Senior Volunteer Program's (RSVP) annual volunteer recognition banquet featuring "A Harvest Festival" will be held at the Northland Inn, Crookston, on October 4 and 5, with registration beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Polk and Red Lake county volunteers will attend on Wednesday, October 4, and Marshall, Pennington and Norman county volunteers will attend on Thursday, October 5. To be eligible to attend the banquet, volunteers are required to have 34 recorded hours of volunteer work from July 1, 1994 through June 30, 1995. Those who don't meet the eligibility requirement may attend at a cost of $8 but must notify the RSVP office (218-281-8288) before September 29.

RSVP is a volunteer placement service for persons 55 and older and promotes seniors as "resources" in their communities. Anyone interested in the program may contact Deanna Patenaude, director, Conference Center 107, University of Minnesota, Crookston, 56716; or phone 218-281-8288.

Twenty-six citizens representing various occupations and interest groups met in Crookston last week to map out a strategic plan for the future of Thief River Falls. Part of the process involved meeting in large groups to discuss some weighty issues, such as cultural diversity.

Strategic planning retreat

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and participate in economic growth and development;

• It is the responsibility of city government to provide essential services to protect and serve the public;

• City government shall cooperate with other entities to enhance the quality of life for all ages;

• City government will work to provide a healthy, safe, caring, nonviolent community;

• Community participation is vital to the success of city government; and,

• City government must plan for changes in the future.

Not all of the goals and plans identified by have been compiled into a single document.

Several group meetings later, the group reached a consensus on goals for the community. Five categories of communication, infrastructure, transportation, quality of life, and business climate, separate the goals. Each division included a goal to plan for changes in the future.

Goals identified under the division of communication included: to encourage and provide an opportunity for citizen participation; to commit to the educational growth and personal development of the staff and city officials to meet the changes of the future; and, to improve the chain of communication.

Goals identified under infrastructure included: to improve personalized governmental services; to provide essential service to protect and serve the community; and, to continue to work toward further cooperation with the county and townships of North and Rocksbury in planning and zoning issues.

Goals identified under quality of life included: to develop and enhance recreational/educational opportunities for youth; increase awareness of cultural diversity within the community; promote and maintain a safe, orderly and secure community; and to promote affordable housing.

Goals identified under business climate included: to promote and participate in economic growth and development in Thief River Falls; and to work with local businesses to enhance services and legislation related to retail business within the community.

Goals for transportation were identified in a separate session.

After these goals were established, the large group broke up into smaller groups and established more specific goals for each of the strategic planning goals. These goals are still in the process of being compiled.

After all of the information from the two-day retreat is compiled, the next phase of the process will be undertaken. The next phase, organizational analysis, is designed to examine the internal and external factors affecting the organization and how they relate to the strategic goals and strategies developed during the retreat session. Selected members of the strategic planning retreat work with the administrative staff and consultants to determine the key factors to consider in the pursuit of the goals and future development of action plans.

A timeline for completion of the strategic planning was established. Phase three or organizational analysis will be completed in October. Leader training will be completed in October and November. Action plan development will take place in November and December. A board of review will be established and review efforts in January of 1996. Action team plan revisions will be made in February and March. The board will adopt plans in April, and plans for year one will be implemented. In April and May, specialized technical assistance will be sought.

Individuals participating in the retreat last week included: Mayor Bob Reeve, Vice Mayor Jean Heinrichs, Bill Ness, Orley Gunderson, Julie Olson, Allen Lamm, Dave Carlson, Roger DeLap, Ron Lindberg, Frank Hamerlinck, Don Stewart, LeeAnn Lund, Collette Kujava, Al Johnson, Mark Haugen, Jean Larson, Madelyn Vigen, George Davis, Ken Froschheiser, John Tofte, Cecil Anderson, Elain Orovum, Ed Sisler, Mike Parker, Charles Naplin, and David Hill.

The first tentative steps toward an uncertain future were taken by the group of citizens last week. Though it is hoped by this group that by taking these steps, the future will not be so uncertain.

CAPITOL COMMENTARY

LeRoy Stumpf
State Senator, District 1

This is the time of year when many new laws take effect in Minnesota. Some of last spring's legislative actions became effective August 1, and many of them involve highway safety.

For example, if you drive your car past a bicyclist, you must now give that cyclist three feet of clearance. If you do not, you could be fined $200. The previous law did not specify a passing distance.

The law mandating motorcycle eye protection has been amended. In the past, windshields were considered good enough. Now, eye protection such as glasses, goggles, or helmet visors are required even if the motorcycle has a windshield. The change was made because some windshields are too low to provide enough coverage.

Speeding motorists who use radar jammers will have to give up those devices because they are now illegal. Jammers put out a radio signal to block police radar systems and should not be confused with much more common radar detectors. Detectors, which alert a motorists to the presence of radar, are still legal.

If a speeding driver leads authorities on a dangerous car chase, the driver could lose title to his vehicle. A new law will allow confiscation if the chase endangers "life or property." In the past, it was allowed only in some drunk driving cases involving repeat offenders.

The confiscation authority is also being extended to drunk drivers whose repeat offenses happen off the road. If a fourth or fifth conviction for DWI happens while the driver is operating a boat, snowmobile, or all-terrain vehicle, those recreational vehicles will be confiscated.

The safety problems posed by runaway trailers are also covered in the new laws. Any trailer weighing more than 6,000 pounds when loaded will be required to have brakes to stop them if they become detached from the towing vehicle.

These are a few of the most important changes to highway safety laws. If you have any suggestions on ways to improve road safety, please write to me at 24 Capitol Building, 75 Constitution Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55155.

Students who returned to school this fall may have noticed or heard about a few changes. Some come from decisions made by the Minnesota legislature. Lawmakers worked on many school issues in the 1995 session, including funding, organization, safety, and the use of computers.

Elementary and secondary education funding for mid-1995 to mid-1997 was increased 8.6 per cent to about $5.77 billion. The general education formula or per pupil amount was increased from $3,150 to $3,205.

To help with organization, the legislature gave more flexibility for spending capital and equipment funds. This should help make it easier for local schools to decide how classrooms should be equipped.

On the state level, there are other organizational changes ahead. The Department of Education will be abolished and replaced by the new Department of Children, Families, and Learning. The new agency is designed to be more responsive to the many needs of children and families.

The legislature also authorized $18.5 million for technology. This appropriation will help to connect schools through the state telecommunications system, and set up a grant program to enhance computer use in education.

Because of concerns about safety and weapons, the legislature also defined lockers as property of the school (not the student), and declared that they can be subject to a search at any time. Students who bring firearms to school will be expelled for no less than one year.

Safety concerns will also affect employees. After January 1, 1996, all new employees will have to undergo background checks.

Some of these changes will be evident during the current academic year, and others in 1996-97. In either case, lawmakers hope that these new efforts will help education for years to come.

Eugene Becken establishes annuity with UND

Thief River Falls native Eugene Becken and his wife Muriel of Glen Rock, NJ, have established a $10,000 annuity within the UND Foundation, the remainder of which will fund priority projects at UND.

Born April 29, 1911, in Thief River Falls, Eugene earned his bachelor's degree in electrical engineering in 1932 from UND. He earned his master's degree in electrical engineering in 1933 from the University of Minnesota, and was later awarded a Sloan Fellowship at M.I.T.

Eugene spent 41 years with RCA Global Communications Inc., retiring as president and chairman of the executive committee of the board of directors for the company and for one of its subsidiaries, RCA Alaska Communications.

He was involved in the design and installations of the first satellite earth station in Thailand and an extensive Telex Communication switching system in Iran.

Eugene was elected a Fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers Inc., in 1971, received the Veterans Wireless Operators Association DeForest Audion Award in 1975 and was presented with the Sioux Award, the UND Alumni Association's highest honor in 1975.

He has contributed to a number of articles to professional journals, and is a contributing author to Hamsher's Communication System Engineering Handbook.

Muriel graduated from the Fashion Design School in New York City and has worked as a clothes designer. Eugene and Muriel raised two children.

Lincoln High School Homecoming Coronation was held Monday night at the high school auditorium. Keith Anderson and Jennifer Olin were crowned king and queen. Above, they sit with the rest of the court: (from left, back row) Wade Haviland, Andy Harbott, Alex Morken, Chance Keefe, Nathan Anderson, Jena Johnson, Aaron Ehrenstrom, Luke Davis, Cody Huschle, Erick Bjornstad; (front row) Tiffeny Harmenson, Heather Torstveit, Caryn Omdahl, Kandre Dimich, Jennifer Olin, Keith Anderson, Jill Dakken, Erika Altepeter, BreAnn Fugleberg, and Michelle Peterick. The junior attendants this year were Thomas Loe and Chelsea Daley.

Sustainable agriculture book available

Farmers looking for more sustainable and profitable methods of raising crops and livestock have a new source of practical information generated right here in Minnesota. The Minnesota Department of Agriculture's Energy and Sustainable Agriculture Program (ESAP) has published results from its 40 on-farm demonstration grant projects in the Greenbook '95, which is now available to the public free of charge.

A diversity of enterprises that will appeal to the interests of a wide variety of farmers are described. The five major topic areas include soil building and fertility management, cropping systems, livestock, and alternative markets.

This year's projects included research into application rates, timing and composting of farm manure; use of non-traditional forage legumes and expanded use of legumes in innovative ways; controlled/rotational grazing of dairy, beef and pigs for lower costs/better profitability; and alternative crops/alternative marketing approaches.

Also featured are articles by others in the sustainable agricultural field discussing their perspectives and experiences in searching to develop a sustainable agriculture.

"This wonderful resource introduces you to the people involved in our on-farm research and demonstration program and provides you with the results of their investigations. If Minnesota farmers of all sizes are to remain competitive, innovators and risk-takers such as the people in Greenbook '95 must be encouraged to continue to look at ways to become more profitable, while at the same time protecting our water and soil resources," said Minnesota Department of Agriculture Commissioner Gene Hugoson.

Copies may be obtained free of charge from ESAP, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, 90 West Plato Blvd., St. Paul MN 55107, or call 612-296-7673.

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With surprised looks on their faces, Jennifer Olin and Keith Anderson were named king and queen of Lincoln high school's homecoming at the coronation Monday night.

Public forum on domestic violence

Domestic violence will be the subject of a community forum sponsored by Violence Intervention Project and the Migrant Health Services, Inc., Battered Women's Program, from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday, October 2, at the First Presbyterian Church in Crookston.

A panel of local professionals and survivors of domestic violence will be in attendance to address issues relating to domestic violence and to answer questions from the audience. The panel members will include: Judge Russell Anderson, Assistant Polk County Attorney Cindy Ostlie, Polk County Sheriff Doug Qualley, Officer Tim Motherway, Crookston Police Department, Leticia Sanchez, director of Migrant Health Services Inc., Battered Women's Program in Crookston and two survivors.

The 1993 Clothesline Project, which is artwork commemorating Minnesota women and children murdered as a result of domestic violence will be a special feature for the event. Everyone is encouraged to come see this incredibly moving exhibit. A resource fair is another highlight of the evening. A large assortment of information will be available at the resource fair. Agencies that deal with the effects of violence in the community will have materials on display.

Refreshments and childcare will be provided. Call 1-800-660-6667 if you have questions or would like more information.

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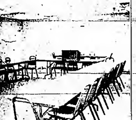

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Dave Zavoral of Grygla, who has been active in seeking legislative changes in the state wetland law, testified at the hearing conducted by Rep. Tim Finseth of Angus last Thursday at Northland Community and Technical College.

Alvin Nordvick of Grygla was among those presenting testimony last Thursday at a hearing on wetlands in Thief River Falls.

Ben Kleinwachter of Strandquist, a member of the Marshall county board of commissioners, was among those who testified last Thursday at the wetlands hearing in Thief River Falls.

Brad Nord, chairman of the Beltrami county board of commissioners, said the state has been vindictive and punitive because of his county is among five which refused to sign the state wetland legislation.

Leonard Furuseth of Thief River Falls, president of the Minnesota Landowners Rights Association, told a hearing in Thief River Falls Thursday night that the organization he heads has grown to more than 3,000 members in less than a year.

Don Barron of Thief River Falls was one of several who questioned the basis for wetland legislation Thursday evening at a hearing conducted at Northland Community and Technical College.

Officials, landowners testify at hearing on wetlands law

County officials, landowners and officers of the Minnesota Landowners Rights Association presented testimony Thursday, September 21, when the Minnesota Legislature Wetlands Task Force conducted a hearing at Northland Community and Technical College cafeteria in Thief River Falls.

The task force is chaired by Rep. Tim Finseth of Angus (District 1B) and includes a number of legislators who were recently elected or from more southern areas of the state and previously unfamiliar with effects of the state wetlands law.

Rep. Finseth opened the meeting by stating that the objective of the task force was to listen to concerns of area residents and officials in order to receive a better understanding of problems relating to the state wetlands law. He emphasized that the state legislature can deal only with state law.

Finseth introduced Brian Dwight of the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) office in Bemidji who briefly outlined the law and remained available at the meeting to answer questions.

Russ Larson, Roseau county highway engineer, was the first to testify. He said the law and its mitigation provisions place an unfair burden on counties in regard to roads and ditches. He questioned the mitigation process as it relates to various classes of wetland and their relative values for replacement.

Alvin Nordvick of Grygla gave a landowner's perspective of wetland values, saying he had land on his farm staked out by people in chest waders years ago and that after the land was drained it dries more quickly than other areas of his farm. He expressed the opinion that people enforcing wetland laws and regulations should "be put under the spoil bank" of drainage projects.

Don Barron of Thief River Falls, a former SCS employee for 30 years and a paddy wild rice grower, said the basis for no net loss wetland law is flawed. He said the basis often quoted is a published research paper by two college graduate students who were studying biomass as an energy source.

Leonard Furuseth of Thief River Falls, president of the Minnesota Landowners Rights Association, said that the organization has grown to more than 3,000 members in less than a year and that interest in wetland and property rights issues continues to grow.

As an illustration of the problems property owners face, he told of someone who had purchased 160 acres of property near Warroad and was unable to develop it or find interested buyers for it because of the wetlands it contains.

Ben Kleinwachter, member of the Marshall county board of commissioners, objected to the constraints placed on county government as a result of the law. He said that county commissioners take oaths of office which the wetlands law prevents them from fulfilling.

Dave Zavoral of Grygla, who spent much of the legislative session lobbying for changes in the wetlands act in the legislature, questioned statistics for estimates of pre-settlement wetlands in the state as well as other estimates which are unproven yet presented as fact.

Brad Nord, chairman of the Beltrami county board of commissioners, said he believes his county has been treated vindictively and punitively by state agencies because it is one of the counties which refused to sign the wetlands agreement with the state. He stressed the economic difficulty and reduced development potential of counties such as Beltrami which have high percentages of wetland as a result of wetland law and regulations.

Brian Dwight from the Bemidji office of the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) attended last Thursday's wetlands hearing in Thief River Falls at the request of committee chairman Rep. Tim Finseth to answer questions that might arise.

Judy Gibson wins franchise of year award

Judy Gibson, daughter of Mary Jane and Stan Gibson of Thief River Falls, received the "Franchise of the Year" award for her Country Clutter store in Folsom, CA.

Before becoming a franchise owner, Judy was a sales associate and manager of the first Country Clutter store in Vacaville, CA in 1991. The company now has 14 stores across the country.

Gibson is a co-owner of the store with Chuck Atkins and they are in their second year of business. "It's nice to be recognized for something you love to do," Gibson said.

Brodin named vice president of NW Airlines

Robert Brodin, a graduate of Lincoln high school and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Brodin, has been named vice president—labor relations for Northwest Airlines in St. Paul.

In his new position, Brodin will be responsible for the company's day-to-day relations with its six unions as well as its contract negotiations. He will continue to report to Richard Anderson, senior vice president—labor relations, state affairs and law.

Brodin joined Northwest Airlines in 1982 as a labor relations attorney and also has held the positions of senior labor relations attorney, director—labor relations and most recently managing director—labor relations.

Prior to joining Northwest Brodin was with Jardine, Logan & O'Brien as an associate attorney. He was responsible for the handling and trial of lawsuits in state and federal courts involving personal injury, product liability and medical malpractice claims.

Brodin received a Juris Doctor degree from William Mitchell College of Law in 1979 and a Bachelor of Arts degree in history from Bethel College in 1971.

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Michael Elsbrener, Mary Jo DeRusha, Emily, Ellen and Elaine of St. Paul spent the weekend at their parents, John and Darlene Elsbrener's home. Saturday they all attended the 50th Anniversary celebration honoring Vi and Al Rodnicki in Oklee.

Adeline Provost of Oklee and Dolores Healy of San Mateo, CA visited on Thursday at the John and Darlene Elsbrener home.

A potluck picnic was held on Sunday at the newly remodeled Door Park Community Recreation Center. Those attending were Fred Lundeen, John and Darlene Elsbrener, Juell and Annabelle Cherveslad, Jim Janisch and grandson Jordan, Jim and Kathy Dulka, Jimmy and Bob Christianson, Darrow and Shirley Lundeen, Tasha Lundeen, Andy and Karen Peterson and Paul, Pastor Philip and Linda Lahman, Pastor Dan and Julia Faugstad, Jacob, Samuel, Joe, Anna, Madelyn and Katherine. Others that attended were Parry and Rita Lundeen, Haven, Harlen, and Hope, Kim and Barb Chervestad, Larissa, Brett, Tyler, and Todd, Dawn Nauschwander, Dustin, Courtney, Heath, Jordan, Brooke and Shane, Jim, Lori, and Becky Reinbold, Kelly, Connie, Kyle, Nate, and Brian Lundeen, Lana, Quentin, Tylor, Brent, and Christopher Nelson. The children enjoyed the new playground equipment and the boys enjoyed a baseball game and of course, everyone had their fill of great food.

Recent coffee guests at the Fred Lundeen home were Otelia Mandt of Marshall, WI; Muriel Mandt, Sue, Molly and Ross Haugen, Oliver Hafstad and Clift Arveson.

The Rivervalley Homemakers Study Group met at the Annabelle Chervestad home on Monday, September 18. It was the first meeting of the year and the members planned their meetings for the upcoming year. Election of officers was held and Therese Rodnicki is the new President and Kathy Dulka is Secretary. The newly elected Home Councilors are Helen Chervestad and Barb Chervestad. Evelyn Myrum gave an interesting talk on how to revitalize our club. Secret pals were revealed and a drawing was held to pick new secret pals for the upcoming year. Evelyn Myrum won the drawing for the market basket. Annabelle Chervestad and Evelyn Myrum served lunch.

Strandquist

Dale and Linda Simensen visited Vance Lofrooth's Saturday evening.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinwachter's this week have been Bud and Marie Stefion of Argyle, Juno Kasprowicz, Larine Borggren, Kathy Femrite, Ellen Stromberg, Claudia Borggren, Jessie and Kali, Karl Kasprowicz, and Lowell Lofrooth.

Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Martha and Jarvis Torgerson visited at the Lisa and Mike Parent home in Otsego from Thursday thru Saturday.

Debbie Williams and Marlan Parent from McIntosh were guests there from Friday thru Sunday. On Saturday they attended a pink and blue shower for Lisa at a friends home. Pam Johnson of Minneapolis was also in attendance.

Jean Nelson was an afternoon visitor at the Oscar Odegaard home on Wednesday.

Homemakers Meet

The Silver Creek homemakers met at the home of Ruth Hanson on Monday to begin their new year. Betty Swanson and Lorraine Sannes served a delicious lunch after the handbooks were filled out. Martha Torgerson won the door prize. Others present besides those already mentioned were Carmen Gustafson, Mabel Anderson, Adeline Moe, Ida Rupprecht, Mary Ann Fuller, Jean Nelson, Doris Kaushagen, Bernice Knutson and Esther Fuller.

Carmen and Larry Gustafson were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Martha and Jarvis Torgerson.

Julie and Robert Rogalla of Denver, Jason, Jirda, Kenny Schwartz were visitors at the Jean Nelson home on Saturday afternoon.

Ida Rupprecht, Bernice Knutson and Carmen Anderson went to Stephen on Saturday and attended the Fall Cluster Gathering—Cluster two at the First Lutheran church. Bonnie Wagner of Middle River was the chairperson for the gathering. Judi Lohr from East Grand Forks was guest speaker. She chose as her topic "Blueprint for Living."

Ida Rupprecht was an afternoon visitor and supper guest at the home of Judy Jonas on Wednesday. She helped her grandson, Casey celebrate his 12th birthday.

Entertainment Guide

EAGLES SEPTEMBER HAPPENINGS

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
SEPT. 25 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	SEPT. 26 AERIE MEETING 8:30 P.M.	SEPT. 27	SEPT. 28 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 29 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	SEPT. 30 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.
OCT. 2 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	OCT. 3 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "VERNON ROGALLA"	OCT. 4	OCT. 5 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 6 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 7 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M. DINNER 5-7 DANCE 8:30-12:30 "AL MIKESH"

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OCT. 2 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 3 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	OCT. 4 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	OCT. 5 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 6 FISH FRY 5:30-8 DANCE 9-1 "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"	OCT. 7 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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An armful of awards was collected by Marisa Toren as she became Miss Middle River 1995-96 Sunday evening at the annual pageant in the Middle River school gymnasium. She received the plaque as Miss Middle River and the trophies for winning the swimsuit and talent divisions and Miss Congeniality.

On-stage personality (evening gown) and personal interview divisions of the Miss Middle River pageant Sunday in the Middle River school were won by Krissi Super, who was also first runner-up in the pageant competition.

Talent division winner at the Miss Middle River pageant was Marisa Toren, who presented a dance medley that included jazz, ballet and pom pon routine. She also won the swimsuit division and Miss Congeniality award and the Miss Middle River title.

Heather Anderson, completing her term as Miss Middle River 1994-95, presented a bouquet of flowers to her mother at the annual Miss Middle River pageant Sunday at the Middle River school. Heather gave her farewell talk, walked the ramp for a final time and then went into the audience to present the flowers.

Jim Olson writes book about Norsk Hostfest

Jim Olson, former resident of Thief River Falls and the son of Donald L. and Sylvia Olson, and his wife Lori have written a book entitled "Norsk Hostfest: Heritage Comes Alive." The book contains photography by Clayton Wolt.

Olson is a news reporter and current news director of KZMC-TV of Minot. The book was published by American and World Geographic Publishing of Montana, and will be available for $14.95 plus tax.

"It's not 'War and Peace' but we took it seriously and did it to the best of our abilities," Jim Olson said. He did most of the research and writing while Lori did the editing. Once the procedure was accepted, it seemed to work well.

With more than 70 pages, the paperback "coffee table" book contains 15 sections that cover history of the Hostfest project, heritage of the area, chronological approach to the preparation of the festival and people, foods and crafts.

The Olsons were approached to write the book by the Hostfest administration and the publisher. They spent most of February through April on the project and are proud of the results, according to an article by Paula Lindekugel-Willis in the Minot Daily News.

The book is being sold through the Minot Hostfest office, in several bookstores and gift shops throughout the state and at the 1995 Hostfest event.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Mrs. Joyce Jenkens from Fosston stopped in and visited Elmer and Mary Berg. She is a relative of Elmer and Floyd. She was (her maiden name) a Ekeberg.

Guests for a coffee party on Monday afternoon at Luverne Forus were Mona Knudson, Sanna Brovold, Cathie Songer and Grace Nyland had a good time reminiscing of days gone by.

Ed Haugen celebrated his 90th birthday last Sunday. A birthday party was held with the following guests present: Alma Solien of Fosston, Dave and Sandy Graft of Plymouth, Mildred Sollon, Esther Thorsson and Gust Carlson. Sandy brought the cake and all had a good visit.

Dave and Sandy Graft spent the weekend with her mom, Alma Solien at Fosston.

James Sollon came over and had coffee with mom, Mildred on Sunday forenoon and Robert visited his mom in the afternoon.

Konicksons have top cow in DHIA

Don and Karen Konickson had the top individual cow and five of the top 10 in the Red Lake County Dairy Herd Improvement Association for the month of August, based on value of product.

During the month there were 45 cows in the Red Lake County DHIA which completed lactations of 305 or fewer days with production of at least 22,000 pounds of milk, 750 pounds of butterfat or 700 pounds of protein.

The Konicksons' top cow had production of 28,676 pounds of milk, 835 pounds of butterfat and 952 pounds of protein.

Johnston Farms had the second place cow with 26,882 pounds of milk, 979 pounds of butterfat and 865 pounds of protein. Konickson herd had the third place cow with 25,274 pounds of milk, 780 pounds of butterfat and 825 pounds of protein.

Other cows in the top 10 came from the following herds with pounds of milk, butterfat and protein listed respectively:

Don and Karen Konickson, 25,274, 840 and 818; John and Warren Malwitz, 23,855, 919 and 826; Johnston Farms, 24,330, 989 and 769; Don and Karen Konickson, 23,966, 858 and 827; Johnston Farms, 23,649, 943 and 795; Don and Karen Konickson, 25,192, 789 and 768; and John and Warren Malwitz, 25,125, 714 and 765.

Other cows which qualified with more than the minimum production listed above came from the following herds: Johnston Farms (5), Donald F. Taus (4), Kevin and Beth Roppe (2), Don and Karen Konickson (6), Beyer Farms (2), John and Warren Malwitz (5), Randy and Jo Gost,(2), David Oslund, (3), Arlan and Barb Weiss, Gary and Grant Gullekson, Greg and Susan Zak, Wayne Nelson, Gerald Visser and Tom Willett.

Brooks

Walter Sr. and Mon'ca Novak, Jerome and Barb Novak Cindy and Carll Novak attended the bridal shower of a granddaughter and niece Jackie daughter of Leonard Novak of Warren.

School Lunch Menu

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 2: Assorted cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 3: Scrambled eggs with bacon, toast, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 4: Breakfast pizza, juice, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 5: Caramel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Friday, Oct. 6: Assorted cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 2: Chicken nuggets, assorted sauces, green beans, peaches, plain and peanut butter bread, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 3: Barbeques on a bun, pickles, corn, pears, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 4: Chef's salad with ham and turkey, French bread, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 5: Hot dogs, mustard, ketchup, French fries, mixed fruit, milk.

Friday, Oct. 6: Turkey club sandwich, veggie tray, applesauce, milk.

Senior Meals

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Oct. 2: Pork cutlet with gravy, seasoned noodles, French style green beans, mixed fruit, pound cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 3: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, strawberry gelatin with fruit cocktail and topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 4: Swedish meatballs with gravy, steamed potatoes, peas and carrots, apple cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Oct. 5: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned spinach, vanilla ice cream, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Oct. 6: Baked fish with lemon sauce, tator tots, seasoned peas and carrots, banana cream dessert, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Newfolden

Monday, Oct. 2: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetables, dinner rolls, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 3: Lemon pepper pollock, baked potato, mixed vegetables, carrot cake, bread and margarine, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 4: Cook's choice.

Thursday, Oct. 5: Pork chop, baked potato, stewed tomatoes, bread and margarine, dessert, milk.

Friday evening, Oct. 6: Meat balls in gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, bread (homemade), raisin bread pudding, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Discovery Place LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 2: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.

Tuesday, Oct. 3: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Oct. 4: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

Thursday, Oct. 5: Milk, applesauce, Rice Krispies, muffins.

Friday, Oct. 6: Milk, apple juice, Kix, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 2: Homemade chicken noodle soup, saltines, bologna sandwiches, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 3: Hot tuna buns, hashbrown potato, lettuce salad with peas and cheese, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 4: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 5: Hamburger noodle hotdish, beans, pear halves milk.

Friday, Oct. 6: Hot dog on a bun, potato chips, pork and beans, pickles, apple crisp, milk.

MARKETS

as of Monday, September 25

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.70
New Crop 96	4.25
Spring Wheat #2	4.50
Winter Wheat	4.25
Durum	6.00
Top Melting Barley	3.00
Feed Barley	2.15
Top Milling Oats	1.65
Ordinary Oats	1.50
Oil Sunflowers	10.80
New Crop 95	10.65
Corn	2.60
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.30
Soybeans	5.65
Buckwheat	12.00
Confectionery Sunflowers	12.00
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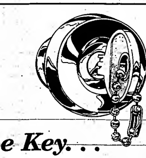

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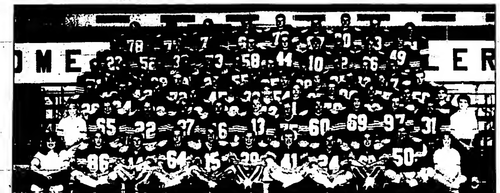

1995 Thief River Falls Prowlers – Front row, left to right: Stephanie Henney, Manager, Billy Fogarty, Chad Hanson, James Jorgenson, Keith Anderson, Captain, Nick Chiodo, Captain, Paul Gonsorowski, Captain, Josh Harris, Chanc Keefe, Chad Nordhagen and Heather Torstvail, Camera. Second row: Desirae Alberg, Camera, Ron Larson, Jason Brelland, Anthony Handricks, Anthony Klotter, Kyle Waterworth, Nick Swanson, Adam Nordin, Matt Larson, Eric Rouland, Andy Harbott and Reid Froiland. Third row: Robbie Slock, Aaron Ehrenstrom, Steve Rambeck, Nathan LaRoque, Brent Rohl, Bret Newton, Mark Nissen, Dacian Wolff, Cody Huschle, Tony Fletcher, and Jay Radniecki. Fourth row: Ryan Bendickson, Adam Fulton, Peter Johnsorf, Paul Kopan, Kyle Anderson, Mike Morris, Trevor Lea, Jeremy Burns, Mike Rose and Travis Forsberg. Fifth row: Dallas Germundson, Curt Edwards, David Halsa, Lance Cota, Jon Blomker, Ryan Stengrim, Karl Anderson, Bryan Cleven, Kyle Nelson, Ben Furuseth, and Christopher Mumm. Sixth row: Andy Furuseth, Justin Stevenson, Rick Donerski, Kyle Rokke, Luke Davis, Adam Kuck, Paul Frank, Mathew Bitzegaio, Eric Theyer and Chad Skelm. Seventh row: Kyle Miller, Justin Brunkhorst, Matt Lawrence, Robby Farbo, Jeremy Jenson, Nick Dee, Jared Brandt, Courtney Skjerven and Robert Spry. Not pictured: Darren Nelson, Kevin Bakken, Josh Clark and Billy Lubitz.

Good Luck Prowlers

Sept. 29th
6:00 P.M.

FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF AND CAPTAINS – Front row, left to right: Captains Nick Chiodo, Paul Gonsorowski and Keith Anderson. Back row: Coaches Glenn Chiodo, Charlie Cornell, Scott Brekke, Jeff Mumm, Tim Olson and Gary Laidley.

Lincoln High School vs. Park Rapids

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS – Front row, left to right: Amanda Close, Ingrid Henson, Denee Weatherford, Katie Lendobeja and Miko Westerman. Back row: Cristy Chape, Marise Toreen, Lauren Lavalier, Wendy Dahl and Shelby Grinde.

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Sports Section

Thief River Falls goes to the air in win over Staples-Motley

Prowlers pass Cardinals

A dormant Thief River Falls passing game came to life Friday in the Prowlers' 44-13 Section 8A high school football win over Staples-Motley.

Based upon scouting reports, Staples-Motley set up its defense to stop Nick Chiodo, the Thief River Falls runningback who had rushed for over 100 yards in each of the Prowlers' first three games. The Cardinals met their objective in limiting Chiodo to 61 yards on 15 carries. But in doing so, they left themselves vulnerable to the pass and quarterback Keith Anderson, slow coming out of the blocks this fall after passing for over 1,000 yards last year, took up the slack.

Anderson, a 6-1, 187-pound senior, completed 11 of 17 for 157 yards. He passed for two touchdowns and scored once himself while also adding a pair of two-point conversion passes.

"The play-action (passes) worked well," explained Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "Keith threw the ball well, and the kids did a nice job running the patterns and catching the ball. We shortened our patterns a little bit, and it seemed to help."

Chiodo broke off a 20-yard run on his first carry of the night, but had only one other double-figure carry the rest of the way.

"They (Cardinals) were set up to stop the run," noted Mumm. "Nick had three great games for us, and people get to know you. That number 74 (6-3, 215-pound defensive tackle Shane Rasmussen) followed Nick all night and did a fantastic job for them. He's as good as we've seen."

However, Chiodo was still a factor with a three-touchdown game – on a pass, on a run and on a fumble recovery/return as a safety in the Thief River Falls secondary.

And the Prowlers' ground game, which featured no less than 11 different ball carriers, still wound up with 227 yards.

"Everybody ran well," said Mumm. "It was nice to see that many kids get an opportunity to carry the ball."

The winless Cardinals stunned the Prowler Field crowd with a game-opening kickoff return for a touchdown by Craig Kaste, who appeared to be trapped in a crowd along the right sidelines before suddenly popping into the open. A kick by Jesse Jennison made it 7-0 with 30 seconds elapsed.

There was concern, but not panic on the Thief River Falls bench after the quick touchdown, according to Mumm. "Sure, it worries you when you give up one like that," he admitted. "You don't know if it was because your team is flat, or if they did things right. But our kids responded. They didn't get shook."

The Prowlers responded by scoring on their first three possessions – a 9-play, 65-yard drive that ended with a 13-yard Anderson pass to Steve Rambeck in the left corner of the end zone; a 9-play, 62-yard march that led to a 21-yard Anderson strike to Chiodo over the middle; and a 12-yard, 78-yard effort that featured Anderson passes of 13 yards to Kyle Nelson, 30 yards to Ryan Bendickson and 21 yards to Nelson again before Anderson scored on a quarterback sneak from a yard out.

Thief River Falls' defense then got into the action when Chiodo scooped up a Staples-Motley fumble near midfield and had clear sailing for a 31-7 lead with 4:49 left in the first half.

A 15-play, 71-yard drive culminated in a 4-yard touchdown run by Chiodo to make it 37-7 with 37 seconds remaining in the third quarter, and the Prowlers' first possession of the fourth quarter, which featured a 20-yard run through tackles by Josh Harris, led to a 12-yard Jason Breiland touchdown run.

Final touchdown, a 4-yard quarterback sneak by the Cardinals' Jeremy Brodeur, came with 3:25 to play.

Thief River Falls went to 3-1 with the win. Staples-Motley is 0-4.

Statistics

	TRF	S-M
First Downs	17	8
by rushing	43	6
by passing	4	0
by penalty	0	2
Rushing attempts-yards	46-227	31-100
Pass att-comp-int	17-11-1	7-3-0
Yards passing	157	0
Total offensive yards	384	100
Fumbles-fumbles lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties-yards	3-20	6-36
Punts-average	3-33.0	5-33.8

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Staples-Motley	7	0	0	6	13
Thief River Falls	16	16	7	6	44

S-M - Craig Kaste, 82-yard kickoff return, Jesse Jennison kick.
TRF - Steve Rambeck, 13-yard pass from Keith Anderson, Nick Chiodo run.
TRF - Chiodo, 21-yard pass from Anderson, Chance Keefe kick.
TRF - Anderson, 1-yard run; Chiodo pass from Anderson.
TRF - Chiodo - 48-yard fumble recovery-return, Kyle Nelson pass from Anderson.
TRF - Chiodo, 4-yard run, Keefe kick.
TRF - Jason Breiland, 12-yard run; kick failed.
S-M - Jeremy Brodeur, 4-yard run; run failed.

Individuals

■ Rushing (TRF) Nick Chiodo 15-61; Paul Kopari 6-44; Josh Harris 4-39; Jason Breiland 8-37; Aaron Ehrenstrom 8-18; Justin Stevenson 1-8; Josh Clark 1-8; Andy Furuseth 3-8; Adam Kuck 1-3; Rick Donarski 1-2; Keith Anderson 2-1; (S-M) Jesse Jennison 5-28; Mike Rollins 7-24; Jerry Kobliska 5-20; Jason Becker 5-17; Jeremy Brodeur 2-12; Jeremy Nichols 1-2; Jeff Madsen 1-1; Erik Kelly 3 (-) 4.
■ Passing - (TRF) Keith Anderson 11-for-17, 157 yards, 1 interception; (S-M) Eric Kelly 3-for-7, 0 yards, 0 interceptions.
■ Receiving - (TRF) Ryan Bendickson 4-69; Kyle Nelson 4-50; Nick Chiodo 2-25; Steve Rambeck 1-13; (S-M) Craig Kaste 1-4; Jeremy Nichols 2 (-) 4.

Aaron Ehrenstrom ran behind the blocking of his Thief River Falls teammates for a short gain against Staples-Motley in Friday's high school football game at Prowler Field. Thief River Falls, a 44-13 winner over the Cardinals, will host Park Rapids Area Friday at 6 p.m.

TRF volleyball team wins title

Thief River Falls turned in a title-winning effort Saturday at the Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational high school volleyball tournament, beating Kittson Central, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo and Argyle in round-robin pool play, then knocking off Crookston in the finals.

A strong effort at the service line sparked the Prowlers to a 15-4, 15-1 sweep of the Wolfpack. It was a come-from-behind 8-15; 16-14, 15-6 effort against the host Ponies when the Prowlers, after having already lost Game 1, faced a 12-5 deficit in Game 2.

"We kept our cool and really played together as a team," said Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson.

The Prowlers finished pool play with a 15-7, 15-5 sweep of the Eagles.

Crookston was on the attack at the start of the title match, but Thief River Falls outlasted the Pirates 12-15, 15-3, 15-9.

"We couldn't get our offense going, which forced us to play defense most of the game," explained Anderson, looking back on Game 1. "We did a nice job digging up the ball and then setting up our offense," she noted after completion of Games 2 and 3.

"Overall, it was an all-out effort by the entire team," said Anderson. "I was very pleased at how well we did at finding the holes, and our serve reception was a lot better."

The four tournament wins boosted the Prowlers' overall record to 10-3 heading into a busy week-long homestand that began with a Tuesday match vs. Roseau, followed by a Thursday encounter with Fosston and then Saturday's annual Northern Lites Invitational.

Maren Thorson was selected as the Prowlers' Player of the Week (Sept. 18-23) by the coaching staff.

Tournament Results

■ Pool A - Argyle def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 23-21, 10-15, 15-13; Thief River Falls def. Kittson Central 15-4, 15-1; Thief River Falls def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 6-15, 16-14, 15-6; Kittson Central def. Argyle 15-6, 15-7; Thief River Falls def. Argyle 15-7, 15-6; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Kittson Central 15-6, 15-8. Standings - Thief River Falls 3-0, Kittson Central 1-2, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 1-2, Argyle 1-2.
■ Pool B - Crookston def. Stephen 15-12, 15-2; Fisher/Climax def. Tri-County 15-11, 15-12; Fisher/Climax def. Stephen 15-5, 15-8; Tri-County def. Crookston 15-13, 15-3; Crookston def. Fisher/Climax 15-12, 4-15, 15-12; Tri-County def. Stephen 15-3, 15-3. Standings - Crookston 2-1, Tri-County 2-1, Fisher/Climax 2-1, Stephen 0-3. Coin flip determined positions in the finals.
■ Finals - (title) Thief River Falls def. Crookston 12-15, 15-3, 15-9; (third place) Kittson Central def. Tri-County 15-13, 15-7; (fifth place) Fisher/Climax def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 15-5, 15-7; (seventh place) Stephen def. Argyle 6-15, 15-14, 15-10.

TRF Tournament Scoring

■ Ace serves - Michelle Mathson 8, Sarah Koland 6, Kendra Dimich 3, Carrie Rud 2, Heather Holthusen 2, Maren Thorson 2, Desirae Alberg 1, Kim Hook 1.
■ Last-touch - Thorson 30, Mathson 29, Alberg 23, Koland 18, Dimich 14, Rud 11, Lindsay Drury 8, Holthusen 5, Hook 3.
■ Assists - Dimich 72, Hook 12, Rud 3, Thorson 3, Koland 2, Holthusen 1, Alberg 1, Drury 1.
■ Kills - Thorson 29, Alberg 24, Mathson 21, Rud 9, Koland 8, Dimich 6, Drury 6, Holthusen 1, Hook 1.

Pioneers to start MCCC play

■ Northland 0-3 after 30-22 loss at Willmar

Minnesota Community College Conference play begins Saturday for the Northland Community and Technical College football team when the Pioneers take on Mesabi in a 1:30 p.m. Northern Division game at Virginia.

The Pioneers completed the nonconference portion of their 1995 schedule with an 0-3 record following a 30-22 Saturday loss at Willmar.

It was a good news/bad news type outing for the Pioneers, whose offense finally put some points on the board, but whose defense suddenly became vulnerable.

Northland had scored just six points in two earlier starts – with the lone touchdown courtesy of the defense. And the defense had given up but two touchdowns in the losses to Worthington 7-0 and Fergus Falls 10-6.

In the rain at Willmar, Northland runningback Brent Miller broke loose for 159 yards on 22 carries, including touchdown runs of 58 and 57 yards. The Pioneers also got a 1-yard touchdown run from Keavney Watson with 1:41 remaining to turn a 30-16 Willmar lead into a catchable eight-point margin. But the ensuing on-side kick was controlled by Willmar, and the winners ran out the clock to go 3-0 for the year.

"Offensively, we played well," said Northland coach Gene Klinke. "We ran the same offense with just a few variation. We knew it would just be a matter of time before we took off. Our offensive line did a whale of a job."

But the defense, which is asked to limit opponents to 21 or fewer points each game, didn't match the success enjoyed over the first two weeks.

"Defensively, we know we're susceptible to the big play," acknowledged Klinke. "We play aggressively. We bring 8-9-10 people at a time. We're successful with it, but if people guess right against us, we get burned. Give Willmar credit, they had us scouted well and had the right plays called."

But according to Klinke, a couple of Northland fumbles hurt more than an 83-yard Nathan Bourne touchdown pass to Kevin Fier. "We'll end up giving up a long play once in a while," he said. "What we can't afford is go give up the easy ones."

Northland's defense did get into the scoring act in a wild first quarter in which the 58-yard Miller touchdown run was promptly followed by the Bourne-to-Fier bomb. On the ensuing conversion attempt, the Willmar kick was blocked and picked up by Northland's Shane Myhre, who went the length of the field for a two-pointer for the Pioneers.

Willmar turned a 16-14 deficit into a 17-16 lead on a 29-yard John Bahe field goal on the final play of the first half, made it 23-16 on a 5-yard Kyle Berggren run in the third quarter and opened up the 30-16 gap on a 14-yard Bourne run in the final quarter.

"Willmar has a good football team – the best team we've faced this year," noted Klinke, who is confident the Pioneers can turn the winless nonconference record into a playoff-contending finish in the Northern Division, where the top two regular season finishers earn MCCC playoff spots.

Vermilion is the Northern Division favorite after going 3-0 against the Southern Division. Itasca, 1-2, is the only other Northern Division team with a nonconference win. The Pioneers are joined at 0-3 by Mesabi, Hibbing and Central Lakes.

"I feel good about where we're at," said Klinke. "I still think we have a good football team. We're not conceding anything yet. Vermilion has been knocked off by a Northern Division team each of the last four years, and it could happen again. If we go 5-0 or 4-1 (in the division) we're guaranteed a playoff spot. If we're 3-2 we'll probably still be in it. We have just as good a shot as anybody else."

However, injuries are a concern, admitted Klinke, who said that the defensive line has been hit hard lately, including a likely season-ending knee injury suffered by 6-2, 250-pound freshman Paul Barringer of Toledo, Ohio.

Rest of the Pioneers' Northern Division schedule will include games Thursday, Oct. 5 – at Itasca; Thursday, Oct. 12 – vs. Vermilion; Thursday, Oct. 19 – vs. Hibbing; and Saturday, Oct. 28 – at Central Lakes.

Statistics

	NCTC	WCC
First Downs	8	12
by rushing	7	10
by passing	1	2
by penalty	0	0
Rushing attempts-yards	46-203	43-182
Pass att-comp-int	15-6-0	21-8-1
Yards passing	79	163
Total offensive yards	282	325
Fumbles-fumbles lost	3-2	0-0
Penalties-yards	6-34	6-30
Punts-average	6-33.7	10-31.5

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Northland	13	0	0	8	22
Willmar	14	3	6	7	30

NCTC - Brent Miller, 58-yard run; kick blocked.
WCC - Kevin Fier, 83-yard pass from Nathan Bourne, kick block.
NCTC - Shane Myhre, return of blocked extra-point kick.
WCC - Bourne, 7-yard run; Kyle Berggren pass from Bourne.
NCTC - Miller, 57-yard run; Eddie Fluerant run.
WCC - John Bahe, 29-yard field goal.
WCC - Berggren, 5-yard run; kick failed.
WCC - Bourne, 14-yard run; Bahe kick.
NCTC - Keavney Watson, 1-yard run; run failed.

Top Individuals

■ Rushing (NCTC) Brent Miller 22-159; (WCC) Kyle Berggren 17-82; Jake Harlow 11-46.
■ Passing - (NCTC) Eddie Fluerant 5-for-14, 73 yards, 0 interceptions; Brian Remick 1-for-2, 8 yards, 1 interception; (WCC) Nathan Bourne 6-for-21, 163 yards, 1 interception.
■ Receiving - (NCTC) Eric Hamre 5-68; (WCC) Kevin Fier 5-133.

TRF volleyball tournament...

Annual Northern Lites Invitational field is set

Annual Thief River Falls Northern Lites Invitational high school volleyball tournament will be played Saturday.

Varsity portion of the tournament will be played in the two Lincoln High School gyms. Junior varsity matches will be played at Challenger Elementary School.

The round-robin portion of the tournament will feature Thief River Falls, Bemidji, Red Lake County Central, and Marshall County Central in Pool A; Roseau, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, East Grand Forks, and Warroad in Pool B.

Play starts at 9 a.m. Finals, matching the place finishers in the two pools, include the fifth and seventh place matches at 3 p.m.; championship and third place matches at 4 p.m.

Tournament Schedule

■ 9 a.m. - Red Lake County Central vs. Thief River Falls; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. East Grand Forks.
■ 10 a.m. - Marshall County Central vs. Bemidji; Warroad vs. Roseau.
■ 11 a.m. - Red Lake County Central vs. Bemidji; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Warroad.
■ 12-noon - Thief River Falls vs. Marshall County Central; East Grand Forks vs. Roseau.
■ 1 p.m. - Marshall County Central vs. Red Lake County Central; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Roseau.
■ 2 p.m. - Thief River Falls vs. Bemidji; Warroad vs. East Grand Forks.
■ 3 p.m. - fifth place and seventh place matches.
■ 4 p.m. - championship and third place matches.

Sports media to be Boosters speakers

Members of the Thief River Falls media who cover the Prowlers and Pioneers will be the guest speakers Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting at the Elks.

The public is invited.

Blue Devils remain unbeaten

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke has developed a penchant for accumulating penalties this fall, but that hasn't stopped the Blue Devils from opening the 1995 high school football season with four straight wins – a month-long stretch in which they've recorded two shutouts and have given up just 12 points overall.

Friday the victim was Marshall County Central, 27-0. The Top of the State Conference Nine-Man game was played in Newfolden.

"We're pretty pleased with our defense," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Darwin Hagen. "We gave them (Nordics) some yards in the air, but we shut down their running game."

The Blue Devils' biggest problem was in the penalty department – 12 for 95 yards. "We've been getting too many penalties," said Hagen. "We've been close to that 100-yard mark every game."

Defensive end Jared Sunsdahl, a 150-pound junior, led the Blue Devils with 12 tackles. Trevor Kiesow had 11.

Kiesow, a 175-pound senior, once again was the featured back in the Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke offense with 191 yards on 22 carries. The Blue Devils finished with 285 yards on the ground and added 92 more in the air on 6-for-11 passing by Jamie Lunsetter.

The Nordics are 0-3.

Both teams will be back in action Friday when Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke takes on Kittson Central at Goodridge and Marshall County Central heads to Argyle.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Goodridge/G-G	14	0	13	0	27
Marshall Co. Central	0	0	0	0	0

G/G-G - John Gallagher, 6-yard pass from Jamie Lunsetter; kick failed.
G/G-G - Jesse Lunsetter, 1-yard run; David Jones pass from Jamie Lunsetter.
G/G-G - Trevor Kiesow, 6-yard run; run failed.
G/G-G - Jamie Lunsetter, 2-yard run; Shaun Verbout kick.

Local runners to be in Twin Cities marathon Oct. 8

Several local athletes have registered to participate in the Twin Cities Marathon on October 8. They will be among the 6,700 athletes to participate in the event.

The following had registered to participate in the 26.2 mile race around the lakes in the Twin Cities: Darrell Magner, Ken Cedergren, Janice Puttbrese, Richard Heinrichs, Deanna Larson, Jim Langland, Penny Langland, Tom Ronchetti, Marty Duchscher, Anita Hendrickson, Jim Grindley, Sylvia Grindley, and Dave Hill.

NCTC volleyball team carries 4-6 won-loss record

Northland Community and Technical College came up with a volleyball split at Devils Lake Monday in a triangular meet hosted by UND-Lake Region.

The host Royals beat Northland 15-8, 15-12, but the Pioneers came back to sweep NDSU-Bottineau 15-9, 15-13.

Northland lost a pair of home court Minnesota Community College Conference matches over the weekend – Hibbing winning 6-15, 15-7, 15-11, 15-2 Friday night and Rainy River prevailing 15-11, 15-5, 15-13 Saturday afternoon.

The Pioneers are 4-6 overall and 2-3 in MCCC play.

Ali Hietala led the Pioneers with 12 kills in the two Monday matches. She also had six service aces against NDSU-Bottineau, a figure matched by Stacy Stanwick.

Tennis team closes out home schedule

East Grand Forks, Roseau and Park Rapids Area will join the host Thief River Falls Thursday for a girls high school quadrangular tennis meet. Competition starts at 12-noon on the courts at Northland Community and Technical College and at Engelstad Park.

It'll be the third and final home appearance of the 1995 season for the Sylvia Sjoberg-coached Prowlers, who will have a double-dual vs. Detroit Lakes and Alexandria Saturday in Detroit Lakes before closing out the regular season with a dual at Roseau Tuesday.

Thief River Falls was at the Brainerd Invitational Saturday, a dual-format outing in which they lost to Champlin Park 5-2 and beat Brainerd 4-3 before rains washed out a scheduled match-up with Hastings.

The Prowlers carry a 4-6 dual meet record.

Champlin Park 5, TRF 2

Singles - 1. Amy Fritzy (CP) def. Kamie Twomey 7-6, 6-2; 2. Bobbi Dahlstrom (TRF) def. Tracey Downey 7-6, 6-3; 3. Kelly Bonne (CP) def. Stephanie Leach 6-3, 6-3; 4. Denita Olson (CP) def. Rebecca Leach 6-1, 6-1.
Doubles - 1. Nicki Borchardt-Andrea Geddy (CP) def. Anne Padilla-Shari Evenson 1-6, 6-4, 1-0; 2. Kate Ihle-Elizabeth Odette (TRF) def. Dani McKenzie-Kiana Peal 6-4, 6-4; 3. Amber Carr-Shawna Nelson (CP) def. Vicki Bitzegaio-Beth Goddard 3-6, 6-1, 1-0.

TRF 4, Brainerd 3

Singles - 1. Kamie Twomey (TRF) def. Briane Beck 8-0, 6-1; 2. Bobbi Dahlstrom (TRF) def. Atty Gray 6-1, 6-4; 3. Stephanie Leach (TRF) def. Katy McIntosh 7-6, 6-4; 4. Augie Velasquez (Brainerd) def. Rebecca Leach 7-5, 6-1.
Doubles - 1. Anne Padilla-Shari Evenson (TRF) def. Gina Steff-Kristen Doyscher 6-3, 2-6, 1-0; 2. Jenny Kellerman Merla Medin (Brainerd) def. Kate Ihle-Elizabeth Odette 7-5, 6-1; 3. Marla Medin-Cathi Chu (Brainerd) def. Beth Goddard-Vicki Bitzegaio 6-1, 6-4.

NCTC basketball coaches clinic program set Oct. 14

Northland Community and Technical College athletic director Rick Nelson, men's basketball coach Mark Dannhoff and women's basketball coach Rick Nikunen announced the Pioneers' third annual basketball coaches clinic will be held Saturday, Oct. 14.

Five guest speakers from around the state will be on hand.

Cost of the program will be $10 for those who pre-register by Oct. 10. The fee will be $20 after that date. Registration fee includes lunch and a social at the Eagles Club following the clinic.

To register, or for additional information, contact Dannhoff or Nikunen at 218-681-0701 or 1-800-959-6282.

TRF tennis team drops 6-1 Friday match to 'Jacks

Bemidji lost only at No. 1 doubles Friday in a 6-1 girls high school tennis win over visiting Thief River Falls.

The Prowlers' lone win came from Sheri Evenson and Anne Padilla.

Bemidji 6, TRF 1

Singles - 1. Lori Tonn (Bemidji) def. Kamie Twomey 6-3, 6-1; 2. Melissa Edman (Bemidji) def. Bobbi Dahlstrom 6-3, 6-0; 3. Sarah Johnson (Bemidji) def. Stephanie Leach 6-4, 6-1; 4. Shannon Tropanier (Bemidji) def. Kiki Goddard 6-3, 6-0.
Doubles - 1. Sheri Evenson-Anne Padilla (TRF) def. Summer Robertson-Bridget Marsh 4-6, 6-3, 7-6; 2. Emily Allison-Katie Beck (Bemidji) def. Kate Ihle-Elizabeth Odette 7-6, 6-4; 2. Amanda Johnson-Casey Corb (Bemidji) def. Vicki Bitzegaio-Beth Goddard 6-3, 6-4.

Deer Hunters will meet on Sept. 28

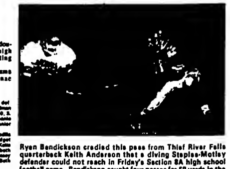
Thief River Falls Chapter of the Minnesota Deer Hunters will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. at the Eagles Club.

A Department of Natural Resources guest speaker will discuss the upcoming big game hunting season. Plans for the annual Buck Hunters Round-Up in St. Hilaire will be discussed, along with the Hides for Habitat program.

Sophomore team beats Crookston

Thief River Falls sophomores shut out Crookston 20-0 Thursday in high school football at Prowler Field.

Kyle Anderson scored on runs of 4 and 5 yards and Trevor Lee had a 4-yard touchdown run. Chris Mumm completed the scoring with a two-point conversion.



Ryan Bendickson cradled this pass from Thief River Falls quarterback Keith Anderson that a diving Staples-Motley defender could not reach in Friday's Section 8A high school football game. Bendickson caught four passes for 69 yards in the Prowlers' 44-13 win.

Prowlers, Panthers will clash on Friday

Once-beaten Thief River Falls and unbeaten Park Rapids Area will square off Friday in this week's feature Section 8A high school football match-up. The 6 p.m. game at Prowler Field will be Thief River Falls' 1995 homecoming contest.

The Prowlers lost to defending Section 8A champion Detroit Lakes 34-15 in their 1995 season opener, but have since swept sectional foes Fergus Falls 12-7, Wadena-Deer Creek 19-6 and Staples-Motley 44-13 last week.

Park Rapids Area owns wins over Cass Lake-Bena 40-16, Crookston 10-6, Staples-Motley 21-13, and Wadena-Deer Creek 28-6.

In the Friday win over the Wolverines, the Panthers scored a one-yard touchdown in each quarter – two each by Ben Gehrts and Ryan Breitbach. Mark Jacobson added the conversion kick following each touchdown.

It'll be the final regular season home appearance for the Prowlers, who will finish with games Friday, Oct. 6, at Crookston; Friday, Oct. 13, vs. Woodbury at the Fargodome; and Wednesday, Oct. 18, at East Grand Forks.

Final regular season games for Park Rapids Area will be played against Detroit Lakes, East Grand Forks and Sauk Centre.

Mustangs lose dome game 25-22

Waubun struck from long range Saturday en route to a 25-22 high school football win over Red Lake County Central. The 10 a.m. contest was the first of four Valley Plains Conference match-ups that day at the Fargodome.

All four of the Bombers' touchdowns came on plays covering 19 yards or more.

"We played well at times defensively, but then we would break down and give up the big play," explained Red Lake County Central coach Gary Brantl, who watched his team fall to 2-2.

A 23-yard fumble recovery and return by the Mustangs' Scott Weldal started the scoring, but a Red Lake County Central turnover led to a game-tying 19-yard touchdown run by the Bombers' Bob Bevings.

A screen pass turned into a 46-yard Andy Brakefield to Joe Heisler touchdown pass as Waubun took a 13-7 halftime lead.

An impressive eight-minute Red Lake County Central third quarter drive that led to a 3-yard Brett Bishop touchdown run, followed by freshman Mark Lorenson's second conversion kick of the game, put the Mustangs back on top 14-13 in the third quarter.

However, Waubun came up with a 24-yard Mike Christensen touchdown run and a 61-yard Brakefield touchdown run on an option-keeper to go ahead 25-14 in the fourth quarter.

Red Lake County Central answered with a 23-yard Bryce Huotari touchdown pass to Waldal with about five minutes left, and closed the gap to three points on a Huotari conversion pass to Bishop. But by the time the Mustangs got their hands on the ball again, there was too much real estate and too little time remaining to mount a scoring threat.

Waldal, a 6-3, 189-pound senior, was the offensive standout for the Mustangs, catching 8 passes for 144 yards. Huotari was 9-for-20 passing for 147 yards. Red Lake County Central mustered just 82 yards on 32 running plays, led by Bishop with 49 yards on 10 carries and Jake Anderson with 43 yards on 18 attempts.

Defensively, Nate Lundeen led the Mustangs with 10 tackles, while Bishop was in on seven.

"It was a good game, and a great facility to play in," offered Brantl following the Mustangs' first-ever indoor appearance.

The task becomes even more difficult Friday when the Mustangs head to Hawley for a 7:30 p.m. conference game against the unbeaten and No. 1-ranked Nuggets.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Co. Central	7	0	7	8	22
Waubun	7	6	0	12	25

RLCC - Scott Weldal, 23-yard fumble recovery return, Mark Lorenson kick.
Waubun - Bob Bevings, 19-yard run, Bevings kick.
Waubun - Joe Heisler, 46-yard pass from Andy Brakefield; kick failed.
RLCC - Brett Bishop, 3-yard run, Lorenson kick.
Waubun - Mike Christensen, 24-yard run, run failed.
Waubun - Brakefield, 61-yard run, pass failed.
RLCC - Weldal, 23-yard pass from Bryce Huotari. Bishop pass from Huotari.

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B/G-MR volleyball losses mount

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, having trouble stringing together a complete-match package, headed into a Tuesday assignment against rival Marshall County Central with five straight high school volleyball losses.

The latest setback was a 3-1 decision at Tri-County Monday, where the Wildcats won 11-15, 16-14, 15-8, 15-10.

It was an all-too-familiar pattern for the Gators, who watched Warroad post a 9-15, 15-11, 15-12, 15-13 win the previous Tuesday.

"We've played very well the first games," noted first-year Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Christi Anderson. "If we played as well the rest of the match as we have in the first game, we would be winning."

The solution is relatively simple, according to Anderson. "We just have to concentrate on the basic fundamentals. In the first game we were moving, and our passing game was good. If we can just do that over three-four games, we would be all right."

The Gators are 3-7 for the year.

Marshall County Central

Marshall County Central rebounded from a disappointing performance in a 3-0 Friday loss at Lake of the Woods with a 3-0 Monday victory at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

The Bears won 15-11, 15-6, 15-5. The Nordics beat the Ponies 15-8, 15-12, 15-13.

"First game we played all right," said Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson after the Lake of the Woods match. "But we didn't generate any offense the rest of the night."

The Nordics' play improved against the Ponies. "We put some offense together and forced them to play defense," explained Jorgenson.

The 7-4 Nordics received strong Monday night performances from Jackie Magner (setting), Tricia Pederson (offensively), and Amanda Myhrer (defensively), according to Jorgenson.

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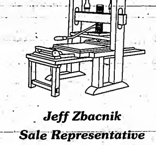

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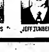

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TRF Fun Run held inside

Heavy rains forced the recent Thief River Falls elementary fun run cross country meet inside the Challenger Elementary School gym.

The event was staged by Thief River Falls head coach Casta Holmstrom and members the Prowlers boys and girls cross country teams.

Challenger Fun Run

■ Third grade girls - 1 Charla Betsarde 2 Leah Tronrud 3 Jenna Dillon 4 Alysha Tabor 5 Nana Shimizu 6 Kindre Tronrud 7 Nichole Gryskiewicz 8 Karla Bolgarde 9 Ashlee Kang 10 Jackie Fossum 11 Jackie Stenvick 12 Kayla Johnson 13 Desarae Hopper 14 Samantha Rader 15 Jennifer Greve 16 Serena Kopecky 17 Chelsey Drangstveit 18 Tammy Bellach 19 Melissa Dagen 20 Trudy Erickson 21 Katie Strand 22 Ana Hibbert 23 Carrie Thayer

■ Third grade boys - 1 Thomas Johnson 2 Wyatt Reed 3 Joshua Jasper 4 Joe Pito 5 Kyle Dobias 6 Reid Haviland 7 Luke Hamner 8 Alex Sumner 9 Paul Bethery 10 Andy Hemmes 11 BJ Kezar 12 Chris Thompson 13 Tate Bersig 14 Chet Dobias 15 Jordan Allard 16 Justin Olson 17 Nolan Boucher 18 Matthew Stuchey 19 Corey Berg 20 Lance Klasen 21 Jordan Michaels 22 Cody Jorstad 23 Kory Kezar 24 Joshua Knott 25 Darin Locher 26 Chris Dishneau 27 Scott Stone 28 Corey Johnson

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■ Fourth grade boys - 1 Jesse Sich 2 Travis Kirkhammer 3 Erice Tronrud 4 James Dahlin 5 Matthew Bauer 6 Nick Jorstad 7 Todd Swanson 8 Justin Kirkhammer 9 Tanner Harlow 10 Jason Hess 11 Michael Comstock 12 Joshua Tergen 13 Zakary Solem 14 Brandon Nanock 15 Ryan Houle

■ Fifth grade girls - 1 Maren Hammer 2 Kristie Mayer 3 Erin Steva 4 Samantha Arey 5 Chelsey Helgeland 6 Michelle Johnson 7 Stephanie Rader 8 Kelsey Hoitan 9 Amberg Russ 10 Kallie Kezar

■ Fifth grade boys - 1 Dane Kjono 2 tie) Nathan Browning and Patrick Johnson 4 Ben Worker 5 Mitch Pribula 6 Elliot McMahon 7 Darrin Momerak 8 Michael Carpenter 9 Jeremy Anderson 10 Dallas Berg 11 Reid Sjaaheim 12 Eric Lester 13 Jonathan Walrath 14 Dustin Gagner 15 Ryan Forney 16 Josh Steele 17 Taylor Nelson 18 Colt Bergeron 19 Dane Froiland

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TRF Sportsday

Wednesday, Sept. 27

■ Volleyball - NC1C vs. Central Lakes (at Brainerd) 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 28

■ Tennis - LHS girls - Proctor Quadrangular 12 noon

■ Cross country - LHS boys/girls at East Grand Forks Invitational 4 p.m.

■ Volleyball - LHS vs. Fosston (A-B-C), 6 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 29

■ LHS vs. Park Rapids Area, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 30

■ Volleyball - LHS Northern Lites Invitational 9 a.m.

■ Swimming - LHS girls at Fergus Falls Invitational 10:30 a.m.

■ Tennis - LHS girls vs. Detroit Lakes and Alexandria (at Detroit Lakes) 11:30 a.m.

■ Football - NC1C vs. Mesabi (at Virginia) 1:30 p.m.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Sept. 28 - volleyball at Red Lake Falls

■ Friday, Sept. 29 - football at Hawley

■ Saturday, Sept. 30 - volleyball at Thief River Falls Invitational

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Sept. 28 - volleyball at Warroad

■ Friday, Sept. 29 - football vs. Climax Fisher (at Goodridge)

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Friday, Sept. 29 - football vs. Waubun (at Badger)

■ Saturday, Sept. 30 - volleyball at Thief River Falls Invitational

Marshall County Central

■ Friday, Sept. 29 - football at Argyle.

■ Saturday, Sept. 30 - volleyball at Thief River Falls Invitational.

Big game hunting hours extended

This fall, Minnesota deer, bear and moose hunters are allowed to hunt from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset, rather than quitting at sunset, under a law passed by the state legislature.

The change, which applies to both firearms and archery hunters, is welcomed by many hunters because big game animals are especially active during twilight hours, according to Department of Natural Resources officials.

While the DNR remains concerned with the potential for increased safety problems during the additional one-half hour of hunting, they acknowledged that the existing information from other states that allow hunting after sunset dos not bear this out.

"The low light conditions that are present after sunset would seem to present the potential for shooting accidents, especially during the firearms deer season," said Mike Grupa, DNR Enforcement Division administrative officer. "However, more than 40 other states allow big game hunting after sunset, and we could find no correlation between safety and shooting hours."

Grupa said that the light conditions present after sunset are not that much different than immediately before sunrise. DNR officials were also concerned with the potential for increased wounding of deer as a result of the change, but again could not document that this will be a problem.

"A large majority of hunters who attended our public input meetings in February and March supported the change, and other surveys further documented that hunters wanted to be able to hunt later," said Ed Boggess, DNR wildlife resource manager. "The original ruling, passed during the 1994 legislative session, would have extended shooting hours only for archery hunting. "We felt that it would be best if both firearms and archery big game hunters had the same shooting hours to reduce complexity of regulations and avoid conflicts between the two groups," Boggess said.

Shooting hours were first regulated in 1919, when big game hunting was restricted to "daylight hours."

Middle School

Eighth Grade Football

Franklin Middle School lost to East Grand Forks (Sept. 18) 28-14 and beat Grand Forks South (Sept. 22) 14-8 in recent eighth grade football action.

Nick Drees scored twice against East Grand Forks and once vs. South. Brad Bulger added a touchdown against South.

Eighth Grade Volleyball

A second place finish at the East Grand Forks Invitational for the Franklin Middle School eighth grade volleyball team included wins over East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 15-8, 7-15, 16-14 and Fisher/Climax 15-11, 15-5. Crookston won the title match 15-7, 15-7.

Seventh Grade Volleyball

Franklin Middle School seventh grade volleyball teams beat Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Thursday – 15-13, 15-2, 15-10 in the A match; 15-7, 9-15, 17-15 in the B match.

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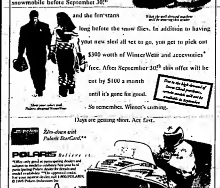

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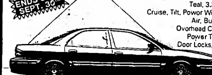

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TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinspitters League

	Wins	Losses
Malwitz Dairy	16	8
Wahlsath Construction	15	6
BHR	14	7
Prowler Express	13	8
Mid Rv Community Club	12	8
Hartz Truck Line	12	8
Generous Realty	12	8
Rundell Electric	11	10
Rainbow Nursery	11	10
Sorter Construction	6	15
Northwest Asphalt	4	17
O-Team	0	81

High Game: Rodney Smith 236; Darren Wagner 214, 204; Cindy Vennes 208, 183; Sharon Wagner 200

High Series: Rodney Smith 184-236-167=587; Darren Wagner 169-214-204=587; Kraig Melvie 181-170-190=551; Cindy Vennes 208-168-183=559; Marge Rasmussen 169-165-143=477; Melori Rasmussen 174-146-144=464

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	18	2
Northern Motors	16	5
Arctco	13	8
Loeffler Agency	13	8
Creative Clippers	10	11
Bud Ice	7	14
Kwick Strip	4	17
Team #8	6	18

High Game: Rosemary Naeseth 223, 208; Sharon Harris 206; Dollie Newland 205

High Series: Rosemary Naeseth 208-164-223=595; Linda Olson 185-170-198=553; Dollie Newland 176-161-205=542; Sharon Harris 176-144-208=528

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Red Lake Electric	6	6
Olin Law Office	6	2
Hutchinson Transfer	5	3
Northwest Asphalt	5	3
Soap-N-Suds	4	4
5/5ths	3	5
Styles By Amy	2	6
Swanson Airspray	1	3
Lantern	0	4

High Game: Flo Dunham 190; Pearl Adamson 186; Carol Moen 182

High Series: LeAnn Hensley 167-173-154=494; Deb Cota 173-150-170=493; Sheila Reich 151-161-164=476

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Digi-Key	9	3
Farmers Union	8	4
CAD's	8	4
Tommy G's	8	4
Sizzlers	7	5
Norwest	6	0
Borsheim	6	0
Imaging Plus	6	0
Fire Flies	5	7
Rusty Nail	5	7
Hill Trucking	5	7
Material Girls	5	7
NW Medical Center	3	6
NW Eye Center	3	9

High Game: Pam Joppru 193; Jan Thompson 189; Karen Safranski 166; Maggie Olson 165

High Series: Sharon Stauss 190-166-167=503; Maggie Olson 134-170-185=489; Pam Joppru 141-193-150=484; Rose Delage 149-163-168=480

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	11	3
Rick's Handyman Service	9	5
Four Fun	7	7
Spare Parts	3	7

High Game: Dromley Carr 201; Doug Dehnert 186; Rick Lian 182; Polly Dehnert 174; Sharon Wold 186; Nancy Tofte 183

High Series: Bromley Carr 201-181-153=636; Ron Moen 169-179-179=618; Bruce Mattson 187-179-187=490; Polly Dehnert 190-174-167=481; Sharon Wold 149-149-168=466; Nancy Tofte 126-163-146=444

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	95 1/2	24 1/2
Kalnewske Construction	80	40
Gemundson's Furniture	71	49
Wiktram Telephone	66 1/2	54 1/2
RV Sports	60	60
Pennington Square	58 1/2	61 1/2
VFW	48	71
1st National Bank	46	74
Thyren Auto	42 1/2	77 1/2
No Border Whse.	32	88

High Game: Kraig Melvie 225, 222; Jerry Jenson 224

High Series: Kraig Melvie 202-149-222-225=798; Jerry Jenson 203-156-224-203=786; Tom Saragosa 210-199-187-189=775

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
B & E Car Wash	9	3
Glass Farm	8	3
Auction-2-Sell	7	6
Amoco 24	6	9
Joe's Floor & Tile	6	7

High Game: Paul Johnson 202; Curt Ousenall 201; Larry Olson 195; Jerry Nelson 182; Dollie Newland 167, 183; Patsy Lindquist 162

High Series: Bob Koestner 551; Larry Olson 549; Curt Ousenall 536; Dollie Newland 479; Patsy Lindquist 445; Jan Olson 429; Diane Peterson 429

Honey Bees League

Standings incomplete!

High Game: Cheryl Rosten 223; Bonnie Blankenfeld 178; Colleen Conway 173; Laura Carlson 169

High Series: Cheryl Rosten 223-158-176=557; Colleen Conway 161-173-170=504; Paulette Dupont 166-149-151=466; Pam Schmidt 143-166-150=459

City League

	Wins	Losses
FSA	17	4
Rick's Appliance	16	5
Hanson's Repair	14	7
Wilde Builder	14	7
St. Hilaire Elevator	12	9
Milk & Cookies	11	10
The Spot	10	11
MN/DOT	6	15
Homark	5	16

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
3 Ninjas	3	0
Team #9	3	0
Bad Boys	2 1/2	1/2
Magic Raptors	2	1
Team #8	2	1
Team #1	1	2
Lions	1	2
Blades	1/2	2 1/2
Team #0	0	3

High Game: Tyler Jensen 117; Justin Pyle 113; Scott Stone 102; Nick Johnson 101; Derek Smith 97; Jesse Lian 95

High Series: Tyler Jensen 87-117=204; Scott Stone 102-81=183; Jesse Lian 95-81=176; Nick Johnson 73-101=174; Justin Pyle 113-60=173

Prep League

	Wins	Losses
Team #7	4	0
Team #1	4	1
Super Bowlers	4	1
Team #16	3	1
Pin Masters	6	6
Four Aces	6	6
Raiders	6	6
Team #12	6	2
Blasters	6	6
Pin Blasters	2	6
Wild Cats	6	6
Team #13	6	6
Team #2	1	3
Pinheads	1	3
Team #18	1	3
Team #8	0	4

High Game: Steve Olson 156; Josh Gerardy 150; Brian Ness 146; Tommy Greeks 146; Andrea Hagen 141; Jarvis Kuzina 137

High Series: Tommy Greeks 118-98-146=362; Andrea Hagen 104-114-141=359; Steve Olson 159-118-80=351; Josh Gerardy 150-94-104=348; Christopher Lian 115-99-127=341

Junior Leagues

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	4	0
Nelson State Farm	4	0
Team #17	4	0
Team #12	4	4
Prowler Express #1	3	1
Team #10	3	1
Generous Realty	3	1
Northern Motors	3	1
Amoco 24	2	6
Team #6	2	2
Team #15	1	3
Team #13	1	3
Wieseth Farms	1	3
Bile Photography	1	3
Team #7	0	4
RV Sports	0	4
Prowler Express #2	0	4

High Game: Kelly Natvik 218; Jeremy Jensen 185; Rachel Greeks 175; Stephanie Southorp 169; Ben Hanson 164; Nick Stokke 163

High Series: Jeremy Jensen 185-183-174=542; Kelly Natvik 148-152-215=518; Rachel Greeks 157-161-175=493; Nick Stokke 152-183-154=489; Josh Cornelle 153-149-158=460; Jeremy Lian 151-143-147=441

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City League Volleyball

Tuesday Night League

	W	L
Budweiser	2	0
Narverud Cleaners	2	0
Double D Bees	2	0
Clip N Tan	1	1
Thrifty White Drug	1	1
Tim Loeffler Agency	1	1
PCR Graphics	0	2
Arctco	0	6
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	0	2

Thursday Night League

	W	L
Evergreen Eating Emporium	2	0
St. Hilaire Elevator	2	0
Miller Lite	2	0
LaVonne's Grocery	1	1
Northwest Medical Center	1	1
Digi Key I	1	1
Digi Key II	1	1
Legion	0	2
Robson Honey	0	2
St. Hilaire Supply	0	2

Results

■ Tuesday, Sept. 19 - (6:30 p.m.) Budweiser def. PCR Graphics. Double D Bees def. Clip-N-Tan. (7 p.m.) Narverud Cleaners def. PCR Graphics. Double D Bees def. Thrifty White Drug. (7:30 p.m.) Budweiser def. Tim Loeffler Agency. Clip-N-Tan def. Arctco. (8 p.m.) Tim Loeffler Agency def. Arctco. Thrifty White Drug def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe. (8:30 p.m.) Narverud Cleaners def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe.

■ Thursday, Sept. 21 - (6:30 p.m.) Digi-Key 1 def. Robson Honey. St. Hilaire Elevator def. St. Hilaire Supply. (7 p.m.) Digi-Key II def. Robson Honey. LaVonne's Grocery def. St. Hilaire Supply. (7:30 p.m.) Evergreen Eating Emporium def. Digi-Key I. St. Hilaire Elevator def. Legion. (8 p.m.) Northwest Medical Center def. Digi-Key II. Miller Lite def. LaVonne's Grocery. (8:30 p.m.) Evergreen Eating Emporium def. Legion. Miller Lite def. Northwest Medical Center.

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Thefts and traffic violations were listed in court reports

Theft violations and traffic citations were among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the past week.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Joshua Marvin Goulet, Thief River Falls, 19, theft over $2,500, $1,777 restitution, 28 months in prison. Wayne Alan Liden, Thief River Falls, 45, overtime parking, $22.50. Steven Clinton Scovronski, Thief River Falls, 34, driving under the influence, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years. Mark Perry Supernois, Thief River Falls, 42, public nuisance, five days in jail stayed for one year; Charles W. Zornes, Thief River Falls, 18, driving after revocation, $84; Duane Alan Anderson, Thief River Falls, 24, exhibition driving, $76; Quincy Adam Lofberg, 26, 45/30, $87.50.

Monica Lynn Prickett, Thief River Falls, 27, driving after revocation, $582.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Jeffrey Carry Sele, Thief River Falls, 24, reckless driving, $467.50. William Marvin Yonke, Thief River Falls, 21, improper lane usage, $76; Toni Lynn Zornes, Thief River Falls, 22, failure to stop for a stop sign, $352.50, 20 days in jail stayed for one year.

Daryl Robert Anderson, Halma, 24, giving a false name, $339.50, 91 days in jail for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Cindy May Crane, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under age, $87.50; Joshua Robert Krahler, Thief River Falls, 20, no Minnesota drivers license, $122.50; Orlin Ole Lerol, Thief River Falls, 58, failure to stop at a stop sign, $76; Richard Erling Lian, Thief River Falls, 39, disorderly conduct, $147.50, 60 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year;

Jennifer Lynn Audette, Viking, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Helen Lucille Benson, Thief River Falls, 26, fifth degree assault, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one yeor; Helen Lucille Benson, Thief River Falls, 26, disorderly conduct, $137.50, 30 days in jail stoyed for one year; Mark Hatton, Hallock, 37, failure to yield, $122.50.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Nathan Allan Brink, Fosston, 19, issuance of dishonored checks, $42.50 or 10 days in jail or 80 hours of community work service, $25 restitution; Bradley Wade Hell, Thief River Falls, 30, driving after cancellation, $582.50; Jon Avery Kverno, Kelliher, 33, issue worthless check, $11.26 restitution, fine and costs woived; Bruce Woyne Walker, Thief River Falls, 40, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two yeors; Lee John Haugen, Thief River Folls, 19, issue dishonored checks, $157.50, $106.18 restitution; Jeffrey Paul Kazmierczak, 22, issue dishonored checks, $42.50, $80 restitution or 10 days in jail or 80 hours of community work service; Diane Marie Peterson, Thief River Falls, 24, issue dishonored check, $167.50, $35 restitution;

Tabitha Oray Down, Goodridge, 18, person under 21 consuming alcohol, $87.50; Lizo Michelle Molstad, Thief River Falls, 19, issue of worthless checks, $42.50, $47.72 restitution, or 10 days in jail or 80 hours of community work service; Amie Marie Rumple, Thief River Falls, 17, inattentive driving, $92.50; Dennis Lavern Seaverson, Thief River Falls, 35, issuance of worthless checks, $42.50; Daniel Frank Anderson, Goodridge, 26, open bottle/passenger, $191.50; Paula Jo Carreon, Thief River Falls, 30, wrongfully obtaining food stamps, wrongfully obtained child care assistance, $105, $451 restitution, 90 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Edward Allen Cullen, Goodridge, 24, allowing open bottle/driver, $191.50.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Scott Vincent Berger, East Grand Forks, 26, 69/55, $76; Kirby Scott Homre, Thief River Folls, 28, 65/55, $64.50; Dalys Ellen Nordvick, Grygla, 43, no Minnesota driver's license, 73/55, $210; Gale Ann Olson, Waubun, 24, 65/55 and failure to change address on driver's license, $95; Manuel Peralta, Thief River Falls, 27, 73/55, seat belt violation; $134.75; Jeffrey John Quamme, Thief River Falls, 29, expired registration, $41.50; Brett James Zimmerman, Slayton, 21, 65/55, $64.50;

Cathy Marie Dvorak, Thief River Falls, 24, 85/55, $133.50; Charles Alfred Grolla, Redlake, 23, 65/55, $64.50; Dean Gustove Holton, Thief River Falls, 33, excessive noise, exhaust, no fine and surcharges; Philip Michael Krantz, Karlstad, 20, 65/55, $64.50; Robert Jon Miller, Goodridge, 31, 75/55, $87.50; Jason Dale Obermaier, Littlefork, 23, 71/55, $87.50;

Andrew James Olson, Middle River, 17, failure to use seat belt, $47.25; Nancy Ann Osbjornson, Thief River Falls, 26, driving while intoxicated, $1,077.50, one year in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years;

Cheryl Annette Berg, Bemidji, 40, 84/55, $133.50, Brandon Caleb Bugge, Thief River Falls, 18, 90/55, seat belt violation, $172.25; Jared Daryl Comstock, Thief River Falls, window tint violation, $76; Delwin Gay Johnson, Sr., Middle River, 38, 72/55, $87.50, Gail Ruth Lambert, Brooklyn Park, 42, 65/55, $64.50, Jodie Lynn Landin, Warroad, 35, 72/55, $87.50; Sheila Joy Barnes, Shevlin, 23, 65/55, $64.50 Tuesday Leigh Grace, Winnipeg, 22, 71/55, $87.50, Susie Clarice Saunders, Erskine, 29, expired registration, $41.50.

Law enforcement report accidents

Law enforcement officials in Pennington county and Thief River Falls investigated a number of accidents during the past week.

Accidents. On September 19 at 4:47 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Third and Main. According to the accident report, Julie Isaak, Goodridge was driving a car east on Third Street and struck the rear of a car driven by Jason Gene Miller, Thief River Falls. Isaak was cited for inattentive driving. Damages were estimated at $1,500 to the vehicle driven by Miller, and $900 to the vehicle driven by Isaak.

On September 22 at 5:13 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Third and Brooks. Jeffrey Andrew Redden, Thief River Falls, was driving a car stopped at a stop sign facing south on Brooks, did not see the other car and pulled into the intersection where his vehicle collided with a car driven by Neil Duane Peterson, St. Hilaire. Redden was cited for failure to yield right of way. Peterson complained of an injury to his head. Damages were estimated at $2,000 to the Redden vehicle and $4,000 to the Peterson vehicle.

On September 22 at 10:31 a.m. police received a report of an accident one-half block east of Main on Third Street. Daniel John Shafland, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on Third when James Leland Fulton, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup and pulled out of a parking spot colliding with the Shafland vehicle on the right front. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Shafland vehicle and $300 to the Fulton vehicle.

On September 25 ot 1:38 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of First and LaBree. Margaret Estelle Seaverson, Thief River Falls, was stopped in her car facing south on LaBree and then proceeded into the intersection when the light turned green. Her vehicle was struck by o pickup driven by Benjamin Bates Layton, Grassy Lake, Alberta, Canada, who was driving west on First Street. Layton was cited for failure to stop for a red light. Damages were estimated at $1,500 to the Seaverson vehicle, and $1,000 to the Layton vehicle.

Thefts. On September 21 at 4:02 p.m. Erl's Morket reported a 35-year-old male shoplifter.

On September 22 at 1:03 p.m police received a report of a 15-year-old male shoplifter at Hugo's.

Pennington county sheriff's department has cited Camilla Joan Newman, 52, Strathcona, for writing $273.66 in bad checks.

Assaults. On September 22 at 8:43 p.m. police received a call to the 400 block of North Duluth. Charged with fifth degree assault was Randy Wayne Swenson, 36, Thief River Falls. The victim had some redness, bruises and a scrape on her arm. She did not require medical attention.

On September 25 at 1:37 a.m. the sheriff's department was called to an incident regarding an assault in Goodridge. Robert James Bechard, 23, Thief River Falls, was cited for fifth degree assault against two females.

On September 24 the sheriff's department received a report of an assault in St. Hilaire. Ray Jerome Appel, 31, St. Hilaire, was arrested for gross misdemeanor fifth degree assault.

Consumption under age. On September 23 at 11:55 p.m. the sheriff's department stopped o vehicle on the Smiley road just east of the bridge. A 16-year-old male was cited for speeding, open bottle, and consumption by a minor. A 15-year-old male was cited for open bottle. A 16-year-old female was cited for minor consumption.

Driving while intoxicated. On September 24 at 4:45 a.m. police stopped o vehicle on East Third at Atlantic. Roxanne Faye Johnson, 28, Thief River Falls, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

On September 22 at 8:10 p.m. police received a complaint that a man was unconscious behind the wheel of a car at Sixth and Duluth. Marvin James Momerak, 38, Wannaska, was arrested for aggravated driving while intoxicated and actual physical control.

On September 23 ot 1:10 a.m. the sheriff's department stopped o vehicle in the City of Thief River Falls, and arrested Terry Keith Olson, 40, Newfolden, for driving while intoxicated.

On September 25 at 12:49 a.m. on Highway 1 near County road 21, a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle and arrested Mark Allen Bruggeman, 49, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

Phone services available in area

A number of advanced telephone services are now available to Thief River Falls customers through U S West Communications. Most of the services involve a monthly or single use fee.

Use of all the services available monthly would increase the monthly phone bill by $23.90. Services and costs of each are as follows:

Caller ID: A display unit next to the phone shows the name and number of the person colling. Names and numbers of previous callers are stored for review. Cost to purchase unit is $50-$60 or lease is $4-$5 per month. Service fee $5.95 per month ($5.50 for number only).

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Selective Call Forwording: Allows forwarding calls from the numbers designated to another location. $3.50 per month.

Call Trace: An outomatic means of tracing harassing, threatening or obscene calls. This service is provided automatically on Thief River Falls phone lines with o $1 per use charge.

This package of advanced custom calling services was first introduced in Minnesota in June of 1994 in the Minneapolis/St. Paul metro area.

Investigation into assault results in arrest

Marshall County sheriff's department arrested Sean Korynta, 29, Oslo, September 23, following an investigation into a report of an assault.

The sheriff's department received a report of an assault in the city of Oslo at 2:16 a.m. on September 23. Following an investigation, Korynto was taken into custody. He was charged with third degree assault, a felony, and appeared before Ninth District Judge Wilson in Thief River Falls on Monday, and bond was set at $5,000. His next appearance in court is scheduled for Tuesday, October 3.

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Aviary donated to Challenger elementary school in TRF

"You really couldn't get any closer to nature." That's the observation of Elizabeth Quick, science technician at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls, as she watches students gather around the new aviary in the Challenger commons.

The aviary, which houses 18 individual birds and nesting pairs, is a project of the fourth grade life science curriculum, and was funded with a gift from the Marge and Lowell Swenson Education fund.

The aviary was built by Living Design, a firm from Worthing, South Dakota, and installed in the Challenger commons over the summer. Challenger's seven fourth grade instructors and their students take turns caring for the birds, including a special mix of nutritionally balanced food, water, and cleaning the plexiglass which encloses the oak structure.

Expanded care, which would include trimming the birds beaks and nails, is the continued responsibility of Living Design.

Quick says the finches, doves, canary and orange weavec have made a real hit with their new friends at Challenger, which includes children from pre-school to grade five. Quick says students "have all kinds of questions. Our diamond dove pair had babies just two weeks ago, and the children are always checking up on them. It's amazing how much the young have grown. They're almost adult size, and now they're learning to fly. The children have watched them progress and have learned so much."

Fourth Grade instructors Wendell Orand, Dave Peterson, Jan Breiland, Lois Bergland, Jean Peterson, Linda Olson, and Marcy Mickelson requested the aviary to enhance their life science program. To promote the project and help support continuing care for the birds the teachers designed a t-shirt that reads: "We're 4 the Birds." The shirts are available through any of the fourth grade instructors.

Nic and Luke Miller of Thief River Falls are between two of Atlantic Giant pumpkins their family raised this year. Each of the pumpkins weighs between 200 and 300 pounds. The Millers also raised another variety — Jack-be-Littles — one of the smallest variety of pumpkin.

Students get BSU degrees

Jeffrey Foss of Newfolden and Catherine Lorenson of Greenbush were among 399 students completing undergraduate degree requirements and graduating from Bemidji State University at the conclusion of spring quarter.

Foss received a bachelor of arts degree in social studies and Lorenson earned a bachelor of science degree, with honors, in science.

Volunteer Coordinator, Carol Ihle (right), holds "The Acts of Kindness: Governor's Volunteer Award", which was recently presented to the Thief River Falls/St. Hilaire School District by Lieutenant Governor Joanne Benson. Key Teeters Asp, network administrator for Consultant Services of Thief River Falls (left), nominated the district for the award.

Volunteer program gets award

Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire School District Volunteer program has been presented with the 1995 Acts of Kindness Governor's Volunteer Award. The award was presented August 30 to Carol Ihle, District 564 Volunteer Coordinator, by Lieutenant Governor Joanne Benson during a special event at the Minnesota State Fair grandstand.

The District 564 Volunteer program involves more than 700 volunteers who collectively provided more than 12,000 hours of service during the past school year. Karen Leach, with the Minnesota Office of Citizenship and Volunteer Services, says volunteers were involved at every academic and extra-curricular level. "Through this outstanding commitment of community support, the schools in Thief River Falls are able to provide greater services and a higher rate of one-to-one interaction between students and adults." She says students thrive from the extra attention, time and positive reinforcement that is given by these special school volunteers.

The annual statewide Acts of Kindness volunteer award program is administered by the Minnesota Office of Citizenship and Volunteer Services. Thief River Falls award was one of 16 presented to individuals and groups across Minnesota who contribute their time and service to improve the lives of others in their communities.

Enrollment growth at NCTC

Fifth day enrollment figures at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls show that enrollment is up in both full time equivalency ond headcount statistics.

Registrar Dennis Bendickson said that full-time equivalency rose from 1,160.79 FTE a year ago to 1,256.2 FTE during this fall quarter —an increase of eight per cent. Headcount total went up from 1,709 students to 2,042. This is a reported 19 per cent increase from last year.

"We are very pleased with these enrollment figures," stated Dr. Orley Gunderson, president of NCTC. "We were concerned about our numbers this quarter with all the changes implemented as a result of the consolidation of the two colleges, but are happy to repon a significant increase."

Northland Community College and the Thief River Falls campus of Northwest Technical College merged into NCTC this summer.

Dr. Gunderson said he attributes much of the growth to the additional outreach of the Farm Business Management program, Specialty Crop Management program and the Small Business Management program.

"It is clear to us that consolidating the colleges was truly beneficial," Dr. Gunderson added. "As a comprehensive college we are able to offer students a greater variety of options and provide more services than ever before."

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St. Anne's Catholic church in Goodridge will be serving there annual Fall dinner and Bazaar on Sunday October 1st. Dinner will be served from 11 o'clock until 2 o'clock at the church.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest of Jhennee at the Gary Johnson home on Sunday.

Monday morning Mrs. Clayton Johnerud visited with Mrs. Dick Marquis in Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Englund of rural Grygla were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday at the Hanford Roseland home.

Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lovly were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the June Johnson home were Mrs. Gene Marquis and Donna Jensen.

Sunday visitors and supper guests at the Jean Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth, JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Weiman and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Company at the Vernon Iverson home on Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson and Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet.

Marie Adams and Mrs. Steve Shoemaker and David were visitors at the James Adams home in Reynolds, ND on Monday. They also helped Mrs. James Adams celebrate her birthday with a supper served in her honor. Mrs. James Adams also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Mrs. Adams!

Monday Mrs. Tim Radniecki of Oklee was a visitor and dinner guest at her parents home the Vernon Iverson's. Mrs. Radniecki also helped her parents with some work that day.

Visitor and coffee guest on Friday at the Vernon Iverson home was John Hoffman.

Kenneth Lind of Litchfield came on Friday to spend the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnerud. Kenneth left for his home on Tuesday.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon were visitors and dinner guests at the Greg and Gail Helgeson home.

George Dahlen of rural Oklee was a visitor and dinner guest on Saturday at the Obert Hovet home.

Sunday a dinner was served at the Tim Radniecki home of Oklee in honor of Mrs. Vernon Iverson's birthday. Those who enjoyed the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Milan Eliason of Coon Rapids, Clara Radniecki of Oklee, Rose Myhre of Oklee, Mrs. Tim Rosendahl of Moorhead, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill. Later birthday cake and ice cream were served. Clara also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Clara!

Mrs. Merle Naeseth, Jean Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson attended prayer service for Dayle Kainz held at the Green funeral home in Thief River Falls on Thursday evening. Dayle passed away at his home on Tuesday, September 12th. Our sympathy to the Kainz family. May his memory be blessed.

Monday morning Mrs. Gene Marquis was a visitor and had coffee with her mother Clara Petersen.

Randy Johnerud of Bemidji came home on Friday to spend the weekend with his parents the Clayton Johnerud's. Randy left for Bemidji on Sunday.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were among others that helped Kasey celebrate her 7th birthday at the Kelly Dahlen home. A dinner was served in her honor. Later birthday cake was served to all. Kasey also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Kasey!

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at her grandparents home the Clarence Johnson's on Saturday night.

Sunday afternoon, Shirley Johnerud was a visitor at the Harlen Mostrom home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors and lunch guests on Wednesday evening at the Obert Hovet home.

Saturday, Mrs. Palmer Lovly, Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the E L C W Fall convention in Stephen.

Norman Stenvick was a caller on Wednesday morning at the Clarence Johnson home.

Monday June Johnson attended homemakers club at the Eklund Lutheran church.

James Brinsky of Thief River Falls was a visitor and dinner guests on Sunday at the Larry Kotrba home.

Sunday Mrs. Merle Naeseth was a brief visitor at her parents home the Clarence Johnson's.

Randy Johnerud of Bemidji attended the wedding for Jodi Meekma and Brian Larson on Saturday.

Those who brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Vernon Iverson on Wednesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wold of Gully, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vatnamen of Gully, Mrs. Obert Hovet and Dennis and Clara's husband Vernon. A lunch was served. Clara also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Clara!

Sunday, Don Moen enjoyed dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis and family.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with her mother Shirley Johnerud on Thursday afternoon.

Saturday evening Jean Johnson, Michelle and Monica were visitors and supper guests at the Clarence Johnson home.

Mrs. Norman Adams was a visitor and coffee guest on Sunday at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mrs. Clayton Johnerud and Kenneth Lind of Litchfield went to Thief River Falls to pick up John Dahlstrom and took him home to Roseau to the Ron Fulton home. Mrs. Johnerud and Kenneth also spent the afternoon and evening visiting at the Ron Fulton home that day.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Orlin Hanson was a visitor at the Vernon Iverson home.

Dick Marquis of Oklee was a visitor and coffee guest on Sunday afternoon at the Gene Marquis home.

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Sue Stigen Axtell is transplant survivor

(Editor's Note: Susan Axtell, the subject of the following story by Twyla Altepeter of the *Crookston Daily Times*, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stigen of Thief River Falls. She has three brothers—Greg and Loren Stigen and Jeff Lannoye of Thief River Falls—and four sisters, Cherie Stigen and Laurie Fayette of Thief River Falls, Gwen Stigen of St. Hilaire and Kathy Kiesow of Grand Forks, ND.

Sue worked at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls as a Licensed Practical Nurse and a clinical substitute instructor prior to moving to Crookston in 1986. The story and photo are provided through the courtesy of the writer and the *Crookston Daily Times*.)

by Twyla Altepeter
Crookston Daily Times

"It's been a struggle," Susan Axtell admits, referring to the past six months. Since February the 40-year-old Crookston woman has had five major operations, including kidney and pancreas transplants.

Axtell says her life threatening illness and attendant surgeries weren't frightening as much as frustrating. "If God takes me, it will be in His own time so I'm not really afraid," she said.

Rather, she says her long-term bout with diabetes has been frustrating. "It is hard to see my family and friends dealing with sickness. A person who has never really been sick doesn't know how to handle it. They are afraid they will hurt my feelings by asking questions. They don't always know what to do to help.

"I know it has put real stress on my husband, but throughout it all he has been supportive," she says. Douglas Axtell, her husband of 11 years, works for Polk County Social Services.

Battling Diabetes

Susan, one of 11 children of a Thief River Falls couple, has had diabetes for 29 years. The disease eventually damaged her kidneys, which filter blood, and pancreas, which secretes insulin to control blood sugars.

It's a hereditary disease, but I'm the only one in my family who has it. My brother was diagnosed as a borderline case. They only found out about that possibility when I needed a kidney transplant and he volunteered as a donor," she says.

In August of last year, Axtell had an evaluation. Diabetes had damaged her kidneys and pancreas to the extent that she knew she would have to consider dialysis. "I put it off as long as I could. I didn't want to be hooked up to a machine until it was absolutely necessary," she recalls.

Kidney Transplant

In February she ended up in a hospital in Grand Forks. "My kidneys were shutting down. They gave me and my husband 15 minutes to decide what kind of dialysis I wanted."

Prepared for dialysis, Susan and Doug Axtell returned home. "At 2 a.m. we got a telephone call, telling us that a kidney was available," she recalls.

On Feb. 13, 1995, she received the kidney in a transplant at the University of Minnesota Hospital. She came home on Feb. 28 but returned to the U of M hospital two days later to have a bleeder cauterized.

In May, Axtell contracted CMV, a viral infection quite common after transplants. She was on intravenous therapy for 17 days. Although the kidney was a perfect match, doctors were afraid her body was rejecting it.

Susan Stigen Axtell, a former resident of Thief River Falls now living in Crookston, is recovering from surgeries to transplant a kidney and pancreas. —Photo Courtesy Crookston Times

"They did a biopsy and, thankfully, they found out that it was the anti-rejection drugs that were causing the scare," Axtell recalls.

"However, she hadn't seen the last of operating rooms. At the beginning of August, she had her gall bladder removed.

Another Transplant

"I was still waiting for a pancreas. Normally kidney and pancreas transplants are done at the same time, but a pancreas was not available when I had the kidney transplant," Axtell explains.

On August 19 she was informed that a pancreas had been located. She went to Minneapolis immediately and had the transplant on August 20. On August 21, for the first time in years, Susan Axtell was taken off insulin. Within a week she was back home in Crookston.

"It's almost unbelievable. My blood sugars are normal. I am on a regular diet. For the first time in 29 years I can use sugar," Axtell marvels, "but I've gotten out of the habit of using it and now I don't care for sugar."

Three Kidneys, Two Pancreases

She says that she is something of an anamoly since doctors did not remove her non-functioning kidneys or pancreas. "I'm one of the few people you'll meet who is walking around with three kidneys and two pancreases," she says with a slight smile.

Although she is on the road to recovery, there are still some rocks in that road. Axtell has to carefully monitor her health and frequently report to the clinic for tests. For the rest of her life, she will have to take anti-rejection drugs that cost about $1,600 a month.

The hospital bills are astronomical. "The pancreas and kidney transplants cost in the area of $112,000 and there were complications. That's not even taking into account the anesthesiologists' and surgeons' bills. We don't know that those will come to yet," Axtell says. "Our medical insurance has been good but some things are not covered."

She worries that at some point their insurance will run out.

She says she does her own home care, partly to cut down on the expenses and partly to reduce her exposure to infections. She faces the ever present possibility of infection since the anti-rejection drugs have lowered her natural immunity.

And the toll isn't all physical. "There are days I get down. It sometimes gets lonely when you are recovering. I wish I could have just one day of feeling really good. I could get so much done."

Giving Something Back

Her thoughts aren't all turned inward. She has visited with a number of other transplant patients because, she says, surviving a transplant is a unique experience both in body and mind that has to be experienced to be understood.

Looking to the future, for the first time in years she is thinking about going back to work. Until her diabetes became debilitating about 11 years ago, Axtell was a licensed practical nurse and a substitute instructor for a nursing program in Thief River Falls.

"I'd like to give something back," she says. The Evangelical Covenant Church started a prayer circle for her. Members of the congregation stop by to help her clean and bring meals in.

There are two more people who Axtell will never be able to thank in person. "I don't know who or exactly where the donors came from, but I'll always remember them in my prayers," she says.

"Never underestimate the importance of the organ Donor program. I hope everyone gets the donor box marked on their driver's license. It truly is a lifesaver!"

River Valley

Last Sunday, Gellno, Vincent, Robby and Katie Lundeen along with Clarice and Orlen Stoles attended the birthday party of the Heritage Center for Loola Gunderson.

Trail News

Adolino Prevost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes, Sylvia Fletaland took in the Gonvick Rodeo on Sunday afternoon. Lois Klema called on Rose Aaknes in the evening.

Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
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October Birthday's and Anniversaries

October's birthday's 1-Dolla Elseth 3 Chris Vike 8 Lillie Olson, Darin Rokke, James Hjelle, Gilbert Olson 9-Kevin Herstad, Duane Elseth 6-Jackie Chapman, Gail Larson 7-Kris Hodne, Dean Hjelle, Judy Hogberg, Lorraine Broten, Paula Eveland 11-Jerod Lindberg, Crystal Vike 12-Edward Hanson 15-Olga Thompson, Jane Schaumberg, Darlene Moen 16-Donna Tunheim, Dave Kregness 17-Craig Swenson, Agnes Bjorgaard, Gretchen Flaten 19-Jerod Boe 20-Jeremy Bring, Bill Wagner 23-Merle Bjornrud, David Bakke, Deland Elseth, Mike Hesteland, Nathan Nelson, Allen Eveland, Marvin Moen 24-Bev Halladay, Hannah Haagenson 25-Pat Hanson, Ingvald Dahl 26-Orrin Olson 28-Lester Lindquist 30-Doug Weber 31-Dan Rasmussen

Anniversaries 3-Tom and Sue Dondelinger 7-Gerald and Kathy Hanson 8-Merlin and Kathy Boe 17-Gerald and Diane Nelson 19-Orville and Gloria Rokke, Aaron and Blanche Waterworth 26-Kore and Florence Myhrer 30-Doug and Jeannette Weber

Friday, Vernice Larson went to Thief River Falls to babysit for her grandson Evan Dondelinger.

Kathy Herstad and Diane Nelson visited with Hanna Moen also helped her with some work.

Sunday afternoon, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to visit with Frank and Harriet Kujava.

Tuesday, Don and Audrey Larson of Coon Rapids and Rose Nelson of Thief River Falls visited with Alice Ellingson.

Thursday afternoon, Arlene Kain of Thief River Falls, Elton and Joy Johnson of Waukegan, IL and Brad Olson visited with Lillie Olson.

Tuesday evening, Vi Moen and Randyne Shern were supper guests at Clara Hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson enjoyed a visit over a cup of coffee and goodies from Mrs. Bill Wegner on Wednesday afternoon September 13th.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski were among many to attend the funeral for Alex Clouber on September 14th at the St. Bernard's Catholic church in Thief River Falls.

Saturday, Sue Dondelinger and Evan visited at the Arnold and Vernice Larsons.

Wednesday afternoon, Randyne Shern of Grand Forks and Clara Hanson visited and enjoyed lunch with Hanna Moen.

Tuesday evening, Roy and Laura Roppe visited and enjoyed coffee with Wallace and Joan Roppe.

Saturday evening, Lyle and Becky Olson visited with Lillie Olson.

Last Sunday afternoon, September 17th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson and Olga Thompson drove to Thief River Falls to visit with Emma Kammen who is at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. I bet she would enjoy a card or note from her friends.

Saturday forenoon, Janice Carlson stopped by and visited over coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Sunday dinner guests at the Arnold and Vernice Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin. Afternoon visitors and luncheon guests were Sue Dondelinger and Evan, Sybil Cwikla, Don Larson and LaVoi Thun of Moorhead.

Friday evening, Gerald and Diane Nelson and Hanna Moen were supper guests at the Dick and Pat Moen home. They also celebrated Dick's birthday with birthday cake and ice cream.

Thursday, Randyne Shern of Grand Forks and Clara Hanson went to Thief River Falls and enjoyed lunch at the Rex Cafe with Purnnell Tunheim and Lyla Vacura.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson, Clara Hanson and Randyne Shern drove to Holt Sunday evening, September 17th and enjoyed the delicious turkey supper at the Nazareth Lutheran church there.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski were among many to attend the funeral for Welterine Gilbert on Saturday, September 16th, at the St. Bernard's Catholic church in Thief River Falls in the forenoon.

Monday forenoon, Sybil Cwikla visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson and Don Larson.

Randyne Shern and Clara Hanson accompanied Floyd and Adeline Nelson to Holt on Sunday where they enjoyed the Turkey supper served by the Nazareth church.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson paid a evening visit to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson on Tuesday evening, September 19th, also enjoyed a snack. Harvey Stryberg had been a visitor the night before.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski motored to Ardock, ND and were guests of Theresa Kamierczak they altogether went for Turkey dinner served at the Catholic church in Manvel, ND.

Monday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Don and Gail Larson, Sarah, Andy and Josh.

Randyne Shern of Grand Forks left for her home on Tuesday after spending a week visiting with her sister and other relatives and friends.

Tuesday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited with Kenny and Sybil Cwikla also brought Kenny birthday wishes. We enjoyed coffee and birthday cake with them.

Wednesday evening, Sybil Cwikla, Carol Ness, Vernice Larson and Sue Dondelinger and Evan were among many to enjoy visiting and coffee with Ken Jesme.

Mrs. Curt Thompson enjoyed a visit from her sister Mrs. Robert Olson over a cup of coffee on Wednesday, September 6th.

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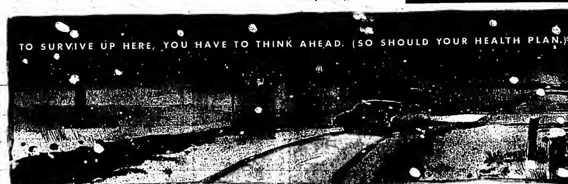

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Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Flu Shots

Word has been received that flu shots will be held in the St. Joseph church fellowship Hall on October 24th at 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The General public is invited, now is the time to prepare for the long winter spell for your health. Medicare card holders are to bring their card.

Man! It looks like winter is already here. Its the 1st day of Fall and we have snow. Denver as of now 8' of snow. Montana one inch or more and in our area a trace, but don't get your snow blowers out yet. Just get them ready we haven't had Indian summer yet.

Mrs. Shannon Knutson and boys left for their home in South Dakota on Tuesday after a holiday with her parents, Dick and Judy Olson.

Monday, guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Joan Carpenter of Jamestown, ND; Arnie and Alice Cekalla of Hinckley, Ann Hince, Lois Johnson of Oklee, Janel Walter of Plummer and Delores Grimm.

Mrs. Mary Jane Paradis spent Sunday to Wednesday with her daughter, Heather and Todd Nelson in Fargo.

Monday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove.

Mrs. Margaret Miller and daughter Jana of Thief River Falls were Saturday overnight guest of her mother Mrs. Mayme Berberich.

Mrs. Joann Delage accompanied with her sister Mrs. Mary Walseth of Thief River Falls, visited their mother, Mrs. Goldie Champagne, a resident in a Fridlay Nursing Home on Saturday and were overnight guests of their sister David and Marlene Martine of Coon Rapids. Goldie was chosen to be the resident of the month. Congratulations Goldie!

Mrs. Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum was a Sunday evening dinner guest of her son Lowell and Margaret Hamrum.

Mrs. Marlene Harbott of Thief River Falls was a Sunday guest of her mother Mrs. Mayme Berberich.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Martha Gagner, Vi Gagner, Debbie Opdahl, Mamie Riendeau, Joann Delage and Myrtle Hamrum.

On Thursday, those that helped Mrs. Lillian Hince celebrate her 88th birthday were Mrs. Dallas Paradis, Rene Grove of Erskine, Mrs. Irene Hince, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zacheray of Oklee, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hince of Thief River Falls and Evangeline Grove and Evangelina brought the birthday cake. "Happy Birthday Lillian!"

David Myhre and sons, Corey and Eric of Crookston were Saturday and Sunday guests of their mother and grandmother Mrs. Dorothy Myhre.

Sheldon and Shirley Delage of Erskine were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Nora Delage.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel visited her daughter Mrs. Ann Hince on Saturday forenoon.

On Friday, among those who visited and to wish Mrs. Lillian Hince a Happy Birthday were Mrs. Diane Plante, Pearl Laniel, Russell and Charytt Hince, Tammy Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee, Corey and Ryan Benoit of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. LaRoy Lynch of Argentina.

Mrs. Cindy Arft of Plummer visited her parents Walter and Willie Katschke on Saturday.

Mrs. Dallas Paradis and Mary Jane Paradis visited with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Louise Mercil in the Valley Nursing Home and attended the Fall Festival in the residents honor in Thief River Falls on Friday.

Darran Grove of Oklee and Evangelina Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel visited her daughter, Mrs. Deloras Grimm on Saturday.

Leland and Carol Saga of Fertile hosted a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Kay Lee to help her celebrate her 6th birthday on Sunday, with her grandmother Mrs. Dallas Paradis, Leone and Kenya Paradis and Amanda, Arne Paradis, Chelsey, Ryan and Ethan, Bryon Paradis and grandfather Leland Saga Sr of Mentor, Sarah and Lea Saga of Fertile to help Kay Lee celebrate. "Happy Birthday Kay Lee!"

Sunday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Diane Plante, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Evangeline Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachary of Oklee.

Ben and Ethel Riendeau of Maple Lake and Mrs. Dianna Davin of Grand Rapids, visited Harvey and Mamie Riendeau Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vatzka and Don Stephen of Faribault were weekend guests of Dona and Joyce Rock.

Mrs. Dianna Davis left on Sunday for her home in Grand Rapids after visiting with her brothers Ben and Ethel Riendeau, Harvey and Mamie Riendeau and Mrs. Sarah Johnston of Crookston the past week.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel visited her daughter Mrs. Janel Walter of Plummer on Saturday afternoon and to wish her a "Happy Birthday."

Ray and Ann Capp were Sunday dinner guests of Jess and Anita Capp of Grand Forks Air Base.

Danny Gagnar of Grand Forks, Staph Korslewskie of Plymouth were Labor Day weekend guests of their parents Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

On Saturday lunch guests of Walter and Willie Katschke were Lowell and Cindy Arft and Ross of Plummer, Sheria Engen and boys of Thief River Falls.

Gully

Polk County Nursing schedule is posted at the Gully Mall for the month of September. The date for Gully is September 5 at the Community Center 1 to 3 p.m. for Cholesterol/Blood Pressure screening.

Viking

Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bustad called on Mrs. Lowell Hagberg at the hospital and Alma Oredo at the CNC unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Olivia Newland visited with Liz Swenson at her home on Friday morning and Carrice Nicholson was a caller in the evening.

Melvin and Irene Grandstrand visited with Alice Blomquist at the CNC unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and Arnold Lundin at the CNC unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and also at the Ward Sinn home on Sunday.

On Saturday afternoon, Liz Swenson enjoyed a lunch and visited with Glenn and Marion Halvorson at Hardee's.

The Hope circle of Zion Lutheran church met with Irene Grandstrand going the Bible study. Others attending were Amy Hjelle, Gloria Ness, Emma Erickson and Jean Anderson.

Bert and Joyce Kron visited at the Harold Hall home on Sunday evening.

Sunday afternoon Thelma Dahl called on Liz Swenson.

Monday night, Bert and Joyce Kron attended a potluck picnic at Settler's Square in Warren where members of the historical society spent an enjoyable evening.

On Sunday evening, Liz Swenson enjoyed a family supper at the Floyd Erickson home.

Adelle Skjerven and Cathy Olson visited at Liz Swensons on Tuesday afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon, Thelma Dahl entertained the Rosewood Homemaker's Club at her home on the farm. Those who attended were Irene Holmstrom, June Holmstrom, Jill Hall, Joyce Kron, Hazel Olson, Ethel Anderson, Liz Swenson, Evelyn Lambert, Linda Johnson, Pearl Johnson, Clarica Rooker and hostess Thelma.

Clarica Ranum and sister Evelyn Bisto of Middle River went to Grand Forks on Tuesday.

Kelsey Weleski recently celebrated her 6th birthday by having 5 of her friends over after school. Those attending were Alex Hagen, Katelyn Maurstad, Chaslin Magner, Alyssa Donarski and Jerica Olson.

Saturday evening Tricia Lee, Kathy Olson, Mary Waleski and girls visited and were supper guests at Randy Skjerven in Grand Forks.

Tricia and Darin Lee of Grand Forks visited at the Dan Olson home on Sunday and treated Dan and Kathy to dinner in Warren in honor of Dan's birthday.

Pearl Johnson and Lorraine Dollmann took their aunt, Mildred Peterson out for lunch on Thursday.

Supper guests at the Irwin Johnson home Saturday evening were Pearl's cousins, Ruhame Hian of Pontiac, IL and Emma Love Ashley of Tonica, IL and her aunt Mildred Peterson of Thief River Falls.

Leonard Larson enjoyed Sunday dinner at daughter Paulettes.

Pastor Delbert and Mrs. Lace Ann Grandstrand visited at the Malvin Grandstrand home. They are from Sundberg.

On Monday, Leonard Larson went to Tim Foss's at Grygla for lumber.

Bruce Larson and John and Sarah visited with Leonard Larson on Saturday.

Adella Skjarven attended the Lillian Sundby sale on Wednesday at Alvarado.

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Rosaline Hoffert is the language arts instructor at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls. She was added to the staff this fall to replace Everett Marshall, who retired last spring.

Rosaline Hoffert teaches at Lincoln

A Grygla area native has joined the Language Arts Department at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls. Rosaline Hoffert was added to the staff this fall, to replace Everett Marshall, who retired last spring.

Hoffert is a graduate of Northland Community College and Bemidji State University, with degrees in theater/speech communication, English and secondary education, and a second minor in Theater/speech communication. She is instructing freshman communication and junior and senior classes in American literature.

Hoffert says careers in education are a tradition in her family. Both her parents and her grandfather were teachers. She says she carries her love of theater into the classroom, with speeches and presentations as part of her curriculum. "Communication skills, oral and written, are very important skills to develop. So many people are directly effected by the demand for efficient communication on the job, and the misunderstandings that result when communication falls apart directly effects our society daily."

Hoffert was a long term substitute teacher in the Grygla School District and student taught at Lafayette high school in Red Lake Falls before joining District 564, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Adelina Pravost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes helped Kathy Bekka deliver a wedding cake to the Faith Lutheran church on Saturday morning at Bagley. They did some shopping and they were dinner guests with Kathy and Wayne Bakke at Gonvick.

Coffee guests with Rose Aaknes on Sunday afternoon were Lloyd Tanam of Hastings and Lillian Tanam and Adeline Pravost all of Oklee.

Doris Evja of Gully called on Rose Aaknes and Mable Schmit on Wednesday afternoon.

Mt. Olive Ladies Guild met at the Pastor and Linda Lahmann home in Oklee on Tuesday evening. Bible study was given by the pastor. All bills were paid by the treasurer, Rosa Aaknes. Sunday school will start this Sunday, September 10 with teachers Sylvia Flataland and Judy Seyller. The Confirmation class Rachael, Lea, Knut and Amanda Seyllers met at the Rose Aaknes home on Tuesday evenings. Those that attended aid were Kathy Bakke of Gonvick and Rose Aaknes and Sylvia Flataland. Lunch was served by Linda Lehmann. Thanks Linda.

Trail V.F.W.

The monthly birthday party was hosted by the Trail V.F.W. auxiliary. They bought homemade pies for everyone to enjoy. Hosting the party were: Irene Wishard, Doris Evje, Lucille Godtland, Tony Schmidt, Ann Paterson, Effie Handy and Darin Evje. Happy Birthday to all of our residents with September Birthdays. A short program was given and they were presented with gifts. Birthday guests were Thora Hanson, Mabie Gunvoldson, Effie Torgerson, Oscar Wikstrom, Chester Miller and Clarin Crapeau. Thora Hanson was 100 and Mable Gunvoldson a former Gully resident was 101. Happy Birthday to all!

Arne and Luellie Godtland visited last Friday at the Doris Evje home.

Bud and Irene Wishard spent the Labor Day weekend at Trail City, SD where they helped Buds dad, Pete Wishard Sr. celebrate his 95th birthday. He still takes care of his cattle and puts the hay up.

Adelina Pravost of Oklee and Delores Healy of San Mateo, CA called on Rose Aaknes on Friday afternoon.

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Lindsay Groves of Lancaster was high point junior in the games division of the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters.

Senior Performance award winner in the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and Prairie Trail Dusters went to Shelly Hughes of Warroad. "Miss Scotch Time" was also the champion senior halter horse.

Ryen Fenning and Kayle Kalt earned a tie for the team championship in the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters.

Tina Holte of Gatzke won the Junior Performance award at the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters.

Emily Johnson of Middle River received the high point award in PeeWee games in the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and Prairie Trail Dusters.

Shelly Hughes of Warroad showed "Go Lucky Rate" to the junior halter championship of the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters.

Horse show series has awards presentation

Final horse show of the season in the series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters saddle club was held Sunday, September 10, in Thief River Falls.

Awards for the high point winners in various categories for the season were also presented at the end of the final show.

Winners at the final show September 10 were the following:

Junior Halter—*Go Lucky Rate*, owned and shown by Shelly Hughes of Warroad, champion; and *Saint*, shown by Diane Peterson of Lancaster, reserve champion;

Senior Halter—*Miss Scotch Time*, owned and shown by Shelly Hughes of Warroad, champion; and *LM Tomerisk*, shown by Kyle Paulson of Bemidji, reserve champion;

PeeWee Performance—Janna Clow, Thief River Falls, champion and Shanna Robinson, Baudette, reserve champion;

Junior Performance—JoAnne Johnson, Middle River, champion; and Tina Holte, Gatzke, reserve champion;

Senior Performance—Shelly Hughes, Warroad, champion; and Bonnie Wichterman, Plummer, reserve champion;

PeeWee Games—Jamie Holen, Goodridge, champion; and Jason Johnsrud, St. Hilaire, reserve champion;

Junior Games—Lindsay Groves, Lancaster, champion; and Angie Holen, Goodridge, reserve champion;

Senior Games—Janette Mosbeck, St. Hilaire, champion; and Jenny Taggart, Newfolden, reserve champion.

Total points champions for the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters included the following:

Junior Halter Horse—*Go Lucky Rate*, owned and shown by Shelly Hughes of Warroad;

Senior Halter Horse—*Miss Scotch Time*, owned and shown by Shelly Hughes of Warroad;

PeeWee Performance—Janne Clow, Thief River Falls;

Junior Performance—Tina Holte, Gatzke;

Senior Performance—Shelly Hughes, Warroad;

PeeWee Games—Emily Johnson, Middle River;

Junior Games—Lindsay Groves, Lancaster;

Senior Games—Jenny Taggart, Newfolden;

Team—Ryan Fenning and Kayla Kalt and Kevin and Jamie Kalt (tie).

Participants are now looking forward to the 1996 horse show season.

Kevin and Jamie Kalt of Angus gained a tie in the team competition during the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters.

Jenny Taggert of Newfolden was the high point champion in senior games at the horse show series sponsored this year by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters.

Jane Clow of Thief River Falls received the high point award in PeeWee Performance for the horse show series sponsored by the Pennington County Fair Association and the Prairie Trail Dusters. Making the award presentation is Anita Cardinal.

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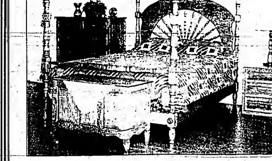
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Big Festival In A Small City

As area community celebrations go, the annual Middle River Goose Festival must be one of the busiest from the standpoint of activities from start to finish. It isn't that way by accident. We quote from a release provided by the Goose Festival committee.

"Can a city with a population of only 285 provide entertainment for over 3,000 people for three days? The answer is YES if the city is Middle River and if the hosts are members of the Community Club.

"September 29 and 30 and October 1 will be the 21st time that this dedicated club with enthusiastic members from a 15-mile radius around Middle River all join together to provide what has come to be known as the largest fall festival in the northwestern part of the state.

"And it is not only the Community Club, but other civic organizations, area churches, school, clubs and more combining their efforts, which result in this ever successful event. Senior citizens work overtime doing more than their share.

"And with today's busy lifestyle, where the majority of parents are holding down full-time jobs, plus supporting youth activities, school, church and civic obligations, finding extra time that preparations for the Goose Festival require clearly indicates that this population is proud of its area. This remarkable attitude is the keystone for success."

Although the festival is concentrated primarily into three days as noted above, there is so much going on that activity has spilled over that three-day period. The Miss Middle River pageant was conducted Sunday night, September 24, and we congratulate Marisa Torea for winning the title. She will reign over the festival and represent the community at activities for the next year.

And Middle River Community Theatre will stage six performances of "The Cemetery Club," beginning with opening night Wednesday, September 27 (tonight). Performances will continue nightly at 7:30 p.m. through Sunday with an additional matinee at 2 p.m. Sunday.

Hats off to the community-spirited, hard-working folks at Middle River for their pride in their area and their effort to stage a celebration with something for everyone.

New Laws Directed At School Safety

New Minnesota law which went into effect for the 1995-96 school year contains a number of changes directed toward increased safety in the schools.

"While most Minnesota schools remain remarkably safe, the authors (of the new laws) were responding to a number of disturbing and highly-publicized incidents," states Cheryl Furrer, director of legislative affairs for the Minnesota Education Association in the current issue of the *MEA Advocate*.

"It's important to note that the laws also contain a number of initiatives to prevent school violence, such as programs to combat truancy, and coordinated efforts among school districts, county attorneys and law enforcement officials," she adds.

Some of the provisions of the new laws are as follows, according to the *Advocate*:

Firearms—School boards are required to expel for one year students who bring firearms to school. But the law can be modified on a case-by-case basis.

If the student is expelled, or withdraws after expulsion proceedings are started, districts may reveal that information to another school district if the student seeks admission.

Lockers—School lockers can be searched at any time and for any reason, without the student's consent, and without a search warrant.

Suspensions—New law extends the maximum length of suspensions from five days to 10 days. If a suspension is longer than five days, the suspending administrator must submit a reason to the superintendent.

Trespassing—It is now a gross misdemeanor for a group of three or more people to be in a school building unless members of the group are enrolled students or parents of enrolled students, have reported to the school office or have permission to be in the building, or are attending an event open to the public.

Background Checks—Law now requires background checks of all teachers. Guidelines adopted by the Minnesota Education Association state that educators who have committed crimes against children are unfit to teach in Minnesota schools. Teachers who have committed other crimes should be licensed and employed on a case-by-case basis.

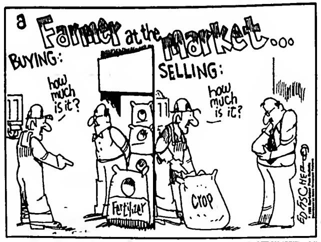
In general legislation adopted as a reaction to relatively isolated circumstances is neither needed nor appropriate. It could be argued in regard to all of the laws listed above that they are unnecessary and probably ineffective as well.

Few would argue that firearms should be allowed in school, but a requirement for local school boards to expel student violators seems to unnecessarily usurp local control. And the fact that the law can be modified on a case-by-case basis reduces its effectiveness.

School locker searches may be appropriate, but we think they could be accomplished with a warrant as well as without. If anything, the new law may deter students from bringing items to school that could get them into trouble if found in their lockers during a random search. If so, the law may do some good and perhaps accomplish its purpose. We believe students should be present while their lockers are searched, however, since their personal possessions are involved.

Persons with clean records have nothing to fear from background checks. The only problem we see with this requirement is the time and cost involved to the district on a process where finding a potential violator is extremely remote.

And why the trespassing law applies only to a group of three or more people instead of an individual or more is a mystery to us. The legislature sometimes works in mysterious ways.



One of the dangers to public traveling on the river under the Eighth Street bridge was a large piece of metal used to protect bridge pilings. Crews also removed an obstruction under the Third Street bridge. Minnesota Department of Transportation employees removed the debris Monday while the river remains at a low level during the drawdown.

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

Letters To The Editor: The Times encourages written responses to editorial comment or letters with original thoughts or ideas of general interest. Letters should be intended for publication in The Times exclusively; letters sent to multiple publications will generally not be accepted. Right is reserved to edit letters for length and clarity and to reject letters deemed to be promotional in nature or in poor taste.

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Corrections: If an error is made in news or advertising publication, The Times encourages readers to call it to our immediate attention at 681-4450. We will attempt to correct the error or clarify the misunderstanding in the next issue.

Plummer News

Elfie Byer
465-4375

Don and Violet Page of Milwaukee, WI arrived on Monday at the home of her brother Howard and Myrtle LaFayatte, and also visited with Helan and Loran Lafayette and other relatives and friends. They were houseguests of Howard and Myrtle.

Sunday dinner guests of Edna Hyde, and also supper, were Lenis and Annabelle Karal of Detroit Lakes, Dwain and Oerri Jensen of Erskine and June Bergeson of Fosston.

...uncle and aunt Art and Avis Freiland.

Senior Citizens Meet

Plummer Senior Citizens met at the hall on September 20th with a noon meal...

Gully Community News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Spending the Labor Day weekend at the Ken and Alice Forsbergs were...

...sponsored by East Polk County Lutheran Brotherhood Fosston Branch...

...were there to have a visit with the family...

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Patrick and James Meehan have paid out, since the first day of January 1895, $11,000 for outgoing freight.

—Owing to heavy straw and a large yield of grain, threshing goes slow and more threshing machines are needed.

—Kratke's dam enterprise was condemned. The county commissioners want logs to come into Polk county free of toll, if possible.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Herman Teigen, a settler of the Elm Lake area, was killed while hunting ducks when his shotgun accidentally discharged, the blast striking him in the head.

—Work began this week on building a "Y" at Erskine to connect the Great Northern and Soo Line railroads.

—Peder Engelstad of Rocksbury has his 11-foot, 90-ton-capacity silo filled with green corn for winter feed.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The city council approved a 1916 tax levy of $39,000.

—The county board deferred action on requests for new bridges over the Red Lake river at Highlanding and St. Hilaire.

—Ingolf Grindeland, brother of Mrs. O. F. Mellby, sang at a Lincoln high school assembly program.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—W. W. Prichard, Jr. was appointed mayor to fill out the term of J. S. Arneston, resigned.

—W. A. Barnard made a hole in one on the local golf course.

—G. S. Berglund, employee in the local creamery the past five years, was named manager of the St. Hilaire creamery.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—A new potato-storage warehouse is being built here.

—Bridgeman Creameries is erecting a large addition to its plant on Main avenue south.

—Senator Henrik Shipstead came back empty-handed from a prairie chicken hunting trip east of Goodridge.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Florence Anderson was appointed to finish the unexpired term of Marjorie Aaland as president of the Business and Professional Women's club.

—F. E. Tueberg is serving as chairman of the War Service Fund drive in Pennington county.

—W. E. Dahlquist addressed the Minnesota State Bar association convention in St. Paul.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—The Home Theatre company has purchased a site on highway 59 south of Thief River Falls for a drive-in theater.

—Dan Bjorkman was the first citizen of Thief River Falls to pay his taxes at the new courthouse.

—C. A. "Chic" Zweiner, director of public relations for the state American Legion, was speaker at a banquet honoring the Junior League baseball team.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—"De-Centralize Central" will be the Lincoln high school battle cry at the homecoming game this weekend.

—Kiyoshi Tanabe, first AFS student to visit Thief River Falls, returned for a visit ten years after his stay here.

—Beverly Tveito of Sheyenne, North Dakota, was hired as Pennington county home agent.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Registrations totaling 628 persons were received for the 1975-76 Thief River Falls recreational skating program.

—Fall enrollment at Northland community college has reached 500 students, representing an increase of 22 per cent over enrollment recorded last fall, according to Dennis Bendickson, registrar.

—Lincoln high school homecoming queen for 1975 is Lori Finstad.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The United Methodist church in Thief River Falls will observe its centennial October 5 and 6.

—Governor Rudy Perpich will be in Thief River Falls Friday for a fundraiser on behalf of the campaign of Senator LeRoy Stumpf.

—Safety concerns have prompted a meeting of local officials to discuss traffic on the First street bridge.

Star News

Moyma Johnson
378-4333

Jean Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Allan Hawk home on...

...the Vernon Iverson home. The Ellason's also visited with other relatives in...

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — September 27, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: October 4, 1945

An announcement will be made about a change in the classification of some men for the selective service. During World War II men ages 18-38 were classified 1A, subject to the draft. Now that the war is over, what was this change: men ages 26 to 38 are now placed in 4A and won't be subject to the draft; or men ages 18 to 38 are now placed in 4A?

Advanced question: Who was the chief clerk of the local Selective Service Board?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the public library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Soo Line Is Giving Improved Local Service

"The Soo Line has opened a new traffic department office on the ground floor of the local passenger station to provide improved services to patrons. The office is in charge of General Agent J. S. McGogy, Superintendent W. W. Wade announced today. In the future the waiting room lobby will be open throughout the day. Mrs. Violet Paulson will handle information inquiries. Arrangements have also been made whereby calls to the ticket office through the day will be taken care of. The ticket office in charge of J. S. Collins will be open as heretofore from 9:30 p.m. until 8 in the morning."

War Time To Be Abandoned Next Sunday At 2 a.m.

"Following the abolishment of war time schedules by act of congress to take effect Sunday morning at 2 o'clock, September 30, local residents are reminded to set their clocks and watches back one hour at that time. In connection with the changes in time, a revised schedule of bus operations is announced this week by the Triangle Transportation company. The bus to Crookston and Fargo will leave Thief River Falls at 10:30 a.m. starting Monday, October 1, and will arrive back in this city at 8:50 p.m."

Parents Urged To Attend Meeting On Cub Pack

"A meeting will be held in the Trinity church basement next Tuesday evening, October 2, at which parents of boys aged nine to twelve will be given a final opportunity to show their interest and support for the Cub Pack organization, a junior Boy Scout activity. Rev. O. S. Thompson of the committee in charge announced that only 35 out of more than 200 eligible parents turned out for a meeting called for Tuesday evening of this week, and that unless at least 100 attend the meeting next Tuesday, the project will be dropped."

Topics of The Times

—Folks interested in buying a new automobile are observing with more than abstract interest the progress of the strike situation in Detroit.

—Norway's archtraitor must have had his tongue in his cheek when he cried out, "I am Quisling the patriot."

—Some say President Truman is leaning to the left and some to the right, but we suspect he is trying to be the Missouri Compromise.

—The man who is looking for hired help can't avoid thinking that the war isn't over yet.

—Lucky is the man who has a full coal bin these days.

—Don't forget to adjust your clocks and watches next Sunday.

—Have you noticed the leaves aren't leaving as early as usual this fall?

—Now is the time to mail those Christmas parcels to the men in service overseas - or are you one of the many looking for their boys to be home by Christmas?

—The careless driver will soon be carless.

—A tourniquet is a tight band intended to stop circulation. For instance, says the Red Lake Falls Gazette, a wedding ring.

—Simile: As rare as overtime periods in a football game.

—The millennium will be at hand when all the discharges are from the armed forces and none from industry.

—Paraphrasing a colleague, one might say that Texas is no larger than Minnesota. It merely looks larger because it is spread out so much thinner.

—Next week would be a good time to cuss the editor. It's National Newspaper Week.

N. A. H.

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
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Dedication Rites At Local Airport Cancelled

"The board of directors of the local chapter of the National Aeronautics association, at a meeting Monday noon, voted to postpone indefinitely the airport dedication program originally scheduled for September 9 and later postponed until next Sunday, September 30.

"Paul A. Lundgren, chapter president, gave as a reason for the cancellation the continued heavy rains, which have made it impossible for airplanes to land at the local port. Instead Mr. Lundgren added, an airport benefit dance will be held next month in the municipal auditorium, a definite date to be announced later. At that time the chapter will award a free trip to Chicago or a complete course in aviation instruction, in addition to ten free plane flights over the city."

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — September 25, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

It's Autumn!

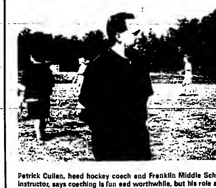
"The heavy frost Sunday night did considerable damage to the gardens in this vicinity.

"The fall term of school commences next Monday. Good teachers have been engaged and parents should see that their children attend from the beginning.

"The light showers the past week have retarded threshing somewhat but as all the grain in the vicinity is in the shocks, no particular damage was done.

"Mrs. J. A. Deinard wishes to announce that after October First, she will have on hand a complete stock of fall and winter millinery and invites the public to call and examine her stock. Good goods, latest styles and prices to suit the times. It will pay you to wait until this stock arrives before making your fall purchases."

Proposed sunroom for Valley Home in Thief River Falls received a financial boost recently when memorials in memory of Joe Nelson were presented by Ron Nelson to Randall Noper (left), a longtime member of the Valley Home board of directors. Presentation at Noper's 85th birthday anniversary party totaled $3,300 and included $100 from Nellie Nelson, $200 from Roger and Marci Sheffer and $1,000 each from Eugene Nelson, Ron Nelson and Westside Motors. The home's board of directors recently authorized establishment of a fund to add a sunroom to the dining room—a project which manager Elaine Anderson says would provide much needed space for residents to enjoy visiting, dining and meeting together and would "bring the outdoors inside" for year around enjoyment. Valley Home is a 501c3 organization and donations are tax deductible.



Patrick Cullen, head hockey coach and Franklin Middle School instructor, says coaching is fun and worthwhile, but his role as a teacher is equally important. Cullen was assigned to the Middle School this year to replace John Anderson, who took a new position in Pelican Rapids.

Cullen receives new teaching assignment

It's a new year and a new assignment for District 564 hockey coach, Pat Cullen. Cullen, who taught at Challenger elementary school last year, is teaching physical education and seventh grade health classes at Franklin Middle school, replacing John Anderson who has accepted a new position with the Pelican Rapids school district.

Cullen is a native of International Falls and a graduate of Bemidji State University with degrees in health and physical education. He is the head hockey coach for the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire School District, and also coaches middle school football and baseball in the spring. Cullen says coaching is fun and worthwhile, but his role as a teacher is equally important.

"In our health class we stress the importance of a healthy lifestyle. In physical education we reach a broad spectrum of issues, including activity and exercise. Both areas can really make a difference in the quality of life for these young people," Cullen said.

Cullen says, "I like being around kids. Every kid is different, and these kids are growing up rapidly. This is a real change from the kindergarten and first grade students I worked with last year. A whole new perspective."

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The following extra-curricular position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota for the 1995-96 school year:

HIGH SCHOOL ASSISTANT HOCKEY COACH

If interested please contact Jim Sims, Student Activities Director at the Lincoln High School Activities Office at 218-681-7140.

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The Thief River Falls Public Schools is in need of "on-call" substitutes in the following areas:

TEACHERS
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CLERICAL
EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANTS

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DUTIES: Teach swimming lessons with pool and locker room supervision.
REQUIREMENTS: Minimum of a Red Cross Certification with W.S.I. preferred.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, School District Service Center, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until Friday, October 6th, 1995.

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Are you interested in working in a variety of areas in a hospital setting? Roseau Area Hospital & Homes has openings for part-time staff nurses to work in Med-Surg, OB, ICU and ER. Experience is preferred, but we will train. Contact Colleen Lorenson, Director of Nursing, for more information.

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NURSING ASSISTANT

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SALARY: $6.00 per hour after probationary period with a pay incentive at year end as per negotiated contract.
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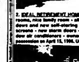

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- CENTRAL AIR
- PARTIALLY FINISHED BASEMENT WITH LOTS OF STORAGE
- TWO CAR ATTACHED GARAGE
- EXCELLENT BUSINESS HIGHWAY FRONTAGE...COUNTRY LIVING CLOSE TO TOWN

1217...FARM OF THE WEEK...240 ACRES, 128 CRP, 22 TILLABLE AND BALANCE IN PASTURE, WOODS, YARD AND GARDEN...1-1/2 STORY HOME, BARN, CHICKEN HOUSE, MACHINE SHOP, 3 SHEDS, AND 1,000 BU. BIN...SEE BY APPOINTMENT...1 YEAR LEFT ON CRP...$72,000...

1527...OLD ENGLISH DESIGN...N. LABREE...WELL BUILT, 4-BEDROOM, 2 BATH PLUS HOUSE...ON 100x140 LOT...SINGLE ATTACHED GARAGE PLUS CAR PORT...DIVIDED LIGHT WINDOWS, 2 FIREPLACES, CHARMING LIVING AND DINING ROOM...FURNACE IS 3 YEARS OLD...SEE BY DAY AHEAD APPOINTMENT...$70's.

1534...SINGLE...STARTER...RETIREMENT...SEE THIS ENJOYABLE 2 BEDROOM HOME WITH SUPER NICE BOARD PRIVACY FENCE...PARTY IN PEACE HERE...ALSO FULL BASEMENT, NEWLY DECORATED...$30's.

SAVE $$$$$$ WHY RENT... 600 HOMES UNDER $40,000

1532...JUST LISTED...NEWLY DECORATED...1 BEDROOM HOME WITH FORMAL DINING ROOM AND COZY LIVING ROOM...SINGLE ATTACHED GARAGE...$30's...EASY CARE...EASY TO HEAT...

1518...BUNGALOW WITH 3 BEDROOMS AND BATH ON MAIN FLOOR...KITCHEN WITH EATING AREA...ALL APPLIANCES INCLUDED...SINGLE GARAGE AND PORT...N. LABREE...$30's!!!

1508...MOVE IN READY..."NEW" YARD IS IN AND SHRUBS GROWING...4 BEDROOM, 3 BATH, SPACIOUS LIVING, DINING AREA WITH CATHEDRAL CEILING, LARGE FAMILY ROOM...FROM GARAGE TO LIVING ROOM OR BASEMENT...ALSO DANDY EXIT FOR HANGING CLOTHES IF YOU CHOOSE...ATTACHED 2 CAR GARAGE...118,400...PRICE REDUCED...$$$$$$.

1504...140 ACRES WITH 90 ACRES IN WHEAT...10 MILES FROM TRF...MARSHALL COUNTY...$48,900...

Real Estate

FOR SALE:

Farm site, approximately 12 acres or more in Sec. 9 of Garnes township. Red Lake Co. with a ranch style house, barn, 2-car garage, quonset and other outbuildings. Located 7-miles from Plummer or 7-miles from Oklee. Will accept written bids until Sept. 30th. The owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids. For more information call 218-222-3787 or 796-5272. Send bids to RR1 Box 105, Middle River, MN 56737 or RR1 Box 76, Brooks, MN 56716.

4-BEDROOM SPLIT, new appliances, newly resided, finished, insulated, double attached garage, near elementary school, assessments paid, low 90's, 681-4886 or 681-2518 for appointment. 74tfc

FOR SALE

For Rent

FOR RENT- 1-bedroom apartment, all utilities paid, $275.00, 681-3621. 69tfc

FOR RENT- Main floor 2-bedroom apartment, utilities paid, partially furnished, off-street parking, call 681-8384. 74tfc

MOBILE HOME, Riverview Trailer Park, HUD approved, references, deposit required, available Oct. 1, 294-6294. P4t77p

FOR RENT- Small one-bedroom house with full basement and single car detached garage. Stove and refrigerator furnished, available Nov. 1, references and deposit required, no pets, 681-1624. 77tfc

AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY, 2-bedroom upstairs apartment, partially furnished, cable and all utilities paid, $300.00/mo., 681-3420. 2t78p

3-BEDROOM MAIN floor apartment, no pets, deposit, references, lease required, non-HUD, 681-2863. P4t80p

FOR RENT- Large older 2-bedroom house, available Oct. 1, $400.00/month, 681-7796 evenings. P4t80p

FOR RENT- Mobile homes, 2 and 3-bedroom, (no pets), deposit, references required, 681-1858. P4t78p

FOR RENT- Mobile home, 2-bedroom, (no pets), 681-1858. P4t79p

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YOUR HOME TEAM FOR THE '90's

#5033...SEE BY APPOINTMENT!! Executive home loaded with the extras! Sherwood Forest area! This bi-level home features 4 bedrooms, 2 big baths! Semi-formal dining! Vaulted cedar ceilings in the living room, kitchen and dining rooms! Huge family/rec room! This home features very nice updated floor coverings and paper! Gas forced air heat with central air! Economical utility bills! Large double car garage separated by a nice huge foyer! Fenced yard and a corner lot! CALL TODAY!!

#5035...5 MILES FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS! 320 acre farm with home! 3-bedroom home has nice size rooms! This home needs some TLC but the basics are good! 5 year old furnace, new well and septic in 1993! Also includes a machine shed and granary.

#5036...NEW LISTING!! NW part of town! $29,900 nice 3 bedroom home features a front porch to enjoy the sunsets! Living room and formal dining room! Dining room has nice window seat! Kitchen has large pantry and oak cabinets! 3 bedrooms, nice full bath and an extra shower in the basement! CALL NOW IT WON'T LAST!

#5037...15 MILES SOUTH OF THIEF RIVER FALLS! 20 acre Ranchette! 3-bedroom house with full bath! Formal dining room, triple garage! 34x72 pole shed! Plus a barn and a couple of lean-to buildings! $40's

#5039...JUST LISTED!! $24,900. 2-bedroom home with semi formal dining, nice oak cabinets! Main floor laundry, full bath and nice front deck!

#5040...JUST LISTED!! Sharp 2 bedroom mobile home on its own river lot right in town! Very nice front entry, open living room, dining and kitchen combination! LR has vaulted ceilings, large laundry and bath combination! All windows new in the past 6 years, new floorings! Nice large oak trees! Cheaper than renting! $16,900!

#5041...JUST LISTED!! 3 lots on a Cul-De-Sac outside of city limits with good double car garage! $9,900!! ·

#5042...JUST LISTED!! Red Lake Falls! Big 3-bedroom home on a 100x125 corner lot in great location! Formal dining, main floor family room! Huge walk-in linen closet! $24,900!

THINKING OF BUILDING? WE HAVE A NUMBER OF NICE LOTS IN DESIRABLE LOCATIONS! ANYWHERE FROM $4,900 ON UP! DON'T WAIT UNTIL THEY ARE ALL GONE!

#9918...NICE LOT FOR APARTMENT BUILDING!! SE part of town!

#9010...230 ACRES RIVER TOWNSHIP!! Good land, well drained! Right now it's in CRP but could be out soon!

Kermit Genereux, Broker.....681-8493
Marilyn Nelson, Associate Broker.....681-8261
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For Rent

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT 681-2845

ROOMMATE WANTED- Responsible non smoking individual to share a furnished 2 bedroom apartment in TRF, $155.00/month plus 1/2 of electricity, phone and cable, and $150.00 deposit. Call 681-8964 after 5 p.m. 64tfe

FOR RENT- Executive suites, all utilities included, starting at 200 sq. ft., call 681-8564 or 681-3963. P4t78c

STORAGE SPACE for rent: Boats, campers, RV's, pontoons, collector cars, phone 681-6222 after 6:00 evenings. P4t78p

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom house with garage and storage shed, available Oct. 1, references required. 681-1086. 1t77p

2-BEDROOM MOBILE home at Riverview Court, 681-3021 evenings. 1t77p

HOUSE FOR rent: 2 bedrooms, 2-bath plus garage near campus, $300.00 a month, call 218-281-4064, ask for Jim. 4t80c

FOR RENT- Quiet, clean one bedroom apartment, 681-6308 or 681-6723. P4t80p

FOR RENT- 2 bedroom apartment, must qualify for rental assistance, no pets, call 681-4479. 70tfc

FOR RENT 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT
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COUNTRY ACRES APARTMENTS
Thief River Falls, MN
681-3370

4-BEDROOM DOUBLE wide mobile home in country, no pets, deposit, references, lease, HUD available. 681-2863. P4t80p

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tfc

FOR RENT- 453 tillable acres of farmland, 3 miles west of Goodridge, phone 309-662-5500. P12t88p

FOR RENT- 14x52 2-bedroom mobile home, lease, no pets, non-HUD, newly remodeled, very good condition, available Oct. 1, call 681-5747 evenings. P4t78p

Sporting Goods

16-FT. STARCRAFT boat with 80-h.p., I/O, very economic to run, new top and traveling cover, depth finder, like new condition, call 681-6585 after 5 p.m. 8t80e

FOR SALE- 7-1/2 h.p. Evinrude boat motor, in good condition, phone 681-1332. 2t78p

GENE'S YEAR END SALE- Pontoons, boats, motors, must go now. Gene's Marine, Mentor, MN, 218-637-2080. 11t78c

BOAT STORAGE- Call now and reserve a place. Gene's Marine, Mentor, MN, 218-637-2050. 11t78c

FOR SALE- 300 Savage rifle with Bushnell scope, sling and case, like new condition, $325.00, call 681-7003 early mornings. P4t78p

Mobile Homes

FOR SALE- 1991 16x80 mobile home 2 bedroom 2 bath, deck, shed and central air, excellent condition! Countryside Ct #96. Call 681-3612 evenings. 2t78p

FOR SALE- 1971 14x70 Detroiter mobile home, 3 bedrooms, new carpet in the living room. $4,000.00 o.b.o. 681-3797. P4t79p

FOR SALE- 1974 Wick mobile home, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, air conditioner entry, for more information call after 4:30 p.m. 681-8539. P4t77p

14X80 CHICKASAW 1975 3-bedroom, 1 full bath, appliances, central air, deck, shed setup in Countryside Tr. Ct. #83, see it to appreciate, call 681-7480 after 8:00. P4t77p

12X58 MARSHFIELD w/two large entries located at Riverview Trailer Park, available Oct. 1. 294-6294. P4t77p

FOR SALE- Trailer house, 1988 American 14x70 2-bedroom, 1 large bath, 8x12 entry, excellent condition. $12,500.00, 222-3241. P4t78p

Campers

TRAIL BLAZER, 11 1/2 ft. pickup camper, self contained, sleeps five, 2-way refrigerator, hot water heater, glass stove, furnace, 681-7630. 81tfc

FIBERGLASS TOPPER for full size pickup, sliding window and aluminum mounting brackets, call 428-7892. P4t79p

FOR SALE- 8' Astrocruise pickup camper in good condition, call 681-3888. P4t79p

Motorcycles-ATVs

FOR SALE- Brooks leather motorcycle jacket, $65.00, motorcycle Vector 1/2 helmet, $45.00, 218-745-4100. 70tfc

'77 SUZUKI PE 250, mint, '76 MR 250 Honda Elsinore, needs work, both $400.00, p.m. phone 681-2786, work 681-8558 Ext. 392. 2t78p

FOR SALE- XLH 1,000 '79 Sportster Harley Davidson, $4,300.00, call 378-4446. P4t78p

Snowmobiles

1994 700 Wildcat, low miles, $4,000.00/o.b.o., 218-745-6234. P4t79p

1981 EL TIGRE 6000 with '84 updates, excellent condition, handwarmers, 11,500 miles, cover, new clutch, for more information call 681-7115 evenings. 1t77p

FOR SALE- 1994 Arctic Cat EXT EFI, excellent condition, $3,500.00. Also, 1995 ZR 580 EFI, excellent condition, $4,400.00, call 681-4291 after 8:00. P4t77p

FOR SALE- 1989 AFS 440 Jag and 1990 AFS 440 Jag, both in very nice condition, call 681-1599 after 5:00 p.m. P4t80p

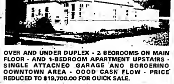
1993'S ARCTIC Thunder/Mt. Cat, less than 500 miles, $5,900.00, Triton-lite dual sled trailer with front debris guard, 21,100.00, both in excellent condition, in Badger Minnesota. Call owner collect, 402-571-7472 or after 9-15, call 218-528-3527. 6t78p

FOR SALE- 1994 EXT 580 EFI Mountain Cat and cover, asking $3,800.00, leave message, 681-2717. P4t78p

Machinery

FOR SALE- 12' IHC chisel plow; Jamesway silo unloader; J.D. silage blower, Gene Nelson, Viking. Call 523-3363. P6t78p

FOR SALE- 10-ft. Killifer; 9' sunflower pans; John Deere #8 sickle mower, 218-745-4116. P4t80p



OVER AND UNDER DUPLEX - 2 BEDROOMS ON MAIN FLOOR - AND 1-BEDROOM APARTMENT UPSTAIRS - SINGLE ATTACHED GARAGE AND BORDERING DOWNTOWN AREA - GOOD CASH FLOW - PRICE REDUCED TO $19,700.00 FOR QUICK SALE.

NEW ON THE MARKET!!! 3-BEDROOM RAMBLER WITH LARGE DECK - FULL BASEMENT - BUILT IN 1987 - 10 MILES NORTHWEST OF THIEF RIVER FALLS ON BLACKTOP ROAD - 5 PLUS ACRES - $48,000.00.

NEW LISTING!!! 1476 SQUARE FOOT RAMBLER - 3 BEDROOMS - LARGE LIVING ROOM - 28 X 36 FINISHED SHOP - SECLUDED - SURROUNDED WITH WOODS - 4-1/2 MILES FROM TOWN - $62,500.00.

NICE NEIGHBORHOOD - IN NORTHWEST PART OF TOWN - 2 OR 3 BEDROOMS - ALL ONE ON ONE LEVEL - ELECTRIC HEAT - 28'X30' INSULATED AND HEATED GARAGE BUILT IN 1992 - $44,000.00.

316 ACRES OF RECREATIONAL AND HUNTING LAND - LESS THAN 40 MILES FROM TOWN - PRICED AT LESS THAN $100.00/ACRE.

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FOR SALE- Straw bales at $1.00 each. Call Wesley Bring 874-2712. 2t78p

FOR SALE- Big round bales of Barley straw wrapped with plastic twine, phone 449-3946. P4t80p

Poultry

FOR SALE- Young spring chickens, cut-up or whole, 95 cents/lb., will deliver within reason, call before 8 p.m., 681-3199. P4t80p

Pets

TO GIVE away: Cute kittens, litter box trained, six weeks old, can deliver, call 964-5898. 3t78p

FOR SALE- Year-old Poodle-Terrier cross, house broken, likes kids, call 681-5242 after 8 p.m. or leave message. 3t77p

FOR SALE- Purebred miniature American Eskimo, nine months old, house broke, good with children, all papers included plus medical records, shots are good for one year, kennel included, $175.00, call 218-681-2885. P4t80p

AKC CHESAPEAKE Bay Retriever pups, shots wormed, own both parents, 218-668-2032. P4t79p

FOR SALE- AKC 8-month-old male Keeshound, $40.00, very nice nature, 449-4471. 2t77p

FOR SALE- Hamster, cage, and accessories. Call 681-8968. 54tfe

Household Goods

FOR SALE- 7-month-old Whirlpool cook stove, excellent condition, asking $250.00, 294-6637. P4t78p

FOR SALE- Kelvinator side-by-side refrigerator, 36-in. wide, $125.00, 19 cu. in. Hotpoint refrigerator, $100.00, 20 cu. in. Gibson refrigerator, $100.00, large refrigerator, $50.00, phone 378-4153. 4t79t

FOR SALE- King size boxspring and mattress with frame, good shape, 2-1/2 years old, call evenings, 278-4360. P4t78p

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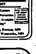

Lost And Found

LOST, KEYS- 13 to 14 keys on the ring, includes Laboron keys, unicorn key chain, trailer keys. If found please call 681-7130 Ext. #9 or 681-1005 and ask for Val. 1t77t

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Ariens Lawn Boy and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair Warren MN 745-4298 T30tfc

FOR SALE BY THE BUSHEL TOMATOES 681-4899

AVAILABLE NOW, for fall planting tulips, daffodils, hyacinths, crocus and iris. Northland Produce, 418 Atlantic North, TRF 681-2420 T79tc

TULIP BULBS, large Dutch spring blooming bulbs, variety of colors and types. Honker Flats 222-3484 P4t79p

FOR SALE- John Deere riding lawn mower 30" cut, about 8 years old $400.00 Phone 449-3945 P4t80p

EFTA'S PRODUCE is having their Indian Summer Sale. Come see what deals you can find on your fall decorative needs. What's On Sale Now? Pumpkins Squash Potatoes Decorative Corn Gourds

Public Notices

CARD OF THANKS

Many thanks to the Drs. and nurses at Northwest Medical Center for their excellent care while a patient there. Also, a heartfelt thanks to all who visited me, for all cards, flowers and gifts. May God bless you all.

Bernice Trochmann 1t77p

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely thank all our friends and relatives who helped celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary. Many thanks for all the cards and gifts. We had a great time and will cherish the memory of that day forever.

Al & Vi Radniecki

Public Notices

GAS AND WOODBURNING fireplaces by Earth Stove, Heat-N-Glow and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood-oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-946-6245 tfc

CONTESTANTS WANTED for a challenging fun filled treasure hunt held Sept. 30. $300.00 cash prize! $20.00 entry per team, for information or to preregister by September 28th call Shelley Bervig 964-5582 or 681-1539 P4t78c

NEW 2 U- We pay cash for name brand or like new clothing, all sizes welcome, opening soon in Middle River, call 874-9381 evenings for appointment. P4t79p

Personal Services

RESIDENTIAL CLEANING weekly, have experience. Sandy 987-2499, leave message. 8t83p

DIVORCE

Uncontested $250.00 plus costs

BANKRUPTCY

$300.00 plus costs

Omdahl and Terry 1-800-450-8040 1t80c

PIANO TUNING- Ken MacDonald, 218-574-2918 52tfc

WANTED- Roofing and remodeling jobs. J & F building and remodeling, 681-7302 or 489-0421 8t82p

THE SHOP Auto Body Repair- Glass installation, insurance estimates, free estimates, phone 218-681-8531, TRF 10t83c

NORTHLAND SHOE REPAIR 607 East 8th St (TRF). Open Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m. P12t80p

Business Opportunities

FOR SALE- Small grain elevator located in Thief River Falls. Includes pit, leg, 4 overhead bins, and 4 thousand sq. ft. of truck level storage. Contact Bud Evans, 218-681-4229 P4t77p

OWN YOUR own apparel or shoe store, choose Jean/Sportswear, bridal, lingerie, westernwear, ladies, men's, large sizes, infant/preteen, petite, dancewear/aerobic, maternity, or accessories store. Over 2000 name brands. $25,900 to $37,900. Inventory, training, fixtures, grand opening, etc. Can open 15 days. Mr. Loughlin (612) 888-6555 1t77p

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO buy- Mulch hay or straw round bales, 218-574-2721 P4t78p

WANTED- Electric golf car. Also, used sheets of 4x8 1/2 inch plyboard, 681-3692, late evenings, or message. 2t78p

SINGLE CAR garage, need not be in good shape, 681-1695 evenings. P4t78p

BIDS FOR INSURANCE

The Thief River Falls Housing and Redevelopment Authority invites bids for provisions of a Multi-Peril insurance coverage for a 1 or 2 year policy, for the following types of coverage: Fire and EC, Comprehensive General Liability, and Non-Owner Automobile Liability.

For a proposal packet, contact the Thief River Falls HRA, 415 Arnold Ave. South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Phone: 218-681-5995. Bid closing is Friday, November 10, 1995.

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO buy- Small dog kennel 681-[illegible]

WANTED TO BUY- Approx. 250 gal. fuel oil tank in good condition. Prefer type with extension legs. Call 681-2879 79tfc

WANTED TO BUY- Used outboard motor, two to 6.5 h.p. in good running condition. Contact Marvin Lundin at 681-4490 days or 681-3670 evenings. 79tfc

INSULATED DOG house, must be in pretty good shape, call 681-2886, leave message. 2t79p

WANTED- 100 gallon propane tank, 681-2298 or 681-9405 P4t80p

WANT TO buy 8 converter to adapt an 8 track to a cassette player, phone 681-3674 4t79p

WANTED- Used clothes dryer, call 874-7301 after 6:00 evenings. 79tfc

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1987 Olds. Regency 98 Brougham, $3,895.00/o.b.o., 681-3797 P4t79p

FOR SALE- 1981 Monte Carlo body, rusty, good for race car, make offer, 681-4427 or 681-6344 72tfc

1978 LTD, mechanically sound, some rust, $375.00 or best offer! 681-1695 evenings P4t78p

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Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1978 Buick Skylark, V6, good condition. 1985 Oldsmobile 98 Regency Brougham, V8, fully loaded. Also 1979 Chevrolet Conversion van, captain's chairs, refrigerator, 2 new tires. 681-5301 P4t80p

FOR SALE- 1994 Chev. S-10 Blazer, 4 door, call 681-4063 days. 74tfc

BUILT-UP 1966 Ford Mustang, 289 engine, low miles, new heads, new carb, and much more. call 681-8844/8421 P4t77p

1994 DAKOTA 4x4, loaded, extended cab, 15,000 miles, $16,880.00 or best offer. 253-2673 P4t78p

FOR SALE- '76 Cutlass Supreme, power windows and seats, 1 tops, good tires, 403 Olds., must see. $800.00 or best offer. 681-2084 1t77p

1996 CHEVY S-10 LS for sale, 4-cylinder, 5-speed, manual, air, tilt, cruise, AM/FM cassette, loaded with custom graphics, warranty remaining, 218-634-1337 P4t80p

CLASSIC COLLECTORS! 1969 Cadillac Eldorado convertible, new top, 1947 Plymouth, both driveable, 1968 International Scout 4WD Eldorado, 12-ft. pickup camper, WD6 International tractor, good shape. 218-459-3420 P4t78p

FOR SALE- '85 Bronco II, Eddie Bauer, four bucket seats, new paint, $2,500.00. Call 449-3695. 2t77p

1993 OLDS. Bravada, all wheel drive, "Smart Track", remote entry, anti-lock brakes, a.c., AM/FM cassette, loaded with extras! Red, get ready for winter! Selling $3,000.00 below book! Call 218-478-2214 after 6 p.m. P8t81p

FOR SALE- 1982 Plymouth Champ, poor, $300.00, 449-4165. P4t80p

1990 CHEVY S-10 4x4 Ext. cab pickup, Tahoe package, 4.3 litre, automatic, a.c., cruise, electric windows, topper, call 681-8254 P4t77p

Paying Risk Insurance? Call 681-4683

V.W. 1965, sunroof, partially restored, new fenders, generator, upholstery, plus much more, reasonable. 218-843-2851 evenings. 1t77p

FOR SALE- 1985 Chev. diesel pickup, Scottsdale package, high miles, good condition, $4,000.00, phone 681-6972. 2t77p

1988 FORD Bronco, 4x4, 302 V-8, Eddie Bauer, 65,000 miles, excellent condition, 218-681-6547. P4t79p

FOR SALE- '88 S-10 Blazer, 4-wheel drive, $4,500.00/o.b.o., 218-294-6568 evenings. P4t77p

FOR SALE- 1987 Ford Taurus, great shape, burgundy-red, $2,500.00 or best offer, phone 465-4589. P4t79p

1992 F150 Ford pickup for sale, call Roger at 218-745-5818 or 218-745-5831, 91,000 miles, $3,200.00. P4t78p

1988 CADILLAC Sedan Deville, loaded, excellent condition, book $11,300.00, price $8,500.00, 681-3280 or 681-3070. P4t77p

1988 OLDS. 98, 3800 V-6, all power options, 86,978 miles, very clean, $5,475.00, warranty, 681-7572. P4t79p

1988 GRAND Prix, 2-door, 70,000 miles, $6,000.00, evenings, 218-745-5937. P4t80p

FOR SALE- 1983 Cavalier CL, loaded, 64,000 on engine, good tires, small amount of rust on lower driver's door, new clutch, call 681-1056 evenings. P4t77p

FOR SALE- 1979 Ford LTD, good condition, 681-6949. P4t80p

1990 GRAND Prix, 64,000 miles, 3.1 motor, white in color, 2-door, air, cruise, tilt, cassette, lists for $8,500.00, will negotiate, call after 6 p.m., 681-5226. P4t80p

Legal Notices

September 20, 27, 1995

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed Bids for Asbestos Removal will be received by: the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 3, 1995.

Bids must be delivered before the time and date indicated above to: Office of the City Administrator, City Hall, 123 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701, Tel. (218) 681-2943, where they will be opened and read aloud.

A MANDATORY Pre-bid Conference will be held on Wednesday, September 27, 1995, beginning at 1:30 p.m. at the site; the former Soo Line Depot, Atlantic Avenue & Third Street East (U.S. Highway 59).

All Bids shall be in accordance with Bidding Documents prepared by Lammer Environmental Services Corporation, 325 25th Street North, Fargo, North Dakota 58102. Telephone: (701) 235-9072 Fax number: (701) 237-0535.

Bidding Documents will be provided by Consultant at a non-refundable cost of Twenty Dollars ($20.00) per set. Make checks payable to Lammer Environmental.

Bids must be accompanied by Bid Bond or certified check in an amount equal to no less than five percent (5%) of highest amount of Bid as guarantee that Bidder will, within ten (10) days after Notice of Award, enter into a Contract with Owner in accordance with terms of Bid and those Bidding Documents.

Bid security shall be made payable to: City of Thief River Falls.

Bid security of two lowest Bidders will be retained until Contract has been awarded and executed, but not longer than thirty (30) days.

Payment and Performance Bonds will be required for full amount of the Contract.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, to base Award on what is in the Owner's best interests, and to waive any informalities therein.

Project consists of removal of asbestos containing materials (T.S.I., ceiling tile, and floor tile) plus removal of loose paint, wood windows and facias.

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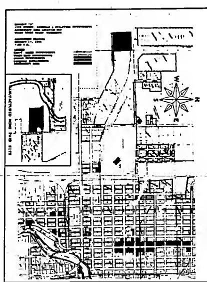

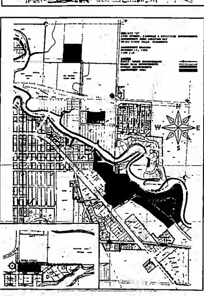

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF PENNINGTON

IN DISTRICT COURT NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FAMILY DIVISION

In Re the Marriage of: Helen Lucille Bonson, Petitioner,

vs.

Edward Gerald Benson, Respondent.

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE—NAMED RESPONDENT:

You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon petitioner's attorney an answer to the Petition for Dissolution of Marriage which is on file in the office of the clerk of the above-named Court within 30 days after service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Petition for Dissolution of Marriage.

Dated: 8/16/95

-s- John C. Novacek, Attorney for Petitioner, P.O. Box 494, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, (218) 681-4056, Attorney I.D. No. 80019

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

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REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

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September 27, 1995

NOTICE OF HEARING JOINT ZONING BOARD ROCKSBURY - PENNINGTON THIEF RIVER FALLS

SPECIAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

September 20, 27, 1995

NOTICE

Board of Rocksbury Township, Pennington County and the City of Thief River Falls will conduct a Hearing on the Conditional Use Request at 7:30 P.M. on Monday, October 9, 1995, in the Council Chambers, City Auditorium, 123 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the Application will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons who wish to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) business days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated the 21st day of September, 1995.

-s- Donald L. Stewart, Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

September 27, 1995

NOTICE OF HEARING JOINT ZONING BOARD ROCKSBURY - PENNINGTON THIEF RIVER FALLS

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Rocksbury Township Two Mile Zoning Ordinance, that Thief River Credit Corporation, R.R. 3 - Box 228, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, owner of the property, and Quickie Products, Inc., R.R. 8 - Box 296A, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, have requested an amendment to the zoning of the following described property:

That part of Government Lot 11, Section 2 and part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 1, all in Township 153 North, Range 43 West of the 5th Principal Meridian, described as follows:

Commencing at an iron monument at the southwest corner of said Section 1; thence North 01 degrees 26 minutes 59 seconds West, assumed bearing, along the west line of the said Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter a distance of 643.70 feet; thence South 88 degrees 56 minutes 30 seconds East 26.18 feet to an iron pipe monument on the easterly right of way line of Trunk Highway No. 59, being the point of beginning of the tract to be described; thence North 41 degrees 06 minutes 48 seconds West along said right of way line 534.28 feet to an iron pipe monument; thence South 89 degrees 06 minutes 08 seconds East 481.35 feet to an iron pipe monument; thence South 07 degrees 34 minutes 44 seconds East 401.68 feet to an iron pipe monument; thence North 88 ...

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) business days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated the 22nd day of September, 1995

-s- Donald L. Stewart, Community Development Director & Zoning Administrator

Little Oak

Funeral

Those that attended the funeral for Floyd Gulseth of Fosston on Monday were Clara Peterson and Ernest Mostrom of Trail, Doris Danielson of Gonvick, Shirley Johnsrud of Goodridge, Sharron Johnson, Ardith Kloth, Ida Haugen and Linda Homme and Lois Burstad of Thief River Falls and Willie and Jane Good of Trail. The services were held at the Fredhem Lutheran church in Lengby on September 11, 1995. Pastor Rains officiating. Pallbearers were Duane Johnson, Dennis Barstad, Dennis Esaberg, Merle Burstad, Mike Thompson, Stephen Wein. Military honors, McIntosh VFW Post #6881. Interment Fredhem Lutheran cemetery rural Lengby. Sympathy is extended to his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Christianson called at the Ernest Mostrom home recently.

Callers at the Ida Haugen home during the week were Ardith Kloth, Lois Burstad, Sharron Johnson and Bud and Linda Homme.

Ida Haugen enjoyed telephone calls on Friday from Orrin Haugen of Hibbing, Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA and Emma Knitter of Chicago, IL.

Pastor Dan Faugstad was a brief caller at the Ida Haugen home, Thursday forenoon.

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home recently were Lester Hanson, Willie and Jane Good.

Sharron Johnson and Ida Haugen attended services and dinner at the Nazareth Lutheran church on Sunday.

The Nazareth Ladies Aid served dinner after services on Sunday, Clara Peterson and Joni Bjerklie were the hostesses.

You just can't get any closer to nature. A protective pair of diamond doves hide their young from an inquisitive camera. The pair are the first to hatch a sibling in the new aviary at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls.

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Strandquist

Gayherd and Irene Nelson visited at the Gordon Grandstrand home in Stephen on Friday evening.

On Thursday, Carol Gosenberger and her daughter Kari with her two children all from California and Beverly Rasmussen of Buffalo Heights, IL visited Peter and Pearl Thompson.

A number of people attended the pie and ice cream social at the Strandquist Center on Sunday as a benefit for Donna Donerski, who is putting up a valiant fight against cancer. We wish her the very best of health. It was great to see all who turned out and the pie was delicious.

On Thursday the seniors met again at the Center with 13 members and 1 guest present. Evelyn Kujava was the hostess and she served a delicious lunch. Elsie Kimbrough won the door prize. Marcelyn Lindstrom and granddaughter Dionne drove to Bemidji Friday evening to spend the weekend at Dr. Paul and Dionne Oltmanson's to care for the children while the parents were away.

On Monday, Peter and Pearl Thompson entertained with a potato dumpling dinner at their home in honor of David Thompson's birthday. The guests were David and Phoebe Thompson, Denny and Becky Johnson and LaVonne Johnson. Later in the afternoon Peter and Pearl went to visit Mary and Donna Renstrom to celebrate Donna's birthday.

Dale Brekke of East Grand Forks visited at the Gayherd Nelson's this week.

Virgil and Ruth Rasmussen, Roy and Myrtle Vagle and Walter Thompson were dinner guests at Elsie Lofrooth's on Tuesday. Gloria Renstrom and JoAnne Holmstrom visited later in the day. Virgil and Ruth will leave on Tuesday for Africa where they will be teaching in a Bible school. They have two sons, Steve and Nathan and their families that have been missionaries in that place for many years.

June Kasprowicz and Claudia Berggren, Jessie and Kali visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter on Sunday and on Monday Art Kleinvachter, Ellen Stromberg, Kari Kasprowicz, Matthew and Brittany Nelson, Claudia Berggren, Jessie and Kali, Lowell Lofrooth and Bud and Merle Stoffen from Stephen came to see them.

PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT REVOLVING LOAN FUND

The City of Thief River Falls is requesting that industries contemplating expansion, construction of facilities, acquisition of equipment, or needing operating capital contact the Community Development Department (681-2500) regarding the availability of loan money on favorable terms through the Community Development Revolving Loan Fund. Applications and eligibility criteria are available upon request. The deadline for submittal of applications is 4:30 P.M. on Friday, Oct. 27, 1995.

SCHOOL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES BUDGET FOR 1995-1996 — District Number 564 — District Name THIEF RIVER FALLS (K-12)

FUND	1994-95 ACTUAL REVENUES AND TRANSFERS	1994-95 ACTUAL EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS	JUNE 30, 1995 ACTUAL FUND BALANCE	1995-96 BUDGET REVENUES AND TRANSFERS	1995-96 BUDGET EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS	JUNE 30, 1996 PROJECTED FUND BALANCE
General	11,303,717	11,229,643	724,652	11,279,456	11,261,197	742,911
Food Service	491,661	581,366	9,950	532,200	530,059	12,091
Transportation	775,940	903,088	317,521	874,335	784,785	407,071
Community Service	347,707	366,458	28,125	315,456	381,598	24,983
TOTAL OPER. FUNDS	12,919,025	13,080,555	1,080,248	13,001,447	12,894,639	1,187,056
Capital Expenditure	1,740,792	923,842	643,376	708,769	782,592	569,553
Building Construction	153,459	5,521,117	141,319	0	141,319	0
Debt Redemption	2,295,986	1,562,147	667,426	2,306,913	2,213,057	761,282
Trust and Agency	46,781	45,252	461,553	30,500	31,300	460,753
TOTAL NON OPER. FUNDS	4,237,018	8,052,358	1,913,674	3,046,182	3,168,268	1,791,588
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	17,156,043	21,132,913	2,993,922	16,047,629	16,062,907	2,978,644

BONDS AND STATE LOANS		STATUTORY OPERATING DEBT		MISCELLANEOUS	
OUTSTANDING JULY 1, 1994	22,530,493	PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977	NONE	ORDERS NOT PAID FOR WANT OF FUNDS 6/30/95	NONE
PLUS: BONDS AND LOANS ISSUED	00	LESS: RESERVED FOR SOD - 6/30/95	NONE	CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS 6/30/95	1,580,000
LESS: BONDS AND LOANS REDEEMED	562,971	LESS: PAYABLE 1995 SOD LEVY	NONE	1994-95 PUPILS IN AVG. DAILY MEMBERSHIP	2,296
OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1995	21,967,522	NET REMAINING AS OF 6/30/96	NONE	1994-95 OPERATING COST PER PUPIL UNIT	5,519

The Complete Budget May Be Inspected Upon Request To The Superintendent

COMMENTS:

1. The General Fund Balance for June 30, 1995 and June 30, 1996 include dollars appropriated for unemployment compensation and severance pay
2. The Transportation Fund Balance for June 30, 1995 and June 30, 1996 include dollars appropriated for bus purchases
3. Capital Expenditure revenue for 1994-1995 includes proceeds from the sale of Washington Elementary

Plummer News

Effie Byer
468-4378

Arnie and Wilma Art visited with the Lee Art family on Tuesday and enjoyed a football game watching grandson Aaron be a participant.

Iowa Trip

Burnel and Effie Byer returned late Tuesday afternoon after spending a few days in Iowa. We had left on Friday noon and drove as far as Cutty's Resort on Spirit Lake, going early on Saturday morning to Coon Rapids, IA where daughter Elaina and husband Arnie Palmer had a farm auction. They are quitting farming and have moved into town. We stayed with them until Tuesday afternoon. On Sunday Neil Vigstol of Omaha, NE came over to visit and was a noon luncheon guest. On Monday we attended a family get together of in-law Wood family members and on Tuesday we visited friends in Bayard and Coon Rapids. We left in early afternoon and went as far as Norwood where we spent the night at brother Willis and Mabel Byer's home. Enroute home on Wednesday we visited a niece and a friend at Clearwater. We saw a lot of harvest fields and various country sites and had stopped for a quick tour of "The Grotto", which is a beautiful inspiring place at Wesbend, IA.

Wedding

Congratulations to Linda Hesse and Neil Mattison who were married on Saturday, September 9th, at Immanual Lutheran church of Plummer with Pastor Brockopp of Radaamar Lutheran church officiating. Linda is the daughter of Loretta and the late Don Hesse of Plummer. A reception was held at the home of Neil's parents, Jan and Jerry Fretag of Plummer.

Pam Hesse of Tampa, FL, who has been visiting her mother Loretta for the wadding of har sistar Linda, left with her brother Donnie of Elk River after the wedding and from there flew to her home in Tampa, FL.

Celebrating the seventh birthday of Seth Schmitz on Monday at the home of his parents, Joel and Judy Schmitz of Red Lake Falls, were Lowell, Cindy, Arnie and Wilma Art.

Circles Meet

Bertha Hughes entertained the Phoebe circle at her home in Thief River Falls on Tuesday afternoon. Gloria Fossum led the group in Bible study and Amelia Eskeli conducted the business. The ladies enjoyed visiting in her new apartment and delicious lunch was served.

Jodi Kay of Portland, OR came to attend the wedding of her good friend Linda and Neil Mattison.

Lorena Westerlund accompanied Kem and Alice Tillman to Grand Forks on Monday.

Arlena Kelly, Hilma Hemstad, Lorena Westerlund, Jo Raedel and Asta Westerlund visited Betty Engelstad of Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Birthday

Doris Malwitz, Sherrie Wilkens and Ruth Wilkens took Oella Rewertz out for breakfast on Tuesday morning as a special treat for her birthday.

Funeral

Out-of-town relatives who attended the funeral of Eugene Carpenter on Friday morning at Immanuel Lutheran church were Gary and Joan Carpenter and family of Jamestown, ND; Lyle and Fern Carpenter and family of Bagley, Corey and Rose Carpenter and family of Goodridge, Vernon and Carol Hovet and family of Oak Creek, WI; Cindy Thomas of Manhattan, KS; Greg and Nancy Holmes and Danielle of Osh Kosh, WI; Lawrence and Marian Carpenter of Cheyenne, WY; Fred and Pauline Becker of Buffalo; Elmer and Jo Sash of Brownsdale, William and Opal Carpenter and granddaughter of Motley, Emily Kohler of Pelican Rapids, Richard Fossum of Chippewa Falls, WI; Phyliss Kost of Fessenden, ND; Agnes Braaten of Fargo, ND; Elroy and Ada Bjerke of Georgetown. The church was filled with the relatives and many friends from the surrounding area as Eugene was well-know and respected by a host of friends.

Jim and Shirley Jaeger of St. Paul arrived on Friday and spent until Monday at the home of Howard and Margaret Greenwald. John Greenwald of Meundsview and Rick Greenwald of Stacy also spent the weekend there. They had all come for the Mattison-Hesse Wedding on Saturday.

Karen, Nick and Lowell Johnson of New York Mills spent the weekend with her mother Amelia Eskeli.

Silver Anniversary

Don and Shar Fox hosted a supper at their home on September 9th honoring Robert and Joelien Carlson on their 25th Wedding Anniversary. Attending were Burton and Joyce Carlson, Coralee Carlson, George Erickson, Jason and Paula Cater, Scott and Deb Groells, David Fox, Merlin and Judy Carlson, Ray and Irene Rosten and Gladys Rosten. Unable to attend was the couple's son Matt Carlson and his fiancee Kristi.

Bernice Witte, Lyle and Joyce Witte of Merton, Ray and Ardell Jensen of Redwood Falls attended the Neil Mattison and Linda Hesse wedding on Saturday and also visited with Floyd and Fern Hesse at their farm home, also with other relatives in this area.

Jim and Carole Wright attended an old-time Threshing demonstration at Strathcona on Sunday.

Helen and Vern Noyes of Bertram and Elma Ollie were weekend visitors of George and Hazel Ollie.

Visitors on Sunday of the Lowell Art home were Lee and Mary Art and sons of Red Lake Falls, Amy Art, Arnie and Wilma Art and Aaron Rosten.

Sunday brunch [illegible] following church services at the Floyd Hesse home were Bruce and Shelley Hesse of North Branch, Mel and Peggy Hesse and Shawn Larson.

Florence Tvedt, Clara Hesse, Charlene Tvedt, Linda Olson and three daughters attended a bridal shower on September 10th in Gatzke for Audrya Salmon who will become the bride of Shannon Nelson, son of Bonnie Nelson and grandson of Clara Hesse.

Loretta Hesse, Peggy Hesse, Clara Helley, Helen and Bill Simpson were Tuesday visitors last week of Idella Rewertz in observance of her birthday.

Betty Melby of Oklee and Florence Paquin of Kenwood, CA were last Thursday visitors of Art and Avis Froland.

Legion Auxiliary Meets

Plummer American Legion Auxiliary met on Thursday, September 14th at the Club rooms. President Karen Fossell presided with Pollie Skjerven and Lorna Huotari bringing the Secretary and Treasurer's reports. Amelia Eskeli, as music director, led in singing a few songs. These officers were recently installed, also Darlene Frayholtz as Sergeant of Arms and Fern Eskeli as Chaplain. Serving lunch were Fern and Rosemary Eskeli.

Margaret Pankow of Hankinson, ND visited on Friday with Art and Avis Froland.

Cluster Meeting

The Fall meeting of Cluster 2 of WELCA was held at First Lutheran church of Stephen on Saturday. After morning coffee and registration and a rousing prelude on the piano by Leslie Widner, Bonnie Wagner of Middle River gave the welcome. Pam Olson of First Lutheran gave a short devotion, an update of Pathways Bible Camps was given by a Pastor and Betty Brecto brought greetings from SWO Board. Special music was provided by soloist Ann Wonarowicz. Dale Rasmussen of Stephen introduced the main speaker who was Judy Lohr of East Grand Forks. First Lutheran was her childhood church and she was warmly welcomed. She spoke on "Blueprints for Living" which was the theme for the meeting. She teaches 2nd grade in East Grand Forks and was a most interesting speaker. A video of the "Third Triennial Convention" to be held in Minneapolis next July was shown and all women were urged to make plans to attend. Offering meditation was given by Dale Rasmussen and a closing devotion by Ella Sustad. Morning coffee had been served by the Salem Lutheran Ladies and the host church served a salad noon luncheon at the close of the program. Attending from here were Gloria Fossum, Bunny DuChamp, Clara Hesse, Amelia Eskeli, Lucille Kvasager and Effie Byer.

Gladys Magnall of Spearfish, SD spent a week with her sister Inga Linder and visited with other relatives and friends as well.

Community Club Meets

Plummer Community Club met on Monday evening at the hall. Ferd DeHate presided over the meeting with Lorraine Lorenson giving the Secretary-Treasurer's report. The main order of business was electing a nominating committee for election of new officers. Named were Lorna Huotari, Ruth Wilkens, Clayton Larson and Art Froland. Lunch was served by Lorraine Lorenson and Lorna Huotan.

Lowell and Marge Swenson were the benefactors of a new aviary at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls. The aviary was officially presented to the school recently. Pictured above, Challenger grade four instructors, (from left) Wandell Grand, Deve Peterson, Jan Breiland and Lola Bergland, wear promotional t-shirts "We're 4 the Birds". Joining them were Jean Petterson, Linda Olson and Marcy Mickelson. Eighteen individuals birds and nesting pairs occupy their new home in the Challenger commons. Children gathered in the commons to hear a presentation by science technician, Elizabeth Quick. The new aviary is part of the fourth grade life science curriculum.

Our 50th Anniversary Open House

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH AT THIEF RIVER FALLS – 9 A.M. - 6 P.M.
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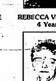
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Failed Bills Page 11
Sometimes bills that didn't pass can make the news, and "that's the way it was for gambling laws," said Senator LeRoy Stumpf.

Pre-teen winner Page 8
Heidi Young, daughter of Stephen and Palvi Young of Thief River Falls, was first runner-up in the Pre-Teen Minnesota Scholarship and Recognition program.

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- Rain soaks TRF cross-country invitational
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- Roseau wins TRF volleyball tournament

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City hears more on Soo Depot project

Thief River Falls City Council has accepted an architect's schematic design for the Soo Depot Renovation project and authorized the architect to proceed on design development for use of the depot as city administrative offices.

Tuesday night a representative of Michael J. Burns Architects presented a construction estimate and schematic. Michael Burns said the firm had worked out basic space needs for department that would eventually occupy the building, but he was not quite ready to call for bids. Some work remains to be done on the plans. He also provided an estimate, which he noted was slightly less than the last estimate. He said some cost estimates had dropped, but some had increased as well.

The total project cost has been estimated at $1,093,400, which is less than the last estimate of $1,150,645. Last year, the city raised $525,000 for the project, which includes Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act funds, and a Minnesota Historical Association match and donotions from the public. The city could pick up another $50,000 donation in the near future.

Burns' construction estimate has been broken down into several sections:

• Site improvements, which includes the parking lot, sewer and water service, sidewalk, removal of the existing garage, relocating the sign and landscaping - $64,420;

• Building envelope, which includes roof repairs, repairs to the exterior masonry, replacement of frames and windows, and repairs and replacements to doors - $143,773;

• Building addition, which includes an entrance, toilets, elevator and egress stairs - $249,535;

• First floor interior, which includes repairs to the main waiting area, such as refinishing the terrazzo floors, office area, workrooms and city council and history area - $87,130;

• Second floor, which includes an office area and toilets - $68,838;

• Basement, which involves demolition of stairs and walls; e four-inches reinforcing concrete floor and sand bed, sheetrock underside of floor, new concrete block walls, and fur-out exterior walls - $18,564;

• Miscellaneous, which includes attic insulation, and attic separation walls - $9,294;

• Mechanical construction, which includes work to the new addition, plumbing, HVAC (40 wells for geo thermal), and a sprinkler system - $203,600;

• electrical construction to the new addition, service, panel and distribution, electric heat connection, elevator connection, fire alarm, telephone raceways and lighting - $84,700;

• Systems furniture, the Haworth system - $93,800.

(The cost estimate does not include any in-kind assistance, which might be done by city crews, or study costs.)

Alderman Dale Wennberg asked whether the city still has an option of not moving into the depot?

Mayor Reeve said, "I guess we could still reject the bids."

But Wennberg asked at what point can the city stop everything?

Community Development Director Don Stewart explained that if the city council decides to accept Burns' work, the next phase will begin.

(Continued on Page 10)

Goodridge high school held its homecoming coronation Friday. John Gallagher, and Daanna Kotrba were named king and queen. Pictured above is the homecoming court: (from left, front row) Christe Boutain, Jenne Wallmen, Jamie Berndt, Daanna Kotrba, John Gallagher, Mandy Brandt, Michael Swanson, and Tyler Johnsrud; (back row) Arlan Eidalbas, Jared Sunsdahl, Christina Ryan, Danalie Hyland, Banji Marquis, and David Jones.

Marshall County Central held its coronation of homecoming king and queen Monday night. Kyle Halvorson, and Darlene Nelson were named king and queen. Pictured above is the homecoming court: (from left, front row) Jill Anderson, Denee Barrett, Tricie Mjelde, Kyle Halvorson, Darlane Nelson, Jeckie Magner, Brendi Olson, Leure Myhrer, and Melisse Jorgenson; (back row) Ben Waterworth, Matthew Nelson, Micah Ranum, Creig Renum, Erika Helvorson, Terry Olson, Weyna Magner, Micah Distel, and Berry Pederson.

City sidewalks to remain clear of commercialism

Thief River Falls public safety committee has recommended that public sidewalks remain clear of advertising. Last spring a local business requested a permit to place dining tables on downtown sidewalks. The council didn't take any action but passed it to the safety committee.

Action taken by the city council on the safety committee recommendation was just one of the items discussed during a long city council meeting last Tuesday.

According to members of the committee on the city council, the whole issue of whether public sidewalks should be used for commercial and retail use was revisited. Upon completing discussion and review, the safety committee recommended to prohibit commercial and retail use of public sidewalks except for special events such as Crazy Days and Everybody's Market, and to not amend the current ordinance by allowing special permits.

At least one council person said they had a problem with the recommendation.

Police Chief Ken Froschheiser explained that the many variables involved in issuing permits and enforcing such an ordinance would create many problems.

■ Thief River Falls city council has approved a recommendation that will hopefully bring it into compliance with the state's pay equity law. The city had received notice from the Minnesota Department of Employee Relations (DOER) that it was in non-compliance with the state's pay equity law. An appeal failed and the city was warned to take corrective action.

The action taken last Tuesday was to amend the policy regarding temporary and part-time employees by adding a section that allows 50 per cent of part-time hours to longevity pay if the employee goes to full-time status. The new amendment applies to category II and III employees only.

City Administrator Roger DeLap said preliminary indications from DOER were that this action would put the city in compliance with the law.

■ Brent Johnson of the Red Lake Watershed District presented an update on a proposed project to put riprap along 300 feet of the eastern edge of LaFave Beach park (near the swimming beach). Construction, by Davidson Construction, is expected to begin shortly and take only a couple of days.

The total estimated cost of the project is $14,050. Johnson said they received several bids, the highest being $21,000, and the lowest $14,050. The project is being paid for by a Soil and Water Conservation District matching contribution, city and Red Lake Watershed District in-kind work, and a cash outlay by the city of about $2,400.

The city was later informed of more matching grants for riverbank stabilization and handicapped fishing pier and canoe landing. The city received notice from the Minnesota Soil and Water Conservation District that it had approved a grant for 50 per cent of a riverbank stabilization project in the beach area not to exceed $11,658; and, 50 per cent of a handicapped fishing pier and canoe landing project near the dam, not to exceed $24,564.

■ The week of October 2-6 has been declared in Thief River Falls as public power week.

Thief River Falls operates a community-owned not-for-profit electric utility. It provides homes, businesses, farms, social service, and local government agencies with reliable efficient, and cost-effective electricity employing sound business practices designed to ensure the best possible service at the lowest possible rates. It is part of a community of 2,000 publicly owned electric utilities in the United States that through consumer-

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Leaf pick-up schedule to start Oct. 9

Thief River Falls sanitation department will begin its annual leaf pick-up on Monday, October 9, when collection will begin in the First Ward.

Collection will continue in rotation with the Second Ward collected on Tuesday, Third Ward on Wednesday, Fourth Ward on Thursday and Fifth Ward on Friday.

Residents are reminded to pile leaves on the north and south avenues only. Leaves for city collection should not be placed in boxes or plastic bags as they will be collected with vacuum equipment.

Burning of leaves is permitted in the city after October 1.

Revised comprehensive plan adopted by council

Task force recommended wording is accepted in plan

Thief River Falls City Council accepted an amended version of the city's comprehensive plan Tuesday night, despite citizen objections to inclusion in that plan of any mention of a Greenwood bridge.

For many years, Thief River Falls city council has been studying, and has included in comprehensive plans, plans for improvements to include bridges on Greenwood and Sherwood Avenues in Thief River Falls.

Tuesday night, even though the comprehensive plan was amended to require the city to undertake additional traffic studies, and that other possible routes be given a higher priority, some people in the audience expressed disgust and left when the amended plan was approved.

Adoption of the amended plan may have stepped on some toes other than affected residents. Tuesday night, the council accepted wording offered in a recommendation from a task force, not the city's planning commission.

Don Stewart, community development director, carefully explained that the planning commission chose not to review the task force's recommendation.

Aldermon Don Barron, a member of the planning commission, explained that prior to the vote on the planning commission recommendation, the commission was asked whether the task force recommendation should be discussed. It was decided, he said, to vote on the recommendation, and then discuss it if they wanted to. That's where it ended, Barron said.

Alderman Dale Wennberg said he was baffled at why the planning commission did not choose to discuss the task force recommendation.

Alderman Frank Hamerlinck also expressed wonder at why the planning commission ignored the advice of an advisory committee.

Of specific interest Tuesday night were the following elements of each recommendation:

• (Planning Commission) "It is further recommended that the City undertake additional traffic studies regarding the need, location and desirability of major collector streets and river and rail crossings. If it is determined in the future that additional bridges are required in the City, it is recommended that all possible crossing locations be explored and evaluated through open community meetings."

• (Task Force) "It is further recommended that the City undertake additional traffic studies, possibly in conjunction with the Pennington County highway department, to explore the feasibility and desirability of the development of a more southerly traffic route (as opposed to development of Greenwood Street) and a more easterly route (in the case of Sherwood Avenue) and that, if these studies justify it, these routes will be given a higher priority than the development of Greenwood Street and/or Sherwood Avenue."

Though the task force recommendation was approved, the council did not approve their complete recommendation. The task force also recommended that the council delete, for the six-year planning period, the proposed Greenwood Street Bridge, from the plan until additional studies have been completed and/or until the need for this

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In the horse division of the parade during the 21st annual Goose Festival in Middle River Saturday, this miniature horse entry sponsored by Gentry Tax Service received first prize.

To clear sidewalks of commercialism

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ownership ensure cost-cutting competition in the electric utility industry to the benefit of electricity consumers everywhere. The resolution states that Thief River Falls Municipal Utilities is a valuable community asset that contributes substantially to the well being of local citizens through energy efficiency, customer service, environmental protection, economic development, and safety awareness.

■ Several issues regarding variances were approved by the city council.

The council approved a variance request by Donald and Patricia Jorstad, 703 St. Paul Avenue south to construct a 10 foot by 16-foot addition onto the east side (front) of the existing residence. The request was for a five-foot variance to the 25-foot front yard setback requirement for the R-2 district.

The council approved a variance request by Frank and Debra Bruggeman, 402 Hickory Road. The Bruggeman's propose to construct a 24 foot by 24-foot garage addition onto the east side of the existing house, which would require a three foot variance to the 10 foot interior side yard setback requirement for the R-1 district.

The council approved a zoning amendment to include annexed properties in Wonderland addition and the east one-half of the southwest quarter of section 28. The properties were zoned urban/rural residential district in North township. The property will now be zoned to general residential district R-2.

Property recently annexed into the city and located also in Wonderland addition and in the east one-half of the southwest quarter, were rezoned from urban/rural residential district in accordance with North township zoning, to suburban residential district (R-1) in Thief River Falls.

The council approved a zoning amendment for recently annexed property located at 1820 Minnesota Highway One West, and owned by Marland Johnson/Johnson Greenline, from the North township zoning ordinance of commercial district, to general business district C-2 in accordance with city code.

The council approved an amended, a request to zone recently annexed property, owned by Solid Waste Integrated Systems of Pennington County. In accordance with the Rocksbury township two-mile zoning ordinance, the property was zoned industrial district. It was zoned to general industrial district I-2, in accordance with city code.

In other business, the council: approved to execute the agreement with Red Lake Electric Cooperative for annexation compensation for Swiss Corp, adopted the Management Information System policy for computer hardware and software for all city departments and equipment, approved a contract to participate in the Salvation Army Heat Share program for the 1995-96 heating season, approved a resolution in support of Thief River Falls Linen's application to the Northwest Minnesota Initiative Revolving Loan Fund; authorized Northern Municipal Utilities to install gas service line to the airport FBO building; approved a parade license for the high school and college homecoming parade; and approved a recommendation to hire Anderson, Poissant, Kays and Co. to complete the city's financial and compliance audit for 1995-1996.

Gully News

Florence Berg
288-4236

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne attended the Bazaar at Sand Valley Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Lammon of Minneapolis stopped by for afternoon coffee at the Kenneth Forsberg home on Sunday. Art was formerly from Gully and lived with his folks Varney and Edith Lammon in the home now owned by Duane Roland.

John Gallagher, and Deanne Kotrba were named king and queen of the Goodridge homecoming. The two were named king and queen at the coronation ceremony held Friday at Goodridge high school. John Gallagher, is the son of John and Esther Gallagher. Deanna Kotrba is the daughter of Ron and Gail Kotrba.

Smallest oat crop in state since 1877

Minnesota's oat crop of 18 million bushels is down 27 per cent from a year ago and the smallest production in the state since 1877—nearly 120 years, according to the Minnesota Agricultural Statistics Service.

Oat yield at 48 bushels per acre is down seven bushels from last year.

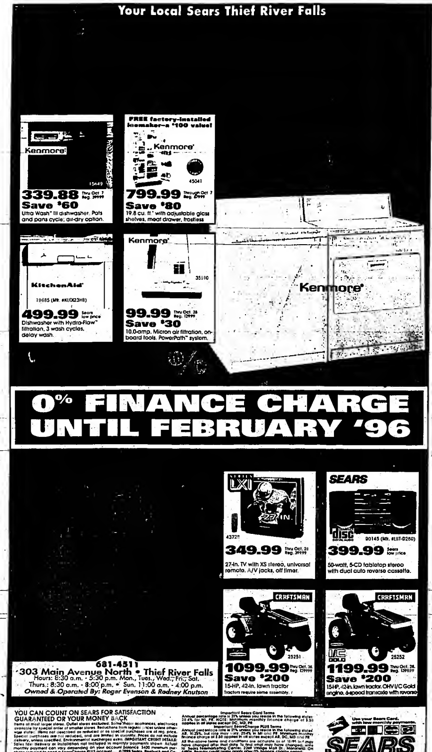
Spring wheat production in the state is placed at 70.4 million bushels, up 400,000 bushels from last year. Yield at 32 bushels per acre is up four bushels from 1994.

Durum wheat in Minnesota is estimated at 300,000 bushels, up nine per cent from the revised level of 275,000 bushels in 1994. Yield at 30 bushels per acre is up five bushels from a year ago.

Winter wheat production at 1.1 million bushels is up one per cent from last year and the yield at 33 bushels per acre is up four bushels from 1994.

Barley production of 29 million bushels is down three per cent from last year with no change in the yield from an average of 50 bushels per acre.

Rye production in the state is down 25 per cent to 609,000 bushels although yield at 29 bushels per acre is up two bushels from last year.



First place in the Middle River Goose Festival kiddie parade Saturday went to this unit of walking cake, candles and jack-o-lanterns. Left to right are (front) Cody Gram, Daniel Nelson and Cheryl Nelson; (back) April Weber and Jessica Nelson. Cody is the son of Gerald and Rhonda Gram, April is the daughter of Les and Shirley Schmidt and Daniel, Cheryl and Jessica are the children of Jay and Florence Nelson.

Over 300 people attended an appreciation dinner at the National Guard Armory in Thief River Falls recently, which was sponsored by Regan Rohl. Rohl recently switched from the investment firm of Edward D. Jones to John G. Kinnard & Co. and moved from his office near The Times to the Falls Mall. Rohl, his wife Julie and assistant Judy Reger, all joined the firm of John G. Kinnard. The Rohl's also changed the name of Falls Mall to Rohl Professional Center.

Second place in the Middle River Goose Festival kiddie parade Saturday went to this unit which included 14-month-old Tyler Blazek, daughter of Ken and Tammy Blazek, pulled by Ashley Peterson, daughter of Terry and Patti Peterson.

Third place in the kiddie parade Saturday during the 21st annual Goose Festival in Middle River was awarded to Mike Lorenson, son of Mike and Rose Lorenson, who piloted this vintage pedal airplane. Accompanying him was Vanessa Larson, daughter of David and Traci Larson.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Jaclyn and Karl Miller of Ada spent the Labor Day weekend at the home of their dad and family and made the acquaintance of their new little step-sister, Chloe Doroon, born on August 30th.

Congratulations to the happy family!

Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morrissey and great grandmothers, grandma Cwikla, Signo Miller and Inga Coan. Welcome to Chloe Doroon!

Marilyn Miller, Jon, Kacey and Robbie and Mari Lou Anderson visited during the week at the Signo Miller home.

Changes made in Mall, Rohl Bldg.

In a move that has affected many businesses in Thief River Falls, Regan and Julie Rohl have moved out of the Edward D. Jones office on Main Avenue in Thief River Falls. The Rohls have purchased the Falls Mall and redesigned it to accommodate a number of professional suites. In the shifting and changes that have taken place and will take place, the Falls Mall has been renamed Rohl Professional Center, and the Rohls have joined the firm of John G. Kinnard & Co., a full-service brokerage firm based in Minneapolis.

Rohl said he purchased the Falls Mall more than a year ago, but only recently began making changes to the building. Rohl explained that Falls Mall never really developed into a retail mall. It always consisted of professional offices. Changing the name and interior make-up of the building will fall in line with its real status.

Changes in Rohl Professional building include new windows, carpet and several professional suites. A few offices, 250-feet by 400-feet, are still available.

Rohl Professional Center will cater to brokers, Pine to Prairie Health Care, Calico Plus, Sports Cards and Novelties, attorneys, Consultant Services Inc., and a few other businesses.

One of the changes that took place during this move was moving out of his current office on Main Avenue next to The Times. The law firm of Ihle and Sparby PA moved into the former Edward D. Jones office on Main Avenue. Edward D. Jones moved into the Falls Mall.

A major change is that Rohl will no longer be associated with Edward D. Jones. Rohl, his wife Julie and assistant, Judy Reger, joined the firm of John G. Kinnard & Co. Rohl held an client appreciation dinner at the Armory recently. Over 300 clients attended the event. Several product vendors like Goldman Sachs, American Funds, Putnam, Hartford and John G. Kinnard provided 50 prizes for drawings. The Rohl's took the opportunity to greet the clients and talk about the positive changes occurring with John G. Kinnard.

Rohl views the changes as "a progressive expansion".

In the days and months to come several businesses in Thief River Falls will announce changes in location as a result of this move.

Regan Rohl of John G. Kinnard in Thief River Falls recently held an appreciation dinner for his clients who supported him as a representative of Edward D. Jones. Over 300 people attended the dinner, which was held at the armory. Rohl, his wife Julie and his assistant Judy Reger, moved into the Falls Mall, which the Rohl's purchased last year and recently renovated. They also joined the firm of John G. Kinnard & Co. and changed the name of the mall to the Rohl Professional Center.

Gully

Members from Lund served morning coffee and bars at the United Lutheran church at Berner for the Cluster Four Fall gathering of E.L.C.A. on Saturday. After morning coffee the women enjoyed the kind of hospitality, program, music and the noon meal served by the Berner women. Among those from Gully attending were Cheryl Nybo, Luverne Foro, Alice Forsberg, Natalie Haugon, Grace Nyland and Sanna Brovold.

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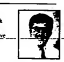

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There is always room for one more— the adoption option

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

Johanna Skildam is a happy healthy active little girl. At ten months old she is teething, crawls all over the place and likes to pull things off shelves, not unlike most children her age. Johanna is special, though. Before she was two weeks old she traveled from Florida to Minnesota to live with her mother Pastor Terri Jo Skildam of St. Hilaire.

The decision to adopt a child was a long process for Terri. She first considered the option when her parents almost adopted a foster child. She was still considering the option in college and in the seminary, all the while researching the possibilities. She made up her mind to adopt a child once she had completed the seminary and spent a year in a parish.

Growing up with kids

Pastor Skildum grew up in a house full of kids. She has one sister close to her age and another who is about seven years younger. She also had many foster brothers and sisters. At any given time there were one to three foster kids staying with the family. Terri estimates that over the years her parents cared for about 20 foster kids.

Having foster kids in the house taught Terri and her sisters important lessons. She said they learned to appreciate their parents after hearing what their foster siblings had been through.

"Our outlook on life was different (because of) having lots of other people in the house," she notes.

Having so many kids coming and going taught them to be flexible. She remembers having three new kids arrive on a Thursday while the family was preparing to leave for a camping trip on Friday.

"Well, we just packed for three more people!" she said.

Terri and her sisters also learned to be independent because with so many kids in the house no one was allowed the be the center of attention for very long.

Terri graduated from Edgewood College, Madison, WI and Wartburg Seminary, DuBuque, IA. She has been the pastor at St. Pauli Church and Calvary Church for the past five years.

Once Terri was settled in her new job and had been in St. Hilaire a few years, she decided to start contacting agencies about adoption.

Adoption process

She knew from her research that in Minnesota healthy, caucasian babies are usually given to caucasian couples and minority children are usually given to minority couples. Single parents rarely get children through agencies in Minnesota, unless the child is considered "hard to place."

Terri knew she would stand a better chance of getting an infant if she tried to adopt from outside the state or the country. She contacted a networking agency in Indiana which put her in touch with an agency in Florida. Terri found the agencies she dealt with in the south were very open to letting a single mother adopt.

After a potential parent contacts an adoption agency, a six month home study is conducted by either an agency employee or a child welfare agent. During the study, agents run a background check on a potential parent, interview family members and check references and financial statements. Agents and the potential parent also discuss the parent's social life and support system. They discuss acceptance, if the child is of another race or heritage, and how the parent plans to teach the child about his or her heritage. They also discuss how the parent will talk to the child about adoption.

Paperwork and waiting

The adoptive parents can make choices about the child they adopt. They can choose how "open" they want the adoption, as in how much contact there is with the birth parents. Terri was willing to exchange photos of the child for the first year. Parents can also make choices about adopting children with disabilities and can state whether they will accept a child with mild or severe disabilities. Adoptive parents can also choose whether or not to adopt children of another race. Terri knew that as a single parent she could not care for a child with severe disabilities, but she would accept a child of any race.

Getting through the paper work and finding a child and biological family with needs that match the adoptive family's needs takes a lot of time. Parents can wait any where from a year to five years to adopt a child.

Once a parent-child match is found, an adoption is still not certain. In some states, the parents have up to six months to change their minds, even if the child is living with her adoptive parents. Some states require the biological father to give his consent. If the father is not around to give his consent, a search is conducted. A judge may sign a waiver if the father cannot be found.

"The hardest part is the wait," said Terri.

She went through six cases before she adopted Johanna. Some times complications with the child's biological father prevented the adoption. One time a mother changed her mind after Terri was already on her way to Florida to pick up the child. Another mother changed her mind and didn't even tell the agency she had given birth.

Finally, after a year of waiting and some let downs, everything Terri had worked for became reality. On November 19, 1994 Johanna Mary-Faye was born. Terri and her mother flew to Florida and picked up Johanna when she was ten days old. Johanna came home with Terri on December 3. The adoption was finalized on July 26, 1995 and Terri was officially Johanna's mother.

Single mom

"It hasn't been as hard as I thought it would be," says Terri when asked about being a single mother.

The people of her church help her a lot. She was given six weeks of parent's leave when she brought Johanna home. The parishioners threw her a baby shower, volunteer to babysit and offer lots of moral support. She is also fortunate that she has a job which allows her to bring a child to the office. Johanna is comfortable around people and her car seat has become her second home, says Terri.

Terri says that other area ministers are also very understanding when she brings Johanna to meetings.

Right now Terri also gets help at home from her sister Kathy who recently moved to St. Hilaire and accepted a job with Arctco. Terri also gets support from other adoptive parents in the area.

"Support is really what saved me. If I didn't have a support system, I don't know if I would have gone into it," Terri explains.

One of the hardest things about becoming a parent, says Terri, is learning to live a more structured life. She first learned to be more structured when she had foster daughters stay with her. Since moving to St. Hilaire, she has had six foster daughters who stayed from a week to six months. Although Terri originally indicated a preference for younger children, all of Terri's foster daughters have all been teenagers. Terri says she thinks there is a real need in this area for families who are willing to take teenage foster children. She doesn't think being a foster parent calls for any special gift or skill.

"Kids want to know that they are safe and loved. They want someone to give them an ear that's not going to judge them."

Terri says having a child helps put her life in perspective. She admits she was becoming a workaholic. Now she takes more time for family.

She would like to adopt more children, but she doesn't know if it is feasible. Being a single mom is a lot of work and adoption can be expensive. She did tell the adoption agency that if Johanna's mother had another child up for adoption, she would like to be considered as a potential parent for the child.

For now she is just enjoying the precious gift of a happy, healthy, beautiful child named Johanna.

Terri Skildum is the proud mother of 10-month-old Johanna Faye-Marie. Terri is a pastor and a single mother. She says she lucky to have a job where she can bring a child to work. Johanna accompanies her mother to the office and on some home visits. Terri says Johanna's car seat has become a second home to Johanna.

Discussion group to meet at Crossroads

Crossroads Displaced Homemaker Program is sponsoring a discussion group for persons seeking self-improvement. The discussion time is called Coffee Break at Crossroads. The group will meet Thursdays from 3-4 p.m. at the Crossroads Library Room, 403 N. LaBree (U.S. West Building), Thief River Falls.

Topics of discussion will be of interest to persons in personal and/or professional transition. Crossroads staff will serve as discussion leader.

Topics for October are: communicating (October 5), relationships (October 12), problem solving (October 19) and personal strengths (October 26).

A schedule of topics will be posted on the Crossroads door each month and announced at each Coffee Break. Pre-registration is not necessary. Child care and transportation is reimbursable for Crossroads clients.

For more information, call Crossroads at 681-8158 or 1-800-450-8158.

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Thief River Falls-Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the Old Mill State Park from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Flu Shot and Health Clinic at Middle River Community Center from 9-11 a.m.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club. Guest speaker is superintendent Mark Hinckley.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is "communicating."

Children's Cardiac Clinic at Redeemer Lutheran Church. Call 681-2445 or 681-3760 for an appointment.

Friday

Fire Department Benefit Supper from 4-7 p.m. at Newfolden Cafeteria.

Homecoming at Marshall County Central, Newfolden.

Saturday

Annual Fall Supper at Zion Lutheran Church of Viking from 4:30-8 p.m.

Abundant Life Lutheran Church Fall Sale at the Heritage Center from 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Sunday

Fall Dinner at St. Bernard's Catholic Church from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Senior Meal at Heritage Center is a chicken dinner at noon.

Lutefisk Supper at Goodridge Community Center from 4-8 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

TRF Concert Series at 7:30 p.m. at LHS Auditorium. Performance by The Golden Strings. Call 681-7446 for ticket information.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

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SPEAKING OF

. . . Going, Going, Doggone!

In case anyone noticed that the past couple of Mondays I have looked, as my mother would have said, like a "rat dragged through a knothole," I have a good reason. I have been going to auction sales on the weekend.

Yes, auction sales. Oh, I still hit the rummage sales on Saturday mornings, but I thought it might be fun to see if I could get some bargains at auctions, so I tried going to some.

My experiences at the auction sales have not been so good and I have decided that I might be better off sticking to rummage sales.

First of all, it takes a quicker mind than mine to get good things at an auction sale. I tried to scope things out ahead of time so I knew what I wanted and then I set my little price limit on it, just like I was told to do by those "old pro" auction salers that I consulted. But the problem was that by the time I realized my item was up for bidding and by the time I had taken a breath and gotten ready to raise my hand to bid, the price had already gone past my limit.

If, by some chance, the bidding was still below my limit, I found that I was so slow that the item was already "going, going, gone" by the time I could get my hand in the air. Maybe it just takes practice or, as I said before, a quicker mind than mine to get good things at an auction sale.

Another thing about auction sales is that a person must stand around a long time — *hours, in fact* — while they wait for things other than what they want to be sold. It seems that whatever I am really wanting is always among the last things to be sold.

Since what I really want is usually sold last, I find that I sometimes get carried away with the excitement of it all and start bidding on things that are being sold early in the auction and spend all of my "auction allowance" on little things that I don't really want. Then I have no money left to spend when the item I really want comes up for bids. This is probably the reason I still haven't gotten the thing I am going to all of these auction sales for.

I definitely prefer auctions that are held inside, like the ones at the curling barn. Saturday's auction was, I think, held on the coldest day we have had so far. The wind was blowing wildly, tearing all of the beautiful leaves from the trees and onto me. All of the veteran auction salers were smart enough to wear winter coats with hoods and gloves and warm footwear, while I had on a little jacket with no hood and nothing warm on my extremities. My ears soon felt like icicles and my gloveless hands were soon so numb that I could not have held up a finger to bid even if I wanted to do so. I didn't come home with anything but food from the food stand for supper because I was too tired to cook by the time we left the auction.

Sunday afternoon was beautiful and I thought I would have a great time standing around in the crisp fall air with the sun shining and beautifully-colored leaves underfoot and above me, bidding on some wonderful items. There was no wild wind blowing and it seemed to be a perfect day for an auction sale.

It wasn't long, however, before I noticed that the bugs were out enjoying the nice weather too. I can't even tell you how many different kinds of bugs were flying around, but there were bees everywhere, as well as those tiny black flies that I hate and several other kinds that I didn't even bother to acknowledge.

And one of those doggone bugs bit me. I felt something crawling up my pants leg and kept trying to scratch it and squeeze it to death, but it kept biting. I could hardly believe I had a bug up my pants leg because I had on a pair of the heavy socks I had inherited from one of my daughters, as well as pants with stirrups on them and, of course, shoes. How the thing got up my leg I can't imagine.

When I undressed that night I found a dime-sized red spot on my leg. It was slightly swollen. Monday morning I found a 3-inch diameter swelling and a nickel-sized red spot. By Monday night, which is the night I am writing this, I have a quarter-sized red spot and my leg is swollen from my ankle bone almost to the knee — and it hurts. This is not funny. I am limping around in a pathetic manner and it is all because of some little bug. Actually, it is all because I thought it would be fun to go to an auction sale.

I don't know if I will be going to any more auction sales in the future. They are just too hard on me.

Well, maybe I will go to one or two more, but only if there is that item that I really want and only if the sale is held inside and only if there are no bugs and only if I have had a good night's sleep so I can get my bids in before the good stuff is "going, going, gone," and only if the swelling goes down and the red goes away and I can walk without limping.

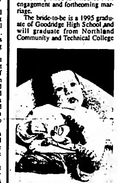
Pittman and Grindeland to marry on October 14

Amy Jo Pittman and Wade Grindeland, along with their parents, George and Carolyn Pittman of Goodridge and Thales and Paulette Grindeland of Thief River Falls, are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

The bride-to-be is a 1995 graduate of Goodridge High School and will graduate from Northland Community and Technical College in April 1996. She is employed at Polaris Industries.

Her fiance is a 1992 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1995 graduate of Northland Community College. He is employed at Arctco Inc.

An October 14 wedding is planned for 5 p.m. at the Community Church in Thief River Falls. Friends and family are invited. No invitations are being sent.



David and Teresa Haugen have a new baby girl

David and Teresa Haugen of Thief River Falls are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Shania Louise. Shania was born August 1 at 2:44 a.m. at United Hospital in Grand Forks weighing six pounds, five ounces.

Grandparents are Gail and Sandra Boice of Red Lake Falls and Theodore Haugen of Plummer. Great-grandparents are Victor and Doreen Nord of Red Lake Falls.

Holt Keenagers to meet October 13

The Holt Kennagers will meet at Holt Community Hall at 12 noon on October 13. A potluck lunch is planned.

Open house for 75th birthday of Edna Curtiss

There will be an open house birthday celebration for Edna Curtiss on Sunday, October 8 from 1 to 4 p.m. at Oak Lodge, 540 W 9th Street, Thief River Falls.

Friends and family are invited to celebrate with Edna. No gifts please.

Blood pressure and foot care clinic in Goodridge

Thursday, October 12, there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 9-11 a.m. at the Goodridge Senior Citizen's Center.

Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only.

Call Inter-County Nursing for a foot care appointment at 681-5950. The public is welcome.

Youth activities at United Methodist Church

The United Methodist Church invites all students in grades 1-5 to take part in their Praise Through Play meetings, which are held every Monday from 3-5 p.m. The children will be picked up at Challenger elementary school before each meeting and tranportation home can also be provided if necessary.

The United Methodist Church invites students in grades 6-12 to take part in UMYF, which meets every Wednesday from 3-7 p.m. On Wednesday, October 4, the group will be traveling to Old Mill State Park for fun, food and fellowship. Transportation is provided.

For more information, or to arrange for transportation, call 681-4388.

Senior Meal at Heritage Center

The senior meal at the Heritage Center on Sunday, October 8 will be a chicken dinner served at 12 noon.

Thomas and Giauque united in marriage at private ceremony

Marjorie Rose Thomas and Steven Joseph Giauque were united in marriage at 4 p.m. on July 28 in a private western ceremony at Buena Vista ski resort in Bemidji. The Reverend Kenneth Halstead officiated. A reception and dance followed at the American Legion in Bemidji.

The bride is the daughter of Eileen and the late Ben Thomas of Devils Lake, ND. The groom is the son of Myrna and Bob Giauque of Thief River Falls.

Margie, Steve and Brian, the groom's 11-year-old son, reside in the Bemidji area.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY GARY NELSON

IN RESPONSE TO THE WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT OF JOHN JAMES & SUSAN HAGGARD Printed In The Wed. Sept. 27th Edition Of The Thief River Falls Times

I, SUSAN HAGER, WOULD LIKE TO CLARIFY A FEW DETAILS:

John James and I entered into a marriage contract that was based on convenience and we were married Aug. 12th, in Reno Nevada. On Sept. 3rd, a few of John's family and one friend attended a wedding reception for us.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, John James resides in Adin, California and Susan Hager resides in Thief River Falls, Minnesota, until the time when an annulment can be obtained.

I sincerely regret any emotional trauma this may have caused my family and friends.

Susie Hager

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Bridal shower for Cecily Johnson on October 8

A bridal shower for Cecily Johnson, daughter of Ivan and Jeanette Johnson of Holt, will be held at the Nazareth Lutheran Church of Holt on October 8 at 2 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Zehlians hold first meeting of the fall

Zehlians, a member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs of Minnesota, held its first meeting of the 1995-96 season on September 20 at the home of Janice Upham. Ardy Tunberg served as co-hostess.

A program was presented by Jane Mattson in which she covered all the celebration activities planned for each month during Thief River Falls' centennial year, 1996. The program continued with reports on other Zehlian and community projects. The collectable centennial throw Zehlians will use as a fund raiser was also presented.

October 5 Zehlian members will be working at the Children's Health Services Clinic at Redeemer Church.

The next meeting will be held October 4. The program will be a discussion of the book "Embraced by the Light" by Betty Eddie.

Ann and Harlan Johnson have new baby boy

Ann and Harlan Johnson of Crosslake are proud parents of a son born Saturday, September 30 at St. Joseph Hospital, Brainerd. Keegan Stewart weighed eight pounds, one ounce and measured 22 inches at birth.

He is welcomed home by his sister Kendra, age 2. Happy grandparents are Dr. Don and Ruth Goodrich of Thief River Falls and Harold and Arla Johnson of Crosslake.

Einar and Lucille Myhrer to celebrate 50 years of marriage

There will be an open house celebrating the 50th anniversary of Einar and Lucille Myhrer on Saturday, October 14 from 1 to 5 p.m. at Harris Town Hall in Grand Rapids, south on the airport road.

All relatives and friends are welcome.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On September 23, a baby boy was born to Kent and Michelle Fritze of Thief River Falls. He has been named Kurt Roger.

• On September 24, a baby girl was born to Gerald and Susan Seim of Thief River Falls. She has been named Penny Renee.

• On September 28, a baby girl was born to Dean and Cynseri Peterson of Newfolden. She has been named Cierra Lane.

• On September 28, a baby girl was born to David and Denise St. Germain of Argyle. She has been named Emma Jean.

Bridal shower for Andrea Lundeen on October 14

A bridal shower for Andrea Lundeen, bride-to-be of Chris Stephenson, will be held on Saturday, October 14 at 2 p.m. at the C'mon Inn. All friends and family are invited to attend.

Bridal shower for Nancy Osbjornson on October 7

There will be an open house bridal shower for Nancy Osbjornson, bride-to-be of Darrell Sweep, on Saturday, October 7 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the basement of the Eagles, Thief River Falls. All friends and relatives are invited.

Jeff and Noaelle Rude have new baby girl

Jeff and Noaelle Rude of Farmington are the parents of a baby girl born October 2 in Minneapolis. Grandparents are Leo and Geri Omundson of Eagen and James and Gail Rude of Thief River Falls.

Nelson and Opdahl wed at Oakland Park

Tiffani Nelson and Darryl Opdahl were united in marriage at 4 p.m. on September 2 at Oakland Park in Thief River Falls. Dale Nabben of Bismarck, ND, cousin of the groom's mother, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Tom Nelson of Thief River Falls. The groom is the son of Duane and Corinne Opdahl of Thief River Falls.

Music for the ceremony was provided by singer Jackie Smith, friend of the couple and organist Shon Thompson, cousin of the groom. Selections were "I Swear," "Can You Feel the Love Tonight" and "The Rose." The park was decorated with a white arch way and purple steamers.

The bride wore a white satin, long-sleeve dress with a V-neck and a train. Sequins, beads and lace accented the bodice, sleeves and train of the gown. The bride's waist-length train was trimmed with sequins and pearls. She carried a bouquet of purple, lavender, pink and white roses and carnations was accented with a lace border and purple and white ribbon.

Patty Kulvik of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple, served as maid of honor. Serving as bridesmaids were Tammy Carter of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple, Erica Opdahl of Thief River Falls, sister-in-law of the groom, Sara Nelson of Viking, sister-in-law of the bride and Deb Bruggeman of Thief River Falls, sister of the groom. The bride's attendants wore purple tea length gowns and carried lace-trimmed bouquets with white, purple and lavender carnations.

The flower girl was Courtney Bruggeman of Thief River Falls, niece of the groom. She wore a purple tea length dress and carried a white basket with purple, lavender and white carnations. The miniature bride was Kelsey Nelson of Red Lake Falls, cousin of the bride, who wore a white dress similar to the bride's gown.

The bride's personal attendant was Denise Opdahl, sister of the groom.

The groom wore a white tuxedo with tails and a boutonniere made of a white rose and purple accent.

Serving as his brother's best man was Dale Opdahl of Thief River Falls. Groomsmen were Travis Nelson of Thief River Falls, brother of the groom, Murray Hogenson of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple, Frank Bruggeman of Thief River Falls, brother-in-law of the groom and Jason Nelson of Viking, brother of the bride. The groomsmen wore black tuxedos with purple swirl vests and tails. The best man's boutonniere was a purple rose with white accent, and the groomsmen's boutonnieres were lavendor carnations with white accent.

The ring bearer was Jerry Redden of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple. He wore a black tuxedo with purple swirl vest and tails. The miniature groom was Darren Opdahl of Thief River Falls, brother of the groom. He wore a white tux with tails similar to the groom.

Ushers were Brandon Nelson of Red Lake Falls, cousin of the bride, Richard Wegge of Thief River Falls, cousin of the groom, Kyle Jordet of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple. They wore tuxedos and boutonnieres similar to the groomsmen.

For her son's wedding, the mother of the groom chose a tan and purple street length dress with purple accessories. She wore a corsage made of purple carnations accented with white carnations and baby's breath. The fathers of the couple wore boutonnieres of lavender carnations.

Honored guests were Cora Nabben, Francis Opdahl and Henry Opdahl, all grandparents of the groom and Leona Bobrowski and Martin Nelson; both grandparents of the bride.

Hosts and hostesses at the reception were Pam and Jerry Nelson, aunt and uncle of the bride, and Mary and Curt Thompson, aunt and uncle of the groom. The guest book attendant was Kevin Shetler and Jeremy Bulger, friends of the couple.

The cake had three tiers decorated in purple with yellow roses and a bride and groom cake top. There were also two sheet cakes on either side. Cakes were baked and decorated by Marsha Smith, aunt of the bride. Cake cutters were Tracy Peters, cousin of the bride and Marsha Smith, aunt of the bride.

Coffee servers were LaVonne Wegge, godmother of the groom, and Barb Goebauer, aunt of the bride. Punch was served by Cheryl Srnsky, aunt of the groom and Marie Fillipi, special friend of the bride. Flower hostesses was Brenda Eckstein, cousin of the groom and Shelly Knott, cousin of the bride.

After a trip to the Twin Cities, the couple is at home in Thief River Falls. The bride attended Lincoln High School and the groom is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln and a 1991 graduate of Northland College. Both are employed at River Road Casino.

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ACTIVITIES

Nature Walk

Fall is a wonderful time for exploring nature and all the changes that happen at this time of year. Before going on a nature walk, be sure to give your child a bag, so he/she can collect fall treasures of leaves, grass, small sticks, weeds, flowers, feathers, pine cones, acorns and bird nests. Fall is the best time for exploring bird nests as they lose their camouflage with changing colors and falling leaves. Another advantage of nest hunting in the fall is that young families are not disturbed since they have grown and left the nest. A nest can be taken because new nests will be built in the spring.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need the items you collected on your nature walk, a paper grocery bag, an old shirt and paint (tempera, water colors or even water colored with food coloring).

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Polacco, Patricia. My Ol' Man. Discover how a rock brings surprising good fortune when a travelling salesman and his family are down and out and all looks hopeless.

Lasky, Kathryn. Pond Year. Join in the fun as two best friends, pond buddies and scum chums, play on the river bank catching crawdaddies, making mud cookies and skating across the frozen, sleeping expanse.

VIDEO VARIETY

Maurice Sendak's Really Rosie. Explore the concepts of numbers, the alphabet and manners as Rosie sweeps the neighborhood Nutshell Kids into the beam of her private spotlight as they perform in her pretend movie.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Make Time To Read

Parents (and other significant persons in a young child's life) are encouraged to read at least 15 minutes a day to a child they care about. It's hard to believe that this one simple task can have so many positive benefits for a child. Jim Trelease, author of the "Read-Aloud Handbook", feels that next to hugging your child, reading aloud is probably the longest-lasting experience that you can put into your child's life.

Research tells us that reading aloud to children on a regular basis will improve their reading, writing, speaking, listening and imagining skills, as well as improving their attitudes toward learning. Wow!! If this one simple task of reading aloud to children can do all this, why aren't we all doing it? If you are not reading aloud to your child, make time to do it! If you are already reading to your child on a regular basis, pat yourself on the back and keep on doing it!

Many parents will ask, "When shall I start reading to my child?" and "At what age shall I stop?" The answers are to start as early as the two of you enjoy it and continue as long as the two of you enjoy it. Some parents begin reading to their newborn infant and continue into late elementary years. Even adults may enjoy being read to.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

As you read to a very young child, talk about the pictures on the page and ask him/her to point to the various things in the pictures. Next you point and have the child identify the picture.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc. if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

ON THE OTHER HAND

MacKenzie Carriere
Lincoln High School

The first day of school I experienced my ultimate fear-being a new student in a new school. I had come to Lincoln for the Magnet Arts program as a junior. On this first morning, the gray pavement seemed to pull us along faster, and the town appeared out of nowhere. I was wishing that time would stand still, and we could drive forever. Butterflies of enormous sizes fluttered fast about my nauseous stomach as we reached Lincoln high school. My friend's white car stopped in front of the school, and I started to hyperventilate.

My heart rate grew increasingly fast as I walked through the lobby dragging my fake leather school bag on the floor. Kids were crowded in the halls, and I could just feel eyes everywhere staring at us trying not to let us notice. Where were we supposed to go? *I felt like a lost puppy* following my friend around. I don't know why I followed her because she had no clue either.

We had already received our schedule in the mail along with our locker numbers, so our goal was to first find our lockers. (Actually first I had to go to the office and give them my health information, then we went in search of our lockers.) Frustrated with it taking so long, we decided to ask someone. A friend of my friend led us upstairs, down the hall, and we found our lockers right next to each other. Great! At least now we could lead each other to class without walking a long distance to the other's locker. We didn't know where to get our combinations, so we had to ask a friend. He led us to the Student Affairs Office. We had to wait in line forever, but we finally got what we needed, so we headed back upstairs thinking this would be easy.

When we got to our lockers, we could not get them open, so we found someone else to open them. That was stupid because all they did was open them, they never showed us how to do it. We headed to class with our bags full. After four classes, which included a quiz, we finally had lunch. Noon time is always great, especially here since we had an open noon hour. The school I had gone to only had open noon hour for seniors, but it didn't matter as much because there was nowhere to go anyway. Here, you can take off in a car, walk to the four or five restaurants, or you can have the school's lunch.

But our first day noon hour was spent upstairs trying to figure out how to open our lockers ourselves. Consider that in our former school we only had locks on our gym lockers and most of us decided not to use them, because we didn't care if our crappy gym clothes got stolen. Now we took up the whole noon hour trying to get them open. Finally, at the end of our patience and growing very frustrated, we asked another friend to show us. This time we watched more closely. We were so excited when we finally got it. (Don't laugh! We were definitely not used to this kind of locker.) By then, nervousness had calmed, and I was feeling a bit more comfortable.

After noon I had my Literary Arts two-hour block. That caused more fright because this time I didn't have my friend along in the class, so I was feeling even more scared. But in the hour I felt welcome, and then the bell rang. When I got home, I fell asleep exhausted form the whole stressful, nervous, frustrating day. Since then, however, I have found that school here is great!

(The writers of this column are members of the Literary Arts class, a Magnet Arts Program at Lincoln high school.)

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

I'm Not Cut Out To Be Cool

I'm not cool. No, this is not a new revelation. It's something I've known about myself for a long, long time. I'm used to it now. But I was reminded of my uncoolness last week when a child in my son's preschool class brought pogs.

I'm not sure if the word "pog" is supposed to be a proper name and be capitalized, or what. I don't even know what a pog is and what a person is supposed to do with it.

If I were cool, I would definitely know about things like this. It seems as if I'm always years behind new fashions, decorating styles, television shows and stars, games, fads, you name it. By the time I catch up with the so-called cutting-edge, I'm too late. I think it's my destiny.

The origins of my uncoolness can be traced to my childhood. I accuse my mom of dressing me like a "nerd" during my elementary school years. But she insists that those anklet sacks and patent leather shoes were in vogue, just as my curlicue hairdo. Mom thought I was cute. All I know is that I felt funny, and looking at pictures from my First Communion, I think I looked funny.

That look carried with me to junior high school. How I yearned to be cool, just like a handful of the other kids.

I told my mom I wanted jeans. They had to be a certain brand; I didn't know the name, but I knew the cool jeans had a v-like stitching on the pockets or a wavey line. The store we shopped at only stocked jeans with the straight line on the pocket. Although I knew these were not exactly the cool jeans, I bought them anyway. They were the only choice.

Next, I needed a pair of fancy tennis shoes. I just itched to have those shoes with the blue suede, accented with a sort of white stripe. Because they were a little more expensive than the ones my family would buy, I had to pay the difference. I didn't care; I had to have those shoes.

This was exactly the same case with the waffle stompers that were in fashion 18 years ago, along with H.A.S.H. jeans, those trendy jeans with the wide bottoms. I had to have them; they were cool.

For some reason I felt a little out of place wearing these cool items. How come I didn't feel cool?

Maybe it's because I had to wear snow boots to school. Yes, I had to walk a mile to school and mom watched me walk out the door, and she made sure I was wearing boots.

In junior high, wearing boots was definitely not cool. About three blocks away from school, I took my boots off, hid them under a pine tree, put my shoes on and walked the rest of the way to school. All during the day I prayed that my boots would still be under that tree on the way home.

My prayers were always answered and the boots were under the tree, a little stiff, but still there. That's the price I paid for being cool.

I always wanted to fit in, to be cool. But my other personality often kicked in. As a sophomore in high school, I was asked to homecoming by a senior.

When it came time to pick out a dress, I didn't choose a frilly, floor-length gown. No, I had to have a strange streak and buy a brown, knee-length skirt with a shirt and vest. Not cool.

I don't know what possessed me, but I didn't feel like conforming. My date looked a little skeptical when he picked me up. That was our first and last date. Maybe by then I didn't pay attention to what people thought. Maybe, I was never meant to be cool.

Now I go about life's routine with nary a thought of whether I'm cool. Anyone for a game of pogs?

Pervis & Bantin exchange vows on August 6th

Amy Pervis and Russell Bantin were united in marriage on August 6 at Seventh Day Adventist Church, Thief River Falls at 3 p.m. with Pastor Casey Higgins officiating at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Melvin and Judy Pervis of Middle River, and the groom is the son of Robert and Vivian Bantin of Little Valley, NY.

Music was provided by Dr. Jim Grindley, Dr. Tim Rittenour and Shuley Hayek, friends of the bride. Selections were "This is the Day," "I Will Be Here" and "I'll Love you all the Days of My Life." The Men's Quartet sang "The Lord's Prayer." The string quartet was Kari Lindemoen and Strings and the pianist was Sylvia Grindley, friend of the bride. Candle lighting music and attendant's processional was Pachelbel's "Canon in D." The bride's processional was "Wedding March" played on the piano. The recessional was "Trumpet Voluntary."

Serving as matron of honor was Becky Lovey of Dayton, OH, friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Marie Fentress of Wilton, CT, friend of the bride, Lisa Pervis of Holt, sister-in-law of the bride and Diane Meekma of Thief River Falls, cousin of the bride. The flower girl was Julie Pervis of Creswell, OR, niece of the bride.

John Dietel of Rochester, friend of the couple, served as best man. Groomsmen were Aleksander Sekulic of Rochester, friend of the couple, Kevin Browne of Rochester, friend of the couple and Dana Bantin of Salamanca, NY, brother of the groom.

The Bible boy was James Pervis of Holt, nephew of the bride. The ushers were Melvin Pervis, Jr. of Lincoln, NE, and Wayne Pervis of Clark, MO, both brothers of the bride and James Milks of Pleasanthill, TN, nephew of the groom.

The host and hostess of the reception were Ronald and Susan Meekma, uncle and aunt of the groom. Guest book attendant was Margie Pervis, sister-in-law of the bride. Cake cutters were Arlene Walseth, friend of the bride, and Debbie Meekma, cousin of the bride. Punch servers were Laura Pervis, niece of the bride and Melissa Milks, niece of the groom.

After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple is at home in Lincoln, NE. The bride is a graduate of Highland View Academy, Hagerstown, MD. Prior to the wedding, she was employed by Dr. Ben Sayler, D.D.S., Thief River Falls. The groom is a graduate of Salamanca High, Salamanca, NY. He is currently a student at Union College, Lincoln, NE.

Gully

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Arvasan visited at the Arnold Brovold home on Sunday afternoon.

Lyla Hansan and Ann Lahsa from McIntosh were Sunday afternoon callers guests at Florence Borgs.

Lyn Turonne spent Friday night and Saturday at her moms Ellie Handy. Diana Planta, Walter Handy and Emma Nyland called on Ellie on Sunday.

Lydia Lia, Emma Nyland and Ellie spent Tuesday in Thief River Falls.

Reiner

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tvaltbakk, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tvaltbakk and Lorraine Tvaltbakk all of Clearbrook visited at the Otto and Hulda Sigarud home on Saturday and also with Oray Mikkelsan at Washington.

Sunday morning, Bob Halvarson, Chancey and Amy and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Olsen, Kristie and Meghan were coffee guests at the Otto and Hulda Sigarud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marrio Millar and Alice al Graltan and Virginia Carriera al Thief River Falls visited at the Signe Millar home on Sunday afternoon. Eddie Sjulastad, Dorothy Millar and granddaughter, Kari Millar and Judy Miller also visited on Sunday at the Signe Millar home.

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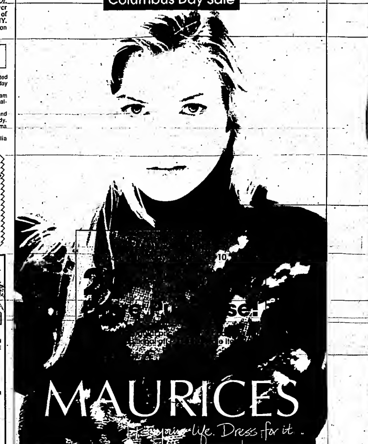

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Obituaries

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AlRay Jones, 25

AlRay Jones, 25

Thief River Falls — AlRay William Jones, 25, died on Sunday, October 1 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, October 6 at 2 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church, Goodridge with Rev. Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music will be provided by organist soloist Joy Nordby and vocalist Marie Anderson. Selections are "In the Garden" and "On Eagles Wings." Congregational hymns are "Children of the Heavenly Father" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers will be Sherman Jones, Bruce Jones, Alan Kiesow, Robert Bechard, Steven Weber, Jay Bechard, Jr. Honorary casketbearers are all of AlRay's friends and relatives.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, October 5 at the Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls from 1-9 p.m. with a 7 p.m. prayer service at the church on Friday for one hour prior to services.

AlRay William Jones was born on September 26, 1970 at Thief River Falls, the son of Wallace and Janice (Warne) Jones. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith at Faith Lutheran Church in Goodridge and attended school in the area. He graduated from high school in 1989.

Following graduation, he worked for several farmers in the Goodridge area and also worked at the Occupational Development Center in Thief River Falls in 1994.

He was united in marriage to Michelle Bechard on January 9, 1994 at Faith Lutheran Church in Goodridge.

He enjoyed watching and playing sports; was active on the Goodridge Volunteer Fire Department and active in darts leagues in the area. AlRay enjoyed deer hunting, the outdoors and spending time with family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Michelle, Thief River Falls; parents, Wally and Jan Jones, Goodridge; brothers, Gary of Thief River Falls, Brian of Thief River Falls, Bruce of Goodridge and Sherman of Thief River Falls; grandparents, Ray and Alpha Warne, Grygla and Allen and his wife Ruth Jones of Goodridge; many nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts and uncles.

He was preceded in death by brothers, Harlan Richard and Wallace Jr.; grandmother Mynle Jones and uncle Dayle Kainz.

Ernest Huot, 69

Thief River Falls — Ernest Huot, 69, died Thursday, September 28 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls, as the result of a car accident Thursday evening on his way home from work.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m. on Sunday, October 1 at Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Rev. Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music was provided by organist Sara Beyer, vocalists Polly and Cris Beyer and trumpet player Rev. Dahlen. Selections were "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art." The congregational hymn was "The Old Rugged Cross."

Casketbearers were Chris Omlid, Wade Christensen, Donnie Wikert, Terry Mercil, Rocky Wikert and Johnnie Mercil. Interment was at Rosebud Cemetery, Steenerson township, Beltrami county.

Ernest Henry Huot, Jr. was born March 22, 1926 to the late Ernest and Emma (Benoit) Huot in Crookston. He attended school and grew to adulthood in Louisville township, Red Lake county.

Ernie worked as a truck driver for 10 years in Salinas, CA. He moved back to the Red Lake Falls area in 1965.

He was united in marriage to Hazel Johnson Omlid on September 2, 1966 in Sisseton, SD. The couple made their home in Thief River Falls where Ernie worked at Arctco from 1967-81. He also worked at Hartz Warehouse and he was presently employed as a B&G Products salesman and a truck driver for Rolland Brule of Red Lake Falls.

Ernie was a member of the VFW, the American Legion and the Eagles of Thief River Falls. He enjoyed spending his spare time cutting class and woodworking.

He is survived by his wife Hazel; two step daughters; Phyllis Wikert of Grygla and Linda Broeker of Eden Prairie; two step sons, Clayton Omlid of Isanti and Ronnie Omlid of Minneapolis; 15 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one brother, Tom Huot of Red Lake Falls and seven sisters, Lillian Grenier, Jean Beyer, Dolores Glass, Pat Ruth, Rita Hagl, Mae Darlene Gjerstad, all of Red Lake Falls and Sharon Benoit, Duluth. He was also survived by nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother Jack and one step daughter, Elaine Omlid Christensen.

Lena Johnson, 97

Thief River Falls — Lena Johnson, 97, died on Tuesday, September 26 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, September 30 at Calvary Lutheran Church, St. Hilaire with Rev. Terri Jo Skildum officiating. Special music was provided by organist Deb Holmgren and soloist Diane Johnson. Selections were "Day by Day" and "On Eagle's Wings." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "Old Rugged Cross."

Casketbearers were Mark Langevin, Glen Haugen, Woodrow Almquist, Donald Appel. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls with arrangements by Green Funeral Home.

Lena Dorothy Bothman was born on October 8, 1897 in Omaha, NE, the daughter of Christ and Josephine (Steen) Bothman. She was baptized in Omaha, NE on October 9, 1900 and moved with her parents to the St. Hilaire area when she was six years old. She attended school in rural St. Hilaire, District 178. Lena worked with her parents on the family farm.

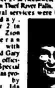
She was united in marriage to Daniel A. Johnson on November 12, 1920 at Thief River Falls. The couple farmed in River Falls township, Pennington county until Daniel became ill in 1971. He died on November 2, 1978. The couple moved into St. Hilaire in 1973 and Lena moved to Thief River Falls in 1984. Lena later moved into Oakland Park Nursing Home where she resided until her death.

She is survived by nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband Dan; one sister, Mary Bendickson and two brothers, Frank and Willie.

Lorette Newbury, 77

Thief River Falls — Lorette Newbury, 77, died on Friday, September 29 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.



Funeral services were held on Monday, October 2 in the Zion Lutheran Church with Reverend Gary Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and vocalist Diane Johnson. Selections were "On Eagle's Wings" and "How Great Thou Art." Congregational hymns were "When Peace Like a River" and "Lift High the Cross."

Casketbearers were Art Baringrud, Joe Forberg, Brent Johnson, Harold Kelly, Glenn Peterson. Interment was at the Greenwood Cemetery.

Lorette Ann Newbury was born on April 29, 1918 in Thief River Falls to Ambrose and (Anna Houdek) Kelly. She was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith and attended school in Thief River Falls.

On December 24, 1937, she was united in marriage to Vance Newbury in Thief River Falls. The couple made their home in Thief River Falls. Vance died on September 10, 1993.

Lorette was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, the Zion WELCA and began the Zion Lutheran Library and served as librarian. She also worked for the Northwest Medical Center gift shop for some time and was a member of the hospital auxiliary.

She is survived by her daughter, Durelle Storhaug of Thief River Falls; three grandchildren, Mark of Alexandria, Bruce of Grand Forks, ND and Janelle of Thief River Falls; four great-grandchildren; one aunt, Marie Kelly of Thief River Falls and two cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband; one infant son, Vance Charles Newbury and one sister, Dorothy Manning.

Elda Eilertson, 88

Thief River Falls — Elda Victoria Eilertson, 88, died unexpectedly on Saturday, September 30 at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, October 4 at Karlstad Gospel Tabernacle, Karlstad, with Pastor Ollie Urdahl officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Adeline Ingebrigtsen and vocalists Mr. and Mrs. Ingolf Ingebrigtsen. Selections are "Beside Still Waters" and "I Will Pilot Thee." Congregational hymns are "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers are Kenneth Peterson, Byron Eilertson, Raymond Anderson, Robert Thompson, Jr., Chester Martinson and Denton Peterson. Interment will be at Jupiter Mission Cemetery near Kennedy.

Elda was born at Springbrook township, Kittson county, near Kennedy, on March 12, 1907 to Nate and Minnie (Johnson) Eilertson. She attended school and grew to womanhood there. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

Elda farmed with her family in Springbrook township for many years. In 1971, she moved into Karlstad where she has since made her home.

She is survived by several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents, five brothers and five sisters.

Marion Rustvold, 70

Fargo, ND — Marion Helen Rustvold, 70, died Monday, September 25 at Detroit Lakes.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, September 28 at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Fargo. Interment was at the Riverside Cemetery, Fargo, ND with Hanson-Runsvold Funeral Home, Fargo, in charge of arrangements.

Marion Helen Thompson was born on February 23, 1925 near Grygla, the sixth child of Randolph and Sophia Thompson. Marion attended grade school near Grygla and at age 12 moved to Thief River Falls to attend Lincoln High School, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1941.

In 1943, she moved to Detroit, MI, working in an aircraft factory through World War II.

Marion married Charles H. Rustvold of Grygla on January 10, 1946 in Grygla. The couple made their home briefly in the Los Angeles area before moving to Thief River Falls. In 1948, Charles and Marion moved to Detroit, MI, staying in Michigan until coming to Fargo, ND in 1952.

On December 17, 1954, the couple became parents of a son, Jeffrey Lynn, born in Fargo.

Marion returned to school in 1967, taking nurses training at NDSSS in Wahpeton. She graduated near the top of her class and was employed by Dakota Hospital in Fargo in 1969, working in pediatrics until her retirement in 1989.

Marion is survived by her husband Charles; son Jeffrey, Fargo; two brothers, Richard, St. Paul and Clifford, Edina; three sisters, Coriane Haugen and Mildred Wick, Thief River Falls and Betty Wick; two granddaughters, Melanie and Megan Rustvold and thirteen nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Eleanor Thompson and a daughter, Diane Rochelle Rustvold

Steven Larson, 48

Irvine, CA — Steven Robert Larson, 48, died at his home on September 23 following a two year battle with cancer.

Services were held at Voyagers Bible Church in Irvine, CA on September 27.

Steve was born on May 3, 1947 to Kenneth and Anna (Carlson) Larson in Fergus Falls. He lived and attended school there until he graduated from high school in 1965.

After receiving a Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Education from Bemidji State College, he served in the military. His two years of service included six months in Viet Nam.

He married Linda Olson, the daughter of Don and Sylvia Okon, in St. Paul on February 16, 1974. During their 21 years of marriage, they called many places home. They were blessed with two sons, Zachary and Matthew.

Steven was employed in various aspects of the construction industry throughout his life; most recently he owned and operated a light construction and repair business.

He is survived by his wife Linda; two sons, Zac and Matt of Irvine; father Kenneth of Battle Lake; brother Kenwood of Dent; sister Helen Hauge of Irvine; half sisters, JoAnn of Hayward, CA and Stacy of Battle Lake; six nephews and seven nieces.

He was preceded in death by his mother Anna and his nephew Kraig Larson.

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Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkerson of Paris, MO and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruud visited at the Wayne Ruud home at Karlstad.

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When death occurs in a family, prompt notice should be given to any religious, military, or fraternal organizations to which the deceased may have belonged. They often provide impressive commemorative rites to honor the good service of the deceased during his/her lifetime. Such organizations often provide cash death benefits, similar to the V.A. and Social Security, which may be lost if not applied for within a specified time.
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Home Health Aide course is offered

Persons who have successfully completed the Minnesota Technical College System's 75-hour or more Nurse Assistant Course and the Competency Exam; are on the Minnesota Registry and want to become Home Health Aides are eligible for a 15-hour course beginning October 19 in Room 115 at Northland Community and Technical College.

The 15 hours of content in the Home Health Aide course are focused on preparing persons who will be employed by home health care agencies or in other home care situations. Upon successful completion of the course, participants will be issued certificates of completion.

Testing will also be available to those who want to be placed on the Minnesota Registry. The curriculum has been approved by the Minnesota Department of Health.

First course session will be October 19 from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. Second session will be October 20 from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. and an all-day session on October 21 is scheduled from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Cost for the course is $50 for the training and $40 for testing. For more information or to preregister contact the Custom Training and Continuing Education department at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls, phone 681-0793 or 1-800-959-6282.

Gray cat held at animal pound

Thief River Falls animal pound is holding a gray and white shorthaired cat. The male cat was found on South Riverside on September 27. For more information about this cat and others that might be held at the animal pound, please call the Pennington County Law Enforcement Center at 681-6161.

Heidi Young, daughter of Stephen and Paivi Young of Thief River Falls, was second runner-up in the Pre-Teen Minnesota Scholarship and Recognition Program recently at the Radisson Hotel in St. Paul. She is shown in the top photo with her trophies and in the bottom photo with her older Sister Eeva who played a flute duet with her during the voluntary talent presentation.

Heidi Young is 1st runner-up at Pre-Teen event

Twelve-year-old Heidi Young, daughter of Stephen and Paivi Young of Thief River Falls, was first runner-up in the Pre-Teen Minnesota Scholarship and Recognition Program conducted recently at the Radisson Hotel in St. Paul.

Approximately 65 female honor roll students and achievers ranging in age from seven through 12 years competed in the event. Heidi qualified for the 1996 Pre-Teen America National Competition to be held July 3-7 next year at the Southern Hills Mariott in Tulsa, OK, where she will compete for more than $25,000 in educational bonds, prizes and awards.

At the state event, Heidi received a $500 Series EE U.S. savings bond for her second place finish, a semi-finalist medallion for being in the top five and a semi-finalist award for being in the top 20. She also won the Pre-Teen Minnesota Service Award for volunteer service to the community.

Heidi was also a volunteer participant in the talent division, playing a flute duet—the theme song from "Schindler's List"—with her older sister Eeva.

Among Heidi's list of activities in the community were several items from Finland where she spent much of this summer. She provided 30 hours of volunteer service at a retirement and nursing center, played flute and piano at a summer festival and danced with the Ruolahti Youth Folk Dance Group.

She has played flute and/or piano at a number of community events, had the female lead role and been a cast member in summer musicals, performed in the LHS choir telethon and at United Methodist Church.

Heidi played elementary school basketball and participated in tennis and track at Franklin middle school. She was on the Franklin student council, played first chair flute and was a student director in the band, was on the Quiz Bowl and Knowledge Bowl teams and a member of the Morning Darkness jazz band.

A piano student of Nicole Antonenko in Grand Forks, ND and flute student of Marie Hvidsten in Thief River Falls, she has won a number of piano awards at Minnesota Music Teachers Association All-State Piano Contests and Ensemble Festivals since 1988.

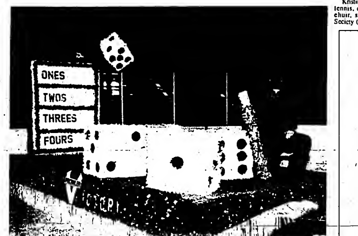
Heidi is semi-fluent in the Finnish language, enjoys international travel, writing to international pen pals and collecting foreign stamps as well as reading and backgammon.

Heidi competed in the pre-teen Senior Division for girls 10 through 12 years of age. The Junior Division was for girls seven through nine years of age. First place winners were selected in each division with four runners-up selected from among all finalists. Only those girls who are in the top 10 per cent ranking in the state academically are invited to participate.

River Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Lundeen, Robbie and Kate, attended the wedding of Travis Carlson and Tracy Disrud on Saturday at the Hope Lutheran church in Fosston. On Sunday Gelene, Vincent, Katie and Robbie were guests at the Glen Bergeron home along with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lundeen of Fosston.

Overall best entry in the float competition during homecoming for Lincoln high school last week was this model of culinary artistry created by the senior class. It received the $50 first prize. The float featured a number of cleverly created oversize bakery products. The Friday parade was canceled due to rain but an abbreviated victory parade featuring the class floats was held on Monday although light rain fell that afternoon as well. Pictured left to right are Amity scholar Reyes Alcon, seniors Myndy Olson, Ben Schmitz, Nicola Burne, Adam Fulton, Sarah Koland, Lisa Odegaard and Amity scholar Tobias Schmitz.



Originality award went to the junior class with this entry in the homecoming float competition for Lincoln high school. The Yahtze theme was carried out in weatherproof materials in preparation for bad weather but the parade scheduled for Friday afternoon was canceled due to rain. It also rained lightly on the victory parade rescheduled for Monday afternoon. Wearing the Prowler mascot uniform is class member Josh Clark.

Student Rotarians named

Jill Dekkers

Kristine Goddard

Jill Dekkers, 18, daughter of Willard and Beverly Dekkers and Kristine Goddard, daughter of Tom and Wendy Goddard, are serving as student Rotarians during October with the Thief River Falls Rotary Club. Both are seniors at Lincoln high school.

Jill is a member of the jazz band, wind ensemble, concert choir, National Honor Society and Project 4 Teens as well as accompanist for the Swingsations Jazz Choir and the Magnet Arts music program.

A member of her church youth group and ministry team, she is also pianist at the church. Her hobbies include playing the piano and anything involved with music, snow and water skiing and working with children, including giving piano lessons.

Jill has sisters Vonda, 25 and Danae 20 and brothers Brian, 22 and Brad, 15.

Jill plans to attend a private college with a strong music program because she intends to at least minor in music. She is considering a career in elementary education.

Kristine Goddard is involved in tennis, drama, Project 4 Teens, choir, speech, National Honor Society (historian), Close-up and is a Leadership Team member. She attends the Northern Expressions School of the Arts at Lincoln where she was enrolled in drama last year and in media this year.

She is a third grade Sunday school teacher, taught Vacation Bible School, is a church lector and member of the church choir. Kris has one sister, Beth, who is in 10th grade. She plans to attend college and major in elementary education or advertising/marketing.

Student Rotarians attend the Monday noon dinner meetings of the club and report on activities and events at Lincoln school.

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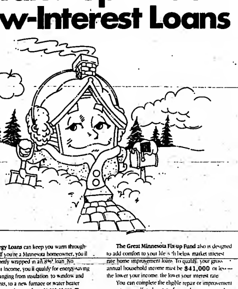

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Trail News

Sunday evening visitors with Rose Aaknes were Frances Sunsdahl of Tower, Delores Healy of San Mateo, CA, Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Kathy Bakke of Gonvick.

Al & Vi Radniecki of Oklee, Rose Aaknes and Delores Healy of San Mateo, CA took their sister Frances Sunsdahl of Tower back home to Tower. Rose and Delores spent the weekend with Frances. Al & Vi Radniecki were overnight guests with their son Dean and Angie Radniecki at Hoyt Lakes.

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Kyle Halvorson and Derlena Nelson were named king and queen of the 1995 Marshall County Central Homecoming. The coronation was held Monday night in the school gym. Kyle is the son of Robert and Lynnee Halvorson. Derlene is the daughter of John and Susan Nelson.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Sunday, Evelyn Severts and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts, also Gertrude Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Paetznick of Middle River brought birthday wishes to Melissa Smith at the Miles Smith home rural Middle River.

Birthdays

Birthdays for the month of October are Harlene Overgaard, Wayne Lunsetter, Tommy Ostby, Tommy Larson, Tom Bornstein, Melanie Lunsetter, Monty Peterson, Glenn Saxvold, Karla Klomar, Marlyn Sistad, Peter Polonsky, Jason Simmons, Coleen Kiesow, Penny Johnson, Jordon Engen, Ron Kiesow, Cindy Loo, Ed Monson, Wayne Larson, Tracy Kriel, Ronald Engelstad, Evelyn Rogers, Karon Severts, Craig Swenson, Joshua Howard, Bonnie Howard, Lori Ann Hagen, Carole Auno, Sandy Severts, Walter Lunsetter, Barbara Lunsetter, Ernie Nelson, George Engen, Heather Klamar, Susan Konerr and Christopher Auno.

Wedding Anniversaries

Those celebrating wedding anniversaries are Ron and Coleen Kiesow, Ronald and Linda Engelstad and Clifford and Mary Klamar.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Shannon Nelson and Audrey Salmon who were married at St. Hilaire on Saturday.

Also congratulations to Mark Sistad and Jenna Hoffman who were married on Saturday at the United Lutheran church in Gatzke.

Several people attended the weddings and it was such a beautiful day.

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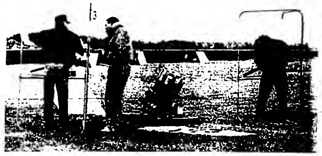
681-5606 THIEF RIVER FALLS

Scarecrow village was set up for judging near the post office in Middle River during the 21st annual Goose Festival Saturday. Characters included such luminaries as Bill and Hillary Clinton astride the king size Canada goose at left in the photo.

Crafters from around the area jammed the Davidson building in Middle River Saturday for the 21st annual Goose Festival. A wide variety of items was on display and for sale.



Shooters trying the Bird Brain computerized trap shoot at Middle River Saturday during the annual Goose Festival often needed a bit of instruction as to what was coming next. Traps set up at various stations tossed clay pigeons at a variety of heights and angles, including incoming pairs and targets sent rolling and bouncing across the ground.

Double winner at the Middle River Goose Festival parade was the entry from the Community Church in Thief River Falls (formerly Jesus is King Ministries). The float won first place trophies in the church division and band division.

Business was brisk at the Nazareth Lutheran Church food counter in the Davidson building in Middle River during the Goose Festival Saturday as customers lined up for such Scandinavian delicacies as warm lefse right off the grill and cups of rommegrot sprinkled with cinnamon and brown sugar. Lutefisk lovers will have to wait a few weeks.

This Arctic Cat dragster used to set a snowmobile speed record a number of years ago was judged the best entry overall in the Middle River Goose Festival parade Saturday.

City hears additional report from architect on depot project

(Continued from Page 1)

Burns said a move from the city auditorium to the depot would improve the efficiency of city operations

Mayor Reeve added that it brings the city hall into the 21st century.

Alderman Wennberg wondered what the city would do with the city auditorium?

Mayor Reeve said that's another issue.

Shortly after that, the city council accepted an amended ADA plan for the city auditorium. The plan, prepared by the firm of Yeater Hennings Ruff Shultz Rokke and Welch of Moorhead, outlines four options. In their opinion the fourth option, or option D, is the best solution to providing accessibility to the auditorium with the least effect on current space utilization. The plan calls for a new entrance to the north, not just to those needing the assistance of an elevator. They estimated the cost to implement this option at $212,000.

Option D, however, was the most expensive option according to the comparative cost analysis provided by the firm. In addition to the cost highlighted by the firm, additional alternates could add another $126,500 to each option.

Option A summary states: "Design Option A incorporates an addition to the south side of the building which would include a vestibule and an elevator. The elevator would allow access to the basement, gymnasium and second levels. The first floor level off the main lobby would need to be accessed from the gymnasium by the use of a chair lift. Interior work would include partial remodeling of the City Administrators area in the basement to allow elevator access and equipment room. The existing basement toilets and janitors closet would be reconfigured to meet accessibility standards." Total cost - $203,400.

Option B summary states: "Design Option B would involve an addition to the north side of the building containing a vestibule and stair up to the gymnasium floor level. On the interior, the secondary stair, which is currently accessed from the outside, would be removed and an elevator inserted in its place. The elevator would be accessible from the new entrance lobby on the north side. A lift would still be required to access the first floor office spaces, however, this can be accomplished without entering the gymnasium. Minor remodeling would need to occur on the east side of the building in the basement to allow elevator access. The basement floor toilet would be reconfigured similar to Option A." Total cost - $198,000.

Option C summary states: "Design Option C involves an addition to the north side of the building similar to Option B, except that direct stair access is also provided to the basement. The stair and elevator would empty into a single lobby area in the basement. Basement toilets will also be reconfigured." Total cost - $211,800.

The council has not officially decided on how to finance either the Depot project or the auditorium ADA improvements.

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Arnold Narverud (right) was a recipient of the Hiram Award for service to the Masonic Lodge at a special awards dinner conducted recently at the Evergreen Eating Emporium in Thief River Falls. The award was presented by Dale Nelson, Master of the lodge in 1994, who nominated him for consideration. Narverud joined the lodge where his father was a 50-year member and Past Master before leaving for service during the Korean War. He was raised to Master Mason in January of 1951. After returning from service he started through the line of stations and chair officers until becoming Master of the lodge in 1969. He has been treasurer of the lodge for 12 years. He has served as secretary, treasurer and president of the Northwest Shrine Club, president of the Oriental Band, president councilor of the Order of DeMolay and Patron of Winslow Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star. Narverud served 10 years of the city council and is a past president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Five members of Lodge No. 236 AF & AM have received the Hiram Award for outstanding service. Pictured left to right are Ernest Swenson, Goodridge; Ed Doeling, Kenneth Shaw and Arnold Narverud, Thief River Falls; and Donald Walker, Red Lake Falls.

An award plaque in memory of her husband Irv was presented by Dode Wilson to the Masonic Lodge in Thief River Falls. The plaque lists local winners of the Hiram Award for exceptional service. Mrs. Wilson is pictured with Donald Walker (left) of Red Lake Falls and Arnold Narverud of Thief River Falls, recipients of the Hiram Award in 1995.

Donald Walker (right) of Red Lake Falls received the Hiram Award for service to the Masonic Lodge at a special awards dinner recently. Presenting the award was his son Alan, Master of Lodge 236 in Thief River Falls, who nominated him for the award. Masonic membership in the Walker family goes back four generations to Donald's grandfather George and continued through is father Clayton. Donald joined the Masons in 1944 at Lodge 308 in Red Lake Falls, progressed through the chairs there and served the lodge as Master. Lodge 308 merged with Lodge 236 in 1973 and Donald repeated the progression in the combined lodge, serving as Master in 1992.

City adopts amended future plan

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bridge across the river is supported by additional studies.

The planning commission recommended that the Greenwood Street and Sherwood Avenue projects be deleted from the list of the "most critical improvements on the Transportation Plan".

Greenwood and Sherwood Avenue are on the Minnesota State Aid system program, and the city receives funds to maintain and improve these streets from the state. The city has also invested a significant amount in infrastructure on the roads as well.

Councilmen did not accept the recommendations because to do so might prevent the streets from qualifying for the funds in the future. Also, one result might be that the city would have to pay the state back for funds it has received for the streets.

Stewart said it is likely that the city would have to repay between $100,000 and $300,000.

Though Alderman Dale Wennberg is alderman for residents of the Third ward, many of whom disapprove of any mention of a bridge on Greenwood Street, he said he was in favor of the task force recommendation and leaving the Greenwood and Sherwood projects in the plan because it buys the city some time and prevents the city from having to pay back some dollars it cannot afford to lose.

Sami Haj, a resident in the area, asked what guarantees residents have that it (the bridge on Greenwood) will not get brought back up?

It was explained that the project has been on the comprehensive plan for many years. Just because it's on the plan doesn't guarantee it will get done anytime in the near future. It also takes about four years to get everything in place to build a bridge. Further, the council has taken steps with this recommendation to ensure that there will be further studies of traffic and safety regarding any future for the streets.

Because of some of the confusion caused in reviewing the recommendations, Stewart was asked to read the amended plan affected by the task force recommendation.

Specifically, the plan now states in reference to the recommendations: "Concerns that these improvements not be made prematurely or in a manner that would encourage substantial truck traffic on these streets, particularly on Greenwood Street and Sherwood Avenue, must be addressed. The City may wish to conduct more detailed transportation planning and traffic studies before programming these river and rail crossings."

Bills that didn't pass make news

"Sometimes at the Legislature the big news stories are about the bills that didn't pass, and that's the way it was for gambling laws during the 1995 session," reports Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls.

As concern has grown about gambling, pressure has also grown to limit advertising of gambling. One proposed amendment would have put severe limits on gambling ads and another would have prevented the State Lottery from advertising.

"The idea had quite a bit of support from folks who believe that ads glamorize gambling and may be a harmful influence on young people," Sen. Stumpf said. "The tough part of the issue was determining how such a ban would work. In the end, the idea was dropped."

While limits on ads failed, so did some efforts at gambling expansion. A bill to put video slot machines in bars was killed in committee. The legislation would have set up the State Lottery as the operator of the machines.

As a way of being fair to local clubs and charities, one measure would have forgiven the existing taxes paid on unsold pulltabs. Sen. Stumpf says the idea would have cost the state too much revenue and the proposal was defeated in committee.

"In addition to all the proposals that did not become law, there were a few ideas that did," he says. "Some of these involve charitable gaming and compulsive gambling."

Local organizations that use gaming as a source of income will have more flexibility to spend that income. The legal definition of "lawful purpose expenditure" was expanded in at least a couple of significant ways.

Instead of the former limit of $15,000 for payment of real estate taxes and other assessments, the limit will be $35,000. The definition of "lawful purpose" was also changed to allow donations to community festival organizers.

"Because of the growing problem of compulsive gambling, the state's Department of Human Services was appropriated $1.8 million," Sen. Stumpf said. "This appropriation comes from the State Lottery funds, and it is to be used for the treatment of compulsive gambling.

"What will happen next? You can expect to see many of the same issues addressed in the 1996 session. The Governor's Advisory Commission will also be reporting to the Legislature with its findings about where gambling policy in Minnesota should go."

Seek producers to try planting experimental grasses, shrubs

Natural Resources Conservation Service is actively seeking producers interested in trying newly released grasses, shrubs and tree species, according to Mike Ratzlaff of the NRCS office at 1305 Dale Street in Thief River Falls.

The Plant Materials Center in Bismarck, ND, works in cooperation with state universities and agencies to develop varieties for release in Minnesota, South Dakota and North Dakota.

Ratzlaff said the Plant Materials Center works through local soil and water conservation districts to find producers with special resource problems or who are interested in being a source of seed.

Some of the species available this year and their uses include: Bison Big Bluestem, seed increase; Maximillian Sunflower, wildlife planting on riparian wildlife area; Dune Wildrye, inland sand dune blowout; Dahurian Wildrye, vegetative barrier; Sandbar Willow and False Indigo, streambank protection.

Persons interested in participating in this type of program or who have questions regarding it are invited to call the NRCS office at 681-3348. Sign-up for this program ends October 15.

OSHA protective equipment workshop scheduled at NCTC

Personal protective equipment workshop will take place October 17 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in room 131 of Northland Community and Technical College. Cost is $25 and registration must be made prior to October 16.

Janet Aultman, former OSHA investigator, will conduct the workshop which is designed to help employers comply with OSHA's revised standards pertaining to personal protective equipment. The class includes how to conduct a hazard assessment and training/recommendations.

To register, call 1-800-959-6282 or 218-681-0793.

Stuhaugs thank their friends for holding benefit

Keith and Jan Stuhaug have thanked their family and friends for the medical benefit for Jan held in Erskine September 10.

Recognized were those who organized the benefit, businesses and individuals who sponsored and friends and family for donations and support.

"Jan and I have always considered ourselves very fortunate in our 30 years of marriage," Keith said. "We have had a great marriage, four great children, two beautiful grandchildren, two more on the way and many, many friends. September 10 you made us realize even more how blessed and loved we really are."

Goodridge

Visitors on Monday at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls were Leslie Iverson and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls visited with Elmer Liedberg at the Valley Home in Thief River Falls during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls also visited with Elmer at Valley Home during the week.

Those who attended a coffee party at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls on Thursday evening were Mrs. Donnie Jensen, Janice Peterson, Carol Nelson and Roger, Thelma Culkins and Eilene Purdy.

Jodi Gustafson of Thief River Falls visited at the Neil Liedberg home later Thursday evening.

Mrs. Nathan Liedberg of rural Thief River Falls visited at the Neil Liedberg home during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg to the fish fry at the VFW Club rooms in Thief River Falls on Friday evening. Later Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Norman Liedberg home.

Mrs. Donnie Jensen was a coffee guest at the Neil Liedberg home during the week.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri of Thief River Falls attended the annual Turkey supper at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Strandquist

Grant Gjovik of Wannaska, 57, died, Thursday, September 21, 1995, in Rochester.

He was born April 26, 1938, in Roseau County, the son of Roy and Gladys (Erickson) Gjovik. He spent a few years in Chicago and grew up in Strathcona, graduating from Greenbush high school. He worked for Jackson Ford Motor Co. in Roseau, farmed, taught small engine classes at the Roseau Community school and most recently owned and operated grain-hauling semi-trailers.

Brooks

Mr. and Mrs. Herold Bolstad and Luke of Fosston visited with her mother Mrs. Mayme Berberich.

Miss Mary Jane Capp of Grafton, ND visited with her brother and sister-in-law, Ray and Ann Capp last week.

Renie Grove of Erskine visited with her grandmother Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum, Dorothy Myhre, Harvey and Mamie Riendeau were among those who attended the Plummer Senior Citizen potluck in Plummer on Wednesday.

Mrs. Diane Westlake of Moorhead was a Saturday overnight guest of her mother, Mrs. Nora Delage and also visited with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Westlake.

Thursday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Barb Slover and Diane Planle.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was a Wednesday evening dinner guest of Mrs. Edna Hydo of Plummer.

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Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
686-4470

Pancho and Cher Gagner, Derek and Andrea Larson visited his parents, Robert and Rose Gagner, residents of the Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

On Friday Mrs. Joann Delage joined her son Dr. Brian and Christi Delage and family of Ortonville, her sister Marlene and David Martin of Coon Rapids, Bob and Madonna Potts of Rosemount in Park Rapids and attended the Northland 100 Bicycle Run which Brian and Christi were involved in.

Mrs. Vi Gagner and Madonne Rysavy hosted a dinner party in honor of Mrs. Eunice Quesnel's birthday at 3rd Base on Sunday.

Dick and Judy Olson traveled to Yankton, SD on Saturday to spend the weekend with their daughter and son-in-law Shannon and Scott Knutson and to help their grandsons Seth and Zachary celebrate their birthday. "Happy Birthday Seth and Zachary!"

Dick and Grace Rack attended the wedding of Lee and Lorna Nielson's daughter Brenda and Scott Krueger on Saturday at the Nielson home.

Dan and Renie Plante hosted a birthday party in honor of their son Brandon's first birthday on Wednesday with great-grandparents, Harvey and Mamie Riendeau, grandparents Sharon Riendeau, Jean Plante and Lauri Malwitz of Red Lake Falls. Michelle Riendeau and Emily as guest to help Brandon celebrate. Happy Birthday Brandon!

Rod and Charlene Myhre of Red Lake Falls were Sunday afternoon and evening dinner guests of his mother Mrs. Dorothy Myhre.

Mike and Sharon Riendeau, hosted a Sunday evening dinner with Harvey and Mamie Riendeau, Ben and Ethel Riendeau of Maple Lake as guest.

Mrs. Dianne Gagner and her mother Mrs. Ragna Gunderson of Oklee visited with Rolland and Nancy Gagner of Mentor on Sunday.

Friday to Sunday guest of Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum were her brother and sister-in-law, Omer and Marion Fretle of Ogilvie.

Walter and Willie Katschke, Jason and Sherri Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Friday evening dinner guests at Maron's of Winger when they celebrated Jason's birthday.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hince, Bill Hawkyard and Velma Kathman all of the Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachary, Tammy Grove and Courtney Gustafson all of Oklee, Russell and Shawn Hince and Evangeline Grove.

On Sunday, Ray and Ann Capp and sister, Mary Jane Capp traveled to Lakota, ND where they attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Ann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Dougherty of Lakota, ND.

Many of the Brooks Area residents attended the St. Joseph church dinner in Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

Tammy Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee, Mrs. Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was an early bird coffee guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Duane and Barb Myhrer of Red Lake Falls on Monday.

Entertainment Guide

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OCT. 2 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	OCT. 3 OLD TYME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "VERNON ROGALLA"	OCT. 4	OCT. 5 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 6 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 7 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M. DINNER 5-7 DANCE 8:30-12:30 "AL MIKESH"
OCT. 9 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	OCT. 10 AERIE MEETING 8:30 P.M.	OCT. 11	OCT. 12 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 13 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 14 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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OCT. 2 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 3 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	OCT. 4 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	OCT. 5 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 6 FISH FRY 5:30-8 DANCE 9-1 "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"	OCT. 7 BAR BINGO 5-6:30
OCT. 9 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 POST. AUX. MTG. 8:00	OCT. 10 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	OCT. 11 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	OCT. 12 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 13 BUFFALO FEED 5:30-8 DANCE 9-1 "COUNTRY CARGO"	OCT. 14 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 MEMBERSHIP SUPPER

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15 FISH BOWL SPECIAL AT BINGO	16 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m. Win Big!	17 Sea Food Platter	18 Blackjack Tournament Guys' Night Out At Bingo	19 Steak Night $5.00	20 Prime Rib & Walleye Special	21 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
22 October Birthdays $5.00 Off Bingo	23 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m. Win Big!	24 Fish Fry Night	25 Blackjack Tournament	26 Steak Night $5.00	27 Try The Noon Buffet	28 $5.00 Bingo Discount If Dressed Up For Halloween
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Lefse bakers for Nazareth Lutheran Church of Holt found a ready supply of eager buyers at the 21st annual Goose Festival Saturday in Middle River. Here another round of the potato delicacy is taken from the grill by Margaret Thompson and placed on the pile to await the next purchaser.

First National Bank of Thief River Falls and Middle River won first place in the commercial division of the Middle River Goose Festival parade Saturday, September 30, in downtown Middle River. The float noted the bank's 50th anniversary as well as the 90th anniversary of the city of Middle River.

Jackie Peterson, princess of the Appaloosa Horse Association, received a third place finish in horse division judging of the parade Saturday during the annual Goose Festival in Middle River.

Jerry Hestekind with his pony and cart took second place in the horse entry division at the Middle River Goose Festival parade Saturday, September 30.

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Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Ray and Bernice Barth left Thursday and were overnight guests at the Cliff Barth home in Breckenridge. On Friday morning they went to Dixon, MO and were guests at the Glenn Barth home. On Saturday they attended the retirement ceremonies of Fort Leonard Wood. Glenn was among the retirees. Ray and Bernice returned home on Monday.

Dishonored checks were among citations listed in the Pennington Co. court reports

Several cases for issuance of dishonored checks were listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the past week. In addition, one unique case listed in the bulletin involved failure to provide proper food and care for horses.

Cindy Rae Carter, Thief River Falls, 43, was sentenced on a misdemeanor charges of failure to provide proper food for equine, and neglect in the minimum care required for health and well-being of a companion animal, following an investigation by the Pennington county sheriff's department. Fines and fees amounted to $377.50 in the case. She was also ordered to pay restitution of $190. A jail term was stayed on condition she pays the fine and restitution, and for the next six months cannot care for animals for compensation.

Pennington county sheriff department cases: Deanna Marie Robinson, Red Lake Falls, 27, issuance of worthless checks, $142.50, $170.63 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Karla Leigh Lusignan, Thief River Falls, 20, issuance of worthless checks, $152.50, $28.42 restitution; Gilbert Andy Olson, West Fargo, ND, 21, issuance of worthless checks, $142.50, $33.69 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Jeremy Allen Pearson, Warroad, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50;

Ray Jerome Appel, St. Hilaire, 31, assault in the fifth degree, $897.50, one year in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Thomas William Huffman, no address, 44, issuance of worthless checks, $2,838.25 restitution, 30 days in jail, placed on supervised probation for five years; Tracy Lynn Larson, Newfolden, 30, issue dishonored checks, $142.50, $105.34 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Jeffrey Scott Olson, Greendale trailer court, Thief River Falls, no age listed, violation of a harassment order, 90 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed; Terry Keith Olson, Newfolden, 44, driving while intoxicated, $[illegible], 30 days in jail stayed for one year;

Nathan Gustaf Anderson, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50; Eric Leonard Bjorgaard, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50; Ryan Thomas Gryskewicz, Thief River Falls, 17, exhibition driving, $64.50; Gerald Duane Rivinius, Billings, MT, 53, 75/55, $87.50; Jeanene Louise Stenseth, Goodridge, 17, 77/55, $99; Katrina Gaye Wysocki, Long Prairie, 25, issuance of worthless checks, $147.50, $261.19 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Chad Douglas Qualley, Mentor, 26, 79/55, $99; Mark Eugene Randash, Moorhead, 39, seat belt usage, $47.25; Ryan Tony Skibicki, Thief River Falls, 19, 65/55, $64.50; Tyrone Harold Trimmer, Fargo, ND, 27, expired medical card, $87.50;

William Carl Bitker, Detroit Lakes, 51, 75/55, $87.50; Bridgette Ann Boucha, Warroad, 16, 65/55, $64.50; Darryl Lynn Boutoin, Goodridge, 23, gross driving while intoxicated, $1,117.50, 180 days in jail with all but 45 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Todd William Lewis, Thief River Falls, 29, 74/55, $87.50; Durwood G. Lindsey, Jr., East Grand Forks, 39, 68/55, $76; Thomas Richard Palmgren, Andover, 24, 72/55, expired registration, $129;

LTP Enterprises Inc., Fargo, ND, unsafe equipment, $68.50; LTP Enterprises Inc., Fargo, ND, permitting unsafe equipment, $68.50; Michael Ralph Mepean, Bogley, 46, over four axle weight by 4,500 pounds, $352.50; Chad Joseph McKash, Trenton, ND, 74/55, $87.50; Jeffrey Lee Aokhus, Brooks, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Robert Nettleton Holmes, Eden Prairie, 53, 65/55, $64.50; Fred Arnold Swanson, Minneapolis, 30, failure to change address on driver's license, $30.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Andrew Lee Peterson, Thief River Falls, 19, wrong side of the street, $22.50; Nichole Lynn Hallick, Grand Forks, ND, 21, driving after expiration, $122.50; Julie Ann Isaak, Goodridge, 34, inattentive driving, $122.50; James John Jaros, Thief River Falls, 20, no seat belt, $47.25; Jennifer Ann Redden, Thief River Falls, 23, no proof of insurance, no current registration, $516.50, 15 days in jail stayed for one year;

Jeffrey Larry Sele, Thief River Falls, 24, furnishing alcohol to individuals under the age of 21, $267.50, 91 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Darin Scott Teie, Thief River Falls, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Darin Scott Teie, Thief River Falls, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Victoria Lee Wishard, Thief River Falls, 37, fifth degree assault, 15 days in jail with all but four days stayed for two years;

Nicholas Wayne Hanson, Thief River Falls, 20, possession of a controlled substance in the fifth degree, $987.50, supervised probation for five years; Alissa Lee Hietala, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption by a minor, $87.50; Louis Maynard Krueger III, Thief River Falls, 20, consumption under 21, $87.50; Benjamin Bates Layton, Grassy Lake, Alberta, 40, failure to stop for a stop signal, $122.50; Jeffrey Scott Olson, Greendale trailer court, Thief River Falls, no age listed, violation of a restraining order, $37.50, 60 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed;

Randal Lyle Stennes, Newfolden, 27, overtime parking, $22.50; Annelle Smith Stigsell, Thief River Falls, 51, 45/30, $87.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking, $22.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking, $22.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking, $22.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking, $22.50;

Robert John Bruun, Thief River Falls, 19, theft under $200, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Gerald Edward Larson, Trail, 32, no current registration, $41.50; Tracy Lynn Larson, Newfolden, 30, overtime parking, $22.50; Tracy Lynn Larson, Newfolden, 30, overtime parking, $22.50; Debra Ann Severson, Thief River Falls, 36, overtime parking, $22.50; Randal Lyle Stennes, Newfolden, 27, overtime parking, $22.50; Daniel Lee Timm, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50; Lorie Beth Zblewski, Thief River Falls, 16, 41/30, $76.

Little Oak

Orben Good and grandson Mike called at the Willie Good home Monday evening.

Renee Marquis called at the Clara Peterson home on Monday.

Ardith Kloth of Thief River Falls visited at the Ida Haugen home on Tuesday afternoon. Then later in the afternoon Ardith and her mom visited at the Gary Johnson home and were luncheon guests there.

Ida Haugen enjoyed a telephone call Wednesday evening from her daughter, Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA.

Fern Philipp visited at the Ida Haugen home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson of Issaquah, WA arrived at the Clara Peterson home Friday afternoon. Others who came to visit Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson in the evening were the Ricky, Rodney and Bruce Bjerklie family. They are visiting with relatives in the area for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Haugen of Hibbing came up on Friday evening. He did some plowing when we was here. They were overnight guests at the Ida Haugen home Saturday night and returned to their home on Sunday afternoon.

On Saturday, Clara Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson visited at the Ida Haugen home and they also visited with Orrin and Janice Haugen.

On Sunday, Bud and Linda Homme visited with Orrin and Janice Haugen.

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Sports Section

Teammates Becky Mooney (right) and Lisa Swenson of Thief River Falls ran stride-for-stride during the girls varsity race in the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational high school cross country meet. Mooney finished fourth and Swenson was fifth. The meet was held in a steady rain at the Thief River Golf Club.

Rain soaks TRF Invitational

Rain soaked runners, coaches, race officials and spectators Monday during the annual Thief River Falls Sports Boosters invitational high school cross country meet.

Meet-opening junior high races were run in a steady downpour. The rain turned to a drizzle by the time the varsity runners lined up, but they faced a soggy Thief River Golf Club course.

The weather made for a difficult day for first-year Thief River Falls head coach Caara Holmstrom, the meet manager. She collected team totals and top individual finishers, but was still trying to gather information on her own runners when this edition of The Times was printed. Those times and places will be published when they become available.

"It was really miserable," said Holmstrom.

Detroit Lakes boys and Bemidji girls won varsity team titles. Dane Larson of Park Rapids Area and Jennie Weibe of Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal were the top individual runners.

The Prowlers were again led by the tandem of Becky Mooney and Lisa Swenson, fourth and fifth, respectively in the girls race, but Holmstrom has been happy throughout the season with the progress that all of her runners have made.

"It's been going really well," she said. "They've all come a long ways from where they started. They're working hard and their times are dropping."

Varsity Boys

■ Team totals - Detroit Lakes 41, Park Rapids Area 97, International Falls 104, Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal 106, Bemidji 117, Warroad 148, Roseau 165, Crookston 226, East Grand Forks 255.

■ Top five - 1. Dane Larson, Park Rapids Area, 16:02; 2. Chad Leister, Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal, 16:31; 3. Jonah Beckerman, Detroit Lakes, 16:37; 4. Nate Peterson, Detroit Lakes, 16:43; 5. Russ Brandon, Bagley/Fosston, 16:48.

Varsity Girls

■ Team totals - Bemidji 48, International Falls 75, Detroit Lakes 90, Thief River Falls 120, Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal 127, Park Rapids Area 217, Crookston 231.

■ Top five - 1. Jennie Weibe, Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal, 15:52; 2. Erica Espe, Roseau, 16:02; 3. Tanya Prince, Bemidji, 16:08; 4. Becky Mooney, TRF, 16:29; 5. Lisa Swenson, TRF, 16:36.

Junior Varsity Boys

■ Team totals - Park Rapids Area 26, Bemidji 81, Lake of the Woods 115, East Grand Forks 122, Thief River Falls 182.

■ Individuals - 1. Nick Koshnick, Detroit Lakes, 16:00.

Junior High Boys

■ Team totals - Crookston 77, Detroit Lakes 83, Bemidji 92, Park Rapids Area 136, Roseau 148, East Grand Forks 160.

■ Individuals - 1. Tim Lindgren, Crookston, 15:13.

Junior High Girls

■ Team totals - Bemidji 52, Grand Forks 86, Detroit Lakes 108, Crookston 122, Park Rapids Area 158, Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal 159.

■ Individuals - 1. Lindsay Brummer, Roseau, 17.14.

Top runner for the Thief River Falls boys varsity Monday during the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational cross country meet was Ronnie Lund. The rain-soaked meet was held at the Thief River Golf Club.

Thief River Falls 34-14 football winner over Park Rapids...

Prowlers meet challenge

Twice Thief River Falls answered Park Rapids Area challenges Friday and went on to collect a convincing 34-14 high school football win.

The Prowlers, thanks to a 59-yard run by Paul Kopari on the game's first play, scored quickly. The Panthers came right back for a first-possession touchdown of their own, only to see Thief River Falls regain a one-touchdown edge minutes later en route to a 20-6 halftime lead.

And when Park Rapids began the second half with an impressive seven-minute, 12-play, 63-yard touchdown drive, Thief River Falls turned the ensuing possession into a 13-play, 70-yard march that ised up the rest of the third quarter and rebuilt a 26-14 scoreboard spread.

"Someone once said good teams will respond when challenged," said Mumm. "And we did that twice."

It was a Thief River Falls homecoming match-up featuring two teams figured to fight for second place behind front-runner Detroit Lakes in the Section 8A regular season standings. The Panthers, who still must meet the Lakers, came in at 4-0. The Prowlers, who lost to Detroit Lakes in the 1995 opener, have now won four straight.

"It was a good game," noted Mumm. "They have a good team. They deserved the points they got. I don't think they're going to lose too many more football games. But we played well. I'm very happy with the kids."

Sparked by Kopari's game-opening burst behind strong blocking on the right side of the line, the Prowlers quickly covered 73 yards in five plays and scored on a 1-yard quarterback sneak by Keith Anderson with just 2:17 gone. Nick Chiodo added a two-point conversion run when Mumm pulled the kicking team off the field following a Park Rapids penalty on the extra-point line-up.

The Panthers showed why they were 4-0 with a 10-play, 60-yard touchdown drive on their first possession, leading to an 11-yard run by Ryan Breitbach through a hole on the left side. The conversion pass was dropped, however, leaving the Prowlers ahead 8-6 with 4:11 to play in the first quarter.

What might be the season's best bit of highlight film material made a 14-6 when tight end Kyle Nelson, wide open in the Park Rapids secondary, stretched to make a fingertip catch of an Anderson pass for a 23-yard touchdown three plays into the second quarter.

It remained a one-touchdown margin until the final moments of the first half when a head-shaking fake punt run by Park Rapids' Mark Jacobson on a fourth-and-20 from his own 13 came up 17 yards short. That gave the ball to the Thief River Falls offense at the Park Rapids 16 with 1:21 remaining.

Two plays later it was 20-6 as a hole opened up in the middle for fullback Aaron Ehrenstrom – a 10-yard touchdown run with 49 seconds on the clock.

With Breitbach, a 5-10, 165-pound senior, doing most of the work, the Panthers' touchdown drive to start the second half chopped the difference to 20-14 when Sean Kimball went over left tackle from 10 yards out. The snap on the conversion kick was bobbled by holder Isaac Hjermstad, but the back-up quarterback rolled out and hit Jethro Klotz in the end zone for the two-pointer.

However, the Prowlers matched the Panthers' effort with their own momentum-building drive. Unlike the ground-orientated Park Rapids offense, the versatile Thief River Falls attack featured some nifty balance, with Anderson going to Jason Breiland and Ryan Bendickson on passing plays covering 20 and 18 yards before finding Steve Rambeck, who made a nice catch in the back of the end zone, on a 12-yard touchdown toss.

"Our play-action passes worked well," acknowledged Mumm. "As well as we executed, they (Panthers) didn't know where the ball was."

There were 34 seconds left in the third quarter when Rambeck scored to make it 26-14, and moments later the ball was back in the Prowlers' hands when the ensuing kickoff was fumbled and Breiland recovered at the Panthers' 34.

Breiland went wide right for a 10-yard gain, Anderson and Kopari hooked up on a 16-yard pass and Chiodo hit the left corner of the end zone on a sweep with 10:39 to play. An Anderson-to-Chiodo pass on the conversion attempt completed the scoring.

Anderson finished 7-for-12 in the air for 131 yards, throwing to six different receivers. Kopari wound up with a team-high 87 yards rushing on six attempts. Breitbach carried 20 times for 117 yards to lead the Panthers' offense.

It was the final regular season home game of the year for the Prowlers, who will be at Crookston Friday for a 7:30 p.m. contest.

Statistics

	TRF	PR
First Downs	13	10
by rushing	6	6
by passing	6	0
by penalty	0	4
Rushing attempts-yards	44-228	39-140
Pass att-comp-int	12-7-1	7-0-0
Yards passing	131	0
Total offensive yards	359	140
Fumbles-fumbles lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties-yards	6-66	5-36
Punts-average	1-25.0	2-38.0

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Park Rapids	6	0	8	0	14
Thief River Falls	8	12	6	8	34

TRF - Keith Anderson, 1-yard run, Nick Chiodo run

PR - Ryan Breitbach, 11-yard run; pass failed.

TRF - Kyle Nelson, 23-yard pass from Anderson; run failed.

TRF - Aaron Ehrenstrom, 10-yard run; run failed.

PR - Sean Kimball, 10-yard run; Jethro Klotz pass from Isaac Hjermstad.

TRF - Steve Rambeck, 12-yard pass from Anderson, pass failed.

TRF - Chiodo, 10-yard run, Chiodo pass, from Anderson

Individuals

■ Rushing (TRF) Paul Kopari 6-87; Aaron Ehrenstrom 12-58, Nick Chiodo 8-19, Kyle Anderson 2-17, Jason Breiland 4-17; Trevor Lee 1-7; Keith Anderson 2-7; Bryan Cleven 3-6, Tony Fletcher 1-5; Josh Clark 1-6; Justin Stevenson 1-2, Jon Blomker 2-0; Andy Harbott 1-0; (PR) Ryan Breitbach 20-117; Sean Kimball 10-35; Mark Jacobson 6-6, Benjamin Gehrts 3 (-) 16.

■ Passing - (TRF) Keith Anderson 7-for-12, 131 yards, 1 interception; (PR) Benjamin Gehrts 0-for-7, 0 yards, 0 interceptions.

■ Receiving - (TRF) Nick Chiodo 2-42; Kyle Nelson 1-23; Jason Breiland 1-20; Ryan Bendickson 1-16; Paul Kopari 1-16; Steve Rambeck 1-12; (PR) none.

Thief River Falls tight end Kyle Nelson stretched to make a finger-tip catch of a 23-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Keith Anderson in the second quarter of Friday's Section 8A high school football game against Park Rapids Area. The 34-14 Thief River Falls homecoming win left both teams 4-1 for the year.

Turnovers, rain beat Pioneers

Six interceptions and a fumble stopped the Northland Community and Technical College football team Saturday as the mistake-prone Pioneers dropped a 37-13 decision to Mesabi in the rain at Virginia.

Two of the interceptions were returned for touchdowns, and another led to a score.

"The game wasn't as bad as the score or the stats looked," said Northland coach Gene Klinke. "Of their 391 yards of offense, 150 came on three plays. Defensively we played well enough to win the football game."

It was the 1995 Minnesota Community College Conference Northern Division opener for both teams. Northland, 0-4 overall, will take on Itasca Thursday in a 7 p.m. Northern Division game at Grand Rapids.

It was also the second week in a row the Pioneers found themselves playing in wet weather.

"Our quarterbacks just haven't played well in the rain," noted Klinke. "Offensively we shot ourselves in the foot. We didn't have that many penalties, but we had them at inopportune times."

After a scoreless first quarter, Northland fell behind 14-0 before a 5-yard Brent Miller touchdown run made it a 14-7 game at the half.

Mesabi regained a two-touchdown edge in the third quarter, 27-7, and Northland never recovered.

A loss to start a short Northern Division schedule puts the pressure on the Pioneers, acknowledged Klinke, whose team will finish the season with MCCC games against Vermilion, Hibbing and Brainerd. Top two regular season finishers in the Northern and Southern Division standings earn MCCC playoff berths.

"We have to win four football games in a row, or get a tremendous amount of help, to get into the playoffs," pointed out Klinke. "A 4-1 record will get us a spot for sure; with a few breaks, 3-2 might."

Statistics

	NCTC	MCC
First Downs	8	12
by rushing	3	6
by passing	2	2
by penalty	3	2
Rushing attempts-yards	29-147	50-314
Pass att-comp-int	16-3-6	10-5-1
Yards passing	23	79
Total offensive yards	170	391
Fumbles-fumbles lost	3-1	3-1
Penalties-yards	6-45	8-65
Punts-average	6-24.9	7-32.1

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Northland	0	7	0	6	13
Mesabi	0	14	13	10	37

MCC - Chris Cheney, 16-yard interception return; run failed.

MCC - Dan Sonsthagen, 45-yard run; Bob Konkol pass from Brooks Hannula

NCTC - Brent Miller, 5-yard run, Ela Ahalabah kick.

MCC - Hannula, 16-yard run; Troy Bennet kick.

MCC - Judd Verhagen, 30-yard pass interception return; Bennet kick.

MCC - Mike Abls, 31-yard run; Dean Friedman pass from Nial Edwards.

NCTC - Erik Hamra, 31-yard run, run failed.

MCC - safety, quarterback tackled in end zone.

Individuals

■ Rushing (NCTC) Brent Miller 15-54; Mason Thompson 5-46; Erik Hamra 1-31; Luke Anderson 6-16; (MCC) Dan Sonsthagen 17-194; Keno Scott 14-55; Mike Abls 5-39; Keith Classen 7-20; Brooks Hannula 6-10.

■ Passing - (NCTC) Eddie Fuerent 3-for-16, 23 yards, 4 interceptions; Brian Remick 0-for-0, 0 yards, 2 interceptions; (MCC) Brooks Hannula 5-for-10, 79 yards, 1 interception.

■ Receiving - (NCTC) Eric Hamra 1-11; Brent Miller 1-6, Melvin Whitney 1-5, (MCC) Wes Lewis 3-39, Dan Sonsthagen 1-27, Sean Friedman 1-13

Gators football team will tackle Falcons Friday

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River will be on the road Friday when the Gators play a 7:30 p.m. Valley Plains Conference high school football game at Fertile-Beltrami.

After a 2-0 start, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River is currently carrying a three-game losing streak – falling 12-6 at the hands of Red Lake County Central, 42-6 to Red Lake Falls in the Fargodome and 26-6 to Waubun last week in Badger.

"They (Waubun) have a big, tough football team," said Gators coach Steve Willmon. "I was impressed."

An interception inside the Waubun 30 and a fumble into the Bombers' end zone stopped a couple of Badger/Greenbush-Middle River scoring threats.

"We had a couple of bad bounces go against us," noted Willman. "We've got a lot of young kids and we're just not very consistent."

No scoring details were made available.

Blue Devils, Eagles meet Friday

Two teams eyeing the Top of the State Conference title will square off Friday when Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke visits Argyle for a Nine-Man high school football showdown.

The Blue Devils stretched their season-opening winning streak to five games Friday when Trevor Kiesow rushed for 230 yards in a 22-8 homecoming win over Kittson Central.

Kiesow, who had a busy 35-carry game, wound up with nearly all of the Blue Devils' offensive yards. They totaled 284 yards on the ground and went just 1-for-5 in the air for 14 yards.

Most of Kiesow's running was off-tackle behind Jesse Lunsetter, pointed out Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Darwin Hogen. "We played a pretty good game," said Hagen. "We controlled the line of scrimmage."

Kiesow scored on runs of 33 and 26 yards; Jamie Lunsetter came up with a 3-yard touchdown run; and the Blue Devils' defense scored on a safety by Anthony Holthusen, who tackled a Kittson Central running-back in the end zone.

Jamie Lunsetter led the Blue Devils defense with 7 tackles and two interceptions. Jim Engelstad and Aaron Holthusen also came up with interceptions.

"We're playing pretty well right now," offered Hagen. "It should be a good game against Argyle. We're both pretty quick."

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Kittson Central	0	0	0	6	6
Goodridge/G-G	6	8	6	0	22

G/G-G - Jamie Lunsetter, 3-yard run; Trevor Kiesow run.

G/G-G - Anthony Holthusen, safety (tackled ball carrier in end zone).

G/G-G - Kiesow, 33-yard run; pass failed.

G/G-G - Kiesow, 26-yard run; kick failed.

KC - Chris Folland, 3-yard run; Garren Koop run.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Oct. 5 - volleyball vs. Waubun (at Oklee).

■ Friday, Oct. 6 - football vs. Lake Park-Audubon (at Plummer).

■ Saturday, Oct. 7 - Red Lake County Central invitational volleyball tournament.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Oct. 5 - volleyball vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Greenbush).

■ Friday, Oct. 6 - football at Argyle.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Thursday, Oct. 5 - volleyball vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke.

■ Friday, Oct. 6 - football at Fertile-Beltrami.

■ Saturday, Oct. 7 - volleyball vs. Warroad.

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Oct. 5 - volleyball vs. Lake of the Woods.

■ Friday, Oct. 6 - football vs. Stephen.

No. 1-ranked Hawley rolls past RLCC 58-6

Hawley, the No. 1-ranked team in Minnesota Class C high school football, rolled to a 42-0 halftime lead and finished with a 58-6 Valley Plains Conference win over Red Lake County Central Friday.

"They're good, but we're not that bad," said Red Lake County Central coach Gary Brantl. "We didn't expect to win, but we thought we'd do a better job than what we did."

Injuries didn't help, acknowledged Brantl, whose list of sidelined included two-way starters Nate Lundeen, Aaron Chapat and Brett Bishop. "We've got numbers, but we're not that deep athletic-wise," he noted.

The 2-3 Mustangs, sacked five times, wound up with a minus-four yards on the ground. They were 5-for-12 in the air for 88 yards, with Scott Waldal catching 3 passes for 31 yards.

Defensively, Jake Anderson led the way with 13 tackles. Lundeen was in on 11 before being hurt.

Red Lake County Central will host Lake Park Friday in a 7:30 p.m. homecoming game at Plummer.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Co. Central	0	0	0	6	6
Hawley	21	21	16	0	58

Hawley - Dan Wiebe, 66-yard punt return, run failed.

Hawley - Casey Marshall, 1-yard run, Marshall run

Hawley - Chad Larson, 1-yard run, run failed

Hawley - Travis Olson, 9-yard run, Marshall run

Hawley - Larson, 27-yard run, Joe Peterson run

Hawley - Justin Hama, 61-yard pass from Olson; kick failed.

Hawley - Adam Mangel, 6-yard run, Peterson run.

Hawley - Peterson, 10-yard run, Peterson run.

RLCC - Scott Waldal, 15-yard pass from Bryce Hustad, run failed.

Prowlers, Pirates will renew rivalry in Friday contest

Crookston and Thief River Falls will renew their long high school football rivalry Friday with a 7:30 p.m. Section 8A match-up in Crookston.

The Prowlers hiked their record to 4-1 with their fourth straight win Friday, 34-14 over Park Rapids Area.

Crookston is 2-3. The Pirates lost to Fergus Falls 24-0, Park Rapids Area 10-6 and Detroit Lakes 40-15 to start the year, but now own back-to-back wins over Hibbing 16-10 in overtime and East Grand Forks 16-7 last week.

Thief River Falls will finish regular season play with games Friday, Oct. 13, vs. Woodbury at the Fargodome and Wednesday, Oct. 18, at East Grand Forks.

Hole-in-one made by Ellison Sunday

Clair Ellison recorded a hole-in-one Sunday at the Thief River Golf Club, acing No. 4.

Fred Dablow and Chris Nelson witnessed the feat.

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Oct. 4

■ Volleyball - NCTC at Fergus Falls, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 5

■ Swimming - LHS girls vs. Moorhead, 5 p.m.

■ Volleyball - LHS vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo (A-B-C), 6 p.m.

■ Football - NCTC at Itasca, 7 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 6

■ Volleyball - NCTC at Hibbing, 6:30 p.m.

■ Football - LHS at Crookston, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 7

■ Volleyball - NCTC at Rainy River, 12-noon, LHS vs. Detroit Lakes (A-C-9), 1 p.m.

Nordics' offense shut down by Argyle, 40-8

Marshall County Central has had trouble moving the ball on the ground this fall, but the Nordics have been able to accumulate some yards in the air. Until Friday, that is, when their usually effective passing game was limited to 51 yards on a 4-for-14 night that was part of a 40-8 Top of the State Conference high school football loss at Argyle.

It was the fourth loss in as many starts for the Nordics.

"Teams are starting to set up to defend our passing game," explained Marshall County Central coach Kent Warne. "Argyle is good. They have good size, they're quick and they execute so well."

Braden Olberg netted 46 yards on just three carries to lead the Nordics' offense.

It was a typically frustrating Marshall County Central outing, according to Warne. "The kids played hard the whole game, but we made a couple of little mistakes that really hurt," he explained.

The Nordics will play Stephen Friday in the Marshall County Central homecoming game at Newfolden.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Marshall Co. Central	0	0	6	0	8
Argyle	6	20	8	6	40

Argyle - Nolan Lubarski, 1-yard run; kick failed.

Argyle - Wayne McLean, 3-yard run; Jamie Morberg run.

Argyle - Jeremy Bjorgaard, 80-yard run; run failed.

Argyle - Blair Stoltman, 16-yard run; pass failed.

MCC - Braden Olberg, 27-yard run; Bjorn Halvorson run.

Argyle - Brad Rivard, 6-yard run; Bjorgaard pass from Lubarski.

Argyle - Garred Conway, 7-yard run; run failed.

Swimmers host Moorhead Thursday

Thief River Falls and Moorhead girls high school swimming teams will meet Thursday in a 5 p.m. dual at the Franklin Middle School pool.

Latest outing for the Scott Hetherington-coached Prowlers was the Otter Invitational Saturday in Fergus Falls. Fargo North won team honors with 240 points, followed by Simley with 235, Fargo South 226, Fergus Falls 218, Park Rapids Area 125, Melrose 113, Brainerd 107, Crookston 83, and Thief River Falls 48.

Top Thief River Falls point producers were divers Jennifer Olin (second) and Becky Mottson (fourth).

The Prowlers' only other points came in the relays – eighth in the 200 medley, ninth in both the 200 and 400 freestyle.

NCTC clinic speakers named

List of guest speakers has been announced for the third Northland Community and Technical College basketball coaches clinic, scheduled to be held Saturday, Oct. 14.

The event is being co-hosted by Northland athletic director Rick Nelson, men's basketball coach Mark Dannhoff and women's basketball coach Rick Nikunen.

Nelson and Dannhoff will offer clinic presentations, along with University of North Dakota men's assistant basketball coach Steve Krafcisin and boys high basketball coaches Lynn Peterson, Staples-Motley; Doug Desjarlait, Red Lake; Ron Ueland, Marshall County Central; and Vern Johnson, Grygla-Gatzke.

Cost of the program is $10 if you pre-register by Oct. 10. The fee will be $20 after that date. Registration fee includes lunch and a social at the Eagles Club following the clinic.

To register, or more more information, call 218-681-0701 or 1-800-959-6282.

Mark Hinckley will be Boosters guest

Superintendent of Schools for School District 564 Mark Hinckley will be the guest speaker Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club.

The meeting will be held at the Elks. The public is invited.

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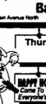

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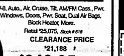

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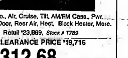

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Tickets on sale for Fargodome game

Tickets are available at the Lincoln High School activities office for the Friday, Oct. 13, Thief River Falls football game at the Fargodome.

Tickets, priced at $5 for adults and $3 for students, will be good for all three games at the dome that day – Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton vs. Warroad at 3:30 p.m.; Thief River Falls vs. Woodbury at 5:30 p.m.; and Hibbing vs. Moorhead at 8 p.m.

The Tickets will be on sale locally from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily through Oct. 12, and from 8 a.m. to 12-noon Oct. 13. You may also purchase tickets the day of the game at the dome starting one hour before each game. Seating assignment for Thief River Falls is the east stands.

No season or coaches passes will be honored. Dome parking fee is $2.

Joining the football team at the Fargodome will be the Lincoln High School fine line dance team and the Prowler pep band.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinspitters League

	Wins	Losses
Melody Dairy	21	7
Walseth Construction	20	8
Mid Riv Community Club	17	11
B.M.R	17	11
Prowler Express	16	12
Hartz Trade Line	14	14
Generous Realty	14	14
Setter Construction	13	12
Rainbow Nursery	13	15
Rundell Electric	11	15
Northwest Asphalt	8	15
O Team	4	24

High Game

Darren Wagner	234
Sheldon Nowacki	22[illegible]
Steve Busch	22[illegible]
Romayne Smisly	153
Diane Wagner	179, 175

High Series

Darren Wagner	234-181-183=618
Sheldon Nowacki	177-188-227=604
Lloyd Wagner	186-210-134=530
Diane Wagner	179-175-167=521
Cindy Vennes	147-173-166=486
Romayne Smisly	180-183-128=481

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	20	8
Pennington Square	18	12
Busch Light	18	14
Farmer's Union	14	14
Mr. Duane's	12	18
Brodin's	8	20

High Game

Deb Pierce	179-179-181=533
Dollie Newland	147-177-192=515
Linda Johnson	145-177-190=512

High Series

Dollie Newland	192
Deb Winjum	181
Linda Johnson	190

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	21	7
Arctco	18	10
Creative Clippers	17	11
Northern Motors	18	12
Loeffler Agency	12	13
Bud Ice	12	18
Kwick Strip	11	17
Team #8	2	26

High Game

Shirley Colden	221
Ann Olson	21[illegible]
Sharon Harms	203
Shirley Schmidt	197

High Series

Shirley Colden	183-179-221=583
Dollie Newland	183-179-164=525
Joyce Burkel	181-150-181=522
Sharon Harms	138-203-178=519

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Red Lake Electric	9	3
Swanson Airspray	9	3
Hutchinson Transfer	8	4
Olin Law Office	7	5
5/5ths	6	6
Northwest Asphalt	6	6
Lantern	4	8
Soap-N-Suds	4	8
Styles By Amy	2	10

High Game

Deb Cota	211, 181
Karen Weber	182

High Series

Deb Cota	149-211-181=551
Darlene Valley	139-176-165=480
Leann Hensley	171-146-163=480

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Digi-Key	13	3
Tommy G's	11	5
Imaging Plus	10	6
Farmers Union	9	7
Fire Flies	9	7
KTRF CAD's	7	9
NW Medical Center	7	9
Borsheim	0	10
Norwest	6	10
Material Girls	0	10
NW Eye Center	5	10
Hill Trucking	5	11

High Game

EJ Johnson	203
Froeda Hommesch	189
Barb Waleski	181
Lorraine Morben	181

High Series

EJ Johnson	203-155-180=538
Rhonda Joppru	177-174-175=526
Karen Safranski	156-179-174=509
Barb Waleski	174-181-147=502

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Handyman Service	15	5
Four Fun	14	7
KSRQ	11	10
TR Salvage	10	11
Spare Parts	8	13
Classic Chevys	0	15

High Game

Kenny Lian	210
Bromely Carr	204
Bruce Mattson	203
Nancy Tofte	218
Sharon Wold	199
Polly Dohnert	175

High Series

Bruce Mattson	198-203-182=583
Kenny Lian	210-107-166=543
Bromley Carr	190-204-147=541
Nancy Tofte	160-218-134=512
Sharon Wold	119-183-199=481
Polly Dohnert	123-165-176=464

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Stoltman's Auto Parts	109 1/2	60 1/2
Wiedmann Telephone	89	68
Kutter Construction	91	69
My Sports	88	69
Gerhardson's Furniture	83	77
Pennington Square	81	79
VFW	74 1/2	85 1/2
1st National Bank	63	97
Thyren Auto	66 1/2	103 1/2
No Border Wheels	53 1/2	107 1/2

High Game

Craig Melvin	259
Tom Saragosa	244
Gene Kalinowski	242

High Series

Craig Melvin	259-222-204-805=[illegible]
Griff Newland	192-212-212-619=831
Tom Saragosa	194-199-244-194=776

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Glass Farm	13	4
S & E Car Wash	15	8
Amoco 24	10	8
Auction-2 Sell	10	8
Joe's Floor & Tile	8	10

High Game

Craig Peterson	221
Curt Quesnell	213, 203
Jan Olson	209
Dollie Newland	200
Diane Peterson	192

High Series

Craig Peterson	586
Curt Quesnell	562
Dan Lindquist	534
Dollie Newland	549
Jan Olson	509
Diane Peterson	464

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
S & B Espresso	20	8
Olson's Auto	18	12
Larson's Drywall	18	13
Phyllis's	18	13
Dee's Kitchen	10	18
Grygla Cafe	8	20

High Game

Cheryl Rosten	179
Laura Carlson	171
Lisa Stapleton	166
Bonnie Blankenfeld	164

High Series

Deb Lerol	130-158-162=450
Cheryl Rosten	179-150-121=450
Sharon Wold	159-157-134=450
Laura Carlson	138-140-171=449

City League

	Wins	Losses
FSA	19	8
Hanson's Repair	19	9
Rick's Appliance	18	10
The Spot	18	12
Wilde Builders	18	12
Milk & Cookies	15	13
St. Hilaire Elevator	14	14
MN/DOT	11	17
Homark	7	21

High Game

Brett Piernool	205
Arlen Sorum	202
Jim Nelson	202

High Series

Dwayne Duckworth	177-175-174=526
Bromley Carr	171-182-166=518
Arlen Sorum	202-127-173=512

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Brooks Auto	13	8
Farmers Mutual Health	12	9
Peter's Back Hoe	11	10
Clip N' Tan	11	10
Arctco, Inc.	9	12
Glenn's Electric	5	9
Michelob	4	10
Firestone	5	2

High Series

Griffin Newland	166-175-208=549
Mark Fuller	198-190-153=541
Chris Taylor	140-217-160=517
Bill Sylvester	179-194-129=502
Joann Peters	145-171-150=466
Sharon Newland	161-130-166=457
Elaine Landobeja	154-181-136=451
Jan Noreen	142-142-124=408

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
Three Ninjas	6	0
Bad Boys	5 1/2	1/2
Magic Raptors	5	1
Blades	3 1/2	2 1/2
Team #9	3	3
Team #1	3	3
Musketeers	2	4
Lions	1	5
Jr. Elks	1	5

High Game

Justin Pyle	131
Tyler Jensen	118
Stacy Rasmussen	115
Paul Sjoberg	93
Michael Lunde	92
Cole Sylander	79

High Series

Justin Pyle	131-81=212
Tyler Jensen	90-118=208
Stacy Rasmussen	115-79=194
Paul Sjoberg	93-76=172
Cole Sylander	78-70=148

Prep League

	Wins	Losses
Hacky Sacks	7	1
Prowler Boys	0	2
Four Aces	6	2
Wild Cats	0	2
Rattlers	5	2

Super Bowlers	5	3
Pin Masters	5	3
Team 418	4	4
Blasters	4	4
Raiders	3	5
Pin Blasters	3	5
Prowler Girls	3	5
Three Little Ladies	2	6
Sr. Elks	2	6
Pinheads	1	7
Penguins	1	7

High Game

Ben Weigelt	218
Steve Olson	158
Tommy Groella	141
Jeff Vennes	128
Adam Lian	125

High Series

Ben Weigelt	164-119-218=501
Tommy Groella	141-128-120=389
Steve Olson	158-103-99=360
Jeff Vennes	89-114-128=331
Adam Lian	117-86-125=328

Junior League

	Wins	Losses
Nelson State Farm	8	0
Team 417	7	1
Team $12	7	1
Prowler Express $1	7	1
Generaux Realty	7	1
Northern Motors	7	1
First National Bank	5	3
Blix Photography	5	3
Family Bowl	4	4
Prowler Express $2	4	4
Team 410	3	5
Amoco 24	2	6
Wiseth Farms	2	0
Team $13	2	6
Team $15	1	7
Team $7	1	7
RV Sports	0	5

High Game

Sara Jensen	200
Stephanie Sculthorp	194
Nick Swanson	191
Jeremy Treitline	190
Kelly Natvik	185
Jeremy Jenson	182

High Series

Jeremy Jensen	181-182-180=543
Kelly Natvik	153-185-155=493
Sara Jensen	200-151-141=492
Christa Hagen	151-176-165=492
Rachel Groella	175-158-150=483

Jeremy Swanson of Thief River Falls was accompanied by a Hawley-Ulen-Hitterdal runner as they rounded a turn during the boys varsity portion of the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Invitational cross country meet Monday at the Thief River Golf Club.

Outdoor News

Northern Pike Regulations

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Section of Fisheries will hold two public meetings in October to answer questions and receive public comment on proposed experimental regulations for northern pike in Lake of the Woods and the Rainy River within Lake of the Woods County.

Open house meetings will provide information on the proposed regulation changes designed to protect and maintain the high-quality northern pike population that currently exists in Lake of the Woods. The proposal is in response to the desire, expressed by anglers surveyed in recent years, to manage Lake of the Woods as a trophy northern pike fishery.

Proposed regulations would take effect March 1, 1996.

Anglers, area residents and others wishing to comment on the proposed regulations are encouraged to attend one of the open house meetings scheduled for: Warroad on Monday, October 23, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Warroad Community Center or St. Paul of Thursday, October 25 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Holiday Inn St. Paul-North, at 1201 West Co. Rd. E in Arden Hills, near I-694 and Lexington Ave.

Written comments will be accepted for 14 days following the scheduled open houses. Comments should be sent to the DNR Area Fisheries Office, Rt. 1 Box 1001, Baudette, MN 56623.

'96 Minnesota Duck Stamp

A pair of greater scaup flying toward the viewer will be featured on the 20th Minnesota Migratory Waterfowl Stamp next fall.

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Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center Arena

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Wednesday, Oct. 25; Thursday, Oct. 26;
Wednesday, Nov. 1; Thursday, Nov. 2;
Wednesday, Nov. 8; Thursday, Nov. 9.
Session II: Registration will be taken November 9th at the Old Arena for the season.
○ If you are unable to register your child at this time, please do so at the Parks & Recreation Department office in Thief River Falls prior to start of each session. For late entrance contact Ila Anderson.
○ You do not have to be a participant in the Recreational Skating Program to sell skates at the Exchange. Skates should be at the Arena by 5:30 p.m. - you will need to know size of skates you are bringing and price you want. Unsold skates and money MUST be picked up between 6:45 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
○ Any questions can be referred to Ila Anderson, Program Director at 681-2056.
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Rams beat Prowlers in finals

■ TRF Northern Lites volleyball tournament

Roseau's undefeated season continued Saturday with a championship performance in the 18th annual Thief River Falls Northern Lites invitational high school volleyball tournament.

The Rams beat Warroad, East Grand Forks and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River in round-robin pool play, then stopped the host Prowlers in the title match.

Thief River Falls reached the finals with pool play wins over Red Lake County Central, Marshall County Central and Bemidji.

Marshall County Central beat Badger/Greenbush-Middle River in the third place match; Warroad defeated Red Lake County Central for fifth; and East Grand Forks downed Bemidji for seventh.

Thief River Falls is 13-6 for the year.

"I was really proud of the girls for working as hard as they did and making it into the championship match, especially with the busy week we had – the homecoming festivities and two tough matches," said Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson.

The competitive field found 10 of the 16 matches going the full three games, kicking in time-saving rally-point finishes.

"We did get off schedule, but that's what happens when you have so many teams that are evenly matched," pointed out Anderson.

The championship match was the second meeting of the week between the Rams and Prowlers, with Roseau sweeping both encounters.

Thief River Falls had early 5-1 and 12-8 leads before losing a 15-12 first-game decision.

"It was exciting to watch," noted Anderson, who said a few Thief River Falls mistakes, along with Roseau's strong net play, decided the issue down the stretch. "We just plain ran out of gas," she added. "We were very tired, and it showed."

Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson was happy with the Nordics' third place victory over Badger/Greenbush-Middle River – the Nordics third victory over the rival Gators this fall – but wasn't satisfied with his team's day-long performance. "I was disappointed in our overall play," he said. "We were really sluggish. We had our ups and downs. We didn't serve very well as a team all day."

However, Amonda Myhrer did come through at the service line, including a string of five straight aces to finish off the Gators. She also had a good day at the net," noted Jacobson.

The Nordics beat Bemidji and Red Lake County Central while losing to Thief River Falls to finish second in Pool A.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Christi Anderson said the Gators' pool play effort was fine – wins over East Grand Forks and Worrood, along with the loss to Roseau, but the third place match loss to Marshall County Central was "frustrating," she said. "Overall, I was happy with the way we played, but I don't know what's going on when we play them (Nordics). We don't move and don't cover like we do in the other matches. And we missed some serves, which really hurt."

Results left Marshall County Central 11-5 and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 5-10 for the year. A 1-3 tournament showing for Red Lake County, which included a win over Bemidji and the losses to Thief River Falls and Marshall County Central in Pool A, along with a fifth place match setback at the hands of Worrood, put the Mustangs at 9-7-1.

Northern Lites Results

■ Pool A - Thief River Falls def. Red Lake County Central 2-1; Marshall County Central def. Bemidji 2-1; Red Lake County Central def. Bemidji 2-0; Thief River Falls def. Marshall County Central 2-0; Marshall County Central def. Red Lake County Central 2-1; Thief River Falls def. Bemidji 2-1.

■ Pool B - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River def. East Grand Forks 2-1; Roseau def. Warroad 2-1; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River def. Warroad 2-1; Roseau def. East Grand Forks 2-0; Roseau def. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 2-0; Warroad def. East Grand Forks 2-1.

■ Finals - (championship) Roseau def. Thief River Falls 2-0; (third place) Marshall County Central def. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 2-1; (fifth place) Warroad def. Red Lake County Central 2-1; (seventh place) East Grand Forks def. Bemidji 2-0.

All-Tournament Team

■ Badger/Greenbush-Middle River: Bridget Rinde. Bemidji: Jose Peterson. Marshall County Central: Tricia Pederson, Amanda Myhrer. Red Lake County Central: Meckenzie Malwitz, Angie Chervestad. Roseau: Sarah Lundbohm, Megan Taylor. Warroad: Beth Lund. Thief River Falls: Carrie Rud, Maren Thorson, Kendra Dinsch.

TRF Tournament Scoring

■ Kills - Maren Thorson 27, Desirae Alberg 20, Michelle Matheson 12, Carrie Rud 8, Kendra Dinsch 7, Katie Kraemer 3, Sarah Keland 3, Kim Hoek 2, Erica Owen 1.

■ Assists - Dinsch 66, Hoek 7, Kraemer 3, Thorson 1, Alberg 1, Owen 1.

■ Ace serves - Keland 4, Thorson 2, Alberg 1, Matheson 1, Hoek 1.

■ Last touch - Thorson 34, Alberg 26, Matheson 21, Rud 15, Dinsch 8, Keland 7, Kraemer 5, Hoek 3, Heather Holthusen 1, Owen 1.

Two Bemidji blockers went above the net in an attempt to stop Thief River Falls hitter Desirae Alberg during Saturday's Northern Lites Invitational volleyball tournament in the Lincoln High School gym. The Prowlers beat the Lumberjacks and went 3-0 in the round-robin pool play portion of the tournament before losing to Roseau in the title match.

Northern Lites JV title goes to TRF volleyball squad

Junior varsity portion of the annual Thief River Falls Northern Lites invitational high school volleyball tournament went to Thief River Falls Saturday with a 4-0 day that included a 2-0 title match sweep of Roseau.

Lindsay Drury finished the day with 45 points – 23 service points and 22 last-touch points – to earn Thief River Falls Player of the Tournament honors.

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- Sports Briefs -

Poole, Dowers honored

Word was received recently that Thief River Falls' Corey Poole and Barry Dowers were academic all-conference picks as members of the University of Wisconsin-Superior baseball team last spring.

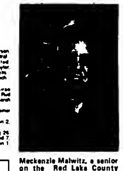
Both will be with the Yellowjackets again this year. Poole is a second baseman. Dowers plays left field.

Middle School

Franklin Middle School won both the seventh and eighth grade titles at the Bemidji Invitational volleyball tournament Saturday.

Seventh graders split with Bemidji, losing 9-15, then winning 15-2 before sweeping Blackduck 15-7, 15-9 and Bagley 15-11, 16-14.

Eighth graders followed the same pattern with a 15-10, 15-17 split against Bemidji followed by sweeps of Blackduck 15-12, 15-0 and Bagley 15-10, 15-4.



Meckenzie Malwitz, a senior on the Red Lake County Central volleyball team, was an all-tournament selection at the University of Minnesota-Crookston Invitational Sept. 9. She had 16 kills, and also did a solid job passing and serving, according to Mustangs coach Nancy Bray.

TRF freshmen win in rain vs. Grafton

Thief River Falls freshmen improved their record to 5-1 Monday with a rain-soaked 40-14 football win over Grafton at Prowler Field.

Wade Chiodo scored on runs of 60 and 10 yards and on a 95-yard kickoff return; Treavor Peterson threw touchdown passes of 15 yards to Jeff Rislov and 30 yards to Wade Haviland; Jeff Beste scored on a 5-yard run; and both Beste and Chiodo had two-point conversion runs.

OUR ADVERTISERS SAVE YOU MONEY!

Donation from the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club put a laser printer in the Lincoln High School activities office this fall. Pictured with the printer are, left to right, Jim Sims, Director of Student Activities for School District 564, John Michael Anderson and Steve Stokke of the Sports Boosters.

City League Volleyball

Tuesday Night League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	4	0
Double O Bees	4	0
Budweiser	3	1
Thrifty White Drug	3	1
Clip-N-Tan	1	2
Tim Loeffler Agency	1	3
Arctco	1	3
PCR Graphics	0	3
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	0	4

Thursday Night League

	W	L
St. Hilaire Elevator	3	1
Miller Lite	3	1
LaVonne's Grocery	3	1
Northwest Medical Center	3	1
Evergreen Eating Emporium	2	2
Legion	2	2
St. Hilaire Supply	2	2
Digi-Key I	1	3
Digi-Key II	1	3
Robson Honey	0	4

Results

■ Tuesday, Sept. 28 - (6:30 p.m.) Budweiser def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; Thrifty White Drug def. PCR Graphics; (7 p.m.) Double O Bees def. Budweiser; Thrifty White Drug def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (7:30 p.m.) Arctco def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; Clip-N-Tan vs. PCR Graphics not reported; (8 p.m.) Double O Bees def. Arctco; Narverud Cleaners def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (8:30 p.m.) Narverud Cleaners def. Clip-N-Tan.

■ Thursday, Sept. 21 - (6:30 p.m.) Miller Lite def. Digi-Key I; LaVonne's Grocery def. Robson Honey; (7 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Digi-Key I; LaVonne's Grocery def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (7:30 p.m.) Legion def. Miller Lite; St. Hilaire Elevator def. Robson Honey; (8 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Digi-Key II; Northwest Medical Center def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (8:30 p.m.) Legion def. Digi-Key II; Northwest Medical Center def. St. Hilaire Elevator.

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Sixteen-year-old escapee apprehended in Idaho

An escapee from the law enforcement center in Thief River Falls has been captured.

Escape. On September 27 at 2:25 p.m. a 16-year-old prisoner escaped from custody as he was being escorted from the courthouse to the law enforcement center by a deputy. The 16-year-old male is described as 5-foot, seven-inches, weighing 155 pounds and having blue eyes and brown hair. At the time of his escape he was wearing blue jeans, a black t-shirt, and a blue-jean jacket. He was also in handcuffs.

On September 29 at 9:44 p.m. sheriff's deputies located and stopped a vehicle believed to have been involved in the transport of a 16-year-old escapee. Four individuals were taken into custody for aiding in felony escape: Michelle Lynn Gunnarson, 19, Thief River Falls, Audra Ann Alley, 19, Thief River Falls, Joseph Lee Brnten, 19, Thief River Falls, and Jeremy Michael Ray, 18, Thief River Falls. Upon information received, it was learned that the escapee had been taken to Moorhead where arrangements had been made to take a bus to California. It was learned that the bus would stop in Idaho Falls, Idaho, around midnight. The 16-year-old escapee was taken into custody in Idaho Falls by an Idaho Falls task force. He is being held there on Florida's felony warrant. The investigation into the escape is continuing.

Burglary. On September 27 at 10:18 a.m. police received a report from a resident of Rocksbury township that someone had broken into his shop. Taken were three speakers and a receiver. One speaker was located at County road 74 and 7. The total theft loss was estimated at $1,700.

On September 28 at 9:50 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a burglary at a business in Numedal township. Sometime during the night someone took the safe with $1,500 cash in it, some change from other locations in the store, two 20-pound turkeys, two to three cases of pop, and some beer. The total theft loss was estimated at $2,185.

On October 2 at 10:10 a.m. police received a request to go to Riverview trailer court. A person informed the police officer that Willie Joseph Beaulieu, 20, Redby, broke into her home, and attempted to sexually assault her. Beaulieu faces charges of first degree burglary, and criminal sexual conduct in the fifth degree.

Theft. On September 26 at 4:18 p.m. police received a report that a bike had been taken from Franklin Middle school. It was recovered and a 13-year-old male faces a charge of theft.

Pennington county sheriff's department has charged Darla Mae Swanson, 32, Thief River Falls with wrongfully obtaining food stamps, a felony. According to the complaint, she wrongfully obtained food stamps between September 1, 1992 and January 31, 1993. The total amount obtained was estimated at $1,072.

On September 27 at 8:30 a.m. National Transmission reported the theft of a 1978 Olds Regency valued at $800. The vehicle, license plate S50 GRZ, was taken sometime over night.

On September 27 at 4:50 p.m. Pamida reported that it had been investigating one of its employees. Following another investigation by the police department, charges are in the process of being filed against Melissa Marie Zblewski, 20, Newfolden, and Kimberly Allison Efteland, 23, Thief River Falls. The theft loss was estimated at about $1,500, plus over $200 in merchandise.

The following individuals were cited by the Pennington county sheriff's department for issuance of worthless checks: Losae Ann Miller, 33, Thief River Falls, $756.03; Jerry Scott Morberg, 26, Alvarado, $48.75; Lynn Marie Forsberg, 30, Thief River Falls, $40; Lavonne Sandra Miller, 53, Thief River Falls, $45.

On October 2 at 3:11 p.m. a 12-year-old female from Thief River Falls, and a 12-year-old female from Plummer were cited for shoplifting at Erl's.

Alcohol. On September 26 at 10:41 p.m. police stopped a vehicle traveling on Knight Avenue. Glen Allen Braget, 19, Thief River Falls, was cited for possession of beer by a minor. A 12-year-old and 13-year-old male from Thief River Falls face a charge of theft and possession of stolen property.

On September 27 at 1:21 a.m. police received a complaint from an anonymous caller that they had heard an accident at Eighth and Main and had observed a man with a drink in his had. When police arrived they found a car on the curb. A 17-year-old male from Thief River Falls has been charged with driving while intoxicated, driving after revocation and refusal to test. Another 17-year-old male from Thief River Falls has been cited for consumption under age.

Disorderly conduct. On September 17 at 12:35 a.m. police received a report of a disturbance on Atlantic Avenue. Charged with disorderly conduct is Dennis Martin Rantanen, 41, Thief River Falls, Bonnie Baker Mullen, 18, Thief River Falls, Myron Dean Sunram, 18, Thief River Falls, and a 17-year-old male of Thief River Falls, and a 16 year-old male from Thief River Falls.

Accidents. On September 28 at 11:14 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Eighth and Reserve. David King Sisler, Thief River Falls, was driving a van, and Kathryn Adell Harren, Badger, was driving a car. Both were east bound on Eighth Street. Kathryn slowed or stopped and Sisler collided with the rear of her vehicle. Harren complained of a neck injury. Damages were estimated $1,500 to the Sisler vehicle and $800 to the Harren vehicle.

On September 29 at 8:39 a.m. the law enforcement center received a report of an accident on the frontage road by Pizza Hut. Stephanie Lynn Benson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car between two buildings and was attempting to turn onto the frontage road while Rebecca Vivian Johnson, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup southbound on the frontage road. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to each vehicle. Benson's vision was obstructed by a building.

On September 29 at 10:25 a.m. police received a report of an accident in the 100 block of east Third Street. Floyd Marlo Erickson, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup westbound on Third Street. Martin Arnold Mattson, Kennedy, was pulling out of a parking spot when the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Erickson vehicle and $700 to the Mattson vehicle.

On September 30 at 6:26 p.m. a sheriff's deputy was stopped on Highway 1. An individual informed the officer that he had been involved in an motorcycle accident just west of County road 13 on the north side of County road 8. He was taken to Northwest Medical Center with injuries.

Minor. On September 28 at 11:58 a.m. police received a report that a 12-year-old male was carrying a razor blade at Franklin Middle School. The razor blade had been taken from the art school. The case was submitted for consideration to the Pennington county attorney.

On September 29 at 12:24 p.m. Franklin Middle school reported that a 12-year-old male of Thief River Falls was being disruptive in the cafeteria, and had hit another student. He faces charges of assault.

Assault. On September 29 at 6:40 p.m. the sheriff's department was called to a residence in Goodridge following a complaint of an assault. Cited for fifth degree assault and consumption by a minor is 18-year-old Aaron Michael Hyland, Goodridge.

On September 29 at 10:38 p.m. police were called to a local bar and arrested for fifth degree assault was Veronica Kay Burthwick, 23, Thief River Falls, for allegedly slapping a male victim.

On September 30 at 11:59 a.m. police received a report of an assault in the 300 block of North Main. Cited for fifth degree assault is Victor Harvey Schiefert, 46, Plummer.

Arrest. On September 29 at 11:06 p.m. sheriff's deputies went to a bar in Goodridge in an attempt to arrest Steven Gregory Panek, 32, Goodridge, on a warrant. Panek became very combative and was finally taken into custody and will be charged with obstructing legal process.

Driving while intoxicated. On September 30 at 12:17 a.m. police stopped a vehicle on Third Street near Tindolph Avenue. Taken into custody was Bruce Daniel Bacon, 46, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

On September 30 at 7:55 p.m. state patrol turned over for hold Don Raymond Erickson, 57, Crookston for holding on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

On October 1 at 1:16 a.m. sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on Highway 59 near County road 62. Arrested for driving while intoxicated was Alden Vernon Anderson, 38, Thief River Falls.

Public nuisance. On September 30 at 3:44 a.m. police received a complaint of a loud stereo at Northland Village. Cited for permitting public nuisance was Ronald Merle Blue, 38, Thief River Falls.

Pursuit. On October 2 at about 12:38 a.m. Pennington county received a call in regards to the safety of an 20-year-old male from Thief River Falls. At about 1:40 a.m. a sheriff's deputy noticed the vehicle going south on County road 74. The vehicle turned east onto County road 62. The vehicle kept traveling south at about 35 miles per hour. Both the sheriff's department and police department had their lights and sirens activated but the vehicle would not stop. It continued to travel on various roads. Speeds were estimated at between 60 and 70 miles per hour. It entered Polk county. Speeds increased to about 110 miles per hour and went through stop and yield signs. The suspect's vehicle finally overheated and stopped along the side of the road. Charges are still being determined. The individual was taken to Northwest Medical Center.

Meetings set for city council, and committees

Meetings of city council committees, advisory groups or the city council are scheduled for October 4-11. All meetings are public.

As meeting dates and times do change from time to time, please call the city administrator's office at 681-2943 to verify times and dates of meetings before attending.

October 4 — 9 a.m. supervisor's handbook meeting.

October 5 — 8 a.m. utility committee meeting; 10 a.m. labor committee meeting; 12:30 p.m. city employee safety committee meeting; 4 p.m. public works committee meeting.

October 9 — city offices closed in observance of Columbus Day.

October 10 — 8 a.m. administrative services committee meeting; 5 p.m. city council meeting.

October 11 — 9 a.m. supervisor's handbook meeting.

Pennington Co. board to meet Wed. morning

Pennington County board of commissioners will hold a special meeting 9 a.m. October 4. Typically, the board of commissioners hold their meetings on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. On the agenda for the Wednesday meeting is Patricia Conley of the Association of Minnesota Counties, and "county engineer items".

Marshall county immunization clinics in October

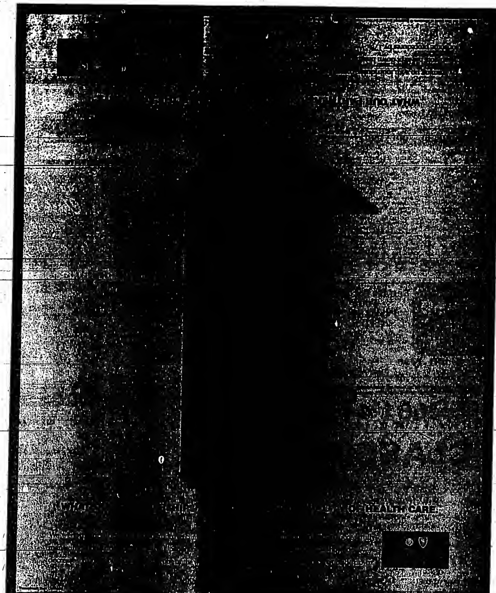
The immunization clinics will be held Tuesday, October 3 at the Newfolden Community Center from 9 to 11 a.m.; Tuesday, October 3 at Stephen Clinic Building, Stephen from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.; Thursday, October 12 at Grygla Civic building from 9 to 11 a.m.; Saturday, October 14 from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. at Marshall County Nursing Service; Saturday, October 14 at Living At Home Block Nurse Program in the Argyle Mall from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m and Monday, October 16 at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Warren from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Clinics are open to the public and anyone who needs immunizations is encouraged to attend. The vaccine used is provided free of charge by the Minnesota Department of Health for use in community-based clinics.

There will be a $5 fee for administering the vaccine, but no one will be refused because of inability to pay.

Vaccines provided are: DTP, DTAP, HTPHib, Td, DT, Hep B infant, Hep B qualifying adult or adolescent, OPV, MMR, Hib.

The clinic also wants to state that immunization services given at the public clinics should not be substituted for the child's usual well-child visit with his or her physician. Bring the child's immunization record each time the child is brought for a shot. Immunizations will not be given unless the immunization record is presented, unless it is the first shot.



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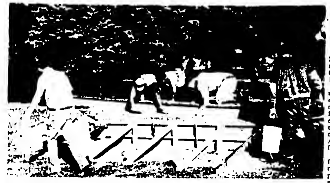

Work on the gazebo in Floyd B. Olson Park in begsn last week. Thief River Falls parks and recreation employees provided in-kind service by putting in the concrete base. The gazebo itself is being constructed in Arthur, IL, by Yoder Gazebos. It will be installed sometime in mid-October. Almost $13,000 has been raised through donations for the project. Donations are still be accepted for the project, which is expected to cost almost $25,000.

Trappers may bid for unit rights on Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge

Eight trapping units on Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge will be awarded to qualified trappers from Oct. 28, 1995 through February 29, 1996 through a sealed bid system.

Under the system, applicants make a sealed monetary bid on one or all units. Exclusive trapping rights will be awarded to the qualified trapper who submits the highest bid for a particular unit, however, only one unit will be awarded to each trapper with the highest bid. A second unit may be awarded if fewer than eight trappers bid.

Bids of $100 or less will require full payment and bids over $100 require a minimum payment of 25 per cent at the pre-season trapping meeting with final payment due by Jan. 20, 1996.

Applicants must have appropriate state licenses and at least two seasons of trapping experience. A helper is allowed and can trap only when the permittee is checking or setting traps. It is mandatory that permittees trap a minimum of four days prior to November 3. This increases the harvest of mammalian predators before their activity decreases. On the day before and during the deer firearms season, November 3-12, vehicles will be allowed only on roads open to deer hunters.

Species open to trapping include mink, muskrat, raccoon, skunk, fox, beaver and otter. Beaver trapping will occur at specific sites on the units. Two otter per unit or per trapper will be permitted. The muskrat population has shown an increase from the previous year and muskrat trapping will be allowed in designated pools on the refuge.

Some of the other furbearer and wildlife species which trappers are not permitted to trap include gray wolves, coyote, bobcat, fisher and badger. Protected species must be released alive, or if found dead in a trap, immediately given to refuge personnel at refuge headquarters.

Inspection of the trapping units by interested trappers is allowed and encouraged between the hours of 8 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. from Monday through Friday, October 2-6. Sealed bids may be hand delivered from Octnbes 2-6 or postmarked no later than October 6. Application forms and refuge maps showing unit locations are available at refuge headquarters.

Successful permittees will be notified by october 13. All successful permittees must attend a mandatory pre-season trapping meeting meeting on Friday, October 27, at 1 p.m. at refuge headquarters.

Information relative to special permit conditions should be obtained before bids are submitted by contacting the refuge manager at Agassiz NWR, Middle River, MN 56737 or calling 218-449-4115.

43 win footballs

Forty-three people were drawn as winners of autographed footballs last week in the homecoming promotion sponsored by *The Times* and *Northern Watch*. The footballs, autographed by either the Lincoln High School Prowlers or Northland Community College Pioneers football teams, were awarded through a free registration and random drawing at participating stores.

Winners have the option of accepting the footballs unsigned or having them autographed by members of either team. Those whose names were drawn include the following, and are from Thief River Falls unless listed otherwise:

Norwest Bank, Wendy Philipp; Jewel Box, Ralph McKeever, Middle River; Cathy Belmont Interiors, Steven Altstad, Perham; Northern State Bank, Hazel Maves; Computer Run/Radio Shack, Alan Jensen, Oklee; Electronics Plus, Alan Jensen, Oklee; and Ace Hardware, Julie Pearson;

Also Variety Sales, Amy Pearson, Fosston; JC Penney, Marie Skibicki; Wilson Brothers, Reid Sjaaheim; United Building Center, Alice Liden; Dazzles, Becky Scheef, Goodridge; Pizza Hut, Pete Gaffaney; Pennington Square, Darrin Looker; Erl's Market, Tyler Aandal; and Evergreen Eating Emporium, Vickie Hunt;

Also McDonald's, Andy Hudson; Hall's Floral, Cody Huschle; Purdy's Shoe Store, Dawn Martell; Best Western Inn, Cody Holmgren; Wanda's Flower & Gift Shoppe, Andrea Johnson; Tunberg Motors, Edith Harbott; Hardware Hank, Amanda Noreen; Holiday, Mark Lorenson, Plummer; and Hardee's, Nancy Bray, Plummer;

Also Kezar Music, Mark Larson; The Times, Kevin Stuckey; Northern Lights Books & Crafts, Chris Adamson; Carquest, Tim Reuter; SportCards Etc., Jared Swanson; Pennington Main, Pat Poole; Furniture Connection, Renae Horgeshimer, Viking; and Falls Book Co., Tyler Hanson;

Also Sears, Jean Halvorson, Goodridge; Bergan Travel, Brandi Larson; Creative Clippers, Pat Braaten; Medicine Shoppe/Card Shoppe, Orville Rolandson; Stylon Chateau, Tony Dorn; Fountain of Jewels, Corey LaSalle; Lori's Hallmark, John Hamre; Styles by Amy, Tanner Jensen; Champs, Anthony Burda; and Budget Electronics, Don Jorstad.

Derak Druse is the new orchestra director for School District 564. Druse said his goals for the program include more participation and continued concentration on quality.

Druse is director of orchestra in School Dist. 564

Conducting the orchestra program in School District 564 this year is Derek Druse, a native of Minot, ND. He replaces Brian Cole who resigned last spring.

A graduate of Minot State University with a degree in music education, Druse taught previously in the Anaconda School District in Montana where he was responsible for orchestra, choral and general music instruction and served as the high school swim coach.

Druse plays several instruments, including viola. As orchestra director for the Thief River Falls-St. Hilaire school district he works with students in fourth through 12th grade in individual, small group and large group instruction.

"We want to see the program grow and involve more students, increasing the skill level along with the interest," Druse said. "Maybe some extracurricular string groups could be formed and events arranged that take the orchestra on tour. Music is exciting; I want students to be excited about it."

Druse said he chose teaching as a career field because he was inspired by one of his high school teachers. "He had a real affect on my life," Druse said. "He got me going and helped me see a new perspective. I wanted to have that chance—to make a difference."

In addition to music, Druse said his hobbies include hunting and fly fishing.

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[illegible] Blanche Lindstrom and [illegible] went to the Swedish [illegible] Roseau. [illegible] Bassett of Park River ND was the guest speaker at the Assembly of God church Sunday evening. Before leaving for home he [illegible] Peer [illegible] at Elsie Lefrooth's.

Pearl Thompson [illegible] her weekly [illegible] Elsie Lefrooth's [illegible] Saturday evening. Marlys Lefrooth [illegible] after attending a wedding in Roseau.

[illegible] Minnesota is beginning to [illegible] beautiful [illegible] Sunday [illegible] been promised a whole week of this kind of weather.

Last Thursday the seniors met at the Center with 11 members and 8 guests: Elsie Lefrooth, Clara Nelson, Lillian Germundson, Mary and Donna Renstrom, Nicole and Derek Blumynek and Julia Kittleson of Seattle, WA. A business meeting was held and a trip to Roseau was planned. The rest of the afternoon was spent playing games. Gloria Renstrom was the hostess and served a delicious lunch. Mary Renstrom was drawn for the door prize.

Darwin and Pat Holmstrom of Minneapolis and Douglas and Karleen Holmstrom of Farmington spent the weekend and Dean and JoAnne Holmstrom's to celebrate Dean's 60th birthday. Dean's twin, Don Holmstrom, also celebrated his birthday on Saturday but I didn't hear how it went.

Dean and Sherry Nelson visited at the Gayhard Nelsons on Saturday. The grandchildren stayed overnight.

Lloyd Lindstrom, Kari Kasprowicz, Ellen Stromberg, Claudia Berggren with Jessica and Kali, Brittany and Matthew Nelson, and Bud and Marie Steffen of Argyle visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter early this week. Judy and Ellen Stromberg's sister-in-law Anna Holmstrom has been very ill for a long time and has now passed away. The funeral will be in Bethesda Lutheran church in Strandquist on Wednesday at 2:00 p.m.

Morris and Marcelyn Lindstrom and grandchildren Dionne Tylor and Casey Lindstrom spent the weekend at Jeff and Peggy and Jarad Lindstrom at Akeley and Ted and Lori Johnson of Park Rapids. Marian Johnson and Terry Johnson of Karlstad, Dr. Paul and Diana Ditmanson and children of Bemidji were also at Ted and Lori's to celebrate Andy's 14th and Alesa's 12th birthdays.

Pearl Thompson and Elsie Lefrooth visited Lillian Germundson on Thursday evening.

David and Elaine Grovum of Thief River Falls and Marlys Lefrooth visited Elsie Lefrooth on Saturday.

Debbie Evans, Lisa, Ryan and Eric, and Bev Lewis spent the weekend at Levonne Johnson's and Peter and Pearl Thompson's. They also visited with Danny and Becky Johnson. They all met at Peter and Pearl's for supper Saturday evening.

After the joint church services at the Assembly of God church on Sunday evening, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Pearl Thompson and Walter Thompson visited Elsie Lefrooth for awhile.

Ellen Stromberg, June Kasprowicz and Kari, Brittany Nelson, Larina Berggren, Kali and Jessie were in Frank and Judy Kleinvachter on Saturday.

Roy and Myrtle Vagle accompanied Isaac and Betsy Thompson to Kennedy to attend the funeral of Arthur Lundell a long time farmer in that area.

It was a real celebration for lots of us yesterday when Alyce Kittleson Anderson turned 80 years of age. Most of us have known her for 75 years or more. We were so happy to have Julie Anderson who was married to our late brother Ernest, here for a visit at the same time. Albert Gustafson and his wife from California and Ida Blazs from Stephen and really made our day. Alyce was just great and drew a crowd to wish her many more birthdays. The flowers and food showed how much her daughter Corrnene and her husband Wayne Jacobson honored their mother. We had a great time.

Sympathy

Arthur Lundell, 93, formerly of rural Kennedy, died Thursday, September 14, 1995, at home in Minnetonka.

Arthur R. Lundell was born April 30, 1902, the son of John and Matilde (Danielson) Lundell, in Jupiter Township, Kittson County. He attended Oatfield Elementary school near Kennedy and farmed in the community. He married Dora Irene Medcrelt, December 26, 1924, in Roseau. They moved to the Twin Cities in August 1983. Dora Lundell died January 20, 1987.

He is survived by daughters, Lois (Mrs. Harold) Bernstrom, of Lindsborg, KS, and Ardis (Mrs. Walter) Raflesoth of Coon Rapids; sons, LeRoy of Minnetonka and the Rev. James of Moline, IL; 15 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, and sister, Edith Olson of Russell, PA.

He was preceded in death by 11 brothers and sisters.

Services at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Jupiter Community Cemetary. Kennedy Memorials are suggested to Kennedy Evangelical Covenant church (Albin Chapel, Minneapolis).

Services at 11 a.m. Monday in Assembly of God church in Roseau. Visitation from 8 to 8 p.m. today in Helgeson Funeral Chapel in Roseau; and one hour before services in the church. Burial is at Greenwood Cemetary of Strathcona.

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Sunday, Oct. 8— Bowling pizza for Jr. high, Redeemer at 5 p.m.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m. Sundays at 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m. Sunday school is followed by worship service.

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Dr. Tim Lautzenheiser, internationally known author, motivational speaker and professor, will present a leadership program for a limited number of high school and college students November 6 at Northland Community and Technical College.

Dr. Lautzenheiser will also be guest conductor for the Northland High School Honor Band and the Northland Community Band that evening during the annual Autumn Musicale.

"This is a rare opportunity for high school and college students," stated Les Torgerson, instrumental music instructor at NCTC. "The leadership program was developed for the student leaders in the school who can and should set the standard for the entire student body.

"The approach is simple," he continued. "The most effective leaders lead by example, not by issuing orders. There are several processes the students are taken through that make them aware of the different types of leadership styles and the results of each."

The 90-minute session is limited to 175 participants. Students from grades 11 through college are invited to participate. Early registration fee for the program is $10 per student.

For more information or to register contact Les Torgerson at 681-0733 or 1-800-959-6282.

HATS OFF TO 4-H

Leader's Council

Pennington county 4-H leader's council meeting was called to order by president Myndy Olson on September 5 at 8 p.m. in the courthouse meeting room. Flag pledges were said and roll call was taken. Secretary and treasurer reports were approved as written.

A report on the State Fair was given by Myndy Olson, Brandi Larson and Jocelyn Helgeland.

Linda Helgeland and Barb Natvik volunteered to serve on the nominating committee. Dawn Hanson and Jocelyn Helgeland gave a report on the New York Exchange trip.

Leader's Night Out is scheduled for October 3 in Newfolden. 4-H Sunday will be observed on Sunday, October 1. Notify the county extension office by September 26 if bulletin inserts are wanted for church use.

National 4-H Week is October 1-7 and 4-Hers are encouraged to call the extension office and sign up to be radio speakers. The 4-H carnival will be held on Friday, October 6.

Enrollment forms are included in club packets. Judges for county record judging are needed on September 20 and 21. Suggestions were made to switch to the generic records. Hot Dog Award was presented to Myndy Olson for being at the State Fair for almost two weeks.

Jocelyn Helgeland, reporter and acting secretary

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik visited at the Senior Center at Roseau.

Tuesday, Karyl Larson visited with Vienne Grondahl at Holt.

Visitors during the weekend at the Cheslie Ruud home were Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylene and Kelsey and Walter Lunsetter.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik visited with Mrs. Ronald Beechy of Staples where Naomi conducted meetings at the Best Western.

Baptism

Sunday, Jenna Kay, daughter of Gene and Jackie Lunsetter of Thief River Falls was baptized at St. Paul Lutheran church of rural St. Hilaire. Melanie Aune was Jenna's sponsor.

Those attending and were dinner guests at the Jim and Jan Strandlie home at St. Hilaire were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lunsetter, Joel and Janna, Jeff and Stacy Davidson, Jerrod Davidson of Thief River Falls, Steve Reynolds of Wenneska, Jennifer and Steve McCarty of Minneapolis, The Strandlies, also Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter, Kenny Lunsetter, Maurice Lunsetter, Melanie and Michelle Lunsetter and Darry Lunsetter.

Florence Ruud of Kennedy spent several days last week with her sister Evelyn Severts.

Mrs. Gene Peterson visited recently at the Alma Wegner home rural Middle River.

Visitors and supper guests on Friday evening of Eunice Hegan were Ethel Hyatt of Thief River Falls, Duane and Yvonne Green of Middle River, Francis and Viola Johnson of Newfolden, Rudy Roso of Bloomington, Reldum Hegen and Tom Andors of Norway, Harlene Overgaard of Roseville, Eldon and Penny Johnson of Eagan, Larry Hegen and Lon Englund.

Eldon and Penny, Harlena and Reldum and Tom left on Saturday for Grand Forks to attend the UND football game and returned to the Cities.

Milton Johnson of Fergus Falls, Blair Klamar and Bob Engelstad visited on Tuesday at the Alan Severts home.

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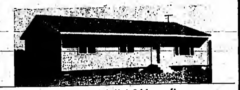

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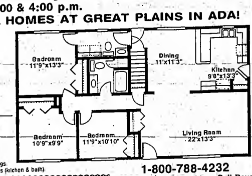

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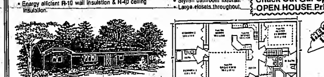
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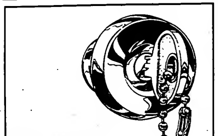

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Lon Aune

Aune is named manager of branch office

Lon Aune, P.E., has been named branch manager for the Moorhead office of Advanced Engineering & Environmental Services, Inc.

Aune is a native of Thief River Falls and a graduate of Lincoln high school. In 1988 he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in civil engineering from the University of North Dakota. He went on to earn a Master of Science degree in management from Cardinal Stritch College in Milwaukee, WI. He is a registered professional engineer in Minnesota.

Aune previously worked as the assistant public works director and assistant city engineer for the City of Roseville. His primary experience is in the area of municipal engineering, including review and construction administration of residential, commercial and industrial developments.

Gully

Lorraine Carlson of Fosston asked me to put this following article in my news for folks who would remember the Netteberg family that lived in our area a few years ago.

Special Birthday!

Her mother, Mabel Netteberg is having a special birthday party. She will be 100 years old, September 24, 1995 at the Kraus Hartig V.F.W., 8100 Pleasant View Drive, Spring Lake Park, MN (just off Hwy 10) Open house from 2 p.m. to ? Her home address is 4257 Van Buren N.E., Columbia Heights, MN 55421.

She is in very good health, in her own home. Her niece Vinta Schmock lives with her in the summer. Her children, Omar, Frandell and Kermit all live in the cities area and Lorraine in Fosston are taking turns being there to care for mom in the winter time. Send her a card! She would enjoyed hearing from us that remember her.

Earl and Doris Munter of Sioux City, IA were Sunday afternoon visitors at Elmer Bargs and Sunday evening coffee guests at Floyd Bergs.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba and Dustin and Debbie Hanson, Angie and Stephanie of Thief River Falls treated Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sistad to supper in honor of their anniversary on Friday night. Congratulations Arvid and Bernice.

Sunday afternoon, Elva Fiedler was among others that helped Orvin Anderson celebrate his 80th birthday at his home. Happy Birthday Orvin!

Jean Johnson visited with Mrs. Allen Hawk and family on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud, Erica, Kelsey, Elroy and Tyler attended the turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Saturday night.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerkle and Bryan were visitors and coffee guests at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Michelle and Monica Johnson spent Saturday at the Gary Johnson home with Kylie.

Saturday afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Jean Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henford Roisland home were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Larson and Allen of Middle River, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Englund of rural Grygla and Roger Kriel.

Thursday visitors and coffee guests at the June Johnson home were Elva Fiedler, Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud, Mrs. Norman Kriel and Mrs. Pat Syzmanky.

Jean Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson attended the volleyball game between Goodridge and Roseau at the Goodridge gym on Thursday evening.

Friday forenoon, Mrs. Clarence Johnson called and visited by phone with Vernie Holthusen of Thorhult.

Sunday evening, Shirley Johnsrud enjoyed supper with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Visitors on Saturday night at the Clarence Johnson home were Jim Johnson, Katie and Christine and Jean Johnson.

Jenny Hawk was an overnight guest at the Jean Johnson home on Thursday.

Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen attended the turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Late afternoon on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors and coffee guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Those who helped Jessica celebrate her birthday on Sunday afternoon at the Jean Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Jason, Mrs. Allen Hawk, Jenny, Zane and Jesse, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson along with her mother Jean and twin sisters Michelle and Monica. A lunch was served with one decorated birthday cake. Jessica received alot of beautiful gifts and cards. Happy Birthday, Jessica!

Friday morning visitors and coffee guests at the Larry Kotrba home were Mrs. Rodney Hoffman and Mrs. Paul Odette.

June Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Norman Kriel home during the week.

Monday visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Kriel home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited on Friday afternoon with her mother Shirley Johnsrud.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed lunch at the Cafe in Goodridge on Friday.

Tuesday, David Vrse was a visitor and coffee guest at the Larry Kotrba home.

Jean Johnson and Monica were visitors and lunch guests on Friday evening at the Merle Naeseth home.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Kriel home were Herb and Betty Dorsow of Red Lake Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Juneau of Plummer.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and supper guest on Wednesday evening at the Tim Lundeen home.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the Eddy Blucy home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ondeck of Minneapolis, Mrs. Gary Johnson and Kylie along with Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Blucy.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and supper guest Monday night at the Tim Lundeen home.

Saturday night, Agnes Eidelbes and Mrs. Norman Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes, Arlen, Jared and Michelle attended the turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Jean Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson had dinner together at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Sunday afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Obert Hovet home were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stolaas of River Valley.

Jessica Johnson and Jenny Hawk were brief visitors on Thursday night at the Gary Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth attended the turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Saturday night.

Friday, Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with her Grandmother Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Joanna Johnson and Alissa Lundeen were birthday guests of Jessica Johnson's on Saturday night. Then later the girls camped out in the Clarence Johnson's camper.

Sunday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited at the Dave Holleck home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests on Wednesday afternoon at the Merle Naeseth home.

Wednesday, Elva Fiedler and Eloda Knutson attended the retired teachers meeting held at the Evergreen Eating Emporium in Thief River Falls.

Dave Holleck of Thief River Falls was a visitor and supper guests on Friday night at the Tim Lundeen home.

Jessica Johnson was a brief caller at the Gary Johnson home on Tuesday evening.

Friday, Tim Lundeen visited at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson left on Thursday for Detroit Lakes to visit at the Curtis Johnson home. The Leonard Johnson's were also overnight guests that night at the Curtis Johnson home. Then on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson left for Fairmont to visit at the Jim Johnson home.

On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Menderud home in Fergus Falls. The Leonard Johnsons returned home on Tuesday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Watne, David, Jackie and Brittany of Grygla were visitors at the Lorraine Watne home.

Jean Johnson and Mayme Johnson attended the girls volleyball game in Grygla Tuesday evening between Goodridge and Baudette.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anderson and girls of Shakopee were visitors at the Lorraine Watne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Hanson were visitors and supper guests on Sunday at the Vernon Iverson home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Shannon, Robyn and Adam attended the Turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Saturday night.

Tuesday evening, Lowell Watne and Brittany of Grygla were visitors and supper guests at the Lorraine Watne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea attended the turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Saturday night.

Saturday, Mrs. Vernon Iverson was a brief caller at the Lorraine Watne home.

Mrs. Dick Marquis of Oklee was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday at the Gene Marquis home.

Friday night, Megan and Andrea Marquis spent the night with June Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors and coffee guests on Tuesday night at the Vernon Iverson home.

Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea were visitors on Sunday at the Mitch Marquis home in Fosston. They also attended Ethan's Confirmation that same day. Congratulations Ethan.

Lorraine Watne was a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls from Friday until the next Thursday following surgery. We wish Lorraine a speedy recovery.

Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the turkey supper served at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Thursday evening, Mrs. Tim Rednieckl of Oklee brought supper to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson's. Mrs. Radnieckl was also an overnight guest at her parents home that night.

June Johnson, Don Moen and Beverly Emmenson were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday morning at the Gene Marquis home.

Friday afternoon, Oren Syrtviet of Silver Bay, Orlo Syrtviet of Westby, MT; Pearl Watne and Vivian Norgaard both of Gully were visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Watne home.

Mrs. Gene Marquis enjoyed coffee with June Johnson on Tuesday.

Jean Johnson had supper with her parents the Clarence Johnsons on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes was a visitor and coffee guest on Tuesday morning at the David Sjulestad home.

Saturday, Katie Anderson went to the Larry Nerhus home to help Tanya celebrate her birthday. Happy Birthday Tanya.

Agder

Stacy and Steve Beierman, Matthew and Justin were afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Carmen and Larry Gustafson home on Sunday.

Annette Koetrzweskl spent the weekend at the Ray Barth home.

Cheryl and Colin Melby, Nicole, Laura and Becky were weekend guests at the Maxine and Clifford Olson home. On Saturday evening they all attended the surprise 25th Wedding Anniversary celebration for Marvel and Wesley Pesek held at the home of Dorothy and George Didrickson at Badger.

Maxine was pleasantly surprised too when they celebrated her 60th birthday. Others attending from here were Jeff and Lorne Olson and family and Lillian Pesek. Lillian remained until Monday at the Didrickson home. On Sunday she attended a birthday party for her friend, Rose Gust who was 88.

Andy and David Barth went to Minneapolis on Friday so Andy could have a medical check-up.

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School Lunch Menu

Thief River Falls

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Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25, Middle school/$1.40, Lincoln High/$1.40, Adult/$2.20 25¢ Extra milk

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"Taco Thursday". Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2 tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.

In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes, and snack items.

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9 Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12 Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13 Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9 1-Chicken stir-fry, egg roll, bread, fried rice fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 1-Deluxe nacho tray, fixings, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, tomato slices, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday, Oct. 12 1-Diced turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, vegetable choice, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.

Friday, Oct. 13 1-Italian dunkers with meat sauce, salad, fruit choice, graham cracker. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Juice or fruit, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13 Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9 1-Hamburger on bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 1-Mini tacos, fixings, fruit choice, mini carrots and mini donuts. 2-Hot ham and cheese on bun, corn, veggie sticks, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce and tomato slices, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Oct. 12 1-Chicken stir-fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Friday, Oct. 13 1-Italian dunkers with meat sauce, salad, fruit choice, graham cracker. 2-Polish sausage on bun, potato rounds, choice of fruit. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9. Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).

Thursday, Oct. 12 Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Friday, Oct. 13 Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9 Hamburger on bun, potato rounds, peach sauce.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Mini tacos, cup of fixings, pineapple tidbits, mini carrots and mini donuts.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, oven fries, banana.

Thursday, Oct. 12 Italian dunkers with meat sauce, golden corn, pear sauce, graham cracker.

Friday, Oct. 13 French toast sticks, cheesy omelet, applesauce, orange smiles.

- Menu subject to change.
- Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50; 2 cartons per day is $9.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9. Cereal choices, muffins, cheese slice, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Fried eggs, muffins, cheese slice, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 French toast, syrup, sausage, fruit juice, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12 Pancakes, syrup, applesauce, sausage, milk, juice.

Friday, Oct. 13 Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9 Chicken pattie on a bun, oven fries, lettuce, tomato, peach slices, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Tacos, meat sauce, lettuce, chips, tomato, shredded cheese, pineapple chunks, bread, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 Build your own sandwich on a bun, meat cheese, fresh veggies and dip, blast off bars, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12 Italian dunkers, cheesy bread, corn, fruit, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13 Sausage pizza, green beans, pineapple sauce, cookie, peanut butter bread, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9 Long Johns, Cheerios, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Toast, Lucky Charms, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 Caramel roll, Rice Krispies, juice, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12 Toast, oatmeal, juice, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13 Scrambled eggs, muffin, fruit, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9 Pepperoni pizza, whole kernel corn, pears, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Chicken nuggets, hash browns, peas and carrots, cookies, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11 Lasagna, lettuce salad, garlic toast, vanilla pudding, bread and milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12 Chicken noodle soup, ham sandwiches, vegetable sticks, peach sauce, bread and milk.

Friday, Oct. 13 Hamburgers, French fries, pickles, apple sauce, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9 Assorted mils, granola mix, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10. French toast with butter and syrup, sausage, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12. Donuts, granola mix, juice, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13. Choice of cereal, muffins, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9. Pizza, corn, pears, plain and peanut butter bread, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10. Chicken burgers, mixed vegetables, peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Pork steak, baked potato, jello with fruit, plain and peanut butter bread, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Tacos with lettuce and cheese, applesauce, plain and peanut butter bread, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13: Hot ham and cheese, green beans, carrot sticks, pudding, milk.

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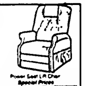

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SCHOOL REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES BUDGET FOR 1995-1996 — District Number 564 — District Name THIEF RIVER FALLS

FUND	1994-95 ACTUAL REVENUES AND TRANSFERS	1994-95 ACTUAL EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS	JUNE 30, 1995 ACTUAL FUND BALANCE	1995-96 BUDGET REVENUES AND TRANSFERS	1995-96 BUDGET EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS	JUNE 30, 1996 PROJECTED FUND BALANCE
General	11,303,717	11,229,643	724,652	11,279,456	11,261,197	742,911
Food Service	491,661	581,366	9,950	532,200	530,059	12,091
Transportation	775,940	903,088	317,521	874,335	784,785	407,071
Community Service	347,707	366,458	28,125	315,456	318,598	24,983
TOTAL OPER. FUNDS	12,919,025	13,080,555	1,080,248	13,001,447	12,894,639	1,187,056
Capital Expenditure	1,740,792	923,842	643,376	708,769	782,592	569,553
Building Construction	153,459	5,521,117	141,319	0	141,319	0
Debt Redemption	2,295,986	1,562,147	667,426	2,306,913	2,213,057	761,282
Trust and Agency	46,781	45,252	461,553	30,500	31,300	460,753
TOTAL NON-OPER FUNDS	4,237,018	8,052,358	1,913,674	3,046,182	3,168,268	1,791,588
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	17,156,043	21,132,913	2,993,922	16,047,629	16,062,907	2,978,644

BONDS AND STATE LOANS		STATUTORY OPERATING DEBT		MISCELLANEOUS	
OUTSTANDING JULY 1, 1994	22,530,493	PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977	NONE	ORDERS NOT PAID FOR WANT OF FUNDS 6/30/95	NONE
PLUS: BONDS AND LOANS ISSUED	00	LESS: RESERVED FOR SOD - 6/30/95	NONE	CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS 6/30/95	1,580,000
LESS: BONDS AND LOANS REDEEMED	562,971	LESS: PAYABLE 1995 SOD LEVY	NONE	1994-95 PUPILS IN AVG. DAILY MEMBERSHIP	2,296
OUTSTANDING JUNE 30, 1995	21,967,522	NET REMAINING AS OF 6/30/96	NONE	1994-95 OPERATING COST PER PUPIL UNIT	5,519

The Complete Budget May Be Inspected Upon Request To The Superintendent

COMMENTS:
1. The General Fund Balance for June 30, 1995 and June 30, 1996 include dollars appropriated for unemployment compensation and severance pay
2. The Transportation Fund Balance for June 30, 1995 and June 30, 1996 include dollars appropriated for bus purchases
3. Capital Expenditure revenue for 1994-1995 includes proceeds from the sale of Washington Elementary

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Sunday, Oct. 8: Chicken with dressing, whipped potatoes, carrots, roll, peach dessert, milk.

Monday, Oct. 9: Hamburger hotdish, lettuce salad, corn, bread, plum sauce, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10: Ham loaf, au gratin potatoes, green beans, roll, peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Chile, egg salad sandwich, fruit jello salad, brownie, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Swiss steak, potatoes, beets, bread, apricots, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13: Tuna casserole, peas, coleslaw, roll, pears, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Senior Meals: Newfolden

Monday, Oct. 9: Swiss steak, baked potatoes, stewed tomatoes, dinner roll, dessert, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10. French fry hotdish, vegetables, bread and margarine, pear sauce, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Cook's choice.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Lemon pepper pollock, boiled potatoes, vegetable, dessert, milk.

Friday evening, Oct. 13: Beef roast, mashed potatoes, gravy, California blend, bread and margarine, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Oct. 9: Baked chicken, steamed rice with gravy, stewed tomatoes, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, Dutch apple pie, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10 Salisbury steak with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Cranapple juice, stewed chicken with dumpling, zucchini squash, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Beef stroganoff, seasoned noodles with gravy, sliced parslied carrots, pineapple marshmallow coleslaw, strawberry sundae, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Oct. 13: Salmon loaf with creamed pea sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, lime gelatin with fruit cocktail, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Discovery Place Lunch Menu

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 9: Milk, apple juice, bran muffins, Cheerios.

Tuesday, Oct. 10: Milk, orange juice, toast, cream of wheat.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Milk, apple juice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Friday, Oct. 13: Milk, apple juice, Chex, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 9: Homemade beef stew, sliced cheese, bread and butter, fruit cocktail, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 10: Hamburger on bun, coleslaw, carrots, pears, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 11: Beef chow mein, chow mein noodles, lettuce salad with ranch dressing, bread and butter, pineapple, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 12: Escalloped potatoes with ham, carrot and raisin salad, applesauce, milk.

Friday, Oct. 13: Cream of tomato soup, saltines, grilled cheese sandwiches, pickles, sliced peaches, milk.

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Weekend guests at the Fred Lundeen home were Milton and Arlyce Myrum from Chisholm. Milton and Arlyce attended the Karen Rude and Kris Wojchowski wedding at Zion church in Thief River Falls on Saturday, September 23, 1995. They also visited with Bob Myrum, the Monte Haugen family, Oliver Hafstad and Shirley and Darrow Lundeen.

Many From the area attended the Waubun-Red Lake County Central football game that was played at the Fargo Dome in Fargo. A large group of fans from the area cheered the Mustangs on during a very exciting game.

Saturday supper guests at the Shirley and Darrow Lundeen home were Jona, Alison, Trisha and Jacab Bornior and Cale Bornior of Oklee.

Saturday morning breakfast guests at the Clarice and Orlan Stolaas home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myrum from the Iron Range. Mr. and Mrs. Galen Peters and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Stolaas. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stolaas.

Clarice and Orlan Stolaas visited at the Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gustafson home in Thief River Falls on Wednesday afternoon. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard LaCoursiere of Milwaukee, WI.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Stolaas and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stolaas attended the wedding of Karen Ruda and Kris Wojchowski at the Zion church in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

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Hats Off, 4-H Members; This Week's For You!

When we look at the 4-H club program from our rural perspective in northern Minnesota, we have the tendency to think of it as more or less of a farm-oriented organization. Sure, there are members from the towns and cities, but it seems like most of the members are from the farm.

According to the University of Minnesota Extension Service, farm youth are in a distinct minority in Minnesota. Only 12 per cent of the 282,010 Minnesota youth (ages 5 to 19) who participated in 4-H programs in Minnesota last year live on farms. Twenty-eight per cent live in towns under 10,000 and in open country; 26 per cent live in towns and cities of 10,000 to 50,000; 16 per cent live in suburbs of cities over 50,000; and 18 per cent live in central cities of over 50,000.

Of those 282,010 young people, only 32,464 (11.5%) were members of the state's 1,486 4-H clubs. There were 28,740 (9.6%) who participated in 4-H special interest groups; 96,314 (32.2%) who were involved in 4-H school enrichment programs; and 139,991 youth (46.7%) were enrolled in 4-H individual study programs and 4-H instructional TV programs.

About 11 per cent of the 4-H participants in Minnesota are from minority racial or ethnic groups. Fifty-four per cent are boys and 46 per cent are girls. Fifty-five per cent are from age nine to 11, 27 per cent are from age 12 to 14, nine per cent are under age nine and another nine per cent are from 15 to 19.

As it has evolved over the years, 4-H offers activities for just about every interest. Participants can work with cameras, computers, arts and crafts, animals, plants or bicycles. They can learn about health and family living issues affecting young people. They can practice their leadership, speaking or performing skills. Many go to camps or on national trips, or travel to other countries on 4-H exchange programs.

4-H is Minnesota's largest out-of-school youth education program. It combines the efforts of youth, volunteer leaders, the University of Minnesota, Minnesota Extension Service, county and state governments and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Its mission is to help young people develop knowledge, skills and attitudes that will enable them to become self-directing, productive and contributing members of society.

The program succeeds in many ways. Check out the student leadership in high schools around the area over the years. Chances are you will find 4-H club members heavily involved in leadership roles. They learn leadership and responsibility at the club level and those abilities just naturally carry over into their school work and activities from elementary through college.

The 4-H pledge outlines the 4-H member's use of the four H's—Head, Heart, Hands and Health: "I pledge my Head to clearer thinking, my Heart to greater loyalty, my Hands to larger service and my Health to better living for my family, my club, my community, my country and my world."

These are parts of the foundation that the 4-H club programs seek to build. Clearer thinking leads to good decision-making throughout life. Loyalty means strong personal values, a positive self concept and concern for others. Service builds work force preparedness, useful skills, science and technology literacy. Better living includes healthy lifestyles.

Much of the success of the program is due to the work of dedicated and concerned leaders, often—but not always—parents or other family members of 4-Hers. Last year 28,326 adult and youth leaders worked with 4-H youth. The average 4-H volunteer spends about 220 hours per year preparing for and working with youth.

Minnesotans owe a debt of gratitude to the volunteers who work with youth in general and with 4-H youth in particular. They are teaching useful skills and healthy involvement which carry on into responsible adulthood.

The "4-H Value Set" is a key. It states:

(1) We believe *youth development* is the focus of everything we do.

(2) We believe *partnerships* are essential to successful youth development.

(3) We believe *volunteerism* is fundamental.

(4) We believe in the strength attained from *diversity* across the entire range of 4-H experiences.

Our congratulations to the area's 4-H club members this week during National 4-H Week and every week throughout the year. They are part of a great program and the lessons they learn for life will prove invaluable to them.

So, Did You Enjoy The New Twins, Then?

Making conversation in Minnesota means finding a subject in which two or more people share a common interest. Most frequently this is the weather, followed by the crops (in rural Minnesota) or the murders (in metro Minnesota). And in select company, one of the professional sports teams temporarily operating from some point in Minnesota might be a suitable topic.

The Minnesota Twins, for example, have just closed out their season, which started late due to a strike and has shown fans are still turned off by that fiasco. The Twins disposed of a number of their established, overpaid, underproductive players during the season and went with their youth (read "cheaper") movement.

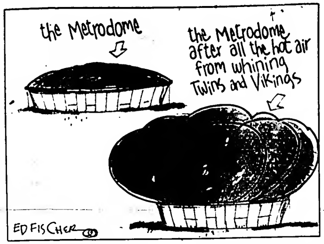
The Twins finished with the worst record in major league baseball, but hey, some team has to be there. As long as the team was facing a low turn-out season from the fans anyway and the established players weren't producing, why not take your lumps with youngsters who are expected to lose anyway?

Personally, we enjoyed the change. It was fun to hear new names and see new faces under caps bearing Twins emblems. Marty Cordova out-homered multi-millionaire Kirby Puckett and proved to be a capable defensive outfielder—maybe good enough to be Rookie of the Year. Enough other young players gained major league experience to give management a feel for what they can be expected to produce.

Chuck Knoblauch was the only "regular" to earn his paycheck and he did so with the kind of year only a player going into free agency could have. He boosted his value a few million dollars by hitting for one of the league's top averages, showing some previously unseen home run power, fielding spectacularly and stealing somewhere around 50 bases. It was probably the last year Twins fans will see Knoblauch except in a visiting team's uniform.

Kirby Puckett had a couple of hitting streaks during the year but was generally less than fearsome with men on base. Younger players set the table for him time after time during the season and he struck out, popped up on a first pitch or grounded into a double play with maddening regularity. In one game he accounted for eight outs in five at bats by hitting into three double plays with runners in scoring position, including twice with the bases loaded. Too many of his 99 RBIs were gifts on ground ball outs with a runner at third.

Give the kids a couple of more years and they will be competitive on a daily basis. When they perform well more consistently the fans will return and the sun will shine again on the dome.



Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Friday, Vernice Larson went to Thief River Falls and visited and enjoyed lunch with Sue Dondelinger, Joey and Evan.

On September 24th, Olga entertained the following to a tasty Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson. In the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson stopped in for a visit and coffee and lunch.

Marvin and Betty Moen visited with Hanna Moen on Sunday afternoon.

Saturday evening Wallace and Joan Roppe visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Saturday, Tom and Sue Dondelinger hosted a birthday supper in honor of their daughter Lauren who was 7 years old. Those present were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Sybil Cwikla, Gail Larson, Sarah, Josh and Andy and Richard Larson. Afterwards Lauren opened her many gifts and cards also attending the party were her brothers Shane from college, Joey and Evan. They also enjoyed birthday cake and ice cream. Birthday Blessings Lauren!

Sunday visitors at the Lillie Olson home were Chuck and Sherry Olson.

Milton and Beverly Erickson have been visiting with Kenneth Erickson at the Grand Forks Hospital last week.

Dave Hanson visited with his mom Clara Hanson on Thursday afternoon and evening. In the evening Dave and Clara went to Thief River Falls to visit with Deon and Tammi Hanson.

Clara Hanson visited Friday with Olga Thompson and enjoyed coffee and goodies with her.

Sunday afternoon, Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed dinner with Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan.

Late Sunday afternoon September 24th, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nelson stopped in to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson and also had supper with them enjoying a nice visit.

Sybil Peterson and Lillie Olson went to Grand Forks on Wednesday. They also met Joanie Swenson for lunch.

Friday, Beverly Erickson visited at the Gary Leaders home.

Floyd and Adelina Nelson enjoyed dinner with Clara Hanson at her home after church services.

Sunday evening, visitors at the Roy Roppe home were Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stokke took in the musical program at the Evangelical Free church Sunday evening, September 24th. It was very good.

Beverly Erickson visited with Pearl Engen in Grand Forks on Monday.

Late Sunday afternoon Don and Gail Larson visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Monday afternoon, September 25th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson brought coffee and goodies and had coffee together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stokke.

Sunday dinner guests at the Olga Thompson home were Curt and Elaine Thompson, Bill and Shirley Wagner. Afternoon Donald and Eleanore Thompson came for a visit and later all enjoyed coffee and rolls and donuts and cookies before going home.

Saturday evening visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Dean and Mary Anderson and Jill.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson were recent evening visitors at the Floyd Nelson home.

Tuesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Carol Ness and Sybil Cwikla.

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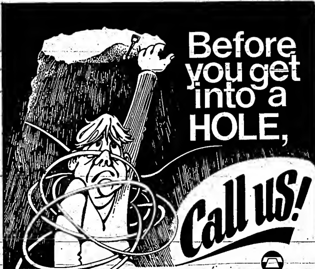
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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—F. H. Kratka is erecting a new building on LaBree avenue, near S. T. Johnson's old stand, which is to be used as an office.

—Mullarky and Kennison have on exhibition at their store a turnip, raised by G. L. Buckholtz which tips the scales at 18 1/2 pounds.

—The McKinnon Brothers suffered a severe loss by fire Thursday of last week by the burning of their carriage and blacksmith shop.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Sam Johnson is so far unopposed as a candidate for mayor.

—Logging operations will again be extensive in northern Minnesota this winter. New roads from Bemidji to the Red Lake area will open up a lot of new logging territory.

—Due to adverse conditions last summer for wild rice and hay farming, Minnesota's Chippewa Indians may starve this winter unless provision is made for them by the government, according to George L. Scott, state Indian agent.

—Fourteen-year-old Rudolph Sundin of Vega was accidentally shot and killed when he and his friends engaged in horseplay with a loaded shotgun.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—At a special city election, voters turned down a proposal to buy the Kretzschmar dam by a margin of 270 to 188.

—Philip Bryant, day operator at the Soo Line offices here, was promoted to night train dispatcher.

—P. A. Eckstrom, Black River farmer, was killed when his car was struck by a Great Northern train at Angus.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Rev. E. H. Lorenz of Minneapolis became pastor of the Presbyterian church.

—Story of Peder Engelstad and his farming achievements is told in the current issue of the American Magazine.

—H. O. Chommie was reelected commander of the local Legion post.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—An election to determine whether liquor may be sold in Pennington county will be held October 14.

—City council asked for bids on construction of four cabins to house poor relief recipients.

—Mrs. Theodore Quale was re-elected chairman of the Pennington county Red Cross chapter.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—A Northrop school PTA unit was organized, with Mrs. R. B. Westacott as president.

—Mrs. G. L. Biddick was reappointed local Christmas Seal chairman.

—L. W. Perkins suffered severe burns while rescuing his infant granddaughter from a fire that badly damaged his home.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Laurie Haagen was crowned 1955 Lincoln high school homecoming queen.

—Dr. Orion D. Beich received the Distinguished Service award at the Jaycee Boss-Employee banquet.

—Winslow chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will observe its 50th anniversary Friday.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Tami Steen was crowned 1965 Lincoln high school homecoming queen by Prowler football captain Gary Olson.

—Leaf burning on streets has been banned in Thief River Falls.

—Twenty high-production Holstein cattle, consigned by 13 members of six Dairy Herd Improvement associations in northwestern Minnesota, will be offered for sale at the Seventh annual Top of the Nation Dairy Sale Thursday at the Pennington county fairgrounds.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Additional student housing is needed, according to a study by Northland community college and the area vocational technical institute.

—Twelve new classes are being offering this fall at the Thief River Falls area vocational technical institute.

—It was announced that Thief River Falls will be the third day stopover for the 1976 St. Paul to Winnipeg International 500-mile snowmobile race.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Shellie Trontvet, 17, daughter of Ronald and Carolyn Trontvet, was named Lincoln high school homecoming queen for 1985.

—The question of whether intoxicating liquors may be sold in Thief River Falls on Sundays will again be on the election ballot on November 5.

—The Prowler marching band recently took first place in parade competition at the Potato bowl festival in Grand Forks.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Glifford Klamar
459-3445

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited at the Clayton Carlson home at Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter visited at the Wayne Lunsetter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott and family of Red Lake Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polensky were to the Threshing Bee at Rollag on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls spent the weekend at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Mrs. Juel Aune attended a Ben Franklin Reunion at the Best Western on Wednesday.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls were supper guests at the Rick Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlyne Boberg of Healy, AK and Mrs. Elizabeth Holte of Grygla were supper guests at the Alton Sperby home on Tuesday.

Coffee guests on Tuesday morning at the Juel Aune home were Jimmy Sperby, Raymond Aune and Glenn Limosand.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik attended the 8th grade volleyball game at Newfolden on Monday afternoon. Their granddaughter Jill Anderson played.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkerson of Pens. MO spent Thursday until Monday at the Cheslio Ruud home.

Senior News

The Senior Citizens met on Wednesday. Denise Holthuson from Pine to Prairie took blood pressures. Anne Westberg read the minutes from the last meeting. They are planning a trip to Baudette. Walter Lunsetter won the doorprize and Peter Aune will serve at there September 27th meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brawley and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited on Tuesday evening at the Gene Peterson home.

Keryt Larson spent the weekend with Susan Kenerr at Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune of Grygla visited on Monday at the Juel Aune home.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik were dinner guests at the Dean Anderson home at Newfolden.

Milton Johnsen of Fergus Falls is spending a few days at the Alan Severts home.

Bill and Gladys Paetznick and Jeannie Olson of Minneapolis visited on Saturday with Evelyn Severts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Larson of Maples, WI are proud parents of a daughter on Sunday, September 17th. She joins a brother and sister at home. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson are the proud great-grandparents. Marvin and Myrna Espe are the grandparents.

Jack and Jayne (Morrisey) Miller of Goodridge are proud parents of a daughter born in August. Raymond and Ann Morrisey are the proud grandparents.

Orlin and Amanda Ostby are proud parents of a daughter, Catherine Eleanor born at the Roseau Area Hospital. Olive Ostby is the grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus and Mr. and Mrs. Alen Severts were dinner guests on Sunday at the Bert Jones home.

Reidun Hegon and Tom Anders of Lillehammer, Norway arrived on Wednesday at the Eunice Hagen home. They were accompanied by Harlene Overgaard of Roseville and Penny Johnson of Eagan.

On Thursday, together with Eunice they visited the Museum at Lake Bronson and in the evening attended the Lake of the Woods—Grygla-Goodridge Volleyball Game at Baudette.

Reidun Hegen is a second cousin of Eunice.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkerson and Mr. and Mrs. Cheslio Ruud visited with Mrs. Tim Howard of Warren in Thief River Falls.

Saturday evening visitors at the Laverne Aune home at Grygla were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Carlson of Thief River Falls, Esther O'Brian and Em Hendrickson of Minneapolis, Glenn Auna and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — October 4, 1945

From The Times Files Fifty Years Ago

For next week, October 11, 1945

An announcement will be made about the opening of a new wholesale business in Thief River Falls which will still be in operation in 50 years. What kind of business opened here with "several trucks operating out of here [providing] wagon service for dealers in this part of the state"?

Advanced question: In what building was the new enterprise located when it opened?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library in the micro-film archives of the local newspaper.

Men of Ages 26 To 38 Now Being Placed In Class 4A

"The Pennington county selective service board is now engaged in reclassifying registrants of ages 26 to 38 into Class 4A, in which group they will not be subject to call for military duty, it was announced today by Art Berg, chief clerk of the local board."

Local Scout Executives Make Tour Of Camp Sites

"A group of Thief River Falls Boy Scout leaders, together with others from Grand Forks, Warroad, Roseau and Greenbush, Sunday visited the lake area east of Waubun in the course of a tour of inspection of proposed sites for a Lake Agassiz council Boy Scout camp. Further plans for the project will be made at the annual meeting of the council in Grand Forks next month. Local men who participated in the tour include Philip L. Fjelstad, Glenn Hanna, Ed Hang and Morris Owen."

Busy Threshing Season Hampers Success Ram Exchange Day

"Good threshing weather reduced the attendance at the annual ram sale and exchange day held at the fair grounds in Thief River Falls Tuesday. According to County Agent Ernest Palmer, only about 25 rams were exchanged this year compared to a normal exchange of about 75. Mr. Palmer stated, however, that there was no scarcity of good rams available as local sheep men had several good groups of rams in and three breeders from outlying counties were represented."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Judy Garland
Robert Walker
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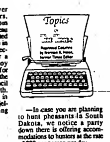
Montgomery Ward Safe Is Wrecked By Yeggmen

"For the first time in many years, safe-crackers invaded this city and Wednesday morning at 1:30 wrecked a safe in the office of the local Montgomery Ward store. The safe contained no money, but only time payment records and coupons, and the yeggmen fled without loot. Money was deposited in another larger safe, which was not tampered with. The intruders, who gained entrance through a trapdoor in the roof of the building rolled the safe into an adjoining toilet, and covered the window with a mattress before exploding a charge of nitroglycerin, packed in with soap, which shattered the safe and blew a hole through the floor of the room. The explosion was heard by several persons in adjoining buildings, who concluded that the noise was probably the backfire of an automobile."



—In case you are planning to hunt pheasants in South Dakota, we notice a party down there is offering accommodations to hunters at the rate of $20 per person per day.

—Meat and shoes are going off the ration list soon, which impels the Ada Index to comment that you then will have a choice of eating your steak or wearing it.

—Let's all do a little digging this week. The War Service Fund campaign is in progress.

—They must have had some good promoters in Kittson county. They're about ready to start drilling for oil up there.

—And how forlorn the flower gardens looked after Friday morning's frost.

—Army Cracks Down, says a headline. Well, that's probably better than having it crack up.

—A man was arrested recently for throwing water in Errol Flynn's face. Says the Baudette Region, "Errol probably was mad because it wasn't bourbon."

—Simile: As foolish as that California man must have felt after having predicted that the world would come to an end September 21.

—Here's hoping you did something with that extra hour you got when the time changed Sunday morning.

—Judging by the current situation in Minneapolis, Mayor Hubert Humphrey must have discovered by now that his job is no bed of roses.

—The mountain came to Mahomet when Emperor Hirohito called on General MacArthur last week.

—Those who believe that the OPA hasn't helped a lot to hold down prices must take a look at the window display arranged by the local OPA office in the Northern State Bank.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — October 2, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"School commenced here last Monday with a good attendance.

"The citizens of our village are busy these days digging their potatoes and preparing for winter.

"Miss Mary Kyle of Crookston came up on last Friday's train to teach in the primary department here the coming winter.

"The passenger train which now runs daily from Grand Forks to Fosston will be changed the first of next week and will run from St. Vincent to Fosston.

"The October apportionment of moneys to the public schools by the state will be about $770,000. According to the figures showing the school enrollment of the state superintendent of schools, this will amount when divided to $3 per pupil, an increase in the apportionment of 25 cents per capita over the apportionment of 1894, which was 52.75."

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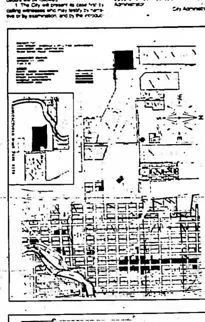

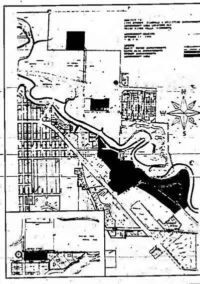

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THREE ALL steel arch style buildings. 30x30 was $5,990.00 now $2,800.00. 40x58 was $10,900.00 now $6,800.00. 50x120 was $16,000.00 now $12,800.00. Endwalls are available. 1-800-320-2340. T2t79p

HEATER CORES, all makes and models, auxiliary heaters also. TR Salvage Inc. 681-8221 or 1-800-950-8917. 4t79c

TIRES AND RIMS for sale. 6 P225 75R15 on Chev five-hole white spoked rims, $125.00. 2 LT 235-75R16 wide track radial Bears on five-hole Ford rims, $90.00. 1 P206 75R16 general, new $40.00. Call 681-8968 after 6 p.m. 7t4c

QUALITY REBUILT ENGINES Starting at $795. 12 month 12,000 mile warranty - on each on rebuildable core. Installations and towing available. Don's Machine Shop, Fosston, MN 800-448-1518. 1t9c

FOR SALE- Wurlitzer spinet piano, beautiful condition, maple finish. Steiger & Sons mahogany upright piano, very nice condition. 218-782-2731. 1t79p

FOR SALE- Water pressure tank, like new, $100.00. 218-449-4591. 1t79p

Help Wanted

TWO SALES people needed in your area. If you've ever thought about pursuing a sales career, here's an opportunity to join one of the leaders in our industry. Complete benefits including health and life insurance, 401K, ESOP and more. Send a brief resume to: Director of Personnel, PO box 1167, Virginia, MN 55792. 2t80c

HELP WANTED- Part time housekeeper, 55-74 hours every two weeks. Every third weekend. Benefits available. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. T2t79c

REWARDING EMPLOYMENT opportunity for motivated, caring and responsible persons. Full/part time coordinators to provide assistance to persons with developmental disabilities. $6.25/hr. Benefits include insurance pkg. at 20 hrs./wk. Must be 16 years and meet eligibility requirements. 463-1031 REM-Roseau, Inc. E.O.E. 10t87c

PART-TIME COOK- Apply in person, Dee's Kitchen, 811 N Atlantic, TRF. 7t8c

CERTIFIED NURSING assistants are needed to work in local care center. Contact the director of nurses at 218-436-2181 for more information. Certification classes are now available in Karlstad. 4t82c

NURSING ASSISTANT
Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part-time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at: Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. EOE. 102tfc

IDEAL FOR semi-retired person, part-time light maintenance, a.m. hours, Mon.-Fri., call 681-4527. 77tfc

HELP WANTED- Individual to provide daycare in their own home to a three-year-old disabled child for 2-1/2 days per week. Call Laurie H. at 681-2880. 4t82c

HELP WANTED- Need by October 1, laborers to bag edible beans, will be lifting and handling 50 to 100 lb. bags, call 964-5407, ask for Kristi. 78tfc

EVERGREEN IMPLEMENT of TRF looking for Diesel and Small Engine Technician, competitive compensation offered based on experience. Send resume to 1820 Hwy. 1 West, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 73tfc

HELP WANTED- Part-time bar waitress/waiter and host/hostess. Apply in person at American Legion Club, TRF. 4t81c

RESIDENT MANAGER- Part-time Resident Manager needed at a local 87-unit apartment complex. Must be available days. Responsible for leasing and overall on site management of the property. Experience with rent subsidy a plus. Send resume, references and salary requirements to: Brutger Equities, Inc., Human Resource Department, P.O. Box 399, St. Cloud, MN 56302-0399. Equal Opportunity Employer. P4t80p

HELP WANTED- for 2 p.m.-10 p.m. and 10 p.m.-6 a.m. shifts. Also needed, Assistant Manager. Apply at 7-11 or call 701-282-2698. 8t83c

Miscellaneous

GOOSE DECOYS- 12 wind socks, 13 silhouettes, call 874-3331 evenings. P4t80p

FOR SALE- 250,000 b.t.u. Tjernlund fuel oil shop furnace, $650.00. Pibbs wood burning stove, $450.00, 701-775-3322, Grand Forks. 6t84c

FOR SALE- Sharp portable electronic typewriter, $125.00, 218-745-4103. 70tfc

FOR SALE- Electric motors, 1/4 h.p. to 7-1/2 h.p. See us for all your electric motor needs. Fleet Supply. Call 681-2850. 47tfc

UTILITY TRAILER made from small pickup, $125.00, 681-5134 or 681-4716 ask for Gene. P4t82p

BUY YOUR battery factory fresh. We carry over 1000 batteries in stock. For all your battery needs, stop at Altra Power Battery Company, Hwy. 1 & 59 West, 681-8425, Thief River Falls. 62tfc

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FOR SALE- New in crate, 15 inch Grizzley surface planer with stand, 681-3797. P4t81p

FOR SALE- Farm fresh eggs, 681-6800. Also, TV antenna with roto. P4t82p

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HANSON'S BOARDING HOME is taking applications for a Resident Aid position. Applicant must be 18 years or older. For more information call 681-4527. 77tfc

HELP WANTED- Part-time Deli Cook, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also Clerk, 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. Pick up application at Petro Pumper. 67tfc

IMMEDIATE OPENING- Full time and/or part time office position available, hours 6-6, will train. Benefits. Apply in person or send resume to TRF Credit Bureau, 321 Main Ave. N., Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 1t79p

HELP WANTED: ALL POSITIONS
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RUSTY NAIL
307 Main. N., T.R. Falls

LOCAL BEEKEEPER has immediate positions available. 2 full time positions and 2 part time positions, call for details, 681-2538. P4t81p

RANDLE'S BEN Franklin at TRF is now accepting applications for part time checker position, occasional weekends, position starts immediately. Apply in person. 76tfc

FULL-TIME POSITIONS available. Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions available for full time employment, rotating shifts. Eligible applicants need to be on the nursing assistant registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the nursing assistant registry. Benefit package available. If interested apply at: Hillcrest Nursing Home, 211 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 74tfc

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS- Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp necessary. Now hiring. For info call (219) 794-0010 ext. 9011, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days. 6t84p

DAY & Closing shifts, flexible scheduling, full or part time. Benefits include: free uniforms, meal discounts, medical and life insurance, paid vacation and 401K. Up to $6.50/hour. Apply in person at HARDEE'S, 225 W. 3rd St., M-F, 1-4 p.m. 72tfc

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN WANTED- Have a full-time position open for a qualified Automotive Technician, experienced in transmission O/H and engine repair. Excellent pay and benefits. Apply to Mark Johnson, Tunberg Motor Co., TRF. 62tfc

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED- Part-time delivery person, early morning hours, and full time doughnut fryer, evening hours. 681-1272. Gary's Bakery. 59tfc

DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed. No experience?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers/DTDTS. Call 1-800-332-7304. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay pkg. + benefits. $30K-1st yr. $40K-2nd yr. 48tfc

VALLEY HOMES, Inc. has full and part time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply at 402 Main St. South in Karlstad or call 218-436-2518 or 1-800-532-7656 for an application. E.O.E. 71tfc

HELP WANTED- Reliable adult to babysit 4 to 4 1/2 days a week for infant and preschooler, references required, 681-3749. P4t80p

Rummage Sales

GARAGE SALE at 1227 N. Duluth Ave., Sat., Oct. 7, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Computer, high chair, changing table, walker and other baby items. Plants, maternity clothes, Avon, paperback books, baby, children's, men's and women's clothes, lots of misc. 3t80c

THREE-PARTY GARAGE sale. 902 North State, Sat., Oct. 7, 8:30-4:30. Beige sofa sleeper with inner spring mattress, console stereo, lots of fall and winter clothing of all sizes, household items, toys, books and misc. 2t80p

HUGE MULTI-FAMILY garage sale/bake sale!! Organ, household items, knickknacks, winter coats and clothes. Lots of yummy baked goods. Oct. 7, 8:30-3:30, 1526 Carlway Drive. 2t80p

CRAFT & Bake Sale, 215 Spruce Ave. S., Sat., Oct. 7, 9-4. Doughnuts, pies, bars, cookies, bread, sweatshirts, apples, sunflowers, Christmas. 1t79p

LARGE GROUP rummage sale- Starts Wed., Oct. 4 through Fri., Oct. 6, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 615 S. Tindolph Ave. Lots of very good clothing for small children, teens', men's and ladies', curtains, bedding, toys, plus lots of miscellaneous. 2t79p

SAT., OCT. 7, 307 Oriole, 8:00-4:00. Women's, boys' and girls' (size 10), clothing, exercise bikes, unpainted ceramics, winter jackets, much misc., kitchen table, road will be marked. 3t80p

BIDS FOR INSURANCE

The Thief River Falls Housing and Redevelopment Authority invites bids for provisions of a Multi-Peril Insurance coverage for a 1 or 2 year policy, for the following types of coverage: Fire and EC, Comprehensive General Liability, and Non-Owner Automobile Liability.

For a proposal packet, contact the Thief River Falls HRA, 415 Arnold Ave. South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Phone: 218-681-5995. Bid closing is Friday, November 10, 1995.

FULL-TIME ASSISTANT DON

NEEDS TO BE SELF-MOTIVATED, GOOD ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS, WORKING SUPERVISOR WITH SOME ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES. CONTACT SHANDA, DON AT 218-436-2161. KARLSTAD HEALTH FACILITIES IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

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Contact Shanda Kraulik, DON, Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center, for more information, or call 218-436-2181

REGISTERED NURSES

Are you interested in working in a variety of areas in a hospital setting? Roseau Area Hospital & Homes has openings for part-time staff nurses to work in Med-Surg, OB, ICU and ER. Experience is preferred, but we will train. Contact Colleen Lorenson, Director of Nursing, for more information.

Please forward applications to:
Deb Haugen, Human Resources
Roseau Area Hospital & Homes
715 Delmora Drive, Roseau, MN 56751-1599
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South On Airport Road to County Rd. 7, East 3/4 Mi., 1/8 Mi. South—Will Be Marked!

Household Goods

FOR SALE- Large upright freezer, $100.00, apartment size electric stove, $30.00, 681-5243 or 681-3797. 2t79p

17-CUBIC FT. fridge, avocado, $125.00, drop-in stove, avocado, $25.00, call 681-6394 after 4:30. 2t80p

FOR SALE- One sofa (beige tones), is very good condition. If interested call 218-681-6448 evenings. P4t82p

FOR SALE- Preway oil stove with fan, Husqvarna 272 saw, $285.00, 19 cu. ft. Hotpoint refrigerator, $100.00, 20 cu. in Hotpoint refrigerator, phone 278-4153. 4t79f

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FOR SALE- Queen size Softside waterbed, good condition, 681-4708. P4t81p

FOR SALE- Cheap Smith Corona word processor. Also kitchen table with six chairs, 964-5447. 1t79p

BENCH CRAFT 5 pc. sectional couch includes 2 recliners, full size hide-a-bed, blue, mauve, splash print, 2 years old, new $2,900.00, sell for $900.00 o.b.o., 782-7301. 1t79p

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Business Opportunities

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All previous rummage reduced - PRICED TO SELL - Skates, Sears Kenmore dryer, glassware, exercise equipment, toys, antique metal head/footboard, baby stuff, books, plants, crafts, clothes & household. Also lots of NEW Christmas stuff-reduced. Homecanned apple butter, sauces, jellies & pies. Breads & cookies (free samples!)
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REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISORS

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The following supervisory positions are available:
- Full-Time Day Supervisor
- Part-Time Evening Supervisor

Responsibilities will include:
- Care Planning
- Direct Staff Supervision
- MDS & Case Mix Charting

Some weekend shifts will be required.

For more information, please contact the Director of Nurses at Sheltering Oaks Manor or send application to:
Deb Haugen, Human Resource Specialist
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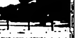

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FARMS FOR SALE- 150+ acres with 140 tillable land in CRP program at $40.50/acre. Priced at $48,000.00. Contract terms may be available. Contact Don Kvasnicka, Century 21 Atwood Realty, P.O. Box 208, Mankato, MN 56002. 3t79c

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MOBILE HOME- 16x80 1991 by Homark, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, central air, deck and shed included, 681-3812 for details.

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WANTED- 3-4 bedroom home within Thief River Falls area, rent with option or contract for deed, call 612-623-4842 collect. P4t81p

For Rent

FOR RENT- Two-bedroom upstairs apartment at 201 S. Tindolph Ave. Deposit and references required, $350.00/month includes utilities, available Oct. 1, 681-7276 after 5 p.m. 78tfc

For Rent

FOR RENT- Mobile home, 1-bedroom, natural gas, deposit, no pets. 12x60. 681-1491. 79tfc

FOR RENT- Main floor 2-bedroom apartment, utilities paid, partially furnished, off-street parking, call 681-6394. 74tfc

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tfc

FOR RENT- 2 to 3-bedroom mobile home in Basswood Tr. Ct., call 681-6069. 2t79p

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FOR RENT- Mobile home, 2-bedroom, (no pets), 681-1858. P4t79p

FOR RENT- Quiet, clean one-bedroom apartment, 681-5308 or 681-6723. P4t80p

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FOR SALE- 1991 Yamaha RT 180 dirt bike, nice shape, $1,100.00 or best offer, 681-2904 evenings. P4t81p

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Snowmobiles

1994 798 Wildcat, low miles, $4,000.00/o.b.o. 218-745-4234. P4t79p

FOR SALE- 1989 AFS 440 Jag and 1990 AFS 440 Jag, both in very nice condition, call 681-1599 after 5:00 p.m. P4t80p

Sporting Goods

16-FT. STARCRAFT boat with 60-h.p. I/O, very economic to run, new top and traveling cover, depth finder, like new condition, call 681-6685 after 5 p.m. 5t80c

GUN SHOW- (Also baseball cards), 9 to 6 Saturday, Oct. 14, 9 to 4 Sunday, Oct. 15. Thief River Falls Curling Club on the Fairgrounds. Buy, sell, trade. Open to public. Admission $2. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. To reserve tables call 681-3114, 674-6781 or 449-4751. 4t81c

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AVAILABLE NOW, for fall planting, tulips, daffodils, hyacinths, crocus and iris. Northland Produce, 416 Atlantic North, TRF, 681-2420. T73tfc

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TULIP BULBS, large dutch spring blooming bulbs, variety of colors and types, Honker Flats, 222-3484. P4t79p

FOR SALE- John Deere riding lawn mower, 30" cut, about 8-years-old, $600.00. Phone 449-3945. P4t80p

Pets

ROYAL PET grooming and supplies, certified groomer, 8th and Atlantic, Thief River Falls, call 681-8311. 6t85c

FOR SALE- AKC Cockers, only 3 left! 6 weeks old, paper trained! 476-3093. 2t79p

FOR SALE- Adorable award winning Holland Lop, baby bunnies looking for good homes, call 681-8289. 2t80p

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FOR SALE- Hamster, cage, and accessories. Call 681-8968. 54tfe

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Situation Wanted

PROFESSIONAL COUPLE with toddler want to rent home. Can provide local references. Todd and Angie 1701 235-5904 or Jim and Renae 681-6646. P4t80p

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WANTED- 2 wheel trailer from Nov. 2 to Nov. 7 in the Karlstad area for deer hunting. 612-866-8703. P4t80p

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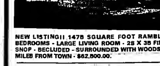

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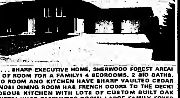

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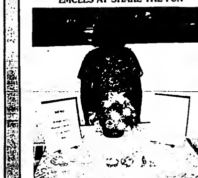

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1995 PENNINGTON COUNTY 4-H STATISTICS

- *11 Clubs Plus Day Programs*
- *266 Members*
- *28 Adult Volunteers*
- *City and Rural Farming and Non-Farming*
- *A Youth Program of the University of Minnesota Extension*
- *Learning Life Skills*

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Perfect attendance — Page 9
Dorothy Larson recently retired after 50 years as organist for Trinity Lutheran church in Thief River Falls.

Lion's Halloween — Page 3
Thief River Falls Lions club will host its annual Halloween parties on Tuesday, October 31, at National Guard Armory in TRF.

Sports — Pages 14-17
- Prowlers extend football winning streak
- Wrestling coaches named for '95-'96 season
- Volleyball team falls to Detroit Lakes, Win-E-Mac

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"A Geggle of Goodies" was the topic of a presentation by Lenore Pietruszewski of Stephen at the Northern Lights Reading Council fall workshop Thursday, October 5, in Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls. She called on each of her four sisters and brother who are also educators to give her their best three ideas and came up with 18 tried and true activities and ideas of interest to primary teachers. The room was packed for two workshop sessions. In all, 36 workshop sessions were offered.

Heinrichs is appointed to state Coalition committee

Jean Heinrichs, Thief River Falls alderman at large and vice mayor, has been appointed to the executive committee of the Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities by Coalition President Stan Christ. The Coalition is a non-profit advocacy group representing 59 Greater Minnesota cities in legislative issues. Heinrichs will join the committee made up of mayors, council members and city officials from throughout Greater Minnesota.

Christ praised Heinrichs' participation in the Coalition and dedication to Greater Minnesota's needs. "Jean Heinrichs gives Greater Minnesota cities a strong representation during a very critical legislative period," he said. "The city of Thief River Falls can be proud that one of its council members is helping to lead Greater Minnesota's efforts to promote equitable tax reform and government efficiency."

The coalition's advocacy efforts focus on property tax reform, land-use and annexation laws, and environmental issues. The Coalition's mission is to ensure state laws and regulatians are fair and help maintain healthy, viable Greater Minnesota cities.

"We believe a strong Greater Minnesota is essential to having a strong state," Christ said. "The Coalition with its active members gets our voices heard at the state Capitol to protect our citizens from unfair taxes and unnecessary regulations."

According to Christ, participation of local committee members will be critical in the coming legislative session. The biggest issue facing Greater Minnesota cities is a proposed constitutional amendment that was passed in the House last

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Gun show at curling club this weekend

Annual Thief River Falls gun show will take place Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the curling club building on the Pennington county fairgrounds in Thief River Falls.

Show co-manager Gail Steinhauer said the sixth annual show is shaping up to be the best one so far with more than 100 tables reserved in advance by dealers from Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota.

Among those registered are Bose's of Brainerd with all types of reloading components; Dennis Hooth of Milbank, SD, who specializes in Thompson Contender pistols and barrels; Gary Green of Comfrey who will have nine tables stacked with new rifles and shotguns; and B & L Guns of Brainerd who will have seven to eight tables of firearms.

Steinhauer said other dealers will specialize in antique guns, old and unusual cartridges and German and Japanese items from World War II. Local Deer Hunters chapter and Sportsmen Club will also have booths.

The show is open to the public with an admission of $2. Children under 12 years of age are admitted only when accompanied by an adult. In addition to guns and related items, sports cards will also be sold and traded. All federal and local firearms laws and regulations must be observed.

Manufacturers Week is proclaimed Oct. 16-20

Red Lake Falls will hold plant tours and luncheon

Mayor Bob Reeve of Thief River Falls and Mayor L borah Eukel of Red Lake Falls have issued proclamations which proclaim the week of October 16-20 as "Manufacturers Week" in their respective cities.

The proclamations note that manufacturing has the largest total payroll of any business sector in Minnesota, providing $13.5 billion in wages. It produces $22.9 billion for the state economy and is the largest single share (21 per cent) of our gross product. Manufactured exports brought $7.3 billion into the Minnesota economy in 1994.

The mayors also point out that manufacturing wages totaled $27.6 million in Pennington county and $1.5 million in Red Lake county for the 1993 calendar year and were suhsta ally higher in both counties in 1994 and 1995.

Red Lake Falls Tours, Luncheon

In Red Lake Falls most of the city's manufacturers are planning tours of their facilities for the public throughout the week.

Tours are being offered during regular business hours at Rafdors, Tailoredwear and Northwest Manufacturing. Another Red Lake Falls manufacturer, Barry's Welding, will not be conducting tours this year.

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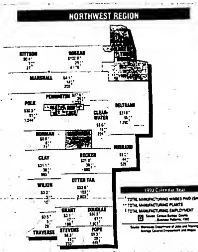

Sunflower yields reduced

Phomapsis Stem Canker infection levels in area sunflower fields has become near epidemic, according to Howard Person, Pennington county extension educator. The disease was first observed in Europe in the late 1970s, in the U.S. in 1984 and in significant levels in this area last year.

"Most sunflower fields in the area looked great all summer long," Person said. "However, as farmers began harvesting these fields, many have found significant lodging and seeds which are small and light. While most fields appear to be running around 1,000 pounds per acre, very high dockage due to the light seeds have made true yields much lower.

Phomapsis is distinguished by a large tan to brown lesion or canker surrounding the area where the leaf attaches to the sunflower stem. Symptoms start with an infection of the lower leaves along the leaf edges. A brown colored area of dead leaf tissue develops which may also have a yellow border around it. The infection spreads down through the veins of the leaf to the stem. Stem lesians usually don't appear until the sunflowers begin to bloom.

The damage is caused in two ways. First, the stem is weakened as the disease destroys the stem tissue, often causing plants to lodge. Second, the destruction of the stem tissue reduces the flow of nutrients to the head which causes the heads to be smaller and the seeds to be light and poorly filled.

Phomopsis stem canker has been found all the way from Texas to Minnesata and North Dakota. However, until recently, most of the economic damage was in the most sauthern states because the disease favars prolonged high temperatures and humidity.

Currently, there are no sunflower varieties with resistance to the disease and no fungicides labeled far control. Since the fungus overwinters best in infected sunflower debris on the soil surface, thorough disking or plowing in the fall to bury plant residue is important. Use of at least a four-year crop rotation is also highly recommended, Person said.

Westaker Free Lutheran to dedicate new church

Dedication service will be held Sunday, October 15, at 2:30 p.m. with Rev. Raynard Huglen as dedication speaker

Westaker Free Lutheran congregatian in Newfolden will dedicate its new church building at a special service Sunday, October 15, at 2:30 p.m. Worship services will also be held at 10 a.m. following a fellowship period from 9 to 9:45 a.m.

A pot-luck meal will be served at 11:30 a.m. and open house conducted from 1 to 4 p.m. with the dedication service scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Rev. Raynard Huglen of Newfolden, a former area pastor and priar editor of the "Lutheran Ambassador," will deliver the dedicatian address.

A number of pastors from area churches and throughaut the district of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations will also participate in the dedication program and special music from the church and community will be provided.

On display will be a number of photos and a wood model of the original 16x20 log church in which the congregation held its first services on April 26, 1889—two years after the congregation was organized. It was located in Sectian 20 of New Folden township and replaced with a larger church in the summer of 1899 on two acres of land purchased for $6 from Ed Johnson in Section 17 of New Folden township.

The church that the new house of worship replaces is located in Newfolden where it was moved from Section 17 late in the fall of 1963. A 16x60 addition was built to this church in the winter of 1972-73 and dedicated in June of 1973.

The new wood frame church building is located north of Minnesata Avenue (County Road 28) and east of the railroad tracks. Its main building is 68x106 with a 12x64 area which includes the entrance, foyer and mechanical area.

In addition to the nave where there are pews far about 160 people and the adjaining fellowship hall, the church has a large kitchen, six Sunday school rooms, restrooms and pastoral and secretarial offices.

Westaker congregation has used its new church since September 10

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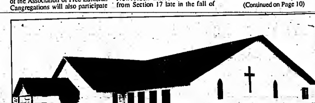
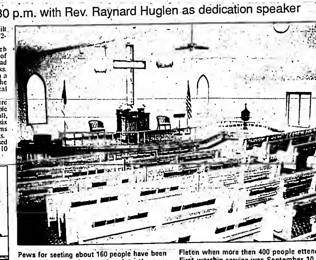


New church building of Westaker Free Lutheran Church of Newfolden will be dedicated Sunday, October 15, at special services to begin at 2:30 p.m. The church is located on 3.2 acres of land east of the railroad tracks and north of Minnesota Avenue (County Road 28).



Pews for seating about 160 people have been moved from the former church to the new home of Westaker Free Lutheran Church of Newfolden. Average attendance each Sunday is 80 to 90 people. In addition to the pews the church nave can easily accommodate 30 chairs and the adjoining fellowship hall and kitchen are equipped with speakers. First use of the church was September 9 for the funeral of Paul Fleten when more than 400 people attended. First worship service was September 10 and first wedding was Saturday, October 7, when Becky Berggren married Christopher Fenske of Blue Earth. The cross at the front of the church contains stained glass and the two large windows flanking it will also have stained glass inserts. Members of the congregation did much of the building and finishing themselves.

Dan Shafland, president of the Thief River Falls Kiwanis Club for the past year, thanks secretary Earl Gibson (right) for his efforts at the annual installation of officers recently at the Best Western Inn.

New president of the Thief River Falls Kiwanis Club, Dalton Schulz (right) is pictured following his installation recently with (left to right) Don Jorstad, master of ceremonies; Dan Shafland, past president; and Janny Amon, Crookston, District 12 Lt. Governor and installing officer.

Schulz heads Kiwanis

Delton D. Schulz was installed as president of the Kiwanis club of Thief River Falls during the club's meeting September 26 at the Best Western Inn. He succeeds Dan Shafland as head of the organization.

Also installed at the meeting were Les Vigness, first vice president; Ken Murphy, second vice president; and Earl Gibson, secretary-treasurer.

Serving on the club's board of directors in addition to the officers are Dave Odette, Dan Shafland, Cliff Larson, Gordon Peterson, Pete Severson and Mike Melby.

Entertainment at the meeting was provided by vocal soloist Megan Browning with piano accompaniment by Elizabeth Odette. Both are Key Club members at Lincoln high school.

Schulz will be serving as club president in an international organization headed by Eyjolfur "Eddie" Sigurdson of Reykjavik, Iceland. Kiwanis International's major service focus, a program called "Young Children: Priority," will continue during the 1995-96 club year.

Kiwanis International has 8,600 clubs with 325,000 members in 75 nations. Last year these clubs donated $65 million and more than six million volunteer hours for community service projects.

Most recent local activity was Kiwanis Peanut Day headed by Gordon Peterson. This event has been a successful fund raiser for the local club for many years due to the support of local citizens.

Farmers Union conventions in Oklee and TRF

Annual conventions of the Red Lake and Pennington county Farmers Union locals have been scheduled respectively for Thursday and Friday, October 19 and 20, in Oklee and Thief River Falls.

Red Lake county meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Thursday, October 19, in the Oklee community center with lunch to be served following the meeting.

Pennington county meeting will take place at the Evergreen Eating Emporium (Red Room) in Thief River Falls Friday, October 20, with a dinner to be served at 6:30 p.m. prior to the meeting. Dinner cost will be $5 per adults and $3 per child.

Guest speakers at both sessions will be Dennis Sjodin, Minnesota Farmers Union state livestock director and vice presidential candidate for the Minnesota Farmers Union and Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls, State Senator from District 1.

Business to be conducted at both conventions include adoption of county resolutions to be submitted to the 1995 Farmers Union state convention, election of delegates to the 1995 state convention and election of county officers.

Steve Linder is president of the Red Lake County Farmers Union with Faye Suko as secretary.

Korydon Chervestad is president of the Pennington County Farmers Union with Glenn Hofstad as secretary.

Manufacturers week observed in TRF and RLF

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At Homark Company, Inc., tours will be conducted on a reservation basis only with start times between 9:15 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. throughout the week. Persons planning to tour should allow for 35 to 45 minutes of tour time and groups will be limited to five or six per tour. To make reservations, call 253-2777.

Homark has experienced increased sales in the last couple of years and maintained continuous operation since February of 1994, except for a routine shut-down from Christmas to New Year's Day for equipment maintenance. In prior years the plant did not operate during the first three months of the year.

A special noon luncheon in recognition of the manufacturers will take place Wednesday, October 18, in the city hall in Red Lake Falls with state, city and other local government officials in attendance. At 12:30 p.m. the hall will be open to the public to hear remarks from the invited guests.

Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls and Rep. Tim Finseth of Angus have confirmed that they will attend. Invitations have also been extended to Congressman Collin Peterson, Senate Majority Leader Roger Moe of Erskine, Rep. Bernie Lieder of Crookston and Gov. Arne Carlson.

Tours of manufacturing facilities will be conducted for luncheon guests before or after the luncheon, depending on individual time schedules of those attending.

Mayor Eukel encourages the public to show support for local manufacturers by taking part in the tours being offered next week.

Name Heinrichs to committee

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session and is awaiting action in the Senate. If the proposal to take education funding off the local property taxes passes and goes to the voters, many Greater Minnesota businesses and homeowners will see huge tax increases, according to Christ.

"The House does not answer a $3 billion question," he said. "That is — where will the state get the $3 billion needed to pay for schools? We need to oppose any proposal that doesn't tell voters what they're voting on."

Christ, mayor of the city of Mankato, is serving his first term as president of the Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities.

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Lions club hosts two Halloween parties this year

Thief River Falls Lions club will host its annual Halloween parties on Tuesday, October 31, at the National Guard armory in Thief River Falls, according to Dr. Charles Samuelson, chairman of both events.

First party of the day will be a costume party for all children from toddlers through fifth grade from 4 to 5:30 p.m. All children and their parents are invited. Parents are invited to bring their children in costume to the party as a costume parade will be held about 5 p.m. with prizes given to the winners.

Games will be played at the event and all who participate will receive a prize. In previous years more than 400 young people have attended the party for this age group.

The second party will be a dance for children in sixth through eighth grades with music provided by a local disc jockey from 7 to 10 p.m. Free soft drinks will be served throughout the evening, free pizza provided about 8 p.m. and a costume parade held at 9 p.m. with prizes awarded to those who attend in the best costumes. All students at Franklin middle school and students in grades six through eight at private schools are invited to attend.

The Lions club has hosted the Halloween party since 1944 as one of its many service projects. Many volunteers from the club membership will assist Dr. Samuelson with the event again this year. Motto of the Lions club is "We Serve."

Dr. Samuelson also noted that October is membership month and any man or woman interested in joining the Lions club may contact any member for further information.

The Thief River Falls club meets each Wednesday from noon to 1 p.m. at the American Legion club rooms for a meal and short program. Attendance averages 50 to 60 members and the total current membership is 102. Business of the club is conducted by the board of directors which meets monthly at 7 a.m.

Club president is Ray Safranski with Ellsworth Jorgenson as secretary and John T. Anderson as treasurer.

School district seeks census update

People who are new to the Thief River Falls/St. Hilaire school district and have infant or preschool children, have moved to another location or have an addition to their family are asked to call 681-8670 to verify that their family is included in the current school district census statistics.

School officials state that it is especially important to be registered in order to get special newsletters mailed out to known families with preschoolers.

AA and Al-Anon making plans for Harvest Festival

Twentieth annual Harvest Festival of Alcoholic Anonymous (AA) and Al-Anon will be conducted Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 20-22, at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls. This is a change of date from what had been previously scheduled. The festival is open to all persons interested.

Pre-registration is $10 with registration $12.50 at the door. Saturday evening banquet cost is $9.25. Pre-registrations may be sent to: Harvest Festival, P. O. Box 33, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Please make checks payable to AA Banquet Committee.

"As We Sow, So Shall We Reap!" is the theme for the festival which opens Friday, October 20, with a talk at 8 p.m. by Bo T. of Hueytown, AL, and follows with an AA and Al-Anon Nite Owl meeting at 10:30 p.m.

Sessions Saturday open at 9 a.m. with an AA and Al-Anon workshop. Speaker at 10 a.m. will be Ed S. of Grand Forks, ND. At 1 p.m. a Cake & Pin party will take place poolside. Banquet is scheduled for 5:30 p.m. and at 7 p.m. the speaker will be Shirley T. of Hueytown, AL. Dancing to music by the "Fugitives" will begin at 9 p.m. and a candlelight meeting of AA and Al-Anon is scheduled for 9:30 p.m.

On Sunday, October 22, a workshop will begin at 8 a.m. and at 9:30 a.m. Bill S. of Winnipeg, Man., will be the speaker.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets in the North Conference Room of Northwest Medical Center Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday and at St. Bernard's Catholic Church Saturday at 8 p.m.

Al-Anon meetings in Room 113 at Northwest Medical Center are held each Sunday, Tuesday and Friday at 8 p.m.

Al-Ateen meets Sundays at 8 p.m. in Room 113 at the Medical Center.

Christmas lighting committee seeks contributions

Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce and its Christmas lighting committee are requesting public contributions to meet the goal of $15,000 for new community lighting. Theme for the campaign is "Relight Thief River Falls for the Holidays."

Previous lighting fixtures have deteriorated and are considered no longer in usable condition. The committee has reviewed available materials and selected new decorations. The City of Thief River Falls Utilities Department has agreed to be responsible for the installation.

All funds from the community drive will be used solely for purchase of the decorations. With the proper financial support the new lighting can be ordered and in place for the 1995 holiday season.

"Please take a moment to think about how you can help," the committee states in a fund raising brochure. "Talk with your family, friends and club members. Consider making a donation in the name of your family, your children or grandchildren, an organization or your business."

The committee notes that an average contribution of $10 from each family in Thief River Falls will meet the $15,000 goal. A $300 donation will decorate one pole with a five-foot wreath or $200 will decorate one six-foot Christmas tree.

"As Thief River Falls residents we are all proud of our community and its fine reputation," the committee brochure states. "The holiday season brings many visitors, shoppers and returning friends and relatives to our city. Our highway location also means that many holiday travelers visit our community.

"Often a community is evaluated on appearance and first impressions can be extremely important. For this reason, we are continuing the tradition of our holiday decorations to make our city bright and beautiful with the new candle wreath fixtures."

Contributions (make checks payable to Relight Thief River Falls Fund) may be sent to the Relight TRF Fund, c/o Chamber of Commerce, 2017 Highway 59 SE, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

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Young breast cancer patient urges people to "get a second opinion"

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

At age 30 women in the U.S. have a one in 2,525 chance of developing breast cancer. Rochelle Pederson just happened to be the one. On March 23, at age 30, Rochelle was diagnosed with breast cancer.

The family wasted no time seeking treatment. They called the Mayo clinic to make an appointment for surgery. When the clinic heard that Rochelle was only 30, they scheduled her for surgery the following week. The younger a person is when she or he (a small percentage of men do develop breast cancer) develops breast cancer, the more aggressive the cancer is. Mayo categorizes breast cancer in four stages and four classes. Rochelle was in stage two, but because her lymph nodes were effected, her cancer was considered grade four, the worst.

Rochelle had a choice between a lumpectomy and radiation therapy or a mastectomy. She chose a lumpectomy and radiation. Not all patients are a candidate for a lumpectomy. Candidacy depends upon the size of the breast and the tumor. Surgeons remove not only the tumor, but one centimeter of tissue around the lump and any affected lymph nodes. Last spring, Rochelle underwent testing to determine if the cancer has spread. The results were good.

Rochelle is part of the control group for a study of treatment of breast cancer which involves high doses of chemotherapy. After receiving regular chemotherapy for six months, some patients will receive high intensity chemotherapy which stunts the growth of bone marrow and requires patients to get bone marrow transplants. Rochelle is part of the control group and will not receive the intense treatment. The study will continue to follow her for the rest of her life, or until she decided to drop out of the study. For now she chooses to stay. When the study started back in 1991, planners wanted 400 volunteers for the study. Four years later the study still has only about 200 volunteers.

The Mayo clinic felt that Rochelle would be a good candidate for the high intensity treatment, but because she is in the control group of the study, the clinic will not perform the surgery. Patient for the control group are picked at random.

Aside from the radiation therapy, Rochelle will have to take a drug called tamoxifen everyday for the next five years.

On October 9, her daughter Roshan's sixth birthday, Rochelle received her last intraveaous chemotherapy treatment. She will now have to undergo six weeks of radiation therapy. She has not yet decided if she will go to Grand Forks or stay in Rochester for the six weeks. Rochelle must be treated at Grand Forks or Rochester because both are participating in the study.

Rochelle says, overall she feels good. She didn't have much of a problem with nausea, thanks to a drug called "Zofran." Her hair did fall out and is now starting to grow back. The experience of losing her hair was difficult for Rochelle because she used to have very long hair.

During the first four months after her diagnosis, Rochelle said she felt cured. Her church performed a ceremony of laying on of hands and the entire congregation prayed for her. She notes that some patients don't want others to know they have cancer. Rochelle was very open about her diagnosis. When she first learned she had cancer, she called many friends and family members and asked them to pray for her. She is thankful for the prayers and support she has received and continues to receive.

Rochelle's spirits suffered a blow when her nephew Kendrick Fincher died of complications from heat stroke.

"We really thought he was going to be healed," she said.

Ever since then, she says, it has "been more of a struggle" to keep her spirits up. Rochelle and her husband Randy know that there are others in the community who are battling cancer.

"We know we're not alone and and our hearts go out to them," says Rochelle.

Rochelle notes that the people of the Pederson's church which is the Evangelical Covenant Church and the people of the Evangelical Free Church in Newfalden have been very supportive and helpful. Rochelle and Randy agree that having family nearby also helps provide support.

"I wouldn't be getting through this if it wasn't for my mother," Rochelle stated. She says her mother helps with household chores and the kids.

Rochelle's parents are John and Darlene Roseland of Newfolden. Her sisters are Robin (Mrs. Larry) Langevin of Thief River Falls and Rhonda (Mrs. Mike) Fincher of Rogers, AK. Her brother and sister-in-law are Rolland and Mary Roseland of Cattonwood. Randy's parents are Gaylord and Sonya Pederson of Ganvick. Randy and Rochelle both have many extended family members in the Newfolden area as well.

Randy has made sacrifices as a result of his wife's cancer. Rochelle says he gave up his "extras" such as his group memberships. He doesn't seem to mind, though. He is still involved with some organizations, but he devotes less time to them than he once did. Randy believes in the importance of community involvement, but he says his family needs him to spend more time at home right now.

The Pederson's three children, Roshan, 6, Raina, 4 and Regan, 2 know that their mother has cancer. Rochelle read them a book called "My Mommy Has Cancer," but she says they still don't quite understand the situation. In general, they don't seem worried about the situation. Now and then, though they express concern.

When Rochelle was a day late coming back from Rochester, Raina said, "Oh, Mommy, I was so afraid you'd died."

The kids are very understanding when it comes to their mother's occasional limitations. For example when Rochelle had surgery, she couldn't lift anything or anyone. Her two year old learned quickly that Mommy could not pick him up and he didn't fuss about it. Roshan is good at helping when she is needed.

Rochelle wants to stress to people who find any suspicious lumps to have them checked right away and then seek a second opinion just to be sure. In other words, anyone who thinks she is too young or too healthy to develop breast cancer is wrong.

She also recommends a couple of books for cancer patients or loved ones of patients: Cancer Battle Plan by Anne E. Frahn and Love, Medicine and Miracles by Bernie S. Siegel, MD.

On October 14 the Newfolden chapter of Aid Association for

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Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Families at Risk Network from 8-10 a.m. in meeting room A at the Best Western Inn.

Flu Shots at the Dakota Clinic from 5-8 p.m. Cost is $10.

Women of Today monthly meeting at 7 p.m. at the Elks Club Rooms.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is "relationships."

Booster Meeting for Marshall County Central schools.

Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center from 7-10 p.m. Music by Pony Express.

Blood Pressure and Foot Care Clinic at the Goodridge Senior Center from 9-11 a.m. Call 681-5950 for foot care appointments.

Flu Shots at the Dakota Clinic from 5-8 p.m. Cost is $10.

Friends of The Library meeting at Northwest Regional Library at 7 p.m.

Oddfellows meeting at 8 p.m. at the Lodge Hall.

Friday

Homecoming for Greenbush-Middle River school.

Falls Square Dance at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium. Spectators welcome.

Scandinavian Smorgasbord at Bethany Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls from 4:30-8 p.m.

Saturday

Harvest Festival at Oak Ridge Lutheran Church from 4-8 p.m. Baked goods for sale and Swiss steak dinner.

Quilt, Lefse and Bake Sale at Bethlehem Church of Newfolden from 9-11 a.m. Serving rolls, coffee and juice.

Sunday

Jam Session at the Heritage Center from 1-4 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Senior Meal at the Heritage Center is BBQ Ribs at 5:30. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Parenting and Family Class at the TRF Library from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

AAUW meeting at the Evergreen at 5:30 p.m.

55 Alive driving course from 12:30-4:30 p.m. at Grygla Community Center.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Breastfeeding and Parenting informational meeting at Pennington County Courthouse from 7-8 p.m.

Christian Women's Club at 12 noon at the American Legion. Call 681-1086 or 964-5357 for reservations.

After 5 Club at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western. Call 681-2135 or 681-2924 for reservations.

Senior Dance at Fourtown from 1-4 p.m. with lunch served at 4 p.m.

55 Alive driving course from 12:30-4:30 p.m. at Grygla Community Center.

Social Security Officer at Heritage Center from 9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

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Rochelle Pederson was diagnosed with breast cancer at age 30. On October 14 there will be a benefit for the family at Newfolden elementary school. Seated from left to right are Rochelle, Roshan, 6, Raina, 4, Regan, 2, and Randy.

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Eggerud and Noreikis united in marriage

Kathryn Eggerud and Daniel Noreikis exchanged wedding vows at an outdoor wedding in Warren on September 9 at the home of Frank and Sheila Noreikis. David Gems, of Baudette, officiated at the 4 p.m. double ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Jean and Duane Eggerud of Thief River Falls and Frank and Sheila Noreikis of Warren.

Music was provided by the organist Linda Olson, friend of the bride. Selections were "I Swear," "When You Say Nothing At All," "I Cross My Heart" and "This Is the Day." Processional was "Cannon in D," and recessional was "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring."

The bride wore a white, full length, satin long sleeved dress with a train. The sleeves and bodice were accented with lace, beads and pearls. The veil was the same one worn by the bride's grandmother 49 years ago. The crown-shaped headpiece was accented with sequins. She held a cascading bouquet of white roses with accents of red roses, pearls, lace, beads and baby's breath.

Stephanie Schwartz of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple, served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Paula Jenson of Thief River Falls and Lisa Rehm of Middle River, both cousins of the bride. They wore black and white full length, off-the-shoulder dresses and carried heart-shaped bouquets with black, red and white roses with accents of white lace, ribbon, pearls and baby's breath.

The flower girl was Stephanie Olson of Plummer, friend of the bride. She wore a full length white lace dress and carried a bouquet similar to the bridesmaids'. The bride's personal attendant was Shelia Haugtvedt, sister of the groom.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails and red accents. His boutonniere consisted of two small white roses with white leaves.

Serving as best man was Tim Woinarowicz of Stephen, friend of the couple. Groomsmen were Tom Eggerud of Thief River Falls, brother of the bride, and Jerry Gerszewski of Park River, ND, friend of the couple. They wore black tuxedos with tails and red accents.

The ring bearer was Jordan Haugtvedt of Warren, nephew of the groom. He wore a tuxedo to match the groom and had a boutonniere of a single red rose with baby's breath and black leaf. Ushers were David and Ryan Eggerud, both of Thief River Falls, brothers of the bride. David wore a teal green suit and boutonniere with a red rose, baby's breath and a red leaf. Ryan wore a similar boutonniere and a dress shirt with a western style tie and dress pants.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a blue full length dress with accents of white swirls. The mother of the groom chose a three-piece gold pants suit. The mothers of the couple wore coursages with black, red and white roses with accents of lace, pearls and baby's breath. The fathers of the couple wore black tuxedos with tails and red accents to match the groom. They wore boutonnieres with red roses, baby's breath and black leaves.

Honored guests were James Haugtvedt of Warren, brother-in-law of the groom, Mike and Sandi Kennedy, Teena Long, Debbie Drenthe, Paula, Michelle and Carrie Van Beck, aunts, uncles and cousins of the groom, all of Chicago, IL.

The guest book attendant was Roxanne Eggerud, niece of the bride. Cake cutter was Darlyne Benson, friend of the couple. Coffee and punch were served by Brenda Pokrzywinski, friend of the couple. The waitress was Kaylie Rud, cousin of the bride.

The happy couple is at home in Red Lake Falls and the groom is employed by Hydra Mac.

Cancer patient says get a second opinion

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Lutherans is holding a fund-raiser for the Pedersons. They are serving a ham and potato dinner at the Newfolden Elementary School from 4-7 p.m. Those unable to attend may send contributions in care of AAL, Rt. 1 Box 163, Newfolden, MN 56738 and specify "For Rochelle."

Coincidently, October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month and October 19 is National Mammagram Day. Awareness and screening are some of the best weapons in the war against breast cancer. According to the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecalagists, early diagnasis and treatment give patients up to a 90 per cent chance of surviving breast cancer. The ACOG also notes that mammagraphy is not 100 per cent accurate and stresses the importance of a monthly breast self-exam and an annual clinical breast exam.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eck have a baby girl

Kaleena Eck announces the arrival of a baby sister. Rachel Marlene was born August 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eck of Duluth. Grandparents are Mrs. and Mrs. Raymond Eck of Eveleth and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Race of Goodridge. Great-grandfather is Wallace Eck of Eveleth.

Radniecki and Rosendahl exchange vows in Oklee

Sara Lynn Radniecki and Kim Jeffrey Rosendahl were united in marriage July 15 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Francis Xavier Church in Oklee.

Parents of the couple are Tim and Sandy Radniecki, Oklee and Myron and Judy Rosendahl, Madison.

Grandparents in attendance were Clara Radniecki, Oklee and Vernon and Clara Iversan, Goodridge, all grandparents of the bride and Dorothy Wagg, Madison, grandmother of the groom.

Following a honeymoon to southern California, the couple is at home in Moorhead where they are both students at Moorhead State University.

United Methodist Church offers parenting classes

Do you sometimes feel like your kids know their computer better than they know you? Ever get the feeling your kid is permanently attached to a Walk-Man? Many families feel that they have last the privilege of communicating openly and honestly with each other. Television and computer games very often dominate time that could otherwise be spent in mare quality activity.

A three-session Parenting and Family Class will be held in the meeting room of the Northwest Regional Library from 6:30-7:30 p.m. October 16, 23, and 30. This video class offers some guidance to families who wish they could connect better with each other, even above the deluge of media.

Subjects include:

(October 16) Communicating for Fun and Family, and Are We Media-Rich and Communication-Poor?

(October 23) Married With Media, and Raising Teens in a Fast-Food Media World

(October 30) Switching Channels.

This time of learning and interaction is open to the public and will be led by Rev. Bill Kerr of the Thief River Falls United Methodist Church. Feel free to call 681-4388 if you would like further information.

CORRECTION

Please note the flu shot clinic for Thief River Falls will be held at the Heritage Center from 1-3 p.m. on October 19

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Osbjornson and Sweep to wed October 28 at Zion

Nancy Osbjornson and Darrell Sweep plan to exchange marriage vows on October 28 at 4 p.m. in Zion Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls.

Nancy is a 1988 graduate of Oklee high school. She is currently employed at Independent Machine Service of Thief River Falls.

Darrel is a 1985 graduate of Mahnomen high school. He is currently employed at Paradis of Brooks.

Parents of the bride-to-be are Olen and Sandy Osbjornson of Oklee. Parents of the groom-to-be are Arthur and Lorraine Sweep of Bejou.

Christian Women to have harvest program October 17

All women of the Thief River Falls area are invited to a luncheon Tuesday, October 17, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the American Legion club. Cost is $4.50.

Program theme is "Happy 20th Anniversary" with the feature "Hats off to us" by Ruth McDowell. "Thanks for the memories" will be the musical program by Lisa Ewert and the speaker will be Tony Schwabe with "Sentimental Journey."

Reservations should be made by October 13, cancellations by October 16. Call Clarice Rooker at 964-5357 or Lorraine Dallmann at 681-1086. Reservations must be kept, cancelled, or paid for.

Free nursery is provided at United Methodist church by reservation only.

Christian Women's After 5 Club plans October Fest

The Christian Business and Professional Women's "After 5 Club," cordially invites area women to a dinner Tuesday, October 17, at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn. Cost will be $6.

Theme for the program is "October Fest." Linda Hornseth will present the feature on antique jewelry called "Vintage Fashions." "Timeless Music" will be the musical program. "Lasting Oratory" will be given by Tony Schwabe.

Reservations must be made by Friday, October 13, and cancelled by Monday noon, October 16. For reservations call Anna Marie Hestad 681-2135 or Evelyn Myrum at 681-2924.

Immunization clinic at Inter-County Nursing October 14

An immunization clinic will be held October 14 from 9-10 a.m. The immunizations will be available at the Inter-County Nursing Service Office in the southwest corner of the basement of the Pennington County Courthouse. All 7th and 12th grade students should receive their second MMR to remain in school. Adults in need of a booster for tetanus diptheria are encouraged to attend.

Cost of the immunizations are $5 each. No one will be denied an immunization for lack of payment.

Please call for an apointment, 681-5950. Immunizations available are DTP (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Petussis), DT (Diphtheria, Tetanus), OPV (Oral Polio Vaccine), MMR (Measles, Mumps and Rubella), HIB (Haemophilus B Influenza) and Hepatitis B for infants and toddlers.

Retired Educators meet at Evergreen

Retired Educators will meet at noon on Wednesday, October 18 at Evergreen Eating Emporium.

The speaker will be Danica Robson of the Northwest Development Agency on Aging. There will also be information on the upcoming referendum for district 564.

All retired educators are welcome.

AAUW to meet on October 16

American Association of University Women, Thief River Falls branch, will meet Monday, October 16 at 5:30 p.m. at the Evergreen. Senator LeRoy Stumpf will speak on legislative issues regarding education and information will be presented on the referendum issue. Coordinator is Judy Lindquist. Hostesses are Bev Ditmer and Gayle Borchert. AAUW promote equality in education. For more information, call Gayle Waale at 681-4203.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On October 2, a baby girl was born to Terry and Joyceln Englund of Karlstad. She has been named Briena Rhae.

• On October 4, a baby boy was born to Michael and Laural Lee of Red Lake Falls. He has been named Trevor John.

Open house for Milton and Janice Peterson

A 25th wedding anniversary open house will be held October 14 for Milton and Janice Peterson of Plummer. It will be held at the American Legion Clubrooms in Plummer from 2-4 p.m. with a short program at 2:30. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Smorgasbord in Red Lake Falls October 14

You know fall is in the air when you can smell the lefsa baking, the meatballs cooking and the unmistakable aroma of lutefisk at Bethany Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls. The folks of Bethany are preparing for their annual Scandinavian Smorgasbord set for October 14.

Join your friends and neighbors at Bethany to enjoy authentic Scandinavian favorites like Swedish meatballs, sot suppe (sweet soup), flat brod, romme grot, brown beans and ham, lutefisk casserole and lots more.

The smorgasbord will be served from 4:30-8 p.m. at Bethany Church located on the north side of Red Lake Falls. Velkommen to all.

. . . It's In My Genes

Fall is the time to prepare for winter. Squirrels search for nuts to hide away, birds fly south, bears look for suitable sleeping spots. I get ready for winter too. I stock my cupboards, closets and basement storage room with stuff.

I swear that it is something genetic that makes me stockpile food and other necessities like I do. I remember my mother and grandmother doing the same thing and I think it has something to do with being Scandinavian. One never knows when all of that stockpiled stuff will be needed — company could come and I might have to feed a bunch of people — I could get sick and miss going to the store one week and there would be nothing to eat — or, heaven forbid, when I do go to the store I could forget to buy something and then find I really needed it to make something special.

I also think my strange compulsion has something to do with living in northern Minnesota. We do have some pretty bad snowstorms and there have been times when it was impossible to get to a store (never mind if it was only for an hour or two). This, too, may go back to my ancestors. I suppose a blizzard in Norway would make it nearly impossible for the farmers to get to the corner store, so the women had to have plenty of supplies on hand. It appears that I feel the same as my Norwegian ancestors and am just a Nordic farm wife at heart.

As fall comes upon us, I also find myself having other strange urges. I feel the need to drag out my canning supplies and "put things up" like they did in the olden days. I can't stand to see anything go to waste, like those extra fruits and vegetables. I have this terrible desire to put them in cans and then set them on my pantry shelves to admire.

I came mighty close to making jelly again this year. When the plums on the tree in the back yard got ripe, I planned to pick them and cook them to make jelly the next weekend, but a wind storm knocked most of them down before I could get to them. However, when the weekend rolled around I couldn't stand it. I went out and picked them off the ground, washed them several times to get rid of the dirt, and then popped them into a big kettle.

Yes, I cooked those little plums up and strained them through a cheesecloth and then I pooped out. Instead of making jelly with the juice, I put it into jars and put it into my freezer so I could make jelly at a later time. The plum juice has lots of company in my freezer. I have plum juice from other years, as well as grape juice. We haven't had grape vines for several years now, since one of my sons decided they were killing the apple tree and had to come down, but the juice is still in the freezer — waiting for me to use it to make jelly — some day.

Speaking of the apple tree and apples, you don't even want to hear about it — I can't bear to think about it — I let some of them go to waste because the bees took a liking to them this year and every time I tried to pick them I found myself picking bees. I do have a few apples that I salvaged from the bees, enough for five or six pies. They are in the fridge. But I still feel guilty because I didn't make apple sauce or freeze apple pies like I have done before. No doubt all of my Norwegian farm wife ancestors are frowning at me for being so wasteful.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Nature Painting

Children love to paint and at this time of the year there are many natural items that children can use to explore painting with a different kind of brush. Some of these natural items to paint with may include feathers, acorns, sticks, pine cones, leaves, grasses or flowers. You will need a large place to work and large paper. A paper grocery bag that has been opened works very well. An old shirt can be used as a paint shirt to protect children's clothing. You may use tempera paint, water colors or even water colored with food coloring. Children will enjoy this new way of painting.

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need cornmeal, flour, oil, water, cookie cutters and a rolling pin.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Max and Ruby's Midas: Another Greek Myth. Ruby Rabbit creates an interesting twist to the story of King Midas as her version has Little Prince Midas vaporizing the nutritious meals that his loving family prepares for him.

Kherdian, David. Lullaby for Emily. Open a child's imagination to the subtle wonders of the world to find they will sleep sweetly, sleep gently and sleep peacefully.

VIDEO VARIETY

Berenstain Bears Get In a Fight. Brother and Sister Bear turn a minor disagreement into a major war, and it is up to Mama Bear to call a truce.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

PARENTING TIPS

Reading to Children

Reading aloud to children can make a positive difference for the rest of a child's life! By reading aloud to your child, you will:

•Develop a life-long enjoyment of reading
•Strengthen your relationship through time spent together
•Stimulate an interest in learning
•Increase your child's vocabulary
•Improve his/her chance of success in school
•And much more.

Some hints for making your reading time more enjoyable and for developing better readers are:

*Don't read books that you find boring. If you don't enjoy it, your child will be able to tell from your voice.

*Read to children when they are less active and have a better attention span. Also consider times when children are expected to stay in one place, in the high chair, in the doctor's office, in the car, etc.

*Remember it may take some parents and children more time to reach the enjoyment of reading together, so don't give up if the first few attempts do not seem successful.

*Take your child to the library and let him/her choose the books.

*Let your child see you reading for your own pleasure and enjoyment.

*Give your child some of his/her own books.

*When reading aloud, ham it up! Use inflections and gestures and you will soon capture your child's interest.

Remember, according to Jim Trelease, author of the "Read-Aloud Handbook", next to hugging your child, reading aloud is probably the longest lasting experience that you can put into your child's life.

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Before turning the page, ask your child to guess what will happen next. Remember it's okay to change the story and make up your own ending, or let your child make up an ending.

Lundeen and Stephenson announce plans to marry

Andrea Joelle Lundeen and Chris Oarner Stephenson wish to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Andrea is the daughter of David and Mary Jo Mugaas of Thief River Fals and Arden Lundeen of Oklee. Chris is the son of Dennis and Garnette Hanson of Newfolden.

Andrea is a 1995 graduate of Oklee high school and is employed in Hutchinson. Chris is a 1993 graduate of Marshall County Central and is currently enrolled at Hutchinson Tech in the Nondestructive testing program and is employed in Hutchinson.

Andrea and Chris will be married on October 21 at 6 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls. A reception will follow at the National Guard Armory. All friends and relatives are invited.

Many in attendance at Orvin Anderson birthday party

An 80th birthday party was held for Orvin Anderson at his rural Goodridge home on September 24.

Those attending were Vernon and Florence Becker of Cavalier, ND, Kristi Becker and Penny Pestulka of Fargo, ND, John and Wendy Novak, Chris and Larissa of Warren, Dick and Darlene Halvorson of Thompson, ND, Darcy, Brady and Allison Morris, also of Thompson, Brent and Doreen Gruntwald, Tyler, Kortney and Tanner of Ada. Also attending were Larry and Lavonne Forsberg, Jon and Valerie Lindgren, Aundriah and Nathan of Thief River Falls, Jeff and Caroline Forsberg, Cejay, Hunter and McKenzie, Noah and Matthew of Bismarck, ND, Mark and Joanne Forsberg, Alisha and Nicholas of Browerville, Ron and Linda Engelstad and Keri Stratton of Gryglo, Derel and Oreg Wicklund and Austin of Fargo, ND, Reed and Nikki Engelstad and Rylee of Red Lake Falls, Gary and Julie Kiesow and Trevor of Goodridge, Gary Johnson of Vancouver, WA, Marilyn Simmons of Ham Lake, Arlen and Koren Johnson of Vadnais Hieghts, Ellen Burslie of Mcintosh, Tim and Lois Anderson, Jordon and Kember of Goodridge.

Others in attendence were Wilma Olson, Honnah Zavorol, Ruby Anderson, Lillette Anderson, Evelyn Hovet, Jesse and Theodora Anderson, Arlette Defreece and Audrey Bruggemman, all of Thief River Falls and Chelsie and Arlette Rudd of Gatzke.

Also attending were Marian Vroo, Dorothy Quam, Gertie Haugen, Hilda Hoffman, Wallace and Darlene Anderson, Lois and Ernest Swanson, Carl and Gertie Elg, John and Jeanette Hoffman, Carl and Olga Lindblom, Terry, Lana and Kasey Anderson, Harold Uglen, Aldon and Trudy Hyland, Rodney Wayne, Stanley Erickson, Ethel Johnson, Rory, Dawn and Kensie Haugen, Pastor Bob Dahlen, Sheila, Carl and Marie, David Dahl, Raymond and Agnes Parnow, Richard and Donna Parnow, Elva Fiedler, Gerry and Joanne Tharaldson, Breanna and Katelyn, all of Goodridge.

Sending cards, but unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Mel Larson of Black Diamond, WA, Dale Johnson of Abbotsford, BC, Hazel Anderson of Bainville, MT, Kim and Ken Lawonne of Fargo, ND, Rodney and Connie Anderson of Minnetonka, Erik and Trocy Dickovich and Nicolas of Plymouth, Gary and Lorine Aandal of Burnsville, Lila Stephenson, Roy and Agnes Jensen and Arlyne Hyland of Thief River Falls, Russell and Marion Franzman of Grygla, Mabel and Harry Paulson, David Brown, Edna Omlid, Sherman and Jean Groven, Ernest and Junes Race, Vernon and Clara Iverson, Rondy and Rhondo Downs, Dle and Olive Wiskow, Chester and Ordell Solberg, Palmer and Irene Lovely, Ronnie and Ordella Haugen and Larry and Mayvonne Vigen, all of Goodridge.

Presentation on wills at Trinity

Trinity's Golden Years Club will meet on Tuesday, October 17 at 2 p.m. in the church dining room. Pastor Jerry Solveson, the Northwestern Minnesota Synod representative of the ELCA Foundation, will present a program on "Wills and Estate Planning." Jerry is well informed in these matters and brings a very solid, Christian, responsible message about this aspect of our stewardship of finances about wills and estate planning. Special music will be provided by Judy Olson and lunch will be served. Everyone is invited to attend.

Pastor Solveson will present a second workshop at 7 p.m., also in the church dining room. This will be a repeat of the presentation made to the Golden Years Club, but is scheduled later in the day for those unable to attend in the afternoon. Come and bring your friends.

"Make It Yourself With Wool" contest

The district 1 competition of the "Make It Yourself with Wool" Contest will be held at the Best Western Hotel in Thief River Falls, on Saturday, November 4. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. Contestants from the surrounding counties are invited to participate. Entry deadline for the contest is October 21.

All interested parties should contact Wendy Mattson, District 1 Director, at 218-681-6164, or write:

Make It Yourself with Wool
Rt. 4 Box 13
Thief River Falls, MN 56701

The purpose of the contest is to focus attention to the beauty and versatility of wool fabric and yarn and encourage its use in construction of fashionable garments. There are five categories: Pre-teen (12 & under), Junior (13-16), Senior (17-24) Adult (25 & over) and a professional category. Garments must be constructed of at least 60 per cent wool. Contestants must construct and model their own garments.

Winners in all categories of the district competition will advance to the state competition which will be held November 25 at the Student Center, University of Minnesota, St. Paul Campus.

The contest is sponsored by the American Sheep Industry Women, Minnesota Lamb and wool producers and six locations of Creative Sewing Centers in the Twin Cities.

Friends of the Library to meet October 12

The Thief River Falls Friends of the Library group will be meeting at the Northwest Regional Library at 7 p.m. on Thursday, October 12. All members of Friends and all other interested people are invited to attend. Call 681-6024 for further information.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

A Time Capsule Of My Own

I took a short trip down memory road last week. It was an accident. I was looking for something in my cedar chest and I found memories instead.

Buried deep in the bottom of the chest were items I had stowed years ago, but each item evoked a picture, a vision, of that previous time and place. My cedar chest is like my personal time capsule.

I found my childhood: an old pair of baby booties, kid gloves, a turtle-shaped "thing" that I stored my pajamas in when I was just a little girl, a shawl that I wore for Easter one year.

I found a tattered "Cat in the Hat Beginner Book." That was one of my first story books and one that I shared with my son when he was old enough to appreciate books.

I discovered a Minnesota Twins doll. When I found this eight-inch high stuffed character, not resembling Kirby Puckett or Chuck Knoblauch by any means, I cruised back in time.

When we were school-age children my parents took us to watch a Twins game about once a year. Of course it was at the old Met, way before the Metrodome. I don't recall watching much baseball, but I see us running up and down the concrete ramps. I see rain. And I see popcorn, peanuts and hot dogs.

My cedar chest also houses a bald doll, permanently adorned with non-erasable color crayon make-up. As a Christmas present a few years ago, my mom hired a doll doctor to refurbish the doll in new clothes, booties, and a bonnet. I felt a little tug at my heart when I saw that doll. Then I smiled when I remembered all the fun I had cutting her hair.

Then there were items of adulthood. I found my wedding hat and reminisced about that hot June day more than seven years ago. I didn't want to wear a hat in the first place, but mom and the hairdresser insisted. I'm not sure why I'm keeping it. Maybe it will make an accessory to a Halloween costume some day.

I also discovered some long-forgotten wedding gifts: things I thought I'd use someday, but I guess not. Does anyone need a recipe box or a set of plastic storage bowls?

I found items that I've stashed because they hold meaning. I'm saving them for a special occasion and don't want to ruin them. There are tablecloths and napkins that my now 91-year-old grandmother embroidered. There's a crocheted baby jacket and two hats - one for a boy and one for a girl. There's also a crocheted afghan. I know we don't have many years left with grandma, so I'm saving the handmade items as a way to remember her. It just doesn't seem right to use them now.

And then there are the items of a future generation: the newspaper dated September 20, 1990, from the day my son was born; my son's baptism candle and sash, and his pumpkin Halloween costume.

And at the very bottom of the cedar chest, I found a kite-shaped plaque my sister gave me for a gift when my son was born.

It reads: "Children are like kites. You spend a lifetime trying to get them off the ground. You run with them until you're both breathless. They crash. You add a longer tail. They hit the rooftop. You pluck them out of the spout. You patch and comfort, adjust and teach. You watch them lifted by the wind and assure them that someday they'll fly.

"Finally, they are airborne. They need more string and you keep letting it out and with each twist of the ball of twine, there is a sadness that goes with the job because the kite becomes more distant and somehow you know it won't be long before that beautiful creature will snap the lifeline that bound you together and soar as it was meant to soar. Free and alone."

I read that plaque. And then I put everything back in its place.

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Breastfeeding and parenting meeting on October 17

Women who are pregnant or have a breastfed baby are invited to "Breastfeeding and Parenting" on October 17 at 7 p.m. at the Pennington County Courthouse. The meeting is an opportunity to talk with other women who have breastfed or are breastfeeding, to share helpful hints on parenting and to win great prizes.

The event is sponsored by Inter-County Nursing Service and Quin-County WIC. For more information, call 681-5950 or 1-800-223-1591.

Falls Squares to host dance on October 13

Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, October 13 at the City Auditorium, Main Avenue and Second Street, Thief River Falls. The dance will start at 8 p.m. with Jerome Potucek calling the tips.

Lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.

Oakland Park Nursing Home board to meet

The Oakland Park Nursing Home Executive Board will meet on Thursday, October 12 at 5:30 p.m. at the Home.

Ayers and Yonke to wed

Denise R. Ayers and David Yonke are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding. Denise is the daughter of Eva Ayers Anderson of Thief River Falls and the late Dake Ayers. David is the son of Leonard and Shirley Yonke, also of Thief River Falls.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1994 graduate of Mankato State University. She is employed at TCF Bank in Mankato. Her finace is a 1987 graduate of Marshall County Central High School. He is employed by Yonke Enterprises of Mankato.

An October 21 wedding is planed for Our Saviors Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.

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Andrew Hoefer, 88

Thief River Falls — Andrew Hoefer, 88, died Wednesday, October 4 at Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Saturday, October 7 at St Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls with Father Joe DeCrans presiding. Special music was by Elizabeth Odette with music by the Resurrection Choir. Cantor for the prayer service and funeral service was Shelly Burkel.

Casketbearers were David Hoefer, Nathan Hoefer, Michael Beaudrie, Mark Schmitz, Greg Schmitz and Jesse Welsch. Interment was at St. Bernard's Catholic Cemetery in Thief River Falls with arrangements by Green Funeral Home.

Andrew Anton Hoefer was born November 29, 1906 in Elgin, NE to John and Gertrude (Venteicher) Hoefer. In 1908 he moved with his parents to South Dakota. He attended school and grew to adulthood in the Pierre, SD area.

On June 20, 1930, Andrew was united in marriage to Sarah Schmidt at Harold, SD and in 1937, the couple moved to the Thief River Falls area and farmed. Sarah died April 9, 1854.

On May 18, 1955, he married Ann Welsch in Thief River Falls. Ann died November 7, 1987.

Andrew retired from farming in 1971, but continued to help his sons farming operation until September 1992 when he moved into Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Andrew was a member of St. Bernard's Catholic Church.

He is survived by five sons, La Verne of Maricopa, AZ, Lloyd of Blaine, Floyd of Fuquay-Varina, NC, Earl of Thief River Falls and Donald of Orlando, FL; ten grandchildren; one great-grandchild; three sisters, Bernedine Loebach of Hamboldt, IA, Rose Kirsch of Blunt, SD and Leona Bevolden of Red Lake Falls and one brother Leo Hoefer of Red Lake Falls. He is also survived by three stepsons, Johs Welsch of Great Falls, MT, Andrew Welsch of Glenwood City, WI and Thomas Welsch of Tall Timber, MD; three stepdaughters, Sister Mary Ann Welsch of Moorhead, Bert Bernier of Scottsdale, AZ and Joan Schmitz of Red Lake Falls; 15 stepgrandchildren; five stepgreat-grandchildren, and nieces and nephews.

Andrew was preceded in death by his two wives; his parents; one son, Alvin; one daughter, Eldora; two brothers, Lawrence and Martin and three sisters, Regina Hageman, Philomena Kees and Helen Hoefer.

Ethel Forsberg, 87

Thief River Falls — Ethel Forsberg, 87, died Thursday, October 5 at Luther Ebenezer Nursing Home in Minneapolis.

Funeral services were Tuesday, October 10 at 11 a.m. at United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. William Kerr officiating. Special music was provided by organist-vocalist Vi Barr. Selections were "Abide with Me," "Guide Me Ever Great Redeemer," "Faith of Our Father" and "O God Our Help in Ages Past."

Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls with arrangements by Green Funeral Home.

Ethel Kathleen Boxell was born on February 8, 1908 to Edwin and Kate (Pusey) Boxell in Waskada, Manitoba, Canada. She attended school in the Waskada area and moved with her family to Methley, Manitoba in 1920, where the family homesteaded. She grew to adulthood in the area.

She was united in marriage to Casper Clarence Forsberg on November 21, 1927 in Dauphin, Manitoba at Grace United Church.

Clarence and Ethel moved to Thief River Falls in 1933 aloog with his parents and brothers and made their home in the area. Ethel moved in the fall of 1993 into Luther-Ebenezer Home in Minneapolis where she resided until her death.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church, Thief River Falls and was a charter member of the Eagle's Auxiliary.

She is survived by her daughters, Grayce Doyle of Vero Beach, FL, Gail Bjorkman of Minneapolis and Carole Krueger of Plymouth; seven grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren and one sister, Hazel Preston, Ontario, Canada.

She was preceded in death by her husband Casper Clarence Forsberg on July 7, 1969; son Gary Lee on July 6, 1972; brothers, Ronald and Valentine Boxell.

Memorials suggested to the Alzheimer's Association, 8053 E. Bloomington Freeway, Bloomington, MN 55402.

Palmer Solheim, 83

Trail — Palmer Solheim, 83, of Trail died on October 2 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral service were held on Friday, October 6 at Bethany Lutheran Church near Gully with Reverend Bob Kelly officiating. Special music was provided by organist, Cindy Bjerklie and vocalist Vernon Wold. Selections were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus." Congregational hymns were "Sheltered in His Arms" and "Pearly Gates."

Interment was in the church cemetery. Casketbearers were grandsons, Mark Sundrud, Daniel Jeuch, Chad Nelson, Kevin Jeuch, Jarry Solheim, Nathaniel Nelson, Erick Nelson and Ross Carpenter. Honorary casketbearers were all of Palmer's friends and family.

Palmer Solheim was born on June 3, 1912 at the Nels Solheim homestead, Johnson township, Polk county, the son of Nels and Thea (Bergh) Solheim. He attended country school in Johnson township through the eighth grade.

Palmer was united in marriage to Bertha Klove on November 3, 1943 in Oklee. For 53 years they lived and farmed on the same plot of land where he was born. He moved to McIntosh Manor to join his wife in July of 1995.

He is survived by his wife Bertha, McIntosh; two sons, Warren of Clearbrook and Stanley of Trail; six daughters, Corrine Solheim of East Grond Forks, Lynette Sundrud of West Allis, WI, Susan Jeuch of Euclid, Maxine Nelson of Bagley, Fern Carpenter of Bagley and Elaine Nelson of Bagley. He is also survived by 17 grandchildren; two great-grondchildren; sisters-in-law Irene Solheim of Bagley and Selma Bergland of Thief River Falls; brother-in-law Roy Klove of Detroit Lakes and several nieces and nephews.

Palmer was preceded in death by his parents; two grandchildren, Wayne Solheim and Daren Nelson; one brother Nordal and two sisters, Lena Brotvold and Marie Norberg.

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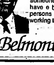


Dear Readers,
Increased knowledge and information is being published about bereavement, grief, and mourning. Caregivers have learned that sharing grief with someone who has been through a similar loss can have a healing effect. It is wise for newly bereaved persons to seek out a support group to aid them in working through grief and despair.
Respectfully,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Fred "Fritz" Timm, 74

Thief River Falls— Fred "Fritz" Timm, 74, died on Saturday, October 7 at CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 12 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls, with Rev. Tim Bauer officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Dorothy Larson and soloist/guitarist David Anderson. Selections are "The Lord's Prayer" and "Go Rest High On That Mountain."

Casketbearers were Herb Skiple, Andy Skaar, Al Hagg, Dale Folger, David Salvhas, John Thorstad. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. with a 5:30 p.m. prayer service on Wednesday, October 11 at Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls and for one hour prior to services at the church.

Frederich A. Timm was born on the family farm on November 16, 1920 to Edward and Amelia (Zinner) Timm. He attended country school until the sixth grade southwest of Thief River Falls. Following the death of his parents, he took over the family farm.

Fritz married Shirley Anderson on February 27, 1954 in Crookston. The couple farmed until 1968. Fritz then went to work for the Inter-City Gas Company and retired in 1984. In the summers from 1967 until 1994, he drove tractor for Andy Skaar.

Fritz enjoyed hunting, fishing, driving tractor and spending time with his three grandsons.

He is survived by his wife Shirley of Thief River Falls; daughter, Vicki of Grand Forks; grandsons, Kris, Aaron and Philip, all of Grand Forks; a brother, Herman of Myrtle Creek, OR; a sister, Clara of Thief River Falls; mother-in-law, Alice M. Anderson; special friend Herb Skiple and many relatives and friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents; six sisters, Emma, Bertha, Rose, Elsie, Dora, Sophie and brothers, Richard, Gust, Eddie and Bennie.

Ellen Wralstad, 95

Thief River Falls — Ellen Wralstad, 95, on Tuesday, October 10 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home.

Bert Vigen, 73

Thief River Falls — Bert Vigen, 73, died on Monday, October 9 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home.

Willian "Bill" Bourque, 88

Oklee — William "Bill" Bourque, 88, of Oklee died Saturday, October 7 in United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Tuesday, October 10 at the St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Oklee at 10 a.m. with Father Duane Pribula officiating.

Casketbearers were Michael Boucher, Kenny Boucher, Tom Radniecki, Jay Ruprecht, Tony Maddox and Andrew Van Vooren. Interment was at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Cemetery with arrangements by Petterson Funeral Home of Red Lake Falls.

William Joseph Boorque was born April 26, 1907 at Brooks, the son of Peter and Rozina (Menard) Bourque. As a youngster he moved to the Trail-Gully area where he attended school.

He married Eunice Boucher on November 21, 1939 in Oklee. The couple purchased a farm two miles west of Oklee and farmed until 1994. Bill and Eunice moved to their home in Oklee in 1979.

Bill served on the Lambert township board as treasurer for many years, and was a member of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church and the French Club.

He is survived by his wife Eunice of Oklee; three daughters, Marie Van Vooren of Long Beach, CA; Judith Bourque of Fergus Falls, Louise Leiran of Plymouth; three sons, Richard of Brooklyn Park, Michael of Moorhead and David of rural Brooks; three grandsons; 10 granddaughters; one great-grandson; two great-granddaughters; one sister Rose Lentsch of Crookston; sister-in-law Clara Bourque of Phoenix, AZ.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents; an infant daughter; five sisters and four brothers.

Elton Oberg, 76

Warren — Elton Oberg, 76, passed away on October 2 at the North Valley Health Center in Warren.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, October 5 at the Angus-Tabor Presbyterian Church in Angus. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Warren, with arrangements by Quanrud-DuBore Funeral Home in Warren.

Elton O. Oberg was born on December 13, 1918 at Warren, the son of Walter and Minnie Oberg. He was a life long resident of the Angus area.

On August 20, 1965, he was united in marriage to Dorothy Sletten at Sisseton, SD. They made their home in Angus where they farmed.

He was an Elder in the Angus-Tabor Presbyterian Church and a member of the Eagles of Crookston.

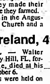
Elton was a sports minded person who loved baseball for many years. He also enjoyed hunting, fishing and bowling. Elton was an avid reader.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy; three children, Nancy Jevne of Warren; James of Grond Forks, MN and Scott of Angus. He was also survived by two grandchildren; special friend, Dale Grega of Angus; five sisters, Ione Copp of Grand Forks, ND, Eileen Filipi of Angus, Idola Knutson of Fertile, Gloria Zak of Grand Forks and Carol Grow of Mountain View, CA and brother, Glenn of Grand Forks.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Harold and Richard and two nephews, Billy Copp and Daniel Zak.

Walter Skreland, 49

Holy Hill, FL — Walter Skreland, 49, of Holy Hill, FL, formerly of Goodridge, died at his home on Friday, October 6.



Memorial services were held on Monday, October 9 at First Baptist Church in Holy Hill, FL.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, October 11 at Salem Lutheran Church, rural Oklee, with Reverend Robert Dahlen officiating. Special music will be provided by organist/vocolist Grace Hammer and vocalist Ruth Halverson. Selections are "Precious Lord Take My Hand" and "I'm Goin' Home." Congregational hymns are "When Peace Like a River" and "Take My Life."

Casketbearers are Robert Traxler, William Traxler, Brian Cole, Aaron Skreland, Chad Niswonger and Scott Niswonger. Interment will be in Salem Lutheran Cemetery, Gornar township, with Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls in charge of arrangements.

Walter Skreland was born on September 1, 1946 at Thief River Falls to Gusten and Alice (Dahlen) Skreland. He was baptized at Salem Lutheran Church and confirmed at the Goodridge Lutheran Church. He attended school in Goodridge, graduating in 1964.

Walter was united in marriage to Gail Arnold in Des Moines, IA on March 9, 1966. The couple lived in Des Moines and Cedar Rapids, IA, later moving to Goodridge, Cambridge, Cincinnati, OH, Williamstown, KT, Wilmington, IN and then Holy Hill in 1980. He was employed by John's Appliance City and owned and operated Wolt's Appliance Repair.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church, captain of the Greeters, on the Benevolent Committee and helped prepare Tuesday morning prayer breakfast.

He is survived by his wife Gail; children, Dawn Holmes, Lisa Doak and Patrick, all of Holy Hill and Craig Skreland of Port Orange, FL; four grandchildren; brothers and sisters, Harold of Inver Grove Heights, Anne Traxler of Plummer, Martha Skreland of Forest Lake, Gloria Niswonger of Bottineau, ND, Marion Vodinelich, Grond Forks, ND; several aunts and uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; nephew Mark Skrelond, brother-in-law William Traxler, several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Gully

Polk County Nursing Service is scheduling Flu Shots in the month of October. Gully—October 17 from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Community Center and again October 31—1 to 3 p.m. at the Gully Community Center.

Mabel Emma Hoffe, 89

Fertile — Mabel Emma Hoffe, 89, died on Tuesday, October 3 at Fair Meadow Nursing Home, Fertile.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, October 7 at 2 p.m. in the Concordia Lutheran Church, Fertile. Interment was in the East Concordia Lutheran Cemetery, Fertile, with arrangements by the Erikson-Vik Funeral Home.

Mabel was born at her home on August 21, 1906 to Victor and Anna (Wold) Trochmann, Adger township, Marshall county, near Thief River Falls. She was baptized at her parents' home on October 14, 1906 by Rev. Bredesen. She grew up and attended school at the Sunnyside Country School, Adger township.

On June 27, 1929, Mabel was united in marriage to Nels Hoffe by Rev. Bredesen at the Bredesen home, Thief River Falls. They farmed near Fertile for a time and then moved to Bremerton, WA.

Following World War II, they moved back to Fertile and operated a furniture store. Mabel did most of the upholstery work on the furniture. During these years Mabel did a lot of baby sitting for her family. In the mid 1960's they retired and moved to Fertile. Nels died and later Mabel entered the Fair Meadow Nursing Home, September 29, 1992.

Mabel will be remembered for her beautiful handiwork. She crocheted doilies and afghans for which she won many blue ribbons at county fairs.

She is survived by three brothers, Ansel, Fergus Falls, Raymond, Borup and Norris, Thief River Falls; two sisters, Jalis Hoffe and Margaret Overland, both of Fertile; several niece and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Nels; two brothers, Clifford and Ernest and one sister, Verna Carlson.

Al Sater, 86

Bloomington — Al Sater, 86, died Sunday morning, October 1 at the Minnesota Masonic Home in Bloomington.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, October 12 at First Congregational Church, Princeton with Rev. Judy Bagley-Bonner officiating.

Honorary casketbearers will be Arnold Dahle, Warren Gahlon, Bob Nick, Kermit Eastman, Jim Martinson, John Ylvisaker and William Hendrickson. Interment will be at Oak Knoll Cemetery, Princeton with arrangements by William-Hanson-Kaun Funeral Home.

Al Sater was born on August 24, 1909 in Minto, ND to George P. and Ella (Swanson) Sater. He was raised in Moorhead and was baptized and confirmed at First Presbyterian Church in Moorhead. He graduated from Moorhead high school in 1926 and received his Bachelor's Degree from Concordia College in Moorhead. He received his Master's Degree in Education from the University of North Dakota at Grand Forks.

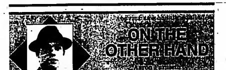
He married Ann H. Moe on June 4, 1934 at his sister's farm in Erhard. After marriage, Al taught or worked as superintendent in Culbertson, MT, Marion, ND, Halstad, Elbow Lake, Princeton, Thief River Falls and Brainerd until retiring in 1963. After his retirement from the school, he worked as a school book/map salesman for Denoyer Geppert and Fideler Books for ten years. He had been living in Coon Rapids until entering the Minnesota Masonic Home in August 1994.

Al was a member of the First Congregational Church, UCC in Princeton, Fraternal Lodge #92 A.F. and A.M., Kedron Chapter #120, Order of the Eastern Star and a long-time member of the Princeton Lions Club.

At one time, he was president of the western division of MEA, past president of the Minnesota State Association of School Administrators. He was Justice of the Peace from 1980 to 1984. Al enjoyed singing, golf, sporting events and his family and friends. He will be remembered as a man of integrity and compassion, possessing a wonderful sense of humor and an ability to motivate others.

He is survived by his daughters, Jo Bornholdt of Princeton and Judy Bender of Anoka; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife on June 7, 1985; four sisters, Bertha, Lillian, Gladys and Alice and three brothers, Carl, Elmer and Otto William in infancy.



My name is Aaron Furuseth, and I am NOT addicted to Coca-Cola.

For about three years now, I have been averaging a two-liter bottle of Coca-Cola Classic a day. I don't see it as an addiction, just something that I like a whole bunch. The reason that I am telling you this is because I'm sick and tired of hearing about people in rehabilitation centers for nicotine or for alcohol.

Obviously, the simplest solution to the addiction would be not to have these substances around for people. But I have another solution to this problem that plagues our communities with cost and abuse. If people would just realize that the answers to their problems don't lie in a silver can or glass bottle if they could only see that their fate is not controlled by some dried leaves wrapped in paper, then our nation would be better off.

I'm not implying that there is nothing that your body becomes addicted to. That would be a ridiculous and single-minded view to take. Countless tests have been done on the effects of tobacco and alcohol on a person's body. All I am suggesting is that the majority of the addiction is not in their hands, their blood stream, or their lungs. It is in their minds. In my family both my father and grandfather smoked for numerous years. My father, after smoking for three years, quit in a day with little or no side-effects. My grandfather, who smoked for about twenty years, also quit in a day with little or no side-effects. I feel that this only further illustrates my point that people become addicted because they think they will.

I also don't believe in things like Kleptomaniacs, or Pyromaniacs. I think that that is just a sorry excuse to get away with their crimes. I believe that in this world 90% of things are psychological and 10% are physiological.

But I am not a man who will just believe in things without proof. That is why I decided to stop drinking Coke for two days. Now, surely if caffeine were as addictive as people claim it is, I would cave in by the middle of the day. As I said in the beginning, I average five to six cans a day and have for about three years. Because I went into this with the mind set that it would be a test of my theories, it will not be totally scientific. But I have done my best to report objectively how felt.

I went about thirty-two hours without Coke. I didn't really notice any major side effects. My friends, on the other hand, said that I was more irritable and more fidgety. I had an answer, of course, for them all.

The only side effects that I noticed in myself were very minute. I was a little tired, and I had a slight headache for a tiny part of the second day. The first reaction can be easily explained. First, I am always tired so this was no big change, and second, I went to bed around one in the morning both of those nights. The headache I don't have an explanation for. I guess I'll have to attribute that to my body crying for caffeine and my head ignoring it. My head must have gotten sick and tired of listening to all the whining. Maybe I couldn't sleep because I was off Coke, and maybe not.

All said and done, I think I proved my point, if to nobody else, then to myself. For this experiment to really prove my point, I should have documented all the Coke I drank over the past three years. I also should have done things like monitor my heart rate to see if it changed when I didn't have Coke. But since I didn't have this kind of technology available to me, the only thing you have to go on is faith, so trust me. Or call my grandma if you don't.

Social security representative at the Heritage Center

A representative of the Grand Forks Social Security Office will be in Thief River Falls at the Heritage Center, 301 Fourth Street East on Tuesday, October 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Applications for benefits are not completed during the town visits. All Social Security business can be completed by telephone at 1-800-772-1213.

Local members attend Minnesota state AAL meeting

The Aid Association for Lutherans Minnesota Federation 80th Annual Meeting was held in St. Cloud Civic Center on Saturday, September 23 with 853 people in attendance.

Loretta Hesse, Zone 7 federation board member and member of Plummer AAL Branch 2444, was in St. Cloud September 22 and 23 helping with the convention.

The theme of the convention was "AAL Volunteers Touching Lives." Motivational speaker was Jeffrey B. McMullen.

Arnold Kuntz, of Garden Grove, CA and a member of AAL board of directors since 1984, installed the new board of directors since 1984, installed the new board of directors for the MN Federation. They are: Janet Hoffman, Rochester, Zone 1; Lyle Witte, Morton, Zone 2; Lyle Anderson, Roseville, Zone 3; Rev. Ben Back, Mankato, Zone 4; Cliff Miller, Minneapolis, Zone 5; Steve Kabesh, St. Cloud, Zone 6; Dorothy Moen, Gary, Zone 7 and Alvin Simonson, Finlayson, Zone 8.

Star Homemakers study group October meeting

Star Homemakers Study Group will meet Monday, October 16 at 1:30 p.m. at the Eklund Church dining hall. New members are invited and encouraged to attend.

The lesson is "Pasta Principles" given by June Johnson and Lauretta Stucy.

Everyone is reminded to bring something for the market basket will be a show and tell time, so bring crafts or handiwork. Everyone is welcome.

Plummer AAL holds September meeting

Plummer AAL Branch 2444 held their annual meeting at the Plummer Senior Center on Sunday, September 17.

Officers will remain as before: Lorette Hesse, president; Barbara Culkins, vice-president and Peggy Hesse, secretary-treasurer.

A potluck dinner was served, many door prizes were awarded, a member awareness presentation was given and the annual election meeting was held. Guests present were Lyle and Debbie Hoverson of Grand Forks, ND.

Women of Today to meet at Elks

Thief River Falls Chapter of the Women of Today will hold its monthly meeting beginning at 7 p.m. Wednesday, October 11 in the Elks Club Rooms. Speakers will be from the Thief River Falls Kidney Foundation and the Thief River Falls school district. Guests are always welcome. For more information, call Kim Quade at 681-4465.

Senior dance at Heritage Center

A senior Citizen dance will be held at the Heritage Center from 7:30-10:30 p.m. on October 12. Music by Pony Express. All seniors welcome.

55 Alive driving course in Gryla

AARP eight-hour 55 Alive driving course will be presented at Grygla Community Center on Monday and Tuesday, October 16 and 17 from 12:30-4:30 p.m.

The cost is $8. Call 294-6488 for registration information.

Oddfellows to meet October 12

Oddfellows #221 will meet at 8 p.m. at the Lodge Hall on Thursday, October 12.

Senior dance at Fourtown

A senior dance will be held at Fourtown on October 17 from 1-4 p.m. Lunch will be served after 4 p.m. Music by Vern Rogalla.

No meeting for Quin County

The Quin County Community Health Services Board and Advisory Committee meeting will not be held in October.

Dorothy Larson recently retired after 50 years as the organist for Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls. Dorothy says music has been a big part of her life for many years. The gift of music runs in the family. Her granddaughter is head organist at her church in Chicago.

Dorothy Larson retires after 50 years as church organist

by Elizabeth Reishus
Times Reporter

Imagine never missing church on Sunday morning... for 50 years. Dorothy Larson doesn't have to imagine; she knows what it's like to never miss church. She recently retired after 50 years as the organist for Trinity Lutheran Church.

"I never missed a Sunday for any illness," she said. She did take some vacation days, though.

Back in the 1930's Pastor Tallakson first encouraged her to play the organ. Dorothy said she had no formal training at first, she just practiced a lot. Pastor G.S. Thompson asked her to be the church organist.

Before learning the organ, Dorothy played the piano. She started at the young age of three and at age eleven played piano for the first of many weddings she would eventually accompany. In high school Dorothy played piano for the glee club and orchestra at Lincoln High School.

Dorothy took some summer organ classes at St. Olaf where she met world-renowned organist Paul Manz. Later, she helped Zion, Redeemer and Trinity Lutheran Churches organize a concert featuring Mr. Manz.

In the late 1980's Dorothy and former Trinity interim pastor, Trueman Daniels recorded an album on which Pastor Trueman sang and she accompanied on organ. The album, entitled "To God Be the Glory," sold about 300 copies.

In spite of all the things she has done, Dorothy is very modest about her accomplishments and, she isn't one to brag.

Although music has always been a big part of Dorothy's life, she has had other careers. For many years she and her husband Walter owned a women's ready-to-wear store in Thief River Falls called Larson's Style Center.

What does Dorothy intend to do now that she's retired?

"Sit in a rocking chair," she said with a giggle.

Actually, she keeps busy by volunteering her time at the Heritage Center and the hospital.

The call to work for the the church runs in the Larson family. Dorothy's son, Dale is a minister and her grandson is studying to follow his father's footsteps. Dorothy's granddaughter, Paula Swaskol is the organist and choir director at Berwyn United Lutheran Church in Berwyn, IL.

NWRDC Arts grants available

Arts Council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission (NWRDC) is accepting applications for grants in literary, performing, and visual arts. November 1, 1995 is the deadline for organizations to apply for sponsorship and production assistance grants. Organizations may apply for a maximum of $2,500 in matching funds per grant. Each organization may still receive up to $3,500 in grant funds annually. Production assistance grants are available for the creation, performance, or exhibition of arts. Sponsorship grants provide funds to host guest artists or touring groups.

The upcoming Small Arts Grant deadline is November 1. Under this program, organizations may apply for up to $500 in matching funds for the production or sponsorship of arts events of approximately $1,000 in total costs.

Public schools are eligible to receive arts education grants in visual, performing, or literary arts for projects such as conducting an artist-in-residence program, hosting a visiting artist, conducting workshops for students and/or teachers, and other activities.

Application materials for all the grant programs are available from Mara Lunde, Arts Council Director, NWRDC, 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762, (218) 745-6733.

Grants available for visual and performing artists

Arts Council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission (NWRDC) is accepting applications for grants of up to $500 for individual artists. Supported with funding from the McKnight Foundation, this program provides artists with grants for specific projects which contribute directly to their creative and professional growth and development. The deadline is November 1, 1995.

Artists may apply for assistance with costs associated with the production and presentation of work, professional training, supplies related to specific projects, and other services. Applications are encouraged from individuals working in literary, performing, or visual art.

Artists must be Minnesota residents who have resided in the seven-county northwestern Minnesota are for at least one year prior to the deadline date of November 1, 1995. Counties of northwestern Minnesota include Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, and Norman.

Application guidelines and forms are available from Mara Lunde, Arts Council Director, NWRDC, 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762, (218) 745-6733.

VA Hospital to vaccinate for pneumonia and flu

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA Hospital) in Fargo, ND, will hold influenza and pneumonia immunization clinics for eligible veterans on October 13, 20 and 27 from 8 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. No appointments are necessary and walk-ins are welcome.

The flu vaccine is a yearly immunization to protect against flu virus strains present in the current year and the pneumonia vaccine is to prevent the most common type of bacteria-pneumonia. It is safe and most people need this vaccine only once in a lifetime.

Both vaccines are recommended for people 65 years of age or older or who have chronic illnesses such as heart or lung disease, diabetes or weak immune systems. Those with questions about eligibility may call 701-232-3241, extension 3427.

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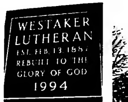
Fellowship hall at the new Westaker Free Lutheran Church of Newfolden is separated from the church nave by a wall and window area (partially visible at right). The kitchen is located to the left of the area pictured. Several of the six Sunday School rooms are visible in the background. Dedication of the church will be Sunday, October 15, at 2:30 p.m.



This stone set into the wall near the entrance to the new Westaker Free Lutheran Church of Newfolden proclaims the 108-year history of the congregation and its movement forward into the future in the new building.

In 1963 the Westaker Free Lutheran Church was moved from Section 17 of New Folden township to the city of Newfolden. It had been built in 1899 with lumber hauled from the sawmill in Thief River Falls. A 16x60 addition was constructed in the winter of 1972-73. This building has now been replaced by a new church to be dedicated Sunday, October 15, at 2:30 p.m.

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Westaker to dedicate new church

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for Sunday services. The first use of the church was for the funeral of Paul Flaten on September 9 when well over 400 people attended. The first wedding in the new building was on Saturday evening, October 7, when Becky Berggren was married to Christopher Fenske of Blue Earth.

Concrete for the church was poured in the fall of 1994 and survived the winter without a crack. Anderson Construction of Newfolden was the general contractor and members of the congregation provided many hours of volunteer labor in the building and finishing process. It is located on 3.2 acres of land purchased from Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Lindemoen and was formerly the site of a mobile home court.

Members of the building committee were Newell Berggren, Gary Hodne, Harvey Underdahl, Marsha Anderson, Jennifer Flaten, Steve Haugen, Jeff Dahl, Ron Anderson, Donald Peterson and Rev. LeRoy Flickinger, pastor of the congregation.

Current members of the church council include Gary Hodne, chairman; Rueben Haugen, secretary; Newell Berggren, treasurer; Curtis Thompson, Clyde Swenson and Robbie Anderson, deacons; Steven Haugen, Jeff Dahl and Ron Anderson, trustees.

In 1987 the congregation observed its 100th anniversary with Hubert DeBoer serving as interim pastor at that time. Rev. Flickinger became pastor a few months later.

Pastors who have served the congregation since it was formed as Vest Aker congregation include the following:

Elias Aas, Christian Saugstad and student Elias Berlie, 1887-1889; Hans Ostgulen, 1889-1906; Martin Bjornson, 1907-1912; Albert Oilseth, 1912-1919; John Hjelmeland, 1919-1927; G. P. Ronholm, 1927-1945; Ernest Rasm, 1945-1952; Gordon Berntson, 1953-1958; Elder Oscarson, 1958-1962; Rev. Karl Berg, Herbert Larson and Student Pastor Robert Lee, 1963; Gene Sundby, 1963-1969; Edwin Mathison (interim pastor), 1969-1970; Rodney Stueland, 1970-1973; Hubert DeBoer (interim pastor), 1973-1975; Merle Knutson, 1975-1980; David Abel (student intern), June-August 1977; Bill Moberg (student intern), June-August 1978; Charles Knapp (student intern), June-August 1979; William Goodman, 1980-1981; and Larry Haagenson, 1981-1987.

Soren Sorenson provided the land for the first church in 1889. Services had been held in homes since Feb. 13, 1887, when the congregation was organized at the Sorenson home. Rev. Elias Aas was asked to serve as the first pastor for a free-will offering.

When the larger church was built in 1899, lumber for construction was hauled from the sawmill in Thief River Falls. Esther Nyflot was the first child baptized in the new church.

In October of 1945 the church made plans to sponsor some World War II displaced persons from Europe. A widow and children were sponsored through Lutheran Welfare Society.

In November of 1962 when church mergers were taking place, Westaker voted to remain a Free Lutheran congregation, becoming a member of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations.

Last service held in the church in the country was October 27, 1963. The building was then moved to Newfolden and services were held in the village hall until the church was ready for use on Dec. 1, 1963.

Lisa Thompson, daughter of Curt and Elaine Thompson, was the first child baptized in the church after it was moved to Newfolden.

In April of 1967 the Trumpet of Truth radio broadcast was formed and it continues at the present time.

The 16x60 addition to the church in 1972-73 provided for a pastor's study and six Sunday school rooms.

Jerry Holmaas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Holmaas, was the first son of the congregation to go into the ministry. He is on the staff of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations seminary in Minneapolis but will be unable to attend the dedication program.

In September of 1980 Oracia Blees, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dyrud; and her husband Bill went to Liberia as missionaries under the Sudan Interior Mission. Their work is supported financially by the Westaker congregation.

A stone set in the wall near the entrance to the new church proclaims: "Westaker Lutheran, Est. Feb. 13, 1887. Rebuilt to the Glory of God 1994."

The congregation invites friends to join in the dedication festivities this Sunday.

Plan public hearing on services to older people

Public hearing on a Northwest Area Agency on Aging plan to use $34,425 in Title IIIB direct service funds to pay for program development and coordination activities in 1996 will be held Wednesday, November 1, at 1 p.m. in the Heritage Community Center in Thief River Falls.

The proposal will be submitted to the Minnesota Board on Aging for review and approval and the Northwest Area Agency on Aging is also required to submit the details to the general public for review and comment. Written comments are encouraged and will be accepted until November 3. The amount of funds in question amounts to 25 per cent of the new direct services allotment.

The program development and coordination objectives are divided into three areas: Senior Leadership, Education and Training and Interagency Linkages. Stated objectives under the proposal are as follows:

Senior Leadership

Continue to develop and enhance the Senior Advocacy Network. In conjunction with Living at Home/Block Nurse Program, facilitate development of intergenerational programs and activities in Argyle. Work with county committees on aging. Assist senior centers in the region with volunteer recruitment and collaborating activities. Provide technical assistance with fundraising activities and the expansion of services. Develop a regional association of senior center directors and leaders.

Education and Training

Expand resources library with information addressing issues of seniors and targeted groups. In conjunction with Norman county extension office, plan and sponsor "Who Gets Grandma's Yellow Pie Plate" workshops in Roseau, Crookston and Thief River Falls.

Disseminate senior spelling bee information to senior centers and provide assistance with regional spelling bee as requested. Collaborate with extension services and respite care program to provide educational opportunities for seniors. In conjunction with the Regional Geriatric Education Center, conduct a survey of senior service providers' needs to determine continuing education needs and plan a regional training event based on needs expressed in the survey.

In conjunction with the Medical Forms Assistance Program, plan and facilitate regional forums to educate seniors on changes in Medicare coverage and benefits. Assist Northwest Medical Center with planning and implementation of its annual Conference on Aging issues.

Interagency Linkages

Continue work with the Senior Coordinating committee. Assist with development of the Regional Committee on Caregiving newsletter and coordinate its dissemination to senior groups. Assist the Northwest Office of Ombudsman as a member of its advisory council representing senior and disability issues.

Assist the Medical Forms Assistant Project as a member of its advisory committee. Collaborate with Options and other disability advocates to facilitate joint planning of advocacy activities and sharing of information.

Collaborate with representatives from the Senior Federation in joint planning of activities and sharing of information. Meet quarterly with nutrition service provider to develop joint planning efforts and develop strategies to improve image, increase media attention, improve cost efficiency and document the effect nutrition programs have on seniors' quality of life. Assist RSVP Program expansion into Kittson and Roseau counties by serving on the advisory committee and providing referrals to the program.

Assist the Foster Grandparent Program expansion into Roseau, Kittson, Red Lake and Marshall counties by providing information about the program to service providers, schools and senior centers.

Assist the Northwest Office on Ombudsman with recruiting volunteer advocates by providing referrals and publicizing the need for volunteer advocates. Assist the "Sentenced to Serve" program provision of services to seniors by publicizing program availability in Pennington, Marshall and Kittson counties. Facilitate planning of advocacy efforts by acting as the clearinghouse for Action Alerts as part of the Senior Advocacy Network.

For further information to to receive a copy of the draft Area Plan on Aging for 1996 contact Danica Robson at the Northwest Area Agency on Aging in Warren, phone 218-745-6733.

Bridal shower for Kathie Wentland

There will be a bridal shower for Kathie Wentland, bride-to-be of Ray Kvalvog at Holt Community Center at 2 p.m. on October 14.

Rebekah Lodge officers to be installed

Lyon Rebekah Lodge #69 officers will be installed by Endeavor Lodge from Detroit Lakes on Thursday, October 12 at 1 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

Preschool Halloween party Oct. 26

Early Childhood Resource Center at Challenger Elementary and Preschool will sponsor a Halloween family night for all preschoolers and their families October 26 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the preschool wing at Challenger.

The event is co-sponsored by LAUNCH (formerly Nursery School), Early Childhood Family Education, Early Childhood Special Education and Head Start. There is no charge and no preregistration is required. Costumes are encouraged but no masks are to be used. Face painting, games, creative crafts and snacks will be included.

"We want to welcome preschoolers, infants and toddlers from across the area," states Joyce Froschheiser, ECFE coordinator. "This may be their first visit to the preschool center, or they may know us very well, but the doors are open to all preschoolers and their families and we are going to have a wonderful time."

For more information contact the Early Childhood Resource Center at 681-8670.

Materials on display drew the attention of visitors to the North Star Reading Council's fall workshop Thursday, October 5, at Challenger Elementary and Preschool.

Jean Tureson (right) of the Greenbush elementary school faculty was among the people attending the session "Bagel Bagel Bags" during the North Star Reading Council fall workshop at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls Thursday, October 5. Presenting the session was Jill Anderson, who showed how to fold and fasten gift bags.

"Implementing Literature Into Science" was one workshop session presented during the North Star Reading Council fall workshop Thursday, October 5, at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls. These teachers were busy taking notes on the presentation by Suraye Driscoll and Missy Linnertz.

Falls Book Company, a new book store in Thief River Falls, arranged this display in the cafeteria at Challenger Elementary and Preschool for the North Star Reading Council fall workshop Thursday, October 5. Also displaying were Scholastic Book Fair and Art & Learn Bookstore. The workshop attracted about 250 teachers and others from throughout the area. Tours of the school were given by assistant principal David Hedin and teacher Al Buhl.

Northwest private industry council meeting planned

Northwest Private Industry Council/Workforce Council is announcing it is seeking a host agency for the purpose of efficiency and cost savings. Federal funding cuts for employment training programs have forced NWPIC/WC to consolidate its administrative office. Request for proposals have been issued with a deadline of October 27, 1995 at 1 p.m.

An informational meeting on the Request for Proposals will be held at the NWPIC/WC office located at 424 North Broadway, Suite A, Crookston, MN on Tuesday, October 10, at 2 p.m.

For any agency interested in sending a proposal, bidders packets are available at the NWPIC/WC office and questions can be directed to Bill Wisehart, NWPIC/WC Director at 1-800-584-9497.

Baskets of books arranged in the commons area of Challenger Elementary and Preschool drew the attention of this teacher attending the North Star Reading Council fall workshop Thursday, October 5. Approximately 250 people attended the event which had previously been held at Franklin middle school and many compliments were heard from visitors about the Challenger building.

Community Action board will meet

Northwest Community Action Board will meet October 19 at 7 p.m. in the Badger office. The meeting is open to the public.

Class of 1966 seeks location of members

In planning its 30-year reunion for June 28, 1996, at the Thief River Golf Club, the Lincoln high school class of 1966 is seeking the whereabouts of a number of its members.

Persons who can provide information about any of the following are asked to send it to the Class of 1966 Reunion Committee, P.O. Box 61, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 or contact reunion committee members Arlo Rude, 681-3653; Sue Bernier, 964-5246; or Melrene Kaiser, 681-3143:

John Bosman, Alona Haugen Clow, Robert Hirst, John Hunt, Marvin Johnson, Emily Hoel Moore, Jerry Nestand, Patricia [illegible] Nelson Peterson, Donald Roese, Charlene Thrane Daluge and Thomas Haney.

BSU to present thought provoking play Oct. 16

The thought-provoking play "Community: Part One" will be presented at Bemidji State University this month. The unique one-act play will be presented at Bemidji State University on October 16 at 7 p.m. in the downstairs theater of the Bansberg Fine Arts Complex.

A post-performance discussion will be held where the audience and company will discuss experiences with a reception hosted by the Residential Life Department to follow.

The script, by Stephen J. O'Toole was developed from interviews he conducted in early 1994 and is presented as 85 minutes of dramatic dialogue without paraphrasing or rewriting.

Reservations are required as seating is limited due to theater size. Cost is $3 per person.

Reservations are available by contacting the RMRW office, Deputy Hall, Bemidji State University, 1500 Birchmont Drive NE, Bemidji, MN 56601-2699, (218) 0755-3961. The performance is sponsored by the BSU Responsible Men, Responsible Women Program.

Grinde promoted in Massachusetts

Sarah Grinde, daughter of Carl and Joyce Magers of Plummer, has been promoted to regional sales representative for Winebago Computer Software Company of Calledonia, MA. She will be demonstrating software for library automation and training on-site representatives.

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Alpha Phi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society accepted four new people into membership at a meeting held Thursday, October 5, at the residence of Edith Etter in Thief River Falls. Initiates (left to right) are Charlotte Schwartz, Marcy Mickelson, Susan Olson and Juneal Peterson. The program for the meeting featured Rita Soine who spoke about education of the hearing impaired in School District 564.

Parnell Thorson

Thorson joins Farm Credit Services staff

Parnell J. Thorson has joined the Warren office of Farm Credit Services of Grand Forks, ND. The Warren office serves the counties of Marshall, Polk, Pennington and Red Lake as well as surrounding areas.

Thorson has 18 years of banking and credit union experience in Mayville and Devils Lake, ND and in Shelly.

Goodridge man satisfactory after accident

Condition of Mitchell Smksy, Goodridge, has been upgraded to satisfactory following an accident on Highway 219 Sunday.

Minnesota state patrol received a report of the accident at 1:17 a.m. According to the accident report, Smsky, age 19, was driving a 1982 Buick Century south on Highway 219. About two and one-half miles north of Goodridge, the vehicle went off the road to the right, hit an approach, went airborne and then rolled, lading on its wheels. Smsky was ejected from the vehicle. He was taken to Northwest Medical Center and then transferred to United Hospital in Grand Forks.

The accident is still under investigation.

Centennial calendars available

Draft copies of the calendar for the City of Thief River Falls Centennial in 1996 have been prepared and can be picked up at the chamber of commerce office, public library and city offices in Thief River Falls.

Community leaders and members of community organizations are asked to stop at one of the three locations and pick up a copy. Changes, deletions or additions can be called to the chamber of commerce office at 681-3720 or to Jean Heinrichs at 681-7420 prior to Dec. 1, 1995.

Centennial souvenirs such as T-shirts, sweatshirts, caps, mugs, playing cards and lapel pins are on sale at the chamber of commerce office.

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Crowned 1995 homecoming queen and king at Win-E-Mac high school were Mindy Bjerknes and Shawn Bruggeman. Mindy is the daughter of Mark and Doreen Bjerknes of Erskine and Shawn is the son of Keith and Kathy Bruggemen of Mentor. Mindy's father attended the technical college in Thief River Falls in 1973 and was employed by Wennberg's for seven years and Nesland Accounting for three years. He married Doreen Culkins of Plummer in 1975. Mindy attended St. Bernard's Catholic school for three years before the family moved to Erskine.

—Photo Courtesy of the Erskine Echo

River drawdown ends Friday

Impact of the reservoir drawdown on the sediment is being measured this week. On October 13, the gates to the dam in Thief River Falls will be closed again and the water raised to its previous level.

Thief River Falls Public Works Director Ron Lindberg announced Tuesday that the gates to the dam will be closed on October 13. He also said the Army Corps of Engineers has released additional water from the Red Lake dam. That will take about three days to make its way to Thief River Falls. The water level should be at its normal level this weekend.

Measurements of sediment level and other information has been collected during the drawdown and will be examined by local officials to determine whether the drawdown was successful.

Russ and Thelma Culkins honored

Russ and Thelma Culkins of Thief River Falls were honored for their achievements as Shaklee sales leaders the the company's leadership convention September 28 through October 1 in Cincinnati, OH.

Travel, accommodations, meals and entertainment were provided by Shaklee U.S., Inc.

Don Kam, senior vice president for U.S. sales and customer satisfaction, told those attending that their businesses are part of the fast growing direct selling industry which is made up of more than 6.2 million people in the U. S. alone.

The Culkins said that Shaklee introduced a new water filtration system for home use at the Cincinnati leadership convention.

Reunion at Embassy in Fosston Sun.

Reunion of the Singles Christian Fellowship and the Ambassadors of Praise Choir and Orchestra will take place Sunday at 3 p.m. at the Embassy Community Center in Fosston.

Those attending are asked to bring photos from prior years as well as baked items, produce, canned items or "white elephants" of value to be auctioned to benefit the new addition to the center. A pot-luck supper will be served at 5 p.m.

MARKETS

as of Monday, October 9

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.80
New Crop 96	4.25
Spring Wheat #2	4.60
Winter Wheat	4.35
Durum	6.00
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.35
Top Milling Oats	1.70
Ordinary Oats	1.55
Oil Sunflowers	10.80
Corn	2.60
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.35
Soybeans	5.80
Buckwheat	12.00
Confectionery Sunflowers	13.00
Canola	11.25

Three arrested following burglary at local business

Local officials have charged three individuals with burglary following a break-in and burglary at Lee Plumbing and Heating in Thief River Falls.

On October 8 at 11:58 a.m. the sheriff's department received a complaint from Lee Plumbing and Heating that some individuals had entered the building and had caused damage in excess of $500.

Deputies investigating the incident discovered entry had been gained through the back of the building. Items damaged included computer equipment, copier, carpet, safe, counter top, fax, phones and other property.

Information was obtained and a search warrant was executed at a residence in the 1400 block of North Main. Arrested in connection with the incident was Chad Mitchell Bello, 18, Thief River Falls. He is in custody on charges of burglary in the third degree and criminal damage to property. Upon obtaining further information Myron Dean Sunram, no permanent address, age 18, and a 16-year-old male of Thief River Falls, were also arrested in connection with this incident. Sunram and the juvenile are also being charged with criminal damage to property and third degree burglary.

Also while conducting the search they discovered property missing from a burglary in Rocksbury township. Items recovered included stereo equipment valued at $1,925. Taken into custody in connection with this incident was Bonnie Baker Mullen, Thief River Falls, 18. She is being charged with receiving stolen property, a felony. The incident is still under investigation. Other charges are pending.

Pursuit. On October 2 at 6:27 a.m. police responded to a complaint in the 600 block of South Markley. Because of a previous report of terroristic threat they looked for a vehicle, which was located. When an officer tapped on the window the driver drove away. Another squad began looking for the vehicle and located it. Activating lights and siren. Later because of heavy traffic the officer terminated the pursuit. A warrant was issued for fleeing a police officer and driving after revocation.

Criminal sexual conduct. On October 21 at 12:12 p.m. police received a report that about three or four years ago at a residence in Thief River Falls, a four-year-old female was sexually assaulted by a 14-year-old male. The incident is being investigated for possible charges.

Accidents. On October 4 at 6:36 a.m. police received a report from a resident in the 600 block of 11th Street that someone had hit all the mailboxes at 11th and Dewey. The officer investigated and observed eight mailboxes in the ditch. Also found was a corner from a round headlight. Later, the officer found a pickup with a part missing that matched the part found at the scene and left a note for the owner to stop and see the officer. The individual admitted hitting the post but could not remember when. Charged with leaving the scene of an accident was Jeffery Andrew Redden, 28, Thief River Falls. Damage was estimated at $400 to the mailboxes and $450 to the pickup.

On October 2 at 8:45 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Highway 59 south of First Street at the entrance of a frontage road. Michael Wayne Greenwald, Plummer was driving a pickup south and Amber Irene Bogestad, Donaldson, was driving a pickup and Bogestad changed lanes to make a u-turn and the vehicles collided. Bogestad was cited for improper lane change and violation of instruction permit. Damages were estimated at $700 and $2,000 to Bogestad. Bogestad bumped her head.

Thefts. On October 4 at 7:28 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a car parked on County road 85 just off State Aid 3. There were two people sleeping in the car. It was learned that the vehicle had been stolen out of Prior Lake, MN. A third invididual was found walking along State Aid 3. All three were transported to the law enforcement center. One of the individuals is also a suspect in a burglary at a gift shop at Mystic Lake Casino. Taken into custody was 31-year-old Irvin Morris Cook, Minneapolis. Cook is being held for Prior Lake police department. The information is being turned over to the Scott County attorney's office.

On October 9 at 5:51 p.m. a resident of Rocksbury township reported a go-cart stolen from his yard last week. It is a Manco brand cart, with a black tubular frame, and is unique because it has a Honda engine. It was valued at $1,250.

On October 8 police received a report that a vehicle was taken from in front of a residence in the 800 block of Alice Drive. It was owned by Paint and Glass in Thief River Falls. The vehicle was recovered on county road 78. There was no damage, but the toolbox and side rails were missing.

On October 9 at 10:25 a.m. a resident in the 200 block of North Crocker reported a semi automatic .45 calibre handgun was lost or stolen. It was valued at $450.

Assaults. On October 9 at 8:10 p.m. police responded to a fight outside the law enforcement center (100 block East First Street) investigation revealed that following an accident two individuals got into a fight. Sara Jane Ortloff, was going east on First Street, and was being followed by Taryn Michelle Rux, Thief River Falls. The Rux vehicle collided with the Ortloff vehicle causing $20 damage to the Ortloff vehicle. The two began to fight after and Taryn Michelle Rux, 18, Thief River Falls, was cited for fifth degree assault.

On October 7 at 3:30 a.m. a female reported at the law enforcement center that she had been assaulted by 26-year-old Helen Lucille Benson of Thief River Falls. The incident happened at a local residence. The victim was checked at the hospital with a hairline fracture to her nose. Benson faces assault charges.

On October 7 at 2:51 a.m. police were called to the 700 block of South St. Paul. A man said a woman kicked him and threw ice cubes at him. Charges of fifth degree assault are pending against 24-year-old Stephanie Renee Gillespie, Thief River Falls, 26, for fifth degree assault. In a related incident a woman reported that 26-year-old Steven Jerome Gillespie, allegedly hit her and threw a phone at her. Steven Gillespie faces charges of gross misdemeanor fifth degree assault.

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OCT. 16 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 6:00 P.M. AUXILIARY MEETING 8:00 P.M.	OCT. 17 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "CHUCK GORT"	OCT. 18	OCT. 19 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 20 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 21 AUXILIARY "CRAFT SALE" 9 A.M.-3 P.M. BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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EGF claims title; RLCC is third in Mustangs' Invite

Winning three out of four matches produced a third place trophy for the host Mustangs Saturday at the annual Red Lake County Central Invitational high school volleyball tournament.

East Grand Forks won top honors with a 15-11, 17-15 championship match victory over Red Lake Falls.

Red Lake County Central, whose only loss of the day came against East Grand Forks in round-robin pool play, beat Norman County West 15-10, 15-10 in the third place match.

The Mustangs' pool play wins came against Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail 15-4, 15-13 and East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 15-4, 10-15, 15-7. The Green Wave beat the Mustangs 15-3, 10-15, 15-5.

"We were pretty satisfied with our overall play for the day," said Red Lake County Central coach Nancy Bray. "It's been a long time since we've taken some hardware home from this tournament. It was nice."

Thursday, Red Lake County Central, behind a strong all-around match by sophomore Jenny Brekkestran, beat Waubun 15-13, 9-15, 15-8, 15-9.

"We played well," offered Bray, who said Brekkestran turned in her best effort of the season.

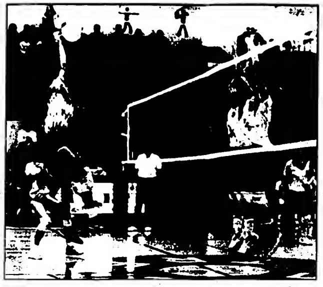
Red Lake County Central is 13-8-1 overall.

RLCC Invitational

■ Pool A standings - East Grand Forks 3-0, Red Lake County Central 2-1, East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 1-2, Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail 0-3.

■ Pool B standings - Red Lake Falls 3-0, Norman County West 2-1, Climax/Fisher 1-2, Lake Park-Audubon 0-3.

■ Finals - (championship) East Grand Forks def. Red Lake Falls 15-11, 17-15; (third place) Red Lake County Central def. Norman County West 15-10, 15-10; (fifth place) Climax/Fisher def. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 2-0; (seventh place) Lake Park-Audubon def. Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail 2-0.



Michella Matheon of the Prowlers spiked the ball against a pair of Win-E-Mac defenders in Thief River Falls' final regular season home volleyball match Monday. The Patriots of Winger, Erskine and McIntosh won 15-6, 15-2, 15-9.

Wrestling coaches named for 1995-96

A coaching staff has been put in place for the 1995-96 Thief River Falls wrestling program, it was announced this week by Jim Sims, Director of Student Activities for School District 564.

John Belyea has been appointed as the Lincoln High School head wrestling coach; Mark Davis was named his assistant; and Philip Nelson was selected as the Franklin Middle School wrestling coach.

The appointments are pending board approval.

Belyea will succeed John Anderson, who resigned this summer to accept a teaching and coaching position in Pelican Rapids.

The Prowlers' new coach will commute from Grand Forks. He is a former University of North Dakota wrestler who earned NCAA All-America honors in 1993 and was a three-time All-North Central Conference wrestler. He lettered four years and was twice named Sioux captain.

Belyea's left a position as assistant wrestling coach at UND. He was named the head coach of the Grand Forks Tilt Wrestling Club in 1993, directing Greco Roman and freestyle programs for 20-25 wrestlers in grades K-through-12. He has also served as an instructor at the All-American Wrestling Camp in Apply Valley.

TRF, Woodbury play in Fargodome game

Only regular season Thief River Falls venture outside of Section 8A will take place Friday when the Prowlers tackle Woodbury in a 5:30 p.m. high school football game at the Fargodome.

The Class AA Royals are 2-3 in the St. Paul Suburban Conference, where they opened with a 50-6 win over Simley, lost to Henry Sibley 21-14, fell to Park 28-19, defeated North St. Paul 44-2 and last week lost a 13-7 overtime decision to league leader St. Thomas Academy.

Woodbury has 14 starters back from a 3-6 team, headed by 5-8, 165-pound senior Darren Smith, who went over the 1,000-yard mark for the season in the Royals' first four games, scoring 14 touchdowns in the process.

He runs behind an offensive line that has four returning starters and averages 230 pounds per man, a unit that features 6-5, 265-pound tackle Nick Bradley and 6-2, 220-pound tight end Matt Wangsness.

Bradley, a tackle, and Wangsness, a linebacker, also lead the Royals' defense.

"They're an unknown factor," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm in talking about Woodbury. "It's hard to compare scores when you don't know anybody who plays them. We've exchanged two films with them and Smith looks like a very good back. He looks awfully fast."

Thief River Falls will carry a 4-1 record and a four-game winning streak into the contest, which will be part of a Fargodome tripleheader. The day starts with Dilworth-Glyndon-Felton playing Warroad at 3:30 p.m. and will conclude with Hibbing facing Moorhead at 8 p.m.

"The kids are looking forward to the game," noted Mumm. "It's a chance to play somebody totally different – a chance to play a school from the big city."

Tickets, good for all three games, are priced at $5 for adults and $3 for students. Advance sale tickets are available at the Lincoln High School activities office until 12-noon Friday.

Parking at the dome costs $2.

A fan bus will leave from the Lincoln gym area at 2:45 p.m. and return immediately after the final game of the evening. Cost is $5 per person. Sign up for the bus at the activities office by 12-noon Thursday.

Lincoln Fine Line Dance Team and the Prowler Pep Band will perform during the Thief River Falls vs. Woodbury contest.

The Prowlers will close out their regular season schedule the following week with a Wednesday, Oct. 18, game at East Grand Forks.

Win-E-Mac 3-0 winner over TRF

Tough competition. In the last two weeks, Thief River Falls has faced Roseau (twice), Fosston, Moorhead, and Win-E-Mac – all recognized top-flight high school volleyball teams. The Prowlers, who started the 1995 season 10-3, won just one of 15 games against that group and saw their match record drop to 14-9 Monday following a 3-0 loss to Win-E-Mac.

It took the Patriots just 55 minutes to complete the 15-6, 15-2, 15-9 sweep. It would have been even quicker, expect for a belated Thief River Falls comeback that cut into an 11-0 Game 3 deficit.

"Tough competition," confirmed Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson. "Moorhead, Win-E-Mac, Fosston, and Roseau. I'd rank them in that order. They're all tough. They're more aggressive than we are at the net. We did some good things tonight, but not enough."

Even though it was done in just three games, the Patriots' Amy Halvorson still accumulated 14 kills. Teammate Allisa O'Neal had 7. They were set up by Kathleen Hegg, who finished with 24 assists.

It was the final regular season home match for the Prowlers, facing Tuesday trips to East Grand Forks (Oct. 10) and Fergus Falls (Oct. 17) before heading into North Sub-Section 8AA tournament play.

Thief River Falls beat Win-E-Mac 15-2, 5-15, 16-14 in the junior varsity match, overcoming 11-2 and 14-11 third game deficits to claim the win and go to 15-3 for the year.

The C squad match went to Thief River Falls 15-10, 15-4.

TRF Scoring

■ Last touch - Maren Thorson 7, Michelle Mathson 2, Kendra Dimich 2, Kim Hook 2, Lindsay Drury 2.

■ Kills - Thorson 8, Mathson 4, Desirae Alberg 3.

■ Assists - Hook 14

■ Ace serves - Thorson 1, Hook 1.

MSHSL director to address Boosters Club on Thursday

David Stead, executive director of the Minnesota State High School League, will be a special guest speaker at the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting Thursday.

Weekly 12-noon luncheon meetings are normally held at the Elks, but Thursday's get together will be at the Best Western Inn.

The public is invited.

David Stead

Eagles shut down Blue Devils

Argyle won the battle of the Top of the State Conference unbeatens Friday, shutting out Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 12-0 in Nine-Man high school football.

"It was a good ball game," reported Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Darwin Hagen. "You have to give credit to their defense. They've got same decent size and their quickness gave us trouble."

First half ended in a scoreless tie when the Blue Devils, in a race against the clock, moved from their own 5-yard line to the Eagles' 15 before running out of time.

Bath Argyle touchdowns came in the third quarter – a 1-yard run by Nolan Lubarski and a 32-yard breakaway by Jamie Morberg.

"We played pretty well defensively, except for a couple of missed assignments," explained Hagen. "And in a big game, mistakes will beat you."

Trevor Kiesow, who had been racking up big-time numbers as the feature back in the Blue Devils' offense, found the going a little tougher against the host Eagles, netting 68 yards an 25 carries.

"They were keying on him; we had trouble springing him" noted Hagen, whose team finished with only 111 yards on 36 running plays and collected 64 yards on 8-for-17 passing – an unusually high figure for the Blue Devils, who were forced out of their ground-orientated attack by the Eagles' stingy defense.

It was the final traditional Friday outing of the year for the 5-1 Blue Devils, who will play East Grand Forks Sacred Heart Thursday.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Goodridge/G-G	0	0	0	0	0
Argyle	0	0	12	0	12

Argyle - Nolan Lubarski, 1-yard run; kick failed.

Argyle - Jamie Morberg, 32-yard run; kick failed.

Pioneers take on Vermilion in Thursday homecoming game

Schedule-makers weren't kind to the Northland Community and Technical College football team. In picking out a date for the Pioneers' homecoming football game they picked Thursday, Oct. 12. The opponent: Vermilion.

The Ironmen are 5-0 and nationally ranked. They lead the Minnesota Community College Conference Northern Division and will be favored to win the MCCC state title. The Pioneers, meanwhile, are 0-5 and out of the playoff picture.

Kickoff is scheduled for 6 p.m. at Prowler Field.

Northland will close out the 1995 season with games Thursday, Oct. 19, at home vs. Hibbing and Saturday, Oct. 28, on the road against Central Lakes.

Cross country teams run in Panthers' race

Two regular season meets remain on the 1995 Thief River Falls boys and girls high school cross country schedule – invitationals at Hawley Thursday and at Bemidji Tuesday.

Section 8AA races will be held Thursday, Oct. 26, in St. Cloud.

Monday the Cara Holmstrom-coached Prowlers ran in the Park Rapids Invitational, where the boys finished ninth in a field of 10 and the girls came up with an incomplete line-up.

Varsity Boys

■ Team totals - Detroit Lakes 50, Park Rapids Area 57, Hawley/Ulen-Hitterdal 96, Roseau 118, East Grand Forks 151, Deer River/Hill City/Northland 160, Crookston 166, Warroad 179, Thief River Falls 272, Pelican Rapids 341.

■ Individuals - 1. Dane Larson, Park Rapids Area, 17:14. TRF places - 34. Ronnie Lund, 19:43; 51. Brady Anderson, 20:44; 55. Dewey Worker, 21:03; 60. Seth Harlow, 21:15; 63. Brandon Gerardy, 21:35; 65. Shane Dulfy, 21:41; 72. Jeremy Swanson, 22:04; 78. Ryan Hendrickson, 22.29.

Varsity Girls

■ Team totals - Pelican Rapids 76, Deer River/Hill City/Northland 104, Detroit Lakes 107, Hawley/Ulen-Hitterdal 123, Park Rapids Area 145, East Grand Forks 191, Crookston 214, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 311.

■ Individuals - 1. Jill Field, Barnesville, 14:57. TRF places - 4. Becky Mooney, 18:31; 5. Lise Swenson, 16:03; 35. Emily Mugaas, 17:32; 75. Angie Klinker, 20:06.

Junior Varsity Boys

■ Team totals - Park Rapids Area 15, East Grand Forks 78, Thief River Falls 173.

■ Individuals - 1. Nick Seller, Park Rapids Area, 18:59. TRF places - 31. Chris Pribule, 24:12; 34. Jordan Goldesberry, 24:29; 35. Craig Lawrence, 25:59; 36. Mike Hahne, 27:20; 37. Hamilton Keele, 27:40.

Junior High Boys

■ Team totals - Detroit Lakes 46, Park Rapids Area 83, Warroad 108, Roseau 109, Pelican Rapids 226.

■ Individuals - 1. Garrett Sunram, Detroit Lakes, 13:25. TRF places - 42. John Schwartz, 17:06.

Junior High Girls

■ Team totals - Frazee 58, Detroit Lakes 60, Park Rapids Area 109, Pelican Rapids 111, Crookston 156, Hawley/Ulen-Hitterdal 166.

■ Individuals - 1. Marge Dieter, Roseau, 14:56. TRF places - 23. Jacki Mooney, 17.48; 26. Janae Harlow, 16:24; 47. Tackla Paraventi, 23.37.

Prowlers' ground game beats Pirates

Versatile. That's the best way to describe Thief River Falls' offense. Stop the running game; the Prowlers will go to the air. Defend the pass; they will beat you on the ground.

It was the case of the latter Friday when Thief River Falls had two 100-yard runners in a 28-6 Section 8A high school football win at Crookston – the Prowlers' fifth straight win following a season-opening loss to Detroit Lakes.

Earlier this year the Thief River Falls offense was dependent on the outside speed and moves of halfback Nick Chiodo. A week ago Park Rapids Area stacked the line in trying to stop the Prowlers' ground game, only to have quarterback Keith Anderson throw for 131 yards in a 34-14 win.

Friday, Crookston defended the pass well, but in the process gave up 115 yards to fullback Aaron Ehrenstrom and 103 to Chiodo to go 2-4.

"Crookstan was prepared far the passing game, and they did a nice job defending it," explained Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "But our running game was effective. We came out and controlled the line of scrimmage – something we're capable of doing – and Ehrenstrom ran well. It was nice to be able to establish the fullback like that. It opens up other things for us."

Thief River Falls won by dominating the start of both halves. The Prowlers scored on their first two possessions of the game, and duplicated that effort with touchdowns on their first two possessions of the second half.

It was a 6-play, 55-yard drive that put the Prowlers up 7-0. Chiodo shrugged off a tackler at the line of scrimmage and went outside for a 32-yard gain on the Prowlers' second play from scrimmage. Moments later Paul Kopari found a hole on the right side, put his hand down to keep his balance after being tripped up near the goal line and reached the end zone an a 15-yard run with 5:06 elapsed. Chance Keefe added the conversion kick.

Next possession turned into an 8-play, 58-yard touchdown drive that featured runs of 14 yards by Josh Harris and 10 yards by Chiodo on successive carries before Steve Rambeck ran under an Anderson pass into the left corner of the end zone an a 21-yard scoring play with 1:50 left in the first quarter.

Although the Prowlers reached the Pirates' 22 and 27-yard lines on their next two possessions, they failed to add to the 13-0 scoreboard spread before the half arrived.

"We started out well," acknowledged Mumm, "but we kind of fell apart at the end of the second quarter; it looked kind of ugly."

But the Prowlers must have been given a make-over at halftime because they looked good at the start of the third quarter.

Ehrenstrom shred tackles an the right side and broke into the clear for a 64-yard touchdown run on the second play of the second half, and Anderson carried a quarterback option keeper into the end zone far the two-point conversian and a 21-0 gap.

Four plays later a poor snap resulted in a six-yard Crookston punt to the Pirates' 29, giving the Thief River Falls offense another scoring opportunity. The Prowlers capitalized. Kopari had runs of 12 and 10 yards, and plowed into the end zone from 3 yards out to finish the six-play mini-drive. Keefe's kick made it 28-0 with just 5:33 gone in the third quarter.

Down by four touchdowns, the Pirates, limited to 19 yards worth of offense in the first half, had not yet reached midfield and had yet to pick up a first down.

"The defense was phenomenal," said Mumm. "Crookston had to work hard for anything they got, even against our back-up kids at the end."

Crookston spoiled the Thief River Falls shutout bid when Justin Paul took a pitch around the right side for a 13-yard touchdown run with just 40 seconds remaining. It was the culmination of a 9-play, 67-yard drive that included a 19-yard tackle-breaking run by Matt Hoppe and a 19-yard Troy Kleven-to-Joe Ranum pass over the middle.

Statistics

	TRF	C
First Downs	15	4
by rushing	14	2
by passing	0	2
by penalty	1	0
Rushing attempts-yards	49-314	30-85
Pass att-comp-int	11-4-0	18-7-1
Yards passing	42	69
Total offensive yards	356	154
Fumbles-fumbles lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties-yards	4-36	4-40
Punts-average	0-0	6-27.5

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Thief River Falls	13	0	15	0	28
Crookston	0	0	0	6	6

TRF - Paul Kopari, 15-yard run; Chance Keefe kick.

TRF - Steve Rambeck, 21-yard pass from Keith Anderson; kick blocked

TRF - Aaron Ehrenstrom, 64-yard run; Anderson run.

TRF - Kopari, 3-yard run; Keefe kick.

Crookston - Justin Paul, 13-yard run; run failed.

Individuals

■ Rushing (TRF) Aaron Ehrenstrom 12-115; Nick Chiodo 14-103; Paul Kopari 10-37; Josh Harris 3-27; Keith Anderson 2-9; Justin Stevenson 2-4; Bryan Cleven 1-0; Adam Kuck 1 (-) 1; Jason Breiland 4 (-) 10; (Crookston) Matt Hopps 10-42; Jamie Remberg 10-37; Justin Paul 3-14; Troy Kleven 1 (-) 1; Jerrod Reese 4 (-) -1; Marty Aubol 2 (-) 6.

■ Passing - (TRF) Keith Anderson 4-for-11, 42 yards, 0 interceptions, (Crookston) Troy Kleven 6-for-16, 69 yards, 1 interception, Jerrod Reese 1-for-2, 2 yards, 0 interceptions.

■ Receiving - (TRF) Steve Rambeck 2-31; Nick Chiodo 1-8, Ryan Bendickson 1-3, (Crookston) Andy Cousette 2-21; Cory Vaughn 2-20; Joe Ranum 1-19, Marty Aubol 2-9

NCTC volleyball team loses pair of matches

Homecoming week at Northland Community and Technical College will include volleyball matches Friday at 6:30 p.m. vs. Vermilion and Saturday at 12-noon against Mesabi.

The Pioneers fell to 4-10 far the year and 2-7 in the Minnesota Community College Conference Northern Division with a pair of 3-0 weekend losses at Hibbing and Rainy River.

The Cardinals won 15-4, 15-12, 15-3 Friday night. The Voyageurs won 15-11, 15-10, 15-12 in a keenly-contested Saturday afternoon match-up.

"Excellent team effort," said Northland coach Shari Olson following the match vs. Rainy River. "It was a fun game to watch. The girls did a great job."

LaVanne Nelson had 6 kills and Jenny Steen 5, along with 6 blocks, vs. Hibbing.

Jenny Smith led the Pioneers with 9 kills against Rainy River. Steen had 6, while Nelson, Erika Halvorson and Ali Hietala each finished with 5 in a balanced attack.

Hietala wound up with 15 assists and 3 serve aces. Stacy Stanwick collected 14 assists.

Parent meeting set for Backcourt Club

Thief River Falls Backcourt Club parent meeting will be held Monday, Oct. 16, at 7 p.m. in the Franklin Middle School cafeteria.

Parents of all basketball players in second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth grade are asked to attend the meeting. There will be a short informational session explaining the program and volunteer projects far parents to sign up for.

TRF freshmen take two volleyball wins

Thief River Falls won a pair of matches from Roseau Monday in freshman high school volleyball.

It was a 15-13, 15-1 sweep in the A match and a 15-2, 9-15, 16-14 win in the B match.

Eighth grader Andrea Olin swam the 200-yard individual medley in Thief River Falls' Thursday high school swimming dual vs. Moorhead. The Prowlers will host Bemidji Thursday at 5 p.m.

Gators win 14-6 overtime game

It required overtime, but Badger/Greenbush-Middle River snapped a three game losing streak Friday with a 14-6 Valley Plains Conference high school football win at Fertile-Beltrami.

Trailing 6-0 since the second quarter, the Gators pulled even on a 2-yard Josh Kujava touchdown run midway through the fourth quarter and won it on a 4-yard Chris Haarstick touchdown pass to Sean Everson in overtime.

In overtime, teams start a four-play series at the opponents' 10-yard line. But the Gators' overtime possession included a couple of twists – a holding penalty that moved them back to the 20; forced use of a back-up quarterback when Haarstick ran into an equipment problem; and then a pass interference call against Fertile-Beltrami that wiped out an interception and gave Badger/Greenbush-Middle River another first down at the Falcons' 7.

Moments later Haarstick and Everson hooked up for the game-winning pass.

Haarstick was 8-for-19 passing for 116 yards. He was intercepted twice.

Howard carried the ball 25 times for 115 yards and caught four passes for 55 yards. Joe Melby contributed 57 yards to the Gators' offense on 15 carries.

Andy Schenkey, Kujava and Haarstick all came up with interceptions for the winners, but defensive player of the game honors, said Gators' coach Steve Willman, went to Justan Rose, an end who came up with two key plays in overtime to keep the Falcons off the board.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River out-gained Fertile-Beltrami 318-92 in total yards.

"We played pretty well," said Willman. "We moved the ball between the 30s, again. I was really pleased with the their enthusiasm. Defensively we did a pretty good job. We had a little trouble with their wishbone in the second quarter, but we made some adjustments and did a nice job in the second half."

The 3-3 Gators face a challenge this week with a 7:30 p.m. Friday game against conference-leading Hawley – the No. 1 rated team in Class C football – at Middle River. The 1995 regular season ends the following week with a Wednesday, Oct. 18, game at Fosston.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	ot	T
B/G-Middle River	0	0	0	6	8	14
Fertile-Beltrami	0	6	0	0	0	6

F-B - Randy Stene, 14-yard run; kick failed.

B/G-MR - Josh Kujava, 2-yard run; run failed.

B/G-MR - Sean Everson, 4-yard pass from Chris Haarstick; Howard run.

TRF Sports

Thursday, Oct. 12

■ Tennis - North Sub-Section 8AA girls individual tournament (at Grand Forks Tennis Center), 9 a.m.

■ Cross country - LHS boys/girls at Hawley Ulen-Hitterdal Invitational, 4:30 p.m.

■ Swimming - LHS girls vs. Bemidji, 5 p.m.

■ Football - NCTC vs. Vermilion, 6 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 13

■ Football - LHS vs. Woodbury (at Fargodome), 5:30 p.m.

■ Volleyball - NCTC vs. Vermilion, 6:30 p.m.

Middle School

It was a four-match sweep for the Franklin Middle School volleyball teams Saturday at East Grand Forks.

In seventh grade play, Franklin won the A match 15-3, 12-15, 15-10 and took the B match 15-5, 15-11, 15-9, 15-10 – playing an extra game in the process.

Franklin won the eighth grade matches 12-15, 16-14, 15-11 (A) and 15-5, 11-15, 15-8 (B).

Swimmers have 1-4 dual record

Teams with more speed and more depth are picking up dual meet high school swimming wins against the Thief River Falls girls.

Thursday it was Moorhead, a 117-66 winner over the Prowlers at the Franklin Middle School pool.

"We had some good efforts," said Thief River Falls coach Scott Hetherington. "Our times are dropping."

The Prowlers got another 1-2 finish and some solid point figures in diving from Jennifer Olin and Becky Mattson.

Two of their top swimmers, however, are still at less than full strength as sprinter Nicole Kopari battles a shoulder problem and distance competitor Becky Harger continues her comeback from an early-season illness.

Moorhead was a 76-52 winner in the junior varsity portion of the meet.

Thief River Falls, 1-4 in dual meet competition, hosts Bemidji Thursday and will take on Detroit Lakes Tuesday in 5 p.m. meets at the Franklin pool.

TRF Varsity Places

200 medley relay - 2. Cami Sorenson, Becky Harger, Andrea Sorvig, Sunny Carlson, 2:15.71; 3. Kristin Naplin, Melanie Johnson, Myndy Olson, Kristin Chrzanowski, 2:24.08.

200 freestyle - 3. Andrea Olin, 2:29.23; 6. Julie Chrzanowski, 2:35.54.

200 I.M. - 3. Lindsay Ehrenstrom, 2:48.62; 4. Alicia Bakken, 2:53.25.

50 freestyle - 3. Nicole Kopari, 27.16; 5. Sunny Carlson, 29.13.

Diving - 1. Jennifer Olin, 225.65; 2. Becky Mattson, 174.3.

100 butterfly - 2. Kristin Chrzanowski, 1:22.82; 3. Wendy Lindquist, 1:25.75.

100 freestyle - 2. Nicole Kopari, 1:00.47; 3. Cami Sorenson, 1:02.8.

500 freestyle relay - 3. Becky Harger, 5:33.93; 5. Andrea Olin, 5:44.27.

200 freestyle relay - 2. Sunny Carlson, Andrea Sorvig, Cami Sorenson, Nicole Kopari, 1:53.67; 3. Wendy Lindquist, Alicia Bakken, Jennifer Sorvig, Lindsey Ehrenstrom, 2:04.50.

100 backstroke - 3. Cami Sorenson, 1:16.82; 6. Alicia Bakken, 1:18.24.

100 breaststroke - 3. Ayla Donlin, 1:28.21; 4. Myndy Olson, 1:29.12; 6. Rachel Harger, 1:31.65.

400 freestyle relay - 2. Nicole Kopari, Lindsey Ehrenstrom, Andrea Sorvig, Becky Harger, 4:21.24.

TRF JV Places

200 medley relay - 1. Wendy Lindquist, Yvonne Asp, Ayla Donlin, Jennifer Sorvig, 2:29.82.

200 freestyle - 3. Ashley Hammer, 2:58.20.

50 freestyle - 2. Jennifer Sorvig, 36.25; 3. Kristin Naplin, 31.96.

Diving - 1. Ayla Donlin, 120.4; 2. Naomi Olson, 87.65.

100 freestyle - 2. Julie Chrzanowski, 1:11.84; 4. Alexis Klockman, 1:28.63.

200 freestyle relay - 2. Alexis Klockman, Kristin Naplin, Yvonne Asp, Lindsey Ehrenstrom, 2:47.27.

100 backstroke - 3. Alexis Klockman, 1:48.26.

100 breaststroke - 5. Ashley Hammer, 1:33.18.

400 freestyle relay - 1. Jennifer Sorvig, Ashley Hammer, Rachel Harger, Yvonne Asp, 5:05.32.

Mustangs lose 6-3 football game

Red Lake County Central lost a low-scoring 6-3 Valley Plains Conference high school football game to Lake Park-Audubon Friday on a soggy Plummer gridiron.

"Footing was treacherous," said Red Lake County Central coach Gary Brantl. "That's the wettest I think I've every seen our field. We were pumping water off it all week."

Throw some defense in with the slippery turf, and you had the makings of a baseball-like score.

Only Red Lake County Central points came on a first quarter 38-yard Aaron Chaput field goal.

The Mustangs had another opening quarter scoring shot taken away when a holding penalty wiped out a long gain that carried inside the Lake Park-Audubon 5-yard line. Later a third down sack took them out of range for a possible game-tying field goal attempt.

Lake Park-Audubon turned a fumble recovery into a short second quarter touchdown drive, reaching the end zone on a fourth down carry from a yard out by Jeremy Johnson.

"Defensively we did an excellent job," noted Brantl. "Offensively we picked up a few yards, but we had a couple of fumbles and that key holding penalty that really hurt."

Nate Lundeen led the Mustangs by gaining 108 yards on 25 carries. Quarterback Bryce Huotari was 9-for-24 passing far 77 yards, with Scott Waldal catching 7 passes for 53 yards.

Lundeen also led the Mustangs' defense, coming up with 7 tackles and 4 assists. Waldal was credited with 4 tackles and 2 assists.

The 2-4 Mustangs will play Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Friday.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Lake Park-Audubon	0	6	0	0	6
Red Lake Co. Central	3	0	0	0	3

RLCC - Aaron Chaput, 38-yard field goal.

LP-A - Jeremy Johnson, 1-yard run; kick failed.

Nordics fall to Tigers

Thursday and Tuesday games will close out the 1995 Marshall County Central regular season high school football schedule.

Both games will be on the road for the Nordics, who will play Kittson County North Oct. 12 and finish Oct. 17 against Kittson Central.

The Nordics fell to 0-5 Friday following a 54-12 Top of the State Conference drubbing at the hands of unbeaten Stephen.

It was a case, acknowledged Marshall County Central coach Kent Warne, of an underdog not playing particularly well and the favorite playing extremely well.

"They got to us right away," said Warne. "The kids continued to play hard, but nothing was going our way."

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Stephen	20	22	0	12	54
Marshall Co. Central	0	0	0	0	12

Stephen - Alex Salazar, 12-yard run; pass failed.

Stephen - Salazar, 3-yard run; Ryan Gajeski pass from Matt Kroulik.

Stephen - Alvin Salazar, 56-yard punt return; run failed.

Stephen - Matt Safranski, 6-yard run; Brent Nelson kick.

Stephen - Alex Salazar, 40-yard interception return, Nelson kick.

Stephen - Nelson, 17-yard run; Nelson run.

MCC - Garrett Magner, 1-yard run; run failed.

Stephen - Scott Safranski, 19-yard run; kick failed.

Stephen - Scott Safranski, 3-yard run; pass failed.

MCC - Bjorn Halvorson, 53-yard run; pass failed.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Oct. 12 - volleyball at Win-E-Mac.

■ Friday, Oct. 13 - football at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Oct. 12 - football vs. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart (at Grygla).

■ Friday, Oct. 13 - volleyball vs. Red Lake Falls (at Goodridge).

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Thursday, Oct. 12 - volleyball at Roseau.

■ Friday, Oct. 13 - football vs. Hawley (at Middle River)

■ Saturday, Oct. 14 - volleyball at Warroad Invitational.

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Oct. 12 - football at Kittson County North.

■ Saturday, Oct. 14 - volleyball at Warroad Invitational.

Lakers' turnaround surprises Prowlers

Detroit Lakes started slow but finished strong Saturday in a 4-15, 15-2, 15-4, 15-9 North Sub-Section 8AA high school volleyball win over Thief River Falls.

The Prowlers dominated the matinee match at the start, only to have the visiting Lakers take over in a sudden second-game turnaround that carried them to three straight wins – the first two in one-sided fashion.

"Inconsistent," said Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson. "We played extremely well in the first game, but for some reason, we lost the momentum. Detroit Lakes didn't do anything different, we just quit covering and quit moving our feet."

In the preliminary matches, Detroit Lakes beat the Thief River Falls C squad 13-15, 15-12, 15-4 and won the freshman match 15-11, 11-15, 15-9. The Thief River Falls junior varsity team did not play.

TRF Scoring

■ Last touch - Maren Thorson 8, Michelle Mathson 6, Desirae Alberg 5, Lindsay Drury 4, Sarah Koland 2, Carrie Rud 2, Kendra Dimich 1, Kim Hook 1.

■ Kills - Thorson 6, Alberg 6, Mathson 4, Koland 3, Rud 1, Hook 1.

■ Assists - Hook 17, Dimich 1.

■ Ace serves - Thorson 1, Drury 1.

Sophomore squad a winner over EGF

Trevor Lee scored on runs of 3 and 67 yards Monday as Thief River Falls beat East Grand Forks 26-8 in sophomore high school football.

Touchdown runs of 6 yards of Kyle Anderson and 5 yards by Chris Mumm, along with a Mumm-to-Andy Harbott conversion pass, completed the scoring for the winners, who led 12-0 after one quarter, and were up 18-8 at halftime.

Thief River Falls sophomore/junior varsity football program is 5-2 for the year.

City Volleyball

Tuesday Night League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	5	0
Double D Bees	5	0
Budweiser	5	1
Clip-N-Tan	4	2
Thrifty White Drug	3	3
Tim Loeffler Agency	2	4
Arctco	1	5
PCR Graphics	0	5
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	0	5

Thursday Night League

	W	L
Miller Lite	6	0
Northwest Medical Center	5	1
St. Hilaire Elevator	4	2
LaVonne's Grocery	4	2
Evergreen Eating Emporium	3	3
Legion	3	3
St. Hilaire Supply	2	4
Digi-Key II	2	4
Digi-Key I	1	5
Robson Honey	0	5

Results

■ Tuesday, Oct. 3 - (6:30 p.m.) Double D Bees def. Arctco; Narverud Cleaners def. PCR Graphics; (7 p.m.) Double D Bees def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; Tim Loeffler Agency def. PCR Graphics; (7:30 p.m.) Budweiser def. Arctco; Narverud Cleaners def. Thrifty White Drug; (8 p.m.) Budweiser def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; Clip-N-Tan def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (8:30 p.m.) Clip-N-Tan def. Thrifty White Drug.

■ Thursday, Oct. 5 - (6:30 p.m.) Legion def. St. Hilaire Supply; Northwest Medical Center def. Robson Honey; (7 p.m.) Miller Lite def. St. Hilaire Supply; Evergreen Eating Emporium def. Robson Honey; (7:30 p.m.) Legion def. Digi-Key I; Northwest Medical Center def. LaVonne's Grocery; (8 p.m.) Miller Lite def. Digi-Key II; St. Hilaire Elevator def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (8:30 p.m.) Digi-Key II def. Digi-Key I; LaVonne's Grocery def. St. Hilaire Elevator.

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B/G-MR volleyball team 7-11

Badger/Greenbush Middle River after sweeping Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke Thursday jumped out to a 2-0 lead against Warroad Saturday before losing a 3-2 high school volleyball match.

The Gators beat the Wolverines 15-4, 15-11, 15-7.

"We played very well," said Badger/Greenbush Middle River coach Christi Anderson. "We played as a team and did an excellent job on coverage."

The Gators picked up where they left off when they stepped back on the court Saturday but couldn't keep the momentum going as Warroad rallied for a 4-15, 9-15, 16-14, 15-9, 15-10 victory.

Anderson said the Gators, sparked by the defensive play at the net by Bridget Rinde, were sharp at the start. "I've never seen a team play like that," she said. "They were picking up everything."

Down 0-2, Warroad took over, building a 13-9 third game lead and holding on for the match-extending win then controlling play down the stretch.

Badger/Greenbush Middle River is 7-11 for the year. "They've shown a lot of improvement," noted Anderson.

Wolverines fall to Cougars rally, 3-1

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke won Game 1, and had a 9-1 second game lead before a Kittson County North comeback netted the Cougars a 6-15, 15-11, 15-12, 15-12 Monday night high school volleyball win.

"We played well the first game," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Tina Rode. "We were moving really well, and Shaaana Thomas did an excellent job serving."

But the Wolverines lost the chance to go up 2-0 and never recovered. They did rally from a 10-3 Game 4 deficit to make it close, but nevertheless fell to 3-12 for the year.

Ethical deer hunter award nominations are sought for 1995

Sometimes good behavior goes unrecognized. With that in mind nominations are being sought for the second annual Minnesota Deer Hunters Ethics Award, sponsored by the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

The award will honor a hunter who has exhibited conduct that can serve as an example of admirable hunting ethics, according to DNR Commissioner Rod Sando.

Nominees must be Minnesota residents. The incidents for which hunters are nominated can occur during any of the deer hunting seasons – archery, firearm or muzzleloader.

Anyone may nominate a hunter. Nominations must be submitted by Jan. 31 to the Hunter Ethics Awards, Minnesota Deer Hunters Association, 2820 South Highway 169, P.O. Box 5123, Grand Rapids, MN 55744.

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Becky Mattson was just entering the water on this dive in Thursday's high school swimming meet vs. Moorhead at the Franklin Middle School pool. Mattson has finished second, behind only Thief River Falls teammate Jannifer Olin, in most of the Prowlers' duel meet outings this fall. They host Bemidji Thursday at 5 p.m.

DNR News

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources reminds duck hunters that they are required to carry one U.S. Coast Guard approved personal flotation device for each person on board their boats.

"That legislation became effective with the 1988 waterfowl season, and the number of duck hunters drowning has decreased considerably since then," said Tim Smalley, DNR boating safety specialist.

In the 10 years prior to the passage of the PFD law, 27 duck hunters drowned in boat accidents, none of them was wearing life preserver. "Although the law only requires that the life preserver be readily accessible, we recommend that hunters actually wear them while traveling to and from the blind," Smalley said.

Water safety experts have found in tests that it is almost impossible to put a life jacket on after an accident takes place, due to panic and the shock of entering cold water. "Trying to get into a life vest after entering finger-numbing ice-cold water would be like putting a seat belt on after a car crash; it's too late," Smalley said.

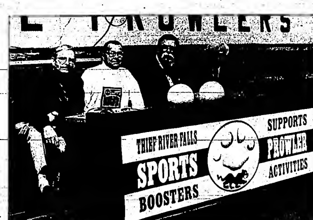
Any Coast Guard approved PFD fulfills the law's requirements, but the DNR recommends the type III vest or float coat style life jackets that provide more protection from hypothermia than the orange Mae-West devices. " Hypothermia is a life-threatening lowering of body core temperature, and is involved in most duck hunter fatalities," Smalley noted. "With October water temperatures falling to the low 40s, hypothermia becomes a real possibility for a victim in the water for any length of time. Even strong Olympic-class swimmers have a difficult time swimming for more than a few yards in water that cold."

The DNR offers these water safety tips for duck hunters:

Wear a life jacket on the way to and from the blind. It's almost impossible to put on a PFD after falling into cold water.

Don't overload your boat. According to DNR records, overloading and lack of PFDs are the two most common causes of duck hunter drowning. It's much safer to take two trips in a partially loaded boat.

Don't cross large expanses of open water. Go around the shore to avoid the possibility of being capsized by a sudden storm or guests of wind. Staying near shore also improves your chances of being sighted by potential rescuers.



New court-side scorer's table in the Lincoln High School gymnasium features a colorful, brightly-lit front which promotes the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club. The scorer's table is one of the latest in a long line of contributions from the organization. The group, organized to promote and support various Thief River Falls activities programs, meets every Thursday at 12-noon at the Elks Club. Pictured at the new table are, left to right, Director of Student Activities for School District 564 Jim Sims, along with Sports Boosters Club representatives John Michael Anderson, John Nicholson, and Steve Stokke.

Special Olympics bowling event set for Crookston site

Minnesota Special Olympics Area One, serving the counties of Kittson, Mahnomen, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, and Roseau, will host a bowling tournament at the Corral Lanes in Crookston Thursday, Oct. 12.

Over 110 participants are expected for the event, scheduled to be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Persons interested in participating in the Special Olympics, or volunteers who would like to help with the program, are invited to contact Area One director John A. Helley Sr. by calling 218-465-4588 or by writing to him at P.O. Box 176, Plummer, MN 56748.

Nordics lose 3-0 to Lake of the Woods

Marshall County Central lost a 3-0 high school volleyball decision to Lake of the Woods Thursday in Newfolden to drop to 12-6 for the year.

The Bears won 16-14, 15-11, 15-9.

"We didn't play a real sharp match," said Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson. "Mentally, we just weren't in it. We didn't get anything going offensively, and defensively we didn't do the things we had to do to win the match."

Hunter relationship with landowners is subject of brochure

Hunters trespassing on private property is a source of aggravation for some landowners, according to Wayne Edgerton, agricultural policy director for the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

"Landowners have the right to control who goes on their land and when," said Edgerton. "Unfortunately, a few hunters seem to think they have the right to hunt wherever they please. That makes for bad hunter-landowner relations and makes it tougher for responsible hunters who always make it a practice to ask first."

A brochure entitled "Hunting Private Land: It's a Privilege" is available to provide simple step-by-step guidelines for those seeking to hunt on private land. It suggests ways to approach landowners and what to do before, during and after the hunt. This brochure is a cooperative effort stemming from the frustration many hunters and landowners feel when hunting season approaches.

"Most hunters respect private property right," Edgerton noted. "The few who don't make it difficult for everyone. Each hunter is asked to help protect the future of hunting by always asking permission before entering private lands. It's a simple thing that means a lot.

"Hunters need to appreciate the landowners' perspective and put themselves in the landowners' shoes, or more private lands will be closed to hunting in the future," Edgerton said. "Landowners who permit hunting on their land are not only doing hunters a favor, they are sharing trust in them. Hunters need to demonstrate appreciation for the favor and prove that the landowner's trust has not been misplaced."

Brochures are available free of charge through all hunter education classes and clinics. To receive a copy, call the DNR Information Center toll-free in Minnesota at 1-800-766-6000.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinspillers League

	Wins	Losses
Mahsky Dairy	28	7
Walseth Construction	25	10
Mid Riv Community Club	24	11
Hartz Truck Line	19	16
Sorter Construction	18	17
Rundell Electric	18	17
Amoco	17	18
B-H-R's	17	18
Gerasman Realty	16	19
Rainbow Nursery	13	22
Northwest Asphalt	11	24
O-Team	5	31

High Game: Bill Rasmussen 215; Lloyd Wagner 207; Keith Higginbotham 208; Diane Wagner 197; Marge Rasmussen 188; Arlene Walseth 192; Kell Gustafson 192

High Series: Lloyd Wagner 188-207-192=587; Bill Rasmussen 182-177-214=573; Kraig Melvie 196-171-150=517; Arlene Walseth 177-162-181=520; Diane Wagner 160-187-152=509; Kell Gustafson 182-158-139=480

Service League

	Wins	Losses
Rundell Electric	88 1/2	30 1/2
Manderud Trucking	81 1/2	38 1/2
Legion	73 1/2	46 1/2
McDonald's	73	47
NW Eye Center	62 1/2	57 1/2
Thygeson Construction	60	60
Northern Motors	54	66
Wagon Wheel	52	68
NW Auto Body	40 1/2	79 1/2

High Game: Kraig Melvie 236; Dean Joppru 235; Curt Quesnell 234

High Series: Tim Erickson 202-220-201=623; Curt Quesnell 189-234-198=621; Kraig Melvie 188-236-181=605

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Bronx Bombers	4	0
Bulls	4	0
Stags	4	0
Hoots	3	1
TNT's	2	2
Stompers	2	2
Sheldon's Greaseballs	2	2
Hogan's Heroes	2	2
Alley Rats	1	3
Horn's	0	4
Big Boys	0	4
Rutters	0	4

High Game: Jerry Jenson 278, 224; Bruce Williams 222; Larry Spong 211

High Series: Jerry Jenson 208-224-278=710; Larry Spong 171-172-211=554; Tom Lawrence 196-184-171=551; L.L. Jones 148-204-183=535

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	27	8
Pennington Square	19	16
Farmer's Union	18	17
Mr. Duane's	17	18
Busch Light	14	21
Brodin's	10	25

High Game: Brenda McCarty 197; Deb Pierce 186; Paula Oreelis 162; Minnie Bjerke 182

High Series: Deb Pierce 186-176-161=523; Brenda McCarty 197-149-158=504; Paula Oreelis 182-168-142=492

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Creative Clippers	24	11
Budweiser	24	11
Northern Motors	20	16
Bud Ice	19	18
Arctco	18	17
Loeffler Agency	17	18
Kwick Strip	18	19
Team #8	2	33

High Game: Dollie Newland 220; Deb Pierce 202; Roberta Kloety 197; Dollie Newland 185

High Series: Dollie Newland 165-220-151=556; Denise Wicklund 143-178-166=487; Linda Olson 159-143-184=486; Roberta Kloety 128-197-161=486

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Red Lake Electric	12	4
Hutchinson Transfer	11	5
Swanson Airspray	10	6
Northwest Asphalt	9	7
Olin Law Office	8	8
5/5ths	7	9
Soap-N-Suds	7	9
Lantern	5	11
Styles By Amy	5	11

High Game: Donna Cantwell 198; Carol Moon 196; Jean Oroven 189; Karen Weber 188; LeAnn Hensley 188

High Series: Beth Skallet 159-177-181=517; Jean Oroven 159-189-149=497; LeAnn Hensley 136-172-188=496; Terese Rude 109-169-144=494

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Digi-Key	17	3
Tommy O's	14	6
Imaging Plus	13	7
Sizzlers	12	8
Farmers Union	11	9
NW Medical Center	11	9
NW Eye Center	10	10
Fire Flies	9	11
HB Trucking	8	12
KTRF CAD's	8	12
Rusty Nail	8	12
Material Girls	7	13
Norwest	6	14
Borsheim	6	14

High Game: Rhonda Joppru 213; Peggy Bergsnev 196; Sharon Stauss 186; Oarlene Kolley 186

High Series: Karen Safronsky 178-185-170=533; Oarlene Kolley 178-186-163=527; Rhonda Joppru 213-158-149=520; Sharon Stauss 180-186-145=511

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Handyman Service	21	7
KSRQ	16	12
TR Salvage	12	16
Classic Chevys	8	20

High Series: Ron Moen 170-190-212=572; Sromley Carr 190-192-162=544; Doug Dehnert 168-163-152=483; Sharon Wold 210-176-172=558; Barb Ammerman 166-135-147=448; Carol Moen 172-135-132=439; Renae Jensen 146-143-150=439

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	140	60
Germundson's Furniture	117	83
Pennington Square	116 1/2	83 1/2
Kalinowski Construction	113	87
Wikstrom	109 1/2	90 1/2
RV Sports	106	94
VFW	87	113
Thyren Auto	83 1/2	118 1/2
1st National Bank	69	131
No. Border Whse.	58 1/2	141 1/2

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Auction-2-Sell	16	6
Amoco 24	15	6
Glass Farm	15	8
B & B Car Wash	12	8
Joe's Floor & Tile	8	15

High Game: Dan Lindquist 251; Craig Peterson 242; Curt Quesnell 220; Dollie Newland 191; Patsy Lindquist 180; Deanne Thompson 180

High Series: Craig Peterson 632; Larry Olson 611; Curt Quesnell 570; Jan Olson 515; Dollie Newland 491; Patsy Lindquist 480

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
B & B Espresso	27	8
Phyllis's	22	12
Larson's Drywall	18	16
Olson's Auto	16	18
Deb's Kitchen	13	22
Grygla Cafe	8	27

High Game: Bonnie Blankenfeld 200; Mindy Shnyder 176; Shirley Schmit 172

High Series: Bonnie Blankenfeld 153-166-200=519; Denise Nesseth 182-162-144=488; Mindy Shnyder 128-156-176=458

City League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Appliance	25	10
The Spot	21	15
FSA	21	14
Hanson's Repair	21	15
Milk & Cookies	20	16
St. Hilaire Elevator	18	18
Wilde Builder	18	18
MN/DOT	18	18
Homark	12	23

High Game: Rick Botner 223; Gary Johnson 212; Frank Hageman 208

High Series: Gordy Jensen 192-165-203=560; Rick Botner 168-223-146=557; Murray Jorde 192-161-178=531

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
Bad Boys	8 1/2	1/2
Jr. Elks	7	2
Blades	8 1/2	2 1/2
Magic Raptors	5	4
3 Musketeers	4	5
Lions	2	7
3 Ninjas	2	7
Team #1	2	7
3 Little Princesses	0	8

High Game: Justin Pyle 110; Paul Sjoberg 107; Jesse Lian 106; Michael Lunde 105; Tyler Jensen 101; Stacey Rasmussen 98; Derek Smith 97

High Series: Justin Pyle 110-109=219; Paul Sjoberg 81-107=188; Derek Smith 78-97=175; Jesse Lian 69-106=175; Michael Lunde 69-105=174

Prep League

Wins Losses

Standings Incomplete

High Game: Tommy Oreelis 184; Andrea Hagen 161; Layne Kaushagen 138; Ben Weigelt 137; Jeff Vennes 134; Carl Harbott 132; Nick Jorstad 132

High Series: Tommy Oreelis 123-124-184=431; Jeff Vennes 131-134-124=389; Ben Weigelt 136-137-110=383; Carl Harbott 114-132-127=373; Jarvis Kuznia 117-116-125=358

Junior League

	Wins	Losses
Northern Motors	11	1
Genereux Realty	10	2
Team #10	9 1/2	2 1/2
Prowler Express #1	8	4
Nelson State Farm	8	4
Team #12	7	5
Prowler Express #2	6 1/2	5 1/2
1st National Bank	6	6
Slix Photography	6	6
Team #17	6	6
Amoco 24	5	7
Wiseth Farms	5	7
Team #7	4	8
RV Sports	4	8
Family Bowl	3	9
Team #13	3	9
Team #16	3	9

High Game: Jeremy Jenson 215; David Brey 200; Stacy Hovet 176; April Weber 176; Sara Jensen 171; Stephanie Sculthorp 171

High Series: Jeremy Jenson 215-204-150=569; David Brey 157-200-165=522; Stacy Hovet 139-176-153=468; Stephanie Sculthorp 130-164-171=465; Jesse Smith 152-147-149=448

DNR News

Fishing Regulations Advertising

For the second year, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources' fishing regulations handbook will be funded through paid advertising.

Minnesota Political Press was chosen from several companies who responded to a request for proposal to produce, print and fund the DNR publication. Minnesota Political Press has agreed to publish 1.1 million copies of the fishing regulations in exchange for advertising rights. The agreement allows the company to sell up to 12 full-page ads, according to Jack Wingate, DNR fisheries research manager.

"We had a good response from anglers about the inclusion of advertising in the 1995 fishing regulations handbook," Wingate said. "This year we're hoping to generate enough ad sales to cover the entire cost of the handbook. With the increase in paper costs, it could mean a savings of $140,000 for Minnesota anglers."

Ad sales for the 1995 fishing regulations handbook returned $35,000 to fishing related activities.

"The DNR prints more than 1 million copies of the handbook, making it one of the state's most widely distributed annual publications," said Wingate. More than half of Minnesota's population – some 2 million people – consider themselves anglers.

DNR News

Lake of the Woods Plovers

Minnesota's last colony of piping plovers held off extinction again this year when six of seven pairs nested and produced a total of seven chicks that survived the summer, according to Katie Haws, Northwest Regional Nongame Wildlife Specialist with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

"The piping plover is one of only two native Minnesota bird species (The other is the peregrine falcon) that share the sad distinction of being on both the state and federal list of endangered species," explained Haws. "What this means is that the U.S. eastern subpopulation could easily drop below the threshold of recovery."

Following the national trend, Minnesota's piping plover population has shrunk to a handful of breeding pairs on the shores of Morris Point, and Pine and Curry Islands, off the southeast shore of Lake of the Woods.

"At one time, the plovers' summer habitat included lakeshores and prairie sand dunes throughout the upper midwest and south-central Canada; along with sand-beach areas of the Great Lakes and the north-Atlantic seaboard," said Haws. "In Minnesota, plovers nested on a few sites in the Duluth harbor, and on islands and sand points along the south shore of Lake of the Woods."

According to DNR Nongame Wildlife researchers, the Duluth harbor population dropped from 14 birds in 1977 to zero in 1986, and no plovers have returned since. The Lake of the Woods population has declined in recent years, from a high of 49 birds in 1984, to 14 in 1991 a number that was held steady through the 1990s.

In 1982, Morris Point and the Pine and Curry Islands became a designated, state Scientific and Natural Area-a status which granted permanent protection to the last Minnesota nesting grounds of the piping plover.

Along with its SNA status, the Lake-of-the-Woods plovers became the most thoroughly studied, and carefully protected, nesting colony of piping plovers in the United States. Researchers with the Nongame Wildlife program protect and study the birds from April through August each year. As population numbers dropped on the nesting grounds, protection measures increased to help assure the nesting success of the remaining birds.

Early in the season, wire-mesh enclosures are placed around the nests to protect the eggs and hatchlings from predators such as foxes, crows, owls and gulls. The plovers can go in and out of the wire mesh, but larger animals and birds cannot.

In the past couple of years, project staff have also removed trees and brush that provided cover and observation posts for crows and owls which threatened to ambush plovers while they sat on their nests.

Jim Walton, a Baudette area resident and amateur trapper, has been hired to trap furbearing predators on the islands in recent years. During the 1995 season, he trapped two mink and two red fox. "This year," said Haws, "we also tried an experimental string-grid system to keep ring-billed gulls and Franklin's gulls from roosting near the plover nesting area. It was fairly successful."

During the critical incubation and hatching period of June and early July, researchers try to stay off the nesting grounds as much as possible, doing most of their observations from a boat so as not to disturb the plovers and other nesting birds on the islands.

"The plover project has been operating for 13 years," said Haws. "And, while we cannot claim a large population increase at this time due to our efforts, we can say that we have increased the hatching success of Minnesota's plovers.

"New management techniques, such as the wire mesh enclosures and string-grid systems, look promising," said Haws. "These beautiful and vulnerable birds need all the help they can get."

Haws pointed out that it is really Minnesota's citizens who are helping to save the plovers. The project is jointly funded by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Endangered Species program, and the Minnesota Nongame Wildlife program. Nongame program is supported almost entirely by voluntary contributions from the nongame checkoff on Minnesota income tax and property tax forms.

Persons with questions about the Minnesota piping plover project are asked to call Bob Djupstrom, state SNA Supervisor, at 1-800-657-3929 or Katie Haws at 218-755-2976.

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Alicia Bakken handled the butterfly leg on the Prowlers' 200-yard medley relay in Thursday's high school swimming meet against Moorhead.

Thief River Falls will take on Bemidji Thursday in a 5 p.m. dual at the Franklin Middle School pool.

DNR News

Minnesota State Park Permit

Even before the snow melts, wildflowers known as spring ephemerals push up through the forest floor for their moment in the sun at Nerstrand Big Woods State Park. Three of these wildflowers – the Minnesota trout lily, the dwarf trout lily, and the sharp-lobed hepatica – can also be seen on the 1996 Minnesota state parks annual permit.

The permit showcases the flowers and the park, which celebrates its 50th anniversary in 1996.

New vehicle permits for state parks go on sale Sept. 29. The annual sticker, which costs $18, permits an unlimited number of visits to all state parks through Dec. 1, 1966. For families with more than one car, second permits are available for $12 each. Special permits for Minnesota residents with disabilities and Minnesota senior citizens are also available for $12 each.

The dwarf trout lily featured on the permit is one of the Big Woods' *special treasures*. This tiny white flower grows no other place on earth except in three counties in Minnesota: Rice, Goodhue and Steele. It grows on slopes adjoining floodplains, and has been designated on the federal and state endangered species lists.

Minnesota artist Fred Somers, who designed the 1996 permit, picked a secluded spot of the park for his subject. He decided to show not only the wildflowers, but also the environment that nurtures them. He created a 3-foot by 4-foot pastel drawing of the setting and the flowers. A small section of that drawing – measuring about 5 inches by 5 inches – was used for the permit.

The entire landscape scene is displayed on 1996 state parks merchandise, including a sweatshirt, T-shirt and mug. These items and other merchandise are available from Nature Stores in Minnesota state parks or through the Nature Store gift catalog. Copies of the catalog are available free of charge by calling the DNR Information Center toll free in Minnesota, 1-800-766-6000.

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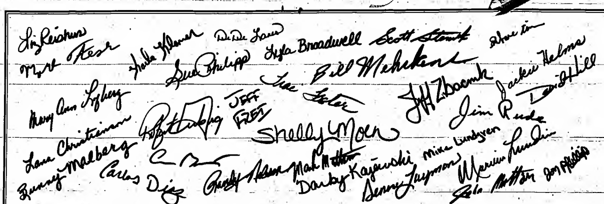

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The Second Section

Maxine McEwen of Thief River Falls was recognized by the Northwest Medical Center Auxiliary recently for her service to the local unit and Health Care Auxiliaries of Minnesota.

Maxine McEwen honored by Medical Center auxiliary

Maxine McEwen was honored by the Northwest Medical Center Auxiliary recently during a dinner at the Heritage Community Center in Thief River Falls.

Recognition was given to Mrs. McEwen for her service to both the local and the state auxiliary.

Maxine has been a member of the Northwest Medical Center Auxiliary since the mid 1970s. She has served as a volunteer and as a board member for six years, including terms as vice president and president (1986-87). She was chairman of District A from 1990 to 1992, overseeing auxiliary activities in the district.

In 1991-92 McEwen was chairman of the committee that organized a booth at the Minnesota Association of Homes for the Aging Institute.

She served on the state board of the Health Care Auxiliary of Minnesota (HCAM) in 1992 and 1993, was vice president of membership from 1993 to 1995, served on the grant committee in 1993 and 1994 and assisted in organizing the agenda for the annual HCAM meeting in 1995.

LHS German students plan trip to Germany

An 11 to 12-day educational student tour to Germany and Austria will be offered in the summer of 1996 to German language students at Lincoln high school, their parents or guardians, family members and School District 564 employees.

Approximately 65 students and parents attended an informational meeting Tuesday, October 3, in the German classroom at Lincoln, according to Paivi Young, world languages instructor at LHS and facilitator of the tour. She said that German students who satisfactorily complete an approved study project during the tour will receive one-fourth of a high school credit.

School District 564 board of education has approved the trip. Bergan Travel of Thief River Falls, in cooperation with Into Interstudy Tours of Germany, is in charge of travel arrangements.

"Tentative itinerary includes visits to Frankfurt, Berlin, Nuremburg, Rothenburg, Munich, Fuessen, Oberammergau, Heidelberg and to Salzburg, Austria," Mrs. Young said. "In addition, students will experience a two to three-day family stay in the Munich area."

Several fund raising activities will be conducted to help students defray their costs for the trip to Germany. German candy sales will be held October 16-27 and German Advent calendars will be sold November 13-24. Additional fund-raising activities will be planned by a parent advisory group.

"Any community service organizations, individuals or businesses willing to contribute toward this educational tour can contact me at Lincoln high school," Mrs. Young said.

Interested German students, School District 564 employees and their family members should contact Bergan Travel for additional information. An initial deposit of $200 is due November 1 at Bergan Travel.

City tax rates among highest in Minnesota

Thief River Falls has the fourth highest tax on $50,000 homes in non-metro communities, according to a study by the Minnesota Taxpayers Association. The finding was recently published in Fiscal Focus, a news publication of the Minnesota Taxpayers Association.

The article states that the finding was based on a home selling for $50,000 homes in non-metro communities. It found the five highest tax non-metro communities in the $50,000 home comparison were: Wadena (2155), $855; Staples (2170), $837; Princeton (477), $810; Thief River Falls (564), $786; and, Glenwood (2149), $777.

The article explained that "Wadena (Wadena County), and Pinceton (Mille Lacs County) both have unusually high county tax rates. Staples and Glenwood both have unusually high city tax rates. Thief River Falls has a relatively high school and county tax rates.

"The five lowest tax non-metro communities in the $50,000 home comparison are: Grand Rapids township (318) (Itasca County), $206; Harris township (318) (Itasca County), $243; Grand Rapids (318), $270; Becker township (726) (Serbume County; and Mountain Iron (712), $306.

"All the communities but Becker township in the bottom five qualify for the state-paid taconite homestead credit on the $50,000 home. The credit reduces taxes by half or more in those four communities. Becker township has the lowest tax rate [illegible] of any of the 129 non-metro communities. Its school district enjoys a healthy tax base that keeps the tax rate low, due to the location of a large power plant there."

Mary Noel works with students at the Northern Expressions School for the Arts, the magnet arts program at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls.

Mary Noel teaches dance at art school

Mary Noel of the Mary Noel School of Dance in Crookston is instructor for the dance program at Northern Expressions School of the Arts, the magnet arts program at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls. She signed a contract with School District 564 this fall.

Noel has operated her dance studio in Crookston for the past 10 years. She began dance lessons at the age of four in Beverly Hills, CA and has studied dance in Colorado Springs, CO, and with the Oakland, North Dakota and Joffrey Ballet companies and the Dance Theatre of the Southwest in Albuquerque, NM.

Noel has had instruction in jazz, tap and ballet dancing and has performed in all three.

Ballet and jazz dance will be taught in the Northern Expressions program with Noel serving as the instructor herself with the assistance of physical education instructor Teri Efteland. Noel also plans to open a branch of her dance school in Thief River Falls this month.

Noel has choreographed musicals in Crookston and Red Lake Falls and produced several ballets, including "Cinderella" in 1990, "Swan Lake" in 1992 and "Romeo and Juliet" in 1994. She says she enjoys the challenge of teaching.

"Taking children right to their toes in ballet takes time and careful training," she said. "As difficult as it is to achieve, it's wonderful to see students grow and excel. Our students are able to audition for collegiate and professional dance companies. It's a joy to see how far their training can take them."

Although she stresses the importance of basic ballet in all dance styles, Noel is also an enthusiastic jazz and tap instructor. As a performer, her favorite work is in tap dancing.

"I didn't start tap until I was 16," she said. "These days it's not a Broadway favorite, but it's still my favorite. I like the uplifting music—to move my feet to that Forty-Second Street beat. Dance is wonderful!"

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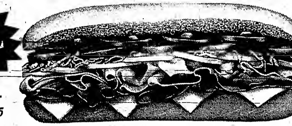

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Mrs. Clifford Klamar
489-3448

Weekend campers at the Swag... cabin were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bliss, Gary Liane, Dave Lithrohn, Chuck Bowman, Todd Holzinger, Marty Bliss, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Eggler all from Burnsville, Craig McMillan, Tracy Stong from Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Wontowicz, Geneel and Jonas from Moundsview, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roppe and Erin Haugen from Champlin, Mike Olsen, Mary Prober from Eden Prairie, Alicia Horstmann from Rochester, Joan Haugen from Roseau, Noel Schanneo from Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Wesnce and Chris Miche... from Minot, ND. They all attended the Ness Sistad wedding.

Other visitors over the weekend were Mark and Mike Sistad, Terry Ruud, Duncan and Travis Ruud, Darle Severts, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Oeltz, Tracy Dunham, Jean Roppe and Vivian Ruud.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Bing Tuura of Middle River visited at the Wayne Larson home.

Cordell Klamar and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar visited on Saturday evening at the Jerry Linder home.

Thursday, Mrs. Evert Westberg and Karyl Larson attended the Minnesota Senior Federal General Association meeting at the Heritage Center.

Dale Rogers was a coffee guest on Sunday morning at the Juel Aune home.

Terry Ruud of Moorhead spent the weekend at the Cheslie Ruud home and attended the Mark Sistad wedding.

Art Roden of Middle River was a recent coffee guest at the Alan Severts home.

Visitors on Sunday at the Clifford Klamar home were Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar and Adam Tesarek of Roseau.

Geoffrey Larson celebrated his birthday on Thursday evening and had several of his classmates as his guests, also his grandmother Karyl Larson and she brought him a birthday cake.

Greg Harris and Nicholas spent the weekend at the cabin and also visited at the Juel Aune home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Warren visited at the Bert Jones and Alan Severts homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar were evening visitors at the Severts home.

Mrs. Tim Howard of Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were to a 9th and 10th grade football game on Monday afternoon between Warren and Plummer at Plummer.

Supper guests on Tuesday at the Jerry Linder home for Lorna's 18th birthday were Morris and Mike Frenzel, Katie Chapinski and Scott Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace were dinner guests on Thursday at the Alan Severts home. Marcus stayed until Saturday with his grandparents.

Mrs. Glenn Limesand visited on Monday evening at the Juel Aune home.

Tuesday, Mrs. Dean Anderson and Jill of Newfolden visited on Tuesday at the Reuben Engevik home.

Ashley Brateng of Grygla spent Tuesday with her grandparents the Gene Petersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune of Grygla visited on Sunday evening at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Van Ende, Jerred, Jedd and Johanna of Badger visited on Sunday at the Jerry Linder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Nelson of Alvarado spent the weekend at the Reuben Engevik home and also attended Goose Festival at Middle River.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson were dinner guests on Saturday at the Marvin Espe home near Roseau. They celebrated Ann's birthday.

Visitors on Sunday evening at the Alan Severts home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Engelstad, Harvey Mugaas and Gene Engen.

Ed and Nadine Wold, Ryan Sorvig and friend Amy of Minneapolis spent Friday evening and Saturday at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik visited on Sunday evening with Irma and Jamie Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls and Mrs. Dwight Schermer, Houston and Layne of Drayton spent the weekend at the Howard Lunsetter home and attended the Mark Sistad Wedding.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Giffen of Hallock, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson and Maria of Middle River and Mrs. Dwight Peterson of Warren brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Gene Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter were dinner guests at the Wayne Lunsetter home on Sunday.

Saturday evening, Karyl Larson attended the 55th Wedding Anniversary at the Best Western for Mel and Eunice Burrell.

Sunday, Glenn Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune, Myrtle Bylium and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune attended the Auction Sale of Elmer and Leonard Newhouse near Fourtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar visited on Thursday evening at the Douglas Nordby home near Grygla.

Supper guests at the Glenn Lunsetter home on Sunday to celebrate Garry Lunsetter's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Lundsetter of Fergus Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter.

Jean Roppe of Moundsview and Vivian Ruud of Thief River Falls spent the week at the Cheslie Ruud home and attended the wedding of Jeanne Ness and Mark Sistad on Saturday.

Monday, Marcus Wallace celebrated his 4th birthday. Guests for dinner were Evelyn Severts, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts, Santa Wallace and Elsie Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace.

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Design award was presented to the sophomore class in homecoming float competition for Lincoln high school last week. Homecoming theme was "Prowler Style: Born to be Wild and Riled." This Times photo was taken in the sports arena where the floats were built as the parade was canceled due to rain. Class members on the float (left to right) are Kyle Waterworth, Desiree Alberg, Chris Menning, Becky McKercher and Chris Mumm.

Creativity award was presented to the freshman class at Lincoln high school for its entry in the homecoming float competition. The photo was taken indoors at the sports arena where the floats were built because the Friday parade was canceled due to rain. On the float (left to right) are Matt Dyar, Beth Nelson, Jason Hanson, Marisa Holmstrom, Taya Hunt and Bridget Stock, all members of the freshman class.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji came home on Friday to visit with his parents the Clayton Johnsruds. Randy left for Bemidji on Saturday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the appreciation day in Gully.

Orville Kjelgren was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday forenoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Darin Arveson was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home on Sunday.

Monday forenoon, June Johnson and Mrs. Gene Marquis were coffee guests at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls.

Dinner guests and visitors on Sunday at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Iverson and Kyle of Hallock and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Radniecki of Oklee.

Saturday forenoon, Ernest Mostrom was a visitor at the Leonard Johnson home.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor on Monday evening at the Tim Lundeen home.

Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Melinda were visitors at the Martin Kotrba home.

Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest on Friday at the Alfred Iverson home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahlen of Wilmar stopped briefly to visit at the Vernon Iverson home. The Dahlen's spent the weekend in the area to attend Mrs. Dahlen's class reunion from Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls.

Sunday afternoon, Joanna Johnson and Carrie friend visited with Jessica at the Jean Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Stone of Hillman spent the weekend visiting at the Obert Hovet home.

Jim Johnson was a brief visitor on Saturday at his parents home the Clarence Johnson's.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Mr. and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud left on Saturday to attend a 50th birthday party for Mrs. Leroy Elg in Sauk Rapids. They returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Iverson visited and had coffee with Ione Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Thursday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahlen of Wilmar and Adeline Hanson and John Lovly.

Jessica Johnson spent Monday after school with Joanna at the Gary Johnson home.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the Eddy Stucy home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ondeck of Burnsville, Mildred Hovet of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson, Kyle and Joanna and Jeremy.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and June Johnson attended the funeral for Ernie Huot at the Green Funeral Chapel in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon, DaNae and Dana Wiseth callers at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday night at the Obert Hovet home.

Jean Johnson and Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Zachary Wallmen attended Homecoming Coronation in Goodridge on Friday afternoon. Jessica Johnson was among others that sang at the Coronation.

Friday, Mrs. Danny Johnsrud, Erica, Kelsey, Elroy and Tyler attended Homecoming Coronation in Goodridge. Tyler Johnsrud was a 1st grade attendant. Later, Mrs. Danny Johnsrud, Erica, Kelsey, Elroy and Tyler also attended the football game that night in Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gene, Arne and Melinda attended the Roast Beef dinner served a Sunday at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Monday morning, Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes was a visitor and coffee guest at the David Sjulestad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlen Iverson and Kyle of Hallock came on Saturday to visit at the Vernon Iverson home. The Harlen Iverson's were also overnight guests that night at the Vernon Iverson home.

Michelle Johnson was a guest of Sally's at the Joe Philipp home on Friday after school.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and June Johnson attended the funeral on Sunday afternoon for Ernie Huot at the Green Funeral Chapel in Thief River Falls.

Saturday night, Marlene Hanson spent the night with her grandchildren Erica, Kelsey, Elroy and Tyler at the Danny Johnsrud home.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Melinda were callers late Saturday afternoon at the Jeff Bakken home.

Jessica Johnson spent Sunday night at her grandparents home the Clarence Johnson's.

Mrs. Merle Naeseth was a brief visitor at the Clarence Johnson home on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Naeseth took her mother (Mayme Johnson) home where she was a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls that day.

Sunday night, John and Jan Cullen of Goodridge were visitors at the Eddy Stucy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited with Pete Mai at the Curling Club in Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Hanford Roisland home were Alfred Iverson and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sorenson of Thief River Falls.

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Strandquist News

F. Myrtle Vegle
436-2133

We've had a whole week of the nicest fall weather imaginable in Northwest Minnesota. That frost that came a couple of weeks ago turned the leaves to every color and the wind has begun to blow them off, and that made Roy get the leaf rakes ready. With his eye not yet healed up after surgery on it, I've convinced him to let them lay until they come down and not the usual weekly cleanup. By that time he will be able to swing one rake himself.

The Strandquist Seniors met on Thursday with 13 members and 21 guests. They played Bingo and Antoinette Kasprowicz won the blackout game. The dinner was a potluck with all serving and those ladies really know how to cook. Joyce Wikstrom brought a beautiful birthday cake for her mother Elphie Adils and we all had a wonderful party. Harriet Holte won the door prize. The guests were from Thief River Falls, Newfolden, Argyle, Karlstad and Julie Kittleson came from Seattle, WA. Because I am running short of time today I will omit the names of the guests.

Those who came to help Peter and Pearl Thompson celebrate their 60th anniversary on Sunday afternoon were John Vagle of Vemdale, Don and Marie Vagle of Ottertail, Vern and Bev Rasmusson of Buffalo Grove, IL, Glen Rasmusson of Aitkin, Roy and Myrtle Vagle, Elsie Lofroth, Walter Thompson, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Morris and Hazel Anderson, Robert Thompson, David and Phaele Thompson, Danny and Becky Johnson, Jeremy, Michelle, Jake and Mark, and Lois Freeman. We all had a great time. They had told their children who had wanted a celebration that they would rather have a 65th party but when that wont be until the year 2000 a.d. we took advantage of 1995.

Lorraine Setten, Mary Johnson, Amber and Azure, Ryan Knutson, Holly, Nolan and Doreen spent the long weekend in South Minnesota, visiting with Lorraine's daughters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They really had a ball.

Isaac and Betsy Thompson took Nelson LaDoux of Thief River Falls out to dinner for his birthday on Friday.

Morris and Hazel Anderson went to East Grand Forks on Friday to get Kristopher Anderson who is attending UND, and also visited with Jim, Cindy and Christy there.

Wednesday, Kaye Turnwall, Bud and Marie Steffen visited at Frank and Judy Kleinvechter's after Kaye, Marie and Judy had attended the funeral of Anne Holmstrom at Bethesda Lutheran church in Strandquist. Claudia Berggren, Jessie and Kali stopped in later.

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Many fans and families of the players traveled down to Hawley to cheer on the Mustangs. This week is an exciting week for the students, Homecoming Week. The Mustangs will play Lake Park, Audubon on Friday night in Plummer.

Bob and Vivian Bakke from Denver, CO and Robert Bakke of Grand Forks, ND and Fred Lundeen were dinner guests at the Shirley and Darrow Lundeen home. Bob and Vivian visited with Bob's mother, Hallie Bakke in Thief River Falls. Vivian and Bob also visited with Vivian's brother and sister of the Iron Range.

Weekend guests at the Jim and Kathy Dulka home were Don and Millie Weyenberg of Appelton, WI.

Agder . . . .

Steve and Ginny Anderson from Roseau spent Sunday and Monday at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

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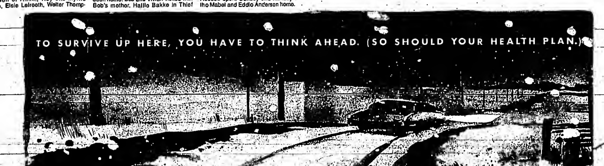

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Plummer

Effie Byer
488-4379

Visitors at the Arnie Arlt home last Sunday afternoon were Evelyn Ulrich, Lowell, Cindy and Ross Arlt and Carl Magers. Evening visitors were Kern and Alice Tillman.

Supper guests at the Lowell Arlt home last Saturday were Mark and Sharon Nelson.

Arnie and Wilma Arlt were supper guests last Saturday evening at the Rolland Sands home of Thief River Falls.

Quilting Begins

Immanuel quilters began their fall work last Tuesday the 19th, readying 24 comforters plus 3 blankets that had been brought in for Lutheran World Relief. The ladies had been doing their homework and most of the 24 were brought with tops and backs put together and only needed to be tied and finished with one seam. Nine pairs of hands and a sewing machine were kept busy with time out for morning coffee and a potluck dinner. The fall season is short and they are shipped out in early November. The ladies recess until January. Please keep in mind that we can use old drapes, used blankets, no matter how worn, new and used materials of all kinds. The LWR Fall clothing appeal will be on in November too. Donations of children's clothing, sweaters of all sizes and kinds and men's lightweight work clothing will be accepted. Charlotte Leining is busy packing layettes and can use diapers, shirts, sleepers and baby blankets. Bring these to the church at any time and thank you!

Amelia Eskeli, Fern Eskeli, Gloria Fossum and Clara Hesse visited Hillcrest Nursing Home last Thursday with a devotional service for the residents.

Visiting at the Les Arlt home of Red Lake Falls on Wednesday evening were Arnie and Wilma Arlt.

Cindy Arlt attended a workshop last week at Brainerd from Wednesday to Friday.

Wedding

George and Hazel Ottis, Sharon Iverson and Daniella Meyer drove to Centerville on Friday to attend the wedding of Tara Luxenburg, granddaughter of Hazel and George, and Brian Bakke at the home of Dean Luxenburg on Saturday. They returned home on Sunday evening.

Norman and June Varsdahl of Winger were guests of Leonard and Bernice Peterson on Saturday.

Frances Schiefert accompanied Al and Lorraine Fisher to Fargo where she spent the weekend with the Harley Schieferts. The Fishers went on to Dickenson to visit relatives. Sidney Schiefert of Bloomington also came to Fargo to visit his mother and brother's family.

Dome Games

The football team of PHS played in a series of games at the Dome in Fargo on Saturday. Sheena Greenwald was one of the fans who rode in a bus to see the games.

Sad to say, the Mustangs of Plummer/Oklee lost their game. Mike and Sandy Greenwald also went to Fargo-Moorhead and attended a basketball tournament at Concordia where daughter, Cheryl played for Jamestown College.

Wedding

Shannon Nelson, son of Bennie (Hesse) Nelson of Gatzke and grandson of Clara Hesse, was married on Saturday to Audrya Salmon at Calvary Lutheran church of St. Hilaire. Attending from this area were Clara Hesse, Florence and Charlene Tvedt, Warren and Lisa Tvedt, Linda and Eddy Olson, Randy and Julie Hesse and children.

Rick and Arlene Froiland, Shannon Froiland of Valley City and Mike Nelson of Lakota, ND; Kerry and Gail Newland of Thief River Falls were Saturday visitors of Art and Avis Froiland.

Birthdays

Frances Schiefert attended a birthday party for great grandson Zachary Osbjornson, one year-old son of LaNette and Danny Osbjornson of Glyndon on Saturday afternoon and in the evening another party was held to celebrate the birthday of grandson Danny's golden birthday. All of this was in Glyndon.

Birthday for Danica & Targie

Saturday visitors of Bunny DuChamp to honor the 2nd birthday of Danica Stanley of Bradenton, FL and the 80th birthday of great uncle Targie Nesland of Grygla were Gertie Haugen of Goodridge, Tillie and Orville Askeland, Terry Blaine and Ole Nesland of Grygla; Knute Nesland of Thief River Falls, Elaine Mellstrom and Robbie Mellstrom of Salol; Dan and Candy Stanley of Bradenton, Cathy Samuelson of Sarles, ND; Jim and Deb DuChamp, Marci and Chris; Holly Anderson was an evening visitor.

Dip Party

Gathering Saturday evening at Jim and Deb DuChamp's for the 13th Annual Dip Party were Walter and Shirley Vettleson, Debbie Vettleson, Tails and DeAndra of Trail; Dan, Candy and Danica Stanley of Bradenton, FL; Cathy Samuelson of Sarles, ND; Rod, Charlene and Sabrina Myhre of Red Lake Falls, Bobbi Borberich of Oklee, Luella DuChamp of Thief River Falls, Lorna Huotari, Bunny DuChamp, Merle and Bernice Vettleson. DeeAndra Vettlesen was an overnight guest.

Birthdays

The birthdays of Rebecca Willett, Lloyd Sorenson and Avis Marquis were celebrated on Saturday evening at the Third Base at Brooks. Besides the honored guests those in attendance were Merle Marquis, Wevell Sorenson, Marlan Sorensen, Jen and Virginia Berns, Tony and Sheila Gerardy, Lester Race of Minneapolis and Walter Ouom of Goodridge.

Bernice and Leonard Peterson were Sunday dinner guests of Milt and Jan Peterson.

Elnore Christianson visited on Sunday at the Leonard Peterson and Lorna Huotari homes.

Edna Hyde spent the weekend at son Denny's of Bad Medicine Lake. Joining her there were Stacy, Greg and Amy Beth Swanson, Mark and Tracy Asker all of Fargo, Steph and Jon Dietz of Minnetonka.

Janice Froiland and Ginger Froiland visited Sunday afternoon with grandparents Art and Avis Froiland.

Effie and Burnel Byer visited on Sunday afternoon at the Ray Vigstol home of rural Thief River Falls and also stopped at the Eldon Vigstol homestead helped harvest apples.

Birthday

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Sheila Gerardy and children attended a birthday party for Mallen Hammer, 11-year-old daughter of John and Delane Hammer of rural Thief River Falls on Sunday. The event included an afternoon of visiting and birthday supper. Also in attendance were grandparents, Arnold and Grace Hammer, Eugene and Willa Prestegaard, Kassandra Soranson, Pastor Gary Halverson, wife Ruth and family of Karlstad, Lynn, Carol, Ashley, Brea and Brittany Hammer.

Lorna Huotari, Peggy Hesse, Amelia Eskeli and Linda Mattson went to Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon to the Larry Ness home to attend a baby shower for their daughter, Lisa and infant son. The Ness family at one time owned the grocery store in Plummer and Lisa attended school there.

Marie Foster and Bill Swick of St Paul visited at the home of her parents Art and Avis Froiland on Sunday. They came north to attend a funeral at Roseau on Monday.

Dan and Candy Stanley and Danica of Bradenton, FL left on Sunday after spending some time at her mother Bunny DuChamp's home. Cathy Samuelson of Sarles, ND had spent the weekend with her mother also.

Merlin Perreault of Red Lake Falls visited on Monday at Lorena Westerlund's home.

Mike and Sandy Greenwald journeyed to Mayville on Monday evening, accompanied by Jill Brentt to see Cheryl's team play from Jamestown.

Carl and Eunice Koskela returned on Monday from a trip to Bismarck, having spent a week with their daughter Kathleen and Darrell Bråsgalla. While there they attended the Folk Fest Parade helped Kathy and Darrell celebrate their 30th Wedding Anniversary and enjoyed a visit with granddaughter Lisa over the weekend.

Apple Picking Bee

Lorone Westerlund, one of our Senior Citizens, has a lovely apple tree that has yielded generously for a number of years. A storm earlier in the summer broke off a portion of it, but the remainder of it produced enough apples to supply many households. Since she is no longer able to climb and pick the beautiful fruit she invited her neighbors to an apple picking party. On a lovely Tuesday the following came to help: Margaret and Rick Greenwald, Clara Hesse, Evelyn Tervo, Amelia Eskeli, Willie Gellant, Charlotte Laining, and Effie Byer. All enjoyed an outdoor lunch by the picnic table afterwards. The pails and boxes of bright red apples made a pretty picture and Lorona is thankful for the bountiful crop of both apples and neighbors.

Rick Greenwald of Stacy is spending a few days with his parents Howard and Margaret Greenwald.

Harold and Marian Vetthauer visited on Wednesday evening with Effie and Bunnie Byer.

Gully

Visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Brevold home on Sunday were Clifford and Luella Arveson. They also visited at the Elmer Brovold home. Harry and Nora Hanson visited with Arnold and Senna on Sunday afternoon. Carol and Luke Torgarson visited her folks on Saturday morning and had breakfast at the Gully Cafe.

Guests on Sunday at the Ken Nybo home were Hannah Nybo and Agnes Sather of Clearbrook, Richard, Cyndy and Erin Nybo, Clifford and Merle Nybo, Aspen Carlson from Northfield, and Cathy and Jeremy Bergerson.

Deloris Ringstad arrived home Monday evening after spending some time in the Cities with her family helping Kerri and Mary Ringstad move to their home in St. Paul. Then Sandra and Dave Graff to Plymouth. She then went on to Sacramento, CA to visit her brothers and daughter. Attending the wedding of her brother in Woodland, CA.

Luella and Clifford Arveson visited at the Elmer Brevolds home on Sunday and it was so much fun to have them.

Alice Thompson and Emma Nyland stopped in at Effie Handys on Thursday for a good visit.

Norma and Larry Emerson and Deloris Spencer called on Effie Sunday afternoon. Lyn Turenne spent Sunday afternoon with her mother Effie, Larry and Leslie Emerson called on Effie Friday afternoon.

Trail News

Adeline Prevost of Oklee, Rose Aakness, Frances Sunsdahl of Tower and Delores Healy of San Mateo, CA visited with Kurt Bakke at Gonvick on Sunday afternoon. They came to see his new trailer house.

Greg Homme, a freshman at Lincoln high school, has been awarded the School District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" for Route No. 2. Presenting the award was driver Dennis Pederson.

Homme receives bus student award

Greg Homme, a freshman at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls, has been presented with the School District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" by Route No. 2 bus driver Dennis Pederson and transportation supervisor Fred Mykleby.

Mykleby said Homme was selected for the honor by Pederson and that being conscientious about safety rules is only one standard for the award.

"Students like Greg play a tremendous role in supporting the driver and setting an example for the younger kids," the transportation director said. "Greg is always watching out for everyone else. He's ridden Dennis' route for 10 years, and he's always been a great rider and a great kid."

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience, Mykleby noted. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes operated in the Thief River Falls/St. Hilaire school district.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Sharon Johnson and Linda and Bud Homme visited with Ida Haugen Sunday.

David and Mishawn Shaska visited at the Bud Homme home Sunday evening.

Ardith Kloth of Thief River Falls returned to her home on Sunday afternoon. She had been spending 10 days visiting her daughter Elaine Goodman in Chicago.

Callers at the Willie Good home on Sunday were Oliver Hofstad, Randy Culkins, Robert Myrom and Richard Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good visited at the Orben Good home one day during the week.

Adeline Hanson visited at the Willie Good home on Saturday.

Lois Bursted of Thief River Falls called at the Ida Haugen home on Monday.

Robert Buratad spent Sunday at Pine Lake. He went to Winterize there trailer home there.

Roger and Lynn Wilson of Issaquah, WA visited at the Ernest Mostrom home Tuesday evening. Roger also called there on Thursday.

Jim and Mary Ann Hahn, Samuel and Gregory of Madison, WI visited at the Ernest Mostrom home on Monday.

Other visitors there during the week were Oliver Hofstad, Lester Hanson, Verner and Mildred Arveson, Mr. and Mrs. Orvilla Christianson, Willie and Jane Good, Linda Homme and Ida Haugen.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson and Clara Peterson visited at the Goodwin Wilson home near Thief River Falls on Monday. They also enjoyed dinner together at a restaurant in Thief River Falls.

Visitors at the Ida Haugen home during the week were Mrs. Al Chruszch of Angus, Lois Buratad, Sharon Johnson, Clara Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Homme and Roger and Lynn Wilson from Washington.

Jane Good visited at the Lester Hanson home on Monday.

Linda Homme and Ida Haugen called at the Robert Buratad home in Thief River Falls on Thursday. Ida stayed for a while and visited. Lois took her home.

Roger and Lynn Wilson of Issaquah, WA and Clara Peterson visited at the Gary Johnson home one day during the week.

Ida Haugen enjoyed telephone calls on Friday evening from her son Orrin Haugen of Hibbing, her daughter Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA and from Willis and Jane Good of Trail and from Mildred Norhus of Goodridge.

Company at the Clara Peterson home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Bjerklie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bjerklie and family, Orben Good, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie and family.

Sharron Johnson, Bud and Linda Homme visited at the Ida Haugen home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mostrom, Ida Haugen, Clara Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilson were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie Sunday evening. The evening was spent visiting and talking about old times. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will leave for their home at Seattle, WA after spending 10 days visiting relatives in the area. They had not been to Minnesota for 25 years.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Sunday dinner guests at the Melvin Grandstrand home were Rusell and Judy Grandstrand from Strandquist, John and Stacy Berberich, Stephanie, Brittney and Ben from Brooks, Dean and Patty, Connor and Chelsea Grandstrand from Viking.

Melvin and Irene Grandstrand attended the funeral of Bethesda Lutheran church for Anna Holmstrom of Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls on Wednesday morning.

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad boarded a United Express Commuter plane from Grand Forks to Denver, CO where their daughter Peggy Ann and Dan Hogberg met them and also brother, Orville and Marion Sustad who took them to the Hogborg home in Thornton where they were houseguests and spent a few enjoyable days with both families. On Saturday evening, Hegbergs and Ruth and LeRoy were guests at the home of Kevin and Lynn Sustad in Westminster. Also present were nephew Merk and April and brother Orville and Marion Sustad of Arvada, CO. Sunday the Susteds and Hogbergs attended Arvada Covenant church after which they were dinner guests of Orville and Marion and enjoyed a great afternoon of visiting and fellowship. The seven second cousins entertained themselves roller-blading. Monday morning Corey was off to school for the day. Dan, Peggy Ann and her parents were off sightseeing in the Rocky Mountains visiting Estes Park and many other steps. Never saw a bear and saw a herd of Elk grazing in Rocky Mountain National Park. The weather was favorable, a few rain drops, no snow accumulation but only occasionally some in ravines was sighted. They had a noon picnic lunch before heading back completing their 200 mile drive. That evening LeRoy and Ruth Sustad hosted a dinner at "Boston Market" to celebrate Dan and Peggy Ann's 23rd Wedding Anniversary. On Tuesday afternoon a shopping spree and then they met at Orville and Marions and dined at Fuer's Restaurant and bid farewell. Wednesday the Sustad's scheduled to leave for home but due to fog and rain at take off they finally left. They arrived safely in Bismarck. There again delayed because of incoming freights from Minneapolis also experienced bad weather. The weather in Bismarck was fine so they continued on home by way of Fargo to Grand Forks. United Express was a interesting logo. "Thank you for flying the friendly Skys."

Jack and Dolly McGlenn from Warren visited at Liz Swensens on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrence Connors of Teulon, IL and Mrs. Larina Andersen of Grand Forks visited with Mrs. Ethel Andersen on Monday afternoon.

LeRoy and Ruth Sustad stopped to visit Alma Dretts at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and also stopped at Liz Swensons on their way out of town on Tuesday morning.

Brad Grandstrand and Dan Johnston of Aneka visited at the Melvin Grandstrand home over the weekend. They were up making preparations for deer hunting later on.

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Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: MEA-No School!

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: 1-Pita taco/fixings, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: 1-Breaded pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable choice, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: 1-Italian chicken pattie with special sauce, potato rounds, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: MEA-No School!

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: MEA-No School.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: 1-Pita taco/fixings, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: 1-Breaded pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable and fruit choice, roll. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: 1-Hamburger on bun, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: MEA-No School.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: MEA No School.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, bread, fresh fruit.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Breaded pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes, gravy, dinner roll, fresh fruit.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Chicken nuggets, oven fries, bread, peaches.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: MEA-No School.

• Menu subject to change.

• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50, 2 cartons per day is $9.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Scrambled eggs, sausage, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Wednesday-Friday, Oct. 18-20: No school.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: Chicken nuggets, sauce, oven fries, corn, chocolate pudding, bread, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Ham slices, scalloped potatoes, veggies, cookie, bread, milk.

Wednesday-Friday, Oct. 18-20: No School.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Toast, Captain crunch, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Pancakes, sausages, apple sauce, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Cinnamon roll, Corn Flakes, juice, milk.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: No school-MEA.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: Submarine sandwich, lettuce, tatar tots, fresh fruit, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Cheeseburgers, pickles, whole kernel corn, chocolate pudding, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Chicken pattie on a bun, peas and carrots, chips, fruit salad, bread and milk.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: No School-MEA.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Ham and egg Mcbiscuit, granola mix, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Carmel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20: No School-MEA.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: Banquet chicken, tossed salad, peaches, plain and peanut butter bread, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Burritos with lettuce and cheese, pears, plain and peanut butter bread, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Turkey gravy over mashed potatoes, vegetable sticks, whipped jello, plain and peanut butter bread.

Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20. No school-MEA.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday evening, Oct. 16: Barbecued ribs, baked potato, California mix, roll, dessert, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Hamburger on a bun, potato salad, baked beans, pickle, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Vegetable beef soup, egg salad sandwich, jello salad, applesauce bar, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 19: Ham, potato dumplings, green beans, roll, peaches, milk.

Friday, Oct. 20: Fish sticks, parslied potatoes, California mix, roll, cake, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Oct. 16: Baked chicken with orange sauce, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, cherry cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, cut green beans, tossed salad with Italian dressing, carrot cake, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Roast beef Au Jus, oven browned potatoes, sliced parslied carrots, chocolate pudding, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Oct. 19: Ham loaf, Au Gratin potatoes, broccoli cuts, apple crisp, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Oct. 20: Oven crisp chicken, whipped potatoes with gravy, baby whole carrots, marinated vegetable salad, peach sauce, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Newfolden

Monday, Oct. 16: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetables, dinner roll & margarine, dessert and milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Salisbury steak, baked potato, green beans, gingerbread with topping, bread and margarine, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Cook's choice.

Thursday, Oct. 19: Steamed brats, seasoned fries, sauerkraut, apple ring, bread and margarine, dessert and milk.

Friday evening, Oct. 20: Pork chops, scalloped potatoes, vegetable, cranberry muffin, sherbet, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Discovery Place LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, Oct. 16: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Milk, apple juice, Rice Krispies, toast.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Milk, applesauce, Cream of Wheat, cinnamon toast.

Thursday, Oct. 19: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

Friday, Oct. 20: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Oct. 16: Bean soup with ham, crackers, cheese sandwich, apple crisp, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 17: Homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans with mushroom soup, bread and butter, peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 18: Macaroni hamburger hotdish, coleslaw salad, cherry jello with mixed fruit, milk.

Thursday, Oct. 19: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, baked beans, pickles, pear halves, milk.

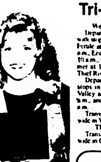
Friday, Oct. 20: Creamed chicken over biscuit, green beans, applesauce, milk.

Gospel concert at Assembly of God

The Assembly of God Church in Roseau will be hosting another southern gospel music concert on Friday, October 13, beginning at 7:30 p.m. The award-winning group, The Nelons, from Atlanta, GA, will be presenting the concert.

The Nelons have been nominated for several Grammy Awards and have been recipients of many others, including five Gospel Music Association Dove Awards. They recently won a bronze medal at the International Film Festival in New York. The Nelons have had 30 top 10 songs, and numerous number one hits. They appear on numerous television programs and have made numerous recordings.

There is no admission charge. A free-will offering will be received. The public is invited to attend.



Kristin Buckley, music teacher for grades kindergarten through grade 12 in Goodridge, received a special plaque in appreciation for efforts. The award was presented to her by the Parents, Teachers, Students Together (PTST) organization in Goodridge. It commended Buckley for her outstanding accomplishments in the Goodridge music department.

Brian Walseth, 14-year-old son of Welly and Mary Walseth of Thief River Falls, caught this Northern Pike this summer on the Red Lake River within the city limits of Thief River Falls. It weighed around 13 pounds and was about 37 inches long.

TRF Dairy Queen receives award

Dairy Queen store on Highway 32 in Thief River Falls has earned the Dairy Queen Golden Cone and Silver Brazier Full awards for the fiscal year 1994.

"We are proud of the hard work and dedication of the owners, managers and staff at the Thief River Falls Dairy Queen store," says Watson. "Their desire to make the store a top performer is a credit to them. Recognizing them with these awards is a way of saying 'thank you' for making the Dairy queen system a leader in the fast-food industry."

The DQ Soft Serve awards include the Golden Cone award, given to stores reaching a 1,000 gallon soft-serve increase over the previous year, and the Silver Cone award given to stores reaching a 500 gallon increase.

The Silver Brazier award is given to stores reaching a 15 per cent increase in the amount of hamburger patties sold.

SHOP LOCALLY

Tri-Valley bus schedule for October 9-13

Wednesday, October 11

Departs Crookston at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Beltrami at 8:30 a.m., Fertile at 8:45 a.m., Winger at 9:10 a.m., Erskine at 9:35 a.m., Brooks at 10 a.m., Oklee at 10:15 a.m., Plummer at 10:30 a.m., and arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Gary at 8:50 a.m., Twin Valley at 9:05 a.m., Flom at 9:30 a.m., and arrives in Fargo at 10:45 a.m.

Transportation is available citywide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thursday, October 12

Transportation is available citywide in Crookston, and in Twin Valley from 8:30 to 11 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden at 8:15 a.m. and Holt at 8:40 a.m. It arrives in Thief River Falls at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, October 13

Departs Gully at 9:15 a.m. with stops in Trail at 9:25 a.m., Oklee at 9:50 a.m., Plummer at 10:15 a.m., Red Lake Falls at 10:45 a.m. and arrives in Thief River Falls at 11:35 a.m.

Transportation is available in Ada from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Departs Strandquist at 9 a.m. and stops in Viking at 9:45 a.m., and arrives in Warren at 10 a.m.

City-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services are available in Thief River Falls Monday through Friday by calling 681-4760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

Danae Dekkers on Dordt concert choir

Danae Dekkers, a sophomore at Dordt College, has been selected as a member of the Dordt College Concert Choir for the 1995-96 school year. Dekkers is the daughter of Willard Dekkers and Beverly Dekkers of Thief River Falls.

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The Times' Editorial Opinion

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Power Of The Press— Power To The People

This is National Newspaper Week, a chance for those of us who earn our living by working on newspapers try to justify our existence and legitimize our livelihood. Some have a tendency to get a little carried away in that effort, trying to make "The Press" out to be a whole lot more than it really is. We don't buy in to all of that self-aggrandizing.

At one time The Press exclusively meant newspapers and the term reflected the equipment on which newspapers are printed. With the advent of radio and the more recent development of television, both of which broadcast "news," the term "The Press" has been expanded to include members of those media.

But this isn't National Press Week. It is National Newspaper Week, and that makes it exclusive to the print medium. And we believe it should cause us—even those of us in community journalism—to reflect a bit on where and how and why we fit into the public's lives.

Last Thursday afternoon we were given an opportunity by KTRF Radio and its "Coffeetime" hostess Key Tecters Asp to tape a program on the topic of National Newspaper Week. During the course of that taping, the term "Power of the Press" was introduced into the conversation. It was mentioned more or less in passing, but since that interview the term has been playing-pinball with our mental processes.

Why should there be any "power" in the press? If there is power, how is it obtained? And if it is obtainable, how can it be used?

We never really considered that this newspaper had any "power." For those of us who work on it from issue to issue it seems more likely to be an energy drain. Each deadline met is more a result of exhaustion than a cause for elation.

But as we are compelled to think about it, there is power in the press. It lies in the ability to present information to numbers of people who can use that information to take action. The action can be as minor as attending an advertised auction sale or as major as going to the polls to cast an informed vote on an issue or for a candidate.

We don't give much credence to using the "Power of the Press" to mold or form public opinion. Reporters of the news should not attempt to be social sculptors. We frequently feel that admonition is lost on the television networks and their commentators—those talking heads which adopt an agenda and build their coverage around it.

Our job is to report the news as clearly and completely and as fairly as possible with as little interpretation and opinion as we can. How well we do that depends on our self restraint as much as our abilities, but objectivity must be a never ending goal.

Should people therefore always be able to believe everything they read in the newspaper? Would that it were so! Truth should be paramount in reporting and deliberately printing lies or misinformation should be considered professionally criminal. But not all that appears in the newspaper is the original product of the writer, and all writers are the products of cultures which create personal biases. From a practical standpoint, true objectivity as a goal—though laudable—is seldom achieved.

Power of the press? Yes, it does exist, but it is only the power to provide information, to increase knowledge, to stimulate thinking. Through this information gathering and reporting, the press brings power to the people.

You can share in that power by being a newspaper reader. If you are reading this editorial, you are well on your way.

This year's National Newspaper Week theme is "Shape Your Future: Read Newspapers." And when you stop to think about it, that is where the power lies.

Words For The Wise From Father Val Peter

In the foregoing editorial we discussed the power of the press to inform. A good example is the following opinion piece by Father Val Peter, executive director of Boys Town:

For decades, American parents have been wondering why many kids of average or better intelligence lose interest in school and give up trying.

Of course, there are obvious reasons of trauma in the family: sickness or death or divorce or abuse or abandonment. But what about them? Columbia University's Carol Dweck believes her research has some answers.

She has found that most children begin with what she calls "an incremental view of intelligence"—they think that you get smarter by trying hard and learning things. But, says Professor Dweck, by the time the kids are in the third or fourth grade some of them start believing "an entity theory." They start believing that each person is born with a certain fixed amount of intelligence or ability and there is not much you can do about it.

So what happens is when kids accept that view, have been doing well in school, and now encounter a tough mathematics course or a difficult physics course, they find their task very hard and they start thinking they are hitting the ceiling of their ability.

This seems to occur quite frequently around the seventh grade. Perhaps that's why it's called "the seventh-grade slump."

It's also interesting to note that bright girls are twice as likely as bright boys to believe that you only have a certain amount of native intelligence and when you hit the ceiling there's nothing you can do about it.

That's a self-fulfilling prophecy.

What does all of this mean? It means we need to help our kids understand that hard work pays off.

What's the best way to encourage school children to adopt the view that any of us can get smarter by learning things and trying hard? By taking on difficult tasks ourselves as adults, trying hard and succeeding. If we plunge into difficult tasks with gusto, our children and grandchildren are almost sure to notice.

Pass on this bit of ancient wisdom which you learned in grade school: "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

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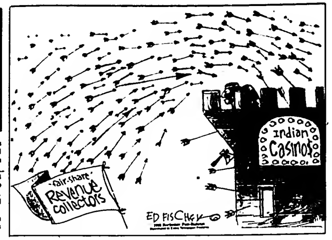

Northern Watch contained insert with results of health care survey

Editor's Note: Included in the October 7 issue of the *Northern Watch* was a 16-page broadsheet insert which detailed results of a statewide survey of Minnesota health care consumers. The survey was conducted by the Minnesota Health Data Institute, created by the Minnesota Legislature. Following is information relative to that publication.

Health care decisions just got a little easier for Minnesotans, thanks to a consumer survey released by the Minnesota Health Data Institute.

"Our goal is to provide consumers with helpful information for making choices among health care plans," said Dale Shaller, the Health Data Institute's executive director. "We also believe this kind of comparison survey will be useful for those health plans looking to improve the quality of care they provide their members."

The Health Data Institute, a public-private partnership created to collect, analyze and distribute information that helps consumers make informed choices about their health care, surveyed more than 17,500 Minnesotans about their experiences with 46 different public and private health care plans. The survey was conducted from April to June of 1995.

"We're the first state in the nation to produce a standardized comparison of health plans," said Shaller. "When we give consumers information like this, it helps health plans improve the overall quality of health care in Minnesota. This is constructive information for everyone involved."

Employers who make health care decisions for their employees agree that the survey provides useful information.

"I have worked with the Health Data Institute for more than a year as the survey was being produced," said L. Joe Thompson, chair of the Institute's board of directors, and director of benefits for 3M. "This kind of comparison information will be very helpful to future health care purchasing decisions by our company and others."

The survey, entitled "You and Your Health Plan — 1995 Statewide Survey of Minnesota Consumers," compares health plans grouped according to similarities in benefit design and enrollment characteristics. Indemnity insurance plans, or fee-for-service plans, are compared with each other, as are point-of-service health plans, or plans that will pay a portion of fees for providers outside their designated network, and "network only" HMOs, or plans limiting coverage to a designated network of providers.

The Health Data Institute also surveyed members of public health plans, including Medicare, Medicaid, General Assistance Medical Care, Minnesota Comprehensive Health Association, and MinnesotaCare.

"This survey of consumers is the first in a series of performance measurement projects we are planning to publish — all with the goal of giving Minnesotans useful information about their health care choices," said Shaller.

The Minnesota Health Data Institute was created in 1993 by the Minnesota Legislature with the overall goal of improving the quality and lowering the cost of health care services available to Minnesotans. In addition to its performance measurement work, the Health Data Institute is implementing a statewide electronic communications network and training program to improve the efficiency of health care data exchange throughout the industry.

Violence Intervention Project issues statement on violence

That the O.J. Simpson trial was of national interest is a given, but it's impact is just beginning to be measured. Following the acquittal, Violence Intervention Project, through Desiree' Varner, director, Thief River Falls, released the following statement:

"This was not a verdict on domestic violence. O.J. Simpson's acquittal does not change the tragic fact that domestic violence is an epidemic in this country, and that domestic homicide occurs every day. Nicole Brown and Ronald Goldman were brutally slain and their murderer - whoever it may be - remains free.

"It would be devastating if any battered women conclude from this acquittal that there is not help for them and no justice for their batterers. Here in Northwest Minnesota, there are a number of community advocacy programs. Violence Intervention Project has offices in Hallock, Roseau, Thief River Falls, Crookston and Ada. A domestic violence advocate can be reached by calling our toll-free 24-hour crisis and support line at 1-800-660-6667. There is another community advocacy program serving Hispanic battered women in Crookston. Advocates there are bi-lingual, and you can obtain services by calling (218) 281-3552. We have helped thousands of women protect themselves and escape from domestic violence.

"Even though O.J. Simpson was acquitted of murder, it is indisputable that he was a batterer who was not held fully accountable for his use of violence and threats early on - by a judge who allowed counseling by phone, by police who applied a double standard, and by employers like Hertz and NBC who ignored an arrest for a violent crime. That is where the system failed Nicole Brown. We must do much more to educate police, prosecutors, judges, employers and the public to better understand and respond to abuse.

"This trial also shined a light on the racism that exists — and must be eradicated — in this nation. We unconditionally condemn racism among police officers and elsewhere in society. No one is well-served by renegade and racist law enforcement officers who violate the law.

"The coverage of this trial may have conveyed misinformation. FACTS: Women who are abused are much more likely to be killed by a current or former mate than women who are not abused. Battered women's lives are at risk. A batterers' "loving" relationship with his children is not inconsistent with abuse or with domestic homicide. There is absolutely no correlation between race and abuse; domestic violence is an epidemic that know no race, class or other demographic bounds.

"Domestic violence is a costly and devastating problem in our society. As individuals and as a community, we all have to take responsibility for preventing abuse. Police, prosecutors, doctors, teachers, employers, business and religious leaders have to do more to address this epidemic. And we all have to hold batterers accountable from the first sign of abuse and support domestic violence victims when they reach out for help."

Transferring farm assets is topic of workshops in area

Six workshops on transferring land and business to the next generation will be held from October 16 through 18 at Baudette, Badger, Warren, Hallock, Grygla and St. Hilaire under sponsorship of the Northern Lites Cluster of the Minnesota Extension Service.

Presenters will be Norm Hayes, Roseau CPA; Conrad Dahl, Hallock CPA, and Sheldon Erickson, Roseau county assistant ag educator. Schedule of workshops is as follows:

Monday, October 16—9:30 a.m. at the federal building in Baudette and 1:30 p.m. at the city hall in Badger;

Tuesday, October 17—10 a.m. at First American Bank in Warren and 1:30 p.m. in the upstairs meeting room of the Kittson county courthouse in Hallock;

Wednesday, October 18—10 a.m. at the Steak Knife cafe in Grygla and 1:30 p.m. at the St. Hilaire Co-op Elevator meeting room in St. Hilaire.

"Transferring the land and business to the next generation is of utmost importance to most farm family enterprises," Sheldon Erickson said. "Estate planning is a process to satisfy multiple goals, as you may want to provide one or more of your survivors with income security, you may wish to provide maximum opportunity to a child to continue operating the family business, you may want to treat your children equitably (but not necessarily equally), or you may want one child to have specific items of your real or personal property upon your death.

"However," he added, "no two people are likely to attach the same weight to their goals, so estate planning is a highly individualized process. Determining these goals before you seek 'professional' advice will make your time working with someone much more productive."

For more information, contact Erickson at 1-800-450-1052 or Howard Person at the Pennington county extension office, 218-681-2116.

SHOP LOCALLY

Gully Community News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Company at Irene Carlson this past week have been Peggy Mathews of Bemidji, Gladys Haugen of Duluth, Bill and Janna Parratt of Minneapolis, Glenn and Varna Hauga of Minneapolis, Audrey Bargerson of Thief River Falls, Lola Tinnasand of Grand Rapids. They were her for the "Gully Appreciation Day" and also the wedding of Travis Carlson and Tracy Disrud.

Visitors at Elmer and Mary Berg the past week are Roy Klappe of Clearbrook and Clara Holm also from Clearbrook and Thursday afternoon Gladys Stolan from Clearbrook.

Junior Jacobson stopped in and visited Floyd and Florence Berg. So good to see an old friend.

Ed Haugen is a patient at Dakota Hospital in Fargo. He is recovering from surgery.

Larry Emerson, Mike Emerson, Elliot and Loren and Effie Handy visited Leslie Emerson at the Bagley Hospital on Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Emerson from Wolverton spent Wednesday to Friday at Effies. Larry and Norma Emerson, Mike Emerson, Loren and Elliot, Lyn Turenne and Marion Handy were Friday callers there.

Margaret and Floyd Lindberg of Buffalo visited at Wendt and Cathie Songers home on Sunday evening.

Alma Solvin stayed with her sister Mildred Solvin from Saturday to Sunday. Maxine Paulson of Bemidji visited there on Sunday and took Aunt Alma back to Fosston. She stayed with Deloris Ringsted Saturday night. Deloris, Maxine and Mildred Solvin visited Alma at Fosston than took her along to Gully and attended the celebration especially the bake sale and visiting folks.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Now is the time to prepare for winter and get the wood and coal in.

—F. H. Kratka is anxious to secure a county license to build a dam to sluice logs.

—The literary society of the high school will furnish rhetorical exercises on Friday afternoon.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—W. M. Bullock, well-known hunter of this city, was arrested by game wardens while returning from his hunting camp at Mud lake with 130 ducks in his possession. Legal limit this year is 25 ducks per day and 50 in possession.

—Work on the Great Northern extension to Roseau is proceeding at a slow pace. Grading has reached a point only four miles from Greenbush.

—Charles C. Jackson, pioneer businessman of this city, announced that he will not be a candidate for mayor this year.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—D. P. O'Neill presided at a meeting called to organize a Red Lake drainage and conservancy district. Congressman Halvor Steenerson of Crookston was a speaker.

—The News-Press of this city published a 40-page historical edition.

—Traffic has been unusually heavy on both the Soo and Great Northern during the past week, the increase being due to the returning harvest hands.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Installation of a new water supply system is being completed at Oakland Park sanatorium.

—O. D. Ostby entertained 75 members of the UCT at a turkey dinner in the Evelyn hotel, the occasion being his 50th birthday.

—Mrs. R. Arnold was elected president of the local Woman's club.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—City council voted a tax levy of $34,400 for 1936.

—City voters, by a 4-to-1 margin, approved a $15,000 bond issue to qualify for a federal grant for erection of a winter indoor arena.

—F. C. Meyer returned from Albert Lea to take charge of the poultry department of the Bridgeman creameries.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Local school board rejected the offer of Zion Lutheran church to purchase the west half of the Central school grounds.

—Sigward Quam is manager of the newly opened Thief River Jobbing company.

—Petitions were filed requesting annexation to the city of the area north as far as Eleventh street and from Knight avenue to Arnold avenue.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Speedy Ross and the Rhythm Ranch Boys, KXJB stars, will provide two free shows at the Fall Roundup to be held here this week.

—Nearly 300 Odd Fellows are attending the state convention in this city, presided over by Grand Patriarch Conrad Raps.

—Dr. O. D. Beich was nominated by the local Jaycee chapter for selection as one of the ten outstanding young men in the United States.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Excavation has begun on the site of the new Thief River Falls public library at the corner of First street and Main avenue, formerly the location of the Sande Auto and Implement company.

—John LaBonte was appointed acting principal for Franklin junior high school, succeeding Frank Hamerlinck, who has been named administrative assistant for the local school.

—Neil McEwen of Hallock has joined Curtis L. Charlson in his law practice in Thief River Falls.

—Paul Stelmaschuck, Pennington county agricultural agent for the past ten years, resigned his position.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Nearly $17,000 was the total amount of pledges recorded to date at the United Way board meeting this week, according to Jack LaSalle, business drive chairman.

—The city council is considering development of a program to provide snow shoveling services for elderly and handicapped residents.

—Approximately 300 people attended the 50th anniversary celebration for St. Bernard's Catholic school in Thief River Falls.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Jonie Jaslin has given several presentations in Thief River Falls this week on coping with stress.

—The Top Hat revue will hold a meet-the-director party Tuesday night at the Best Western Inn.

—Women of the Year for the Thief River Falls Business and Professional Women's club is Marilyn Winter.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

A belated birthday party was held on Thursday night for Andrea on her 12th birthday at the Gene Marquis home. Her guests were Katie Jo Johnson, Alisha Downs, Michelle Eidelbes, Rozlyn Haugan, Kelsey Wilkens, Kelsey Johnsrud and Melinda Kotrba. A supper was served with a decorated birthday cake. Andrea also received alot of gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Andrea!

Raymond Polm of Roseau Nursing Home called and visited by phone with Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Monday night.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls.

Jeremy Johnson was a visitor and had coffee with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen enjoyed supper with her mother Shirley Johnsrud on Friday.

Thursday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Gene Marquis home were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henson of Trail, Dick Marquis of Oklee and Doreen Aakre.

Saturday morning, Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Melinda were visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Adams home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited at the Jean Johnson home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lind of Litchfield called and visited by phone with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud on Monday night.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson attended the funeral for Ernie Huot at the Green funeral home in Thief River Falls. Ernie was laid to rest in the Rosebud Cemetery in Thorhult. Our sympathy to the Huot family. May his memory be blessed. Then after the funeral a big lunch was served to everyone at the Billy Wikert home of Thorhult.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited with Ron Fulton and Jesse of Roseau and Benita Fulton at Bonita's apartment in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon Jean Johnson, Michelle and Monica were visitors and lunch guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Carrie Irland, Joanna Johnson and Jessica Johnson were brief visitors on Sunday afternoon at the Clarence Johnson home.

Monday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Hanford Rolslend home were Stanley Erickson and Ethel Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Solberg were visitors on Saturday night at the Bruce Solberg home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson and Leslie attended the roast beef dinner served at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Steven Weber and Shirley Johnsrud were visitors and supper guests on Saturday night at the Tim Lundeen home.

Jean Johnson and Jessica were visitors at the Merle Naeseth home on Friday night. They also visited with JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachery of Motley who were spending the weekend at the Merle Naeseth home.

Sunday afternoon, Derwin Eidelbes and Dene Clos of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests at the David Sjulestad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Haugen of Oklee were visitors and lunch guests on Sunday afternoon at the Vernon Iverson home.

Bob Johnson of Baxter and Jennene Stengren of Brainerd came on Sunday morning to attend the funeral for Ernie Huot. Bob and Jennine were also dinner guests at the Leonard Johnson home that day.

Steven Weber was an overnight guest on Friday night at the Tim Lundeen home.

A very large crowd attended the roast beef dinner served on Sunday, October 1st at St. Ann's Catholic church in Goodridge.

Monday evening, Tim Lundeen visited at the Jim Meyer home in Minneapolis.

Friday after school, Monica Johnson was a guest of Mary's at the Donnie Jensen home.

Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Melinda were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday afternoon at the Laura Nyland home.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota October 11, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: October 18, 1945

An announcement will be made about a change of quarters for the local war price and rationing board, which had previously been located in the Hartz building. To what new location did this office move?

Advanced question(s): In making this move, whom did the war and rationing board displace and where did the former tenants move their activities?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library in the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Candy and Tobacco Distributors Will Locate Branch Here

"Quarters have been leased in the Coca Cola building on Main avenue for the establishment of a jobbing business which will distribute candy and tobacco throughout northwestern Minnesota. Albert Rotta of Perham, head of the new organization now operates several wholesale houses of this kind, they being Young's Jobbing House of Perham, the Fountain Supply of Wadena and the Bemidji Candy Company of Bemidji. The name of the new business to be established here has not been selected. [The name of this business which is still active in this community will be announced on Dec. 6, 1945 in the newspaper.]

"Sigward Quam, now with the Bemidji Candy Company, will manage the Thief River Falls firm. Several trucks operating out of here will provide wagon service for dealers in this part of the state."

Yeggs Who Cracked Wards Safe Had Better Luck At Crookston

"Yeggs who cracked the safe at the Montgomery Ward store here last week apparently are still in business. At any rate officials credit the same safecrackers with a job that was performed at the Elks club in Crookston Tuesday morning of this week and which netted them $900. An additional $400 was obtained from six slot machines."

Full Time Man To Teach Flying At Municipal Port

"Announcement is made this week by Falls Flying Service, a local company that a full time instructor to teach flying at the municipal airport has been secured. Les Ihle, manager of the company, also states that delivery of a new Ercoupe, recently purchased, is expected in November and that a plane rental or charter service is now available. The company also expects to acquire a four-passenger ship in the near future which will be used especially for charter service. Gordon Camp of Macedon Center, New York, is now putting in full time at the port as an instructor. He served as an army air corps primary instructor and since then has been doing commercial flying."

Farm Bureau To Offer Movies In County

"Frank Hardisty, president of the Pennington Form Bureau, announced that the services of W. A. Dickinson, safety director of the Minnesota Form Bureau Federation have been secured to hold a series of free motion sound pictures in Pennington county. Each show includes a talk by Mr. Dickinson, who is a fluent speaker and has a reputation of holding the closest attention of his audiences in his dramatic presentation of the highway and farm accident situation and some things that may be done about it."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Fred MacMurray
Joan Leslie
"Where Do We Go From Here"
Falls Theatre

Size of Packages to Norway is Changed

"Dimensions of parcel post packages to Norway have been changed, Postmaster Andrew Anderson states. A total of 72 inches combined length and girth is now allowed, the greatest length being 42 inches. The weight limit is 11 pounds."

Urges Immediate Christmas Mailing

"The deadline for mailing Christmas packages to servicemen overseas is Monday, October 15. Postmaster Andrew Anderson urges that packages be mailed immediately so as to avoid the usual last minute rush."

Topics of The Times
Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Holen, former Times Editor

—The farmers are dilatory about climbing the 30 percent pay boost bandwagon.

—Simile: As scarce as lineups at the cigaret counters these days.

—We don't know, says Billy Noonan, whether the miners will dig for coal this winter, but the public will.

—It might be just as well for the national economy if President Truman was less skillful as a pianist and more adept at creating a symphony of labor and management.

—Remember way back when you could walk into a Twin City hotel and get a room without having made a reservation a month in advance.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota October 9, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

A Request

"The general passenger department of the Great Northern railway is gathering all the crop statistics it can procure for use in the publications and respectfully requests farmers to send in any item of interest on the subject. If the reader of this has raised a big pumpkin or melon, a mammoth squash or turnip or had an unusual yield of wheat, oats, flax, corn, barley, potatoes, onions, beans or any of the produce of the garden, orchard or vineyard, just send the facts to this office and we will see that they are placed in the proper hands. Such items are of real interest and the Great Northern will publish the reports and so will give this paper and the owner full credit. If you have had more than ordinary success with livestock, too, please give us the particulars. We all learn by experience and observation, and the printing of information of this sort can not help but be of service to the public."

Ardis Hanson (right) of Karlstad is the 1995 recipient of the Norman P. Peterson Nursing Scholarship. She is enrolled in the RN program at Northland Community and Technical College. Judy Dimich (left), executive director of the Thief River Falls Education Foundation, congratulates Hanson. This is the second year that this particular scholarship has been awarded. The Thief River Falls Education Foundation is a non-profit foundation which strives to maintain the excellence in our local schools by funding grants within the school district and administering local scholarships endowed by local groups or in memory of individuals. For more information, contact Judy Dimich, executive director, at 681-8711.

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Minnesota Newspaper Association

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UTILITY TRAILER made from small pickup, $125.00, 681-5134 or 681-4716 ask for Gene. P482p

FOR SALE- New outdoor woodstove, large heat exchanger, approximately 350 gal. water capacity, 4' firebox, $1,350.00/o.b.o., 449-3491 after 5 p.m. P484p

BUY YOUR battery factory fresh We carry over 1000 batteries in stock. For all your battery needs, stop at Altra Power Battery Company, Hwy. 1 & 59 West, 681-8425, Thief River Falls 62tfc

Rummage Sales

THREE-PARTY GARAGE sale- Sat., 10/14, 507 N. Knight, 9 to 3. Clothes, household items, collectibles, misc. items. 1t81p

CRAFT SALE- Over 400 doilies, mittens, etc. Christmas things, some misc. 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Oct. 13 and 14, 401 N. Arnold. 1t81p

GROUP GARAGE sale- 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Thursday and Friday, Oct. 12 and 13, 1103 Riverdale Drive. Lots of household miscellaneous, blankets, sheets, electric blanket, new sweatshirts, good winter jackets and sweaters, pumpkins, Avon products. 1t81e

RUMMAGE SALE- Children and adults clothing, stereo, waterbed, typewriter, misc. 1008 Oakland Park Road, Fri. & Sat., 10/13-14, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. 2t82p

GROUP SALE- Good winter clothing, books, trinkets, miscellaneous. Coffee, cookies, heated garage Sat., (10/14), 8-5. One block north of Discovery Place, 501 South Horace. 1t81p

GROUP GARAGE Sale- Wed., Thurs., 120 S. Kendall. Tools, good clean clothing, work bench, miscellaneous 1t81p

Household Goods

FOR SALE- One sofa (beige tones) in very good condition. If interested call 218-681-6448 evenings. P482p

IMPRESSIVE, QUALITY, Fruitwood Queen Anne dining room set. Hutch 60x79h, table with leaves and pad, 6 padded chairs (which cost $260.00 each) all for $1,500.00 call and leave message at 218 681-6812 1t81p

FOR SALE- Queen size Softside waterbed, good condition, 681-4208 P481p

Help Wanted

WANTED- Dance instructor to teach community education dance classes at the Tri-County School at Karlstad, Minnesota. If you are interested, please call Denise at the Tri County School, 436 2261 or send letter of application to Tri County School, PO Box 178, Karlstad, MN 56732. 2t81c

HELP WANTED- LPN's to do patient care Part time $5.74 hours per two week pay period. Every other weekend. Combination of shifts available. Oakland Park Nursing Home. TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 1t81c

HELP WANTED- Part time Deli Cook, 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, Clerk, 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. pick up application at Petro Pumper 87tfc

HELP WANTED- for 2 p.m.-10 p.m. and 10 p.m.-6 a.m. shifts. Also needed, Assistant Manager. Apply at 7-11 or call 701 282 2696 8t83c

HELP WANTED- Cleaning person, part-time or full time evenings, 681-2316 80tfc

WANTED- Salesman for small local custom sportswear and graphic design company, call Bryce, 218-222-3831 80tfc

FULL-TIME POSITIONS available, Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions available for full time employment, rotating shifts. Eligible applicants need to be on the nursing assistant registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the nursing assistant registry. Benefit package available. If interested apply at: Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 74tfc

WILDLIFE/GONSERVATION JOBS- Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info. call (219) 794-0010 ext. 0011, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days 6t84p

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PART-TIME DELIVERY/WAREHOUSE position at UBC, ideal position for student 16 years of age or older. Apply at United Building Centers in TRF. 4t83c

CERTIFIED NURSING assistants are needed to work in local care center. Contact the director of nurses at 218-436-2161 for more information. Certification classes are now available in Karlstad. 4t82c

LOCAL BEEKEEPER has immediate positions available, 2 full-time positions and 2 part-time positions, call for details, 681-2538. P4t81p

JANITORIAL in TRF 15 hours every two weeks, every shift, $6.00 per hour, 1-800-670-1967. P4t84p

HELP WANTED- Certified Nursing Assistants. Part-time 55-74 hours per two week pay period. Combination of shifts available. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 1t81c

HELP WANTED- Early morning production worker and wrapper. Contact Corlise at Gary's Rainbow Bakery, 681-1222 mornings. 2t81c

HANSON'S BOARDING HOME is taking applications for a Resident Aid position. Applicant must be 16 years or older. For more information, call 681-4527. 77tfc

Help Wanted

WANTED WELDERS- Full-time positions with OT, holiday pay, vacation and insurance. Call for interview 6:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. 218 772 1300 4t87c

MCINTOSH MANOR Nursing Home now hiring full time or part-time LPN's, flexible days and shifts available. Competitive wages and paid time off. Contact Lynae Fineseth at 563-2715 E.O.E. 4t84c

PART-TIME COOK- Apply in person, Dee's Kitchen, 611 N. Atlantic, TRF 71tfc

NURSING ASSISTANT

Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at: Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682 EOE. 102tfc

IDEAL FOR semi-retired person, part-time light maintenance, a.m. hours, Mon.-Fri., call 681-4527. 77tfc

HELP WANTED- Need by October 1, laborers to bag edible beans, will be lifting and handling 50 to 100 lb. bags, call 964-6407, ask for Kris. 79tfc

HELP WANTED- Part time bar waitress/waiter and host/hostess. Apply in person at American Legion Club, TRF. 4t81c

SALES ROUTE- Two sales persons required in your immediate area with opportunity to move into a management position within first six months. Guaranteed income to start, $400.00 per week and bonus, plus company benefits. Expense paid training and established accounts provided. Must be bondable, have own transportation. For personal interview: Call Lee Johnson, Tuesday through Thursday, Oct. 10th-Oct. 12th, between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m., 218-773-1008. E.O.E. M/F. 2t81c

COOK/DIETARY AIDE- Hillcrest Nursing Home has a position open for a Cook/Dietary Aide. This position is part-time, approximately 45 hours every two weeks and will include working every other weekend. If interested apply at: Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 1t81c

HELP WANTED: ALL POSITIONS
APPLY AT THE
RUSTY NAIL
307 Main. N., T.R. Falls

THE RED Lake County Highway Department will be accepting applications until Nov. 1, 1995 for the position of Account/Safety Clerk. Applicants must have a high school diploma or equivalent with a minimum of two years accounting or safety-related experience. Applications and full job descriptions are available at the Red Lake County Highway Department, 204 7th Street SE, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. Phone 218-253-2697. E.O.E. 6t86c

WARROAD CARE Center is taking applications for a full-time Licensed Practical Nurse, rotating shifts, excellent benefit package. Contact Linda Crandell at 386-1235 if you have questions. E.O.E. 4t84c

DRIVER WANTED- Age 25 or over for full-time local driving. We provide vehicles, insurance and pay all expenses. You provide good, clean, prompt service. Good driving record a must and good references. Please call before 10 a.m. or after 7 p.m., 812-762-2703 or write 4115 South Broadway, Alexandria, MN 56308. 80tfc

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Help Wanted

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HELP WANTED- Combined activities aid/certified nursing assistant. Two part time positions available 40 hours every two weeks in activities, more hours available in nursing. Work every other weekend 7:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. (7:30-2:30 nursing, 2:30-4:00 activities) Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF Equal Opportunity Employer 1t81c

HELP WANTED- Staff Registered Nurse Part time, combination of shifts, every other weekend. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 1t81c

TELEPHONE MESSAGE PADS- 100 sheets per pad, 95 cents per pad, $4.25 for five pads. Available at The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls 1t81e

COOK/TRAYLINE POSITION open at the Karlstad Health Care Center, part-time hours available. Contact Kay Viereck, Dietary Supervisor at 218-436-2161 Mon.-Fri., 8:00-3:30. Karlstad Health Care Center, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 4t83c

VALLEY HOMES, Inc. has full and part-time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply at 402 Main St. South in Karlstad or call 218-436-2518 or 1-800-532-7656 for an application. E.O.E. 71tfc

HELP WANTED- Individual to provide daycare to a three-year-old disabled child for 2-1/2 days per week. Call Laurie N at 681-2880 4t82c

HELP WANTED- Full-time driver, must have CDL with tanker and Haz-mat endorsement. Contact Russ at Prowler Express LTD at 1-800-621-6029 or 218-681-4366, Monday through Friday. 4t83c

Situation Wanted

WANTED- Roommate to share 2-bedroom trailer house, $125.00/month, half utilities. Call 681-2205, leave message. 4t84p

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Wanted To Buy

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WANTED- Fire wood, cut, split, call after 5:00 p.m., 964 5868 P482p

WANTED- Furnished entry for trailer house, prefer 10x12, will accept smaller. Call 218-874-2301 after 8:00 p.m. 4t84c

WANT TO buy Trailer hitch that will fit a 1990 Buick Regal. Call 681 9647 evenings 4t83f

WANTED TO buy Snowblower for John Deere 200 series garden tractor, call 218-745-4940 P481p

Personal Services

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Public Notices

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POTATO DUMPLING and craft sale, Saturday, October 14, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Bethel Lutheran, Greenbush, adults $5.50, 6-12 years $2.50, pre-school free. 1t81p

WYANDOTTE TOWNSHIP landowners who have land adjoining township roads must be mowed by October 15 or charged against them. 2t81c

PUBLIC HEARING
Independent School District No. 2358 will hold a Public Hearing on October 9, 1995 at 8:00 p.m. in the Tri-County School Gymnasium. The Tri-County Board of Education will hear testimony for and against the proposed closing of the elementary site in the City of Strandquist. The proposal is related to the practicality, future enrollment, and costs of educating students at two sites according to Minnesota Statute 123.36 Subd. 11. 2t81c

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The annual report of the HARTZ FOUNDATION is available at the address noted below, for inspection during regular business hours, by any citizen who so requests within 180 days after publication of this notice of its availability.

HARTZ FOUNDATION
P.O. Box 642
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
Gene Belto, *President*
Mrs. L.B. Hartz, *Secretary-Treasurer*

REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISORS

Roseau Area Hospital & Homes is seeking applications for RN Supervisors for Sheltering Oaks Manor, a 64-Bed, Long Term Care Facility.

The following supervisory positions are available:
- Full-Time Day Supervisor
- Part-Time Evening Supervisor

Responsibilities will include:
- Care Planning
- Direct Staff Supervision
- MDS & Case Mix Charting

Some weekend shifts will be required.

For more information, please contact the Director of Nurses at Sheltering Oaks Manor or send application to:

Deb Haugan, Human Resource Specialist
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Real Estate TAXES
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Ag Credit Property Due Nov. 15, 1995
Vickie Bjorgaard
Pennington Co. Treasurer

Wanted To Rent

WANTED- 2-3 bedroom home within Thief River Falls area, rent with option or contract for deed call 612 623 4842 collect P481p

Mobile Homes

1973 12X68 mobile home 14x20 addition 2 bedroom 1 1/2 bath will sell set or sold $1,800.00 for pair. 218 964 5662 P481p

FOR SALE- 1994 16x80 mobile home 3 bedrooms, 2 baths one with garden tub, vinyl siding, shingled roof, stove, fridge, dishwasher, water softener and skirting, 2 bay and 3 round top windows, excellent condition $25,000.00 Call after 4 p.m., 782 2326 P482p

HILLVIEW FALL Clearance Prices slashed on Homark stock double wide homes, 70x28 @ $42,500.00, 46x28 @ $30,500.00 Single wides also reduced with free metal skirting included on all stock homes. Financing available, 5% down. Hillview Homes, Inc., Fosston, MN 218-435-1826 7t86c

1972 SKYLINE mobile home 14x80, 2 bedroom, dual heat, propane or electric, insulated skirting $3,000.00 or best offer, after 6:00 p.m. Call Brian 378 4686 P483p

MOBILE HOME- 16x80 1991 by Homark, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, central air, deck and shed included, 681-3812 for details P482p

FOR SALE- 1989 Liberty 14x70 mobile home, 3-bedrooms, 2 baths, large deck and entry, double garage, own lot, close to Challenger School, 681-1962 4t83f

Real Estate

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FOR SALE BY OWNER 4-bedroom home on 3 1/2 acres, 3 miles from T.R.F. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER:
One Unit Of Newly Constructed Duplex.
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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The Pennington County Fair Association, Inc. will hold its annual meeting on Monday, October 16, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. at the Pennington County Courthouse meeting room. All members and prospective members are invited to attend.

-s- Donna Harder, Secretary

Two Party

AUCTION

Sun., Oct. 15, 1995, 12:30 p.m.

Greenbush, MN

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"The Auctioneers"

Students of Cheryl Hinschberger at Challanger Elemantary end Preschool did some quilting in thair class last year. They raad tha story "Tha Pstchwork Quilt" by Valerie Flourney and wara given a talk and damonstrstion on quilting by Jan Trontvet before each mada his or her own quilt square, including the student's nama and ert work showing a hobby or intarast. When the squares wera done, the quilt wes sawn togathar by Julie Dasrocher. Members of the class who worked on the quilt include (laft to right), front row, Mika Jorsted, Andraw Johnson, Runae Jorgensan, Amenda Bugge, Alicia Blaver, Alison Kaushagan end Jasse Lian; middle row, Heathar Podlak, Jassica Logelin, Nick Jorstad, Tenner Nelson, Branden Narlock, Brandy Helm, Katia Sead end Erick Trontvet; back row, Dylen Hansan, Eric Asp, Waylon Vondal, Chris Bergaron, Ban Adamson, Kayle Hsrris, Chalsae Johnson, Josh Altapater end Shana Loeffler. Not pictured is Sheyna Malvia.

Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

On Wednesday, Mrs. Vi Oagnar visited with har aislar and brathar-in-law, Al and Amie Kloelanback of Minneapolis.

4-H NEWS

Smiley 4-H club held its monthly meeting on September 11 at the Smiley town hall. President Laura Steiger called the meeting to order. Flag pledges were said. Roll call was taken with the response of "What grade are you in?" The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved.

Record judging will be held on September 18. Help is needed for judging. Awards night will be held on Sunday, October 22, with the meal being served from 12:30 to 1:30 and the program to start at 2 p.m. 4-H Sunday will be on October 1. The 4-H Carnival will be held on Friday, October 6 at the city auditorium from 7 to 9 p.m. Each family is to bring a decorated cake. We will take care of the fish pond.

Next was the election of officers.

Lisa Sorteberg gave a project talk on needlearts.

Lisa Sorteberg - reporter.

Goodridge

Sunday afternoon, Nail and Claire Ann Liedberg visited at the Dale Hanson home.

Sincere sympathy to the families of AlRay Jonas and Dayla Kainz. May their memories be blessed.

Rosella Schiofer of Thief River Falls visited at the home of Clarance and Clara Dahlen on Wednesday afternoon.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Nail Liedbarg visited at tha Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Dale Holtan of rural Newfolden, Mrs. Orin Hanson and Mrs. Nel Liedberg of Thiel River Falls visited at the Russ Culkins home at rural Thiaf River Falls on Wednesday afternoon.

Visitors at the Nail Liedberg home in Thiel River Falls during the week were Jodi Gustafson, Mrs. Donnie Jansen, Mrs. Bob Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Eloise Raymond.

Friday afternoon those who enjoyed a belated birthday party for Clarance and Clara Dahlen at tha Atrium room of the Skylilas apartments wara Lucilla Harris, Lucilla Yonke, Evalyn Schwartz, Gladys Johnson, Carol Barros, Mr. and Mrs. Nail Liedberg, Nathan Liadberg and Jodi Gustafson. They all anjoyed birthday lunch with Clarance and Clara.

Sunday aftamoon, Mr. and Mrs. Nail Liedberg and Gana Fjeld of Thief River Falls visitad at the Claranca Dahlan home. Later Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Nail Liadbarg visited with Elmar Liadbarg and Inga Coan at the Valley Home in Thiaf River Falls.

Sunday avaning, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg attended tha Spaghetti Supper at tha Redeemer Lutharan church in Thiaf River Falls.

Viking

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. LaRoy Sustad called at the Mike Fayette home.

Bart and Joyce Kron attended the Goose Festival at Middle River on Saturday and enjoyed the good food, crafts and visiting with people.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson attended the Goose Festival and found it very enjoyable and a chance to visit with many people.

On Sunday afternoon, Orland and Laura Roppe and Gretchen and Christopher visited at the Bart Kron home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Johnson attended the 75th birthday party for Owen Wockwerth on Saturday afternoon at the Heritage Center.

Maunis and Beth Schelien visited at the Irwin Johnson home on Tuesday.

Grandma Ruth Sustad had the "twins" of Dan and Donna Sustad on Wednesday to help out while the Dan Sustad family are getting moved into their new home. There is a lot to do and fall weather isn't too predictable. Anyway Ruth and LeRoy took the boys to McDonald's. Nothing beats Grandma and Grandpa's.

70th Birthday

The Gordon Skjerven family hosted a 70th birthday party for Gordon Sr. on Sunday afternoon at the farm home. A hundred or more relatives and friends from the area attended. A program of music, skits, etc. was given by children and grandchildren with a video of baby and childhood pictures that was played and the VCR. After the program a delicious lunch was served by the guests.

Liz Swenson enjoyed coffee and a very delicious lunch served by Edna McNelly at our meeting room here after the close of her Bible study meeting.

Reuben and Ione Persson of Phoenix, AZ spent some time visiting at the Melvin Grondstrand home and also visited an aunt Alice Blomquist at the CNC at the hospital.

Leonard Larson had breakfast at Paulette Grindeland's on Sunday. He also visited Olgar Foss on Tuesday.

Lloyd Ranum was a coffee guest of Virgil Hjelles on Tuesday evening.

Gully

The monthly calendar will be posted at the Gully Mall.

Visiting, Ken and Alice Forsberg from Port Angeles, WA the past two weeks was Doris Terril (Alice's sister). They enjoyed many dinners and visits with their brothers and families, Erick and Alvin Borgman at Clearbrook, Elaine and family at Maple Lake Cabin. She visited with her sister Elsie and Jim Gale family at Moorhead and Marie Killberg at the Bemidji Hospital also Gene and Barb Peterson family at Bagley.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

OCT. 8-14 -1995-

WATCH WHAT YOU HEAT!

you can prevent home fires

Safe at Home — Preventing Fires Before They Start

Each year fires in the home kill or injure thousands of people and cause hundreds of millions of dollars in property loss. Many of these fires are caused by carelessness when cooking, the misuse of matches and lighters (often in the hands of children) and heating equipment problems.

Smoke detectors and automatic sprinkler systems greatly reduce the risk of dying in a home fire, but the best defense against fires is to stop them before they start.

cooking fire safety

Cooking is the leading cause of home fires in North America.

■ **Don't leave.** Stay in the kitchen whenever anything is cooking and never leave home when food is cooking on your stove or in your oven.

■ **Be alert.** Do not attempt to cook if you have been drinking alcohol or are drowsy.

■ **Be neat.** Flammable objects, such as curtains, potholders, food packaging, and dish towels, can catch fire when they come in contact with stove burners. Keep stove surfaces and the areas around your stove clear.

Don't store things on or above your stove.

Turn pot handles in.

Keep heat-producing appliances away from wall, and flammable materials.

Wipe appliances and kitchen surfaces after spills and clean stove and ovens regularly.

■ **Be thorough.** Turn off stoves and cooking appliances immediately when you're finished cooking. Never leave empty pots or pans on a heated stove burner. Unplug electrical appliances.

■ **Don't overload electrical outlets or circuits.** Do not plug too many appliances into the same outlet or use too many heat-producing appliances at once. Be sure your home's circuit breakers or fuses are properly designed and maintained. Never use an appliance cord that is cracked or frayed or has a loose or damaged plug.

■ **Dress right.** Loose clothing can dangle too close to stove burners and catch fire. When you cook, wear tight-fitting sleeves (or roll your sleeves up).

common cooking fires

■ **Stove-top grease fires:** Always heat oil slowly over moderate heat. Never pour water on any cooking fire. Slide a lid over the pan and turn off the burner. Keep the lid on until pan is cool.

■ **Oven fires:** Close the oven door and turn off the heat source.

■ **Microwave fires:** Keep the door closed and unplug or turn off the microwave.

match and lighter safety

Smoking and the careless use of smoking materials is a major cause of home fires and fire-related deaths. Roughly three out of four fires started by children involve playing with matches or lighters, and the victims of these fires are often other children.

■ **Lock 'em up.** Never leave matches or lighters where children can reach them. Store all matches and lighters up high, preferably in a locked cabinet.

■ **Teach your children that matches and lighters are dangerous.**

■ **Protect your children by using only lighters that meet child-safety standards.** Studies estimate that 85 percent of children will not be able to operate the new "child-safe" lighters.

■ **Watch your children.** Unattended children can get their hands on matches or lighters that are well hidden.

central heating

Central heating systems are less likely than portable or space heaters to cause home fires, but neglect can drastically increase the risk to your home. Have your furnace, chimneys, and chimney connections inspected and maintained at least once a year by a qualified professional. Never store combustible materials near a furnace and be sure that automatic shut-off systems conform to local fire-safety codes and are in good working order.

home-heating safety

Most home-heating fires involve portable heaters and space heaters. Room gas heaters and kerosene heaters account for the highest risk of home-heating-fire fatalities, but all heaters are dangerous if not used properly.

■ **Shop for safety.** Buy only heaters that bear the label of an independent testing lab. Look for heaters with automatic shut-off safety features.

■ **Take care of your heating equipment.** Have wood and coal stoves and chimneys inspected and cleaned regularly by a professional. Have all heating-equipment installations inspected by local building and fire officials.

■ **Give space heaters space.** Keep all combustible materials away from portable heaters. Place heaters at least three feet (one meter) away from walls and furniture.

■ **Let gas heaters breathe.** Be sure that gas space heaters are properly ventilated and never install unvented heaters in bedrooms or bathrooms. NFPA standards prohibit the use of LP gas heaters with self-contained fuel supplies in the home.

■ **Fuel when cool.** Add fuel to kerosene heaters only when the heater is completely cool. Heaters should be fueled only in a well-ventilated area away from flames or heat sources. Use only the type of kerosene specified by the manufacturer. Never use gasoline.

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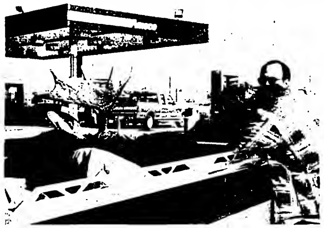

Derek Ravaring, 17, Parkers Prairie, shot this bull mose north of Crookston. The animal had an antler spread of 38 and one-half inches. Saturday was the first day of the moose hunting season. On Saturday, 19 moose were registered at the moose registration at Amoco 24 in Thief River Falls. By noon on Sunday, another 13 had been registered. Above, Craig Bublitz and Mark Beedy pull teeth from the moose, which is part of the registration process and study of moose. They were assisting Martha Minchak of the Minnesota department of natural resources.

TRF looks at Community Policing Program grant

At a Thief River Falls City Council meeting Tuesday night, the council approved a grant request for funds to hire an additional full-time officer and one part-time officer. The grant request is for $126,470 to the United States Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS), which has the responsibility of implementing certain provisions of the Public Safety Partnership and Community Policing Act of 1994.

Grant funds will pay for roughly 75 per cent of the salary and benefits during a three year period. Police Chief Ken Froschheiser explained that under the program, the costs for the city would gradually increase, while the cost for the federal government would gradually decrease.

The program is one of the approaches developed by the Department of Justice to deploy new officers devoted to community policing on the streets and rural routes. Community policing stresses the importance of police-citizen cooperation to control crime, maintain order, and improve the quality of life. The community is seen as an active partner. The ultimate goal is to maintain public safety in communities through better police work while increasing the public's interaction and satisfaction with police services.

Froschheiser said he was pleased to see that many of the suggested uses of the additional officers is already being done in Thief River Falls. However, the grant would allow the city to establish several other programs, such as: a bicycle patrol in business, residential and park areas; neighborhood block and ward meetings; citizen training on crime and prevention; coordinating governmental services for problem solving; establish a citizen's advisory council; and establish media reports and advisories for the community.

■ **The city council has awarded a bid to remove asbestos from the Soo Line depot to Envirobate Northland of Duluth in the amount of $32,200.** Eight bids were received. The highest bid was $78,930.

■ **Thief River Falls' projected budget deficit for 1996 has been reduced from $352,785 to $213,631, according to information presented to the council by City Administrator Roger DeLap.**

Several cuts were made to the parks and recreation budget, a pay

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Rising waters signal end of Red Lake Reservoir drawdown

by David Hill
Associate Editor

Rising water levels to the Red Lake Reservoir in Thief River Falls signal the end of drawdown designed to consolidate sediment and eliminate some of the weeds.

On August 14 the water level in the Red Lake River Reservoir dropped. Nearly two months later, the water levels are beginning to reach their normal level. Officials are now taking a look at the figures to determine whether the project was successful.

Arlo Rude, superintendent of utilities explained the water level is rising a little more slowly than anticipated because additional water from the Red Lake dam was not released, and because flow through the dam in Thief River Falls must be maintained in order to protect the fisheries down river. Rude said two of the three gates at the Red Lake reservoir in Thief River Falls have been closed. As the water rises he noted that many of the inlets will also begin to fill with water and that will also slow the water levels a little.

Rude assessed the project by saying he thought it went quite well. A lot of things were accomplished during the drawdown. Several rip-rap (rocks or other suitable barriers) projects were completed, the city replaced the aging 1927-era trash racks at the hydro plant and got some work done on the plant's turbines. Trash racks, he explained stop trash before it gets into the turbines. At Taft Street, the city removed an old raw water intake and put in some rip-rap.

A lot of clean-up projects took place during the drawdown. Rude said four pickup loads of metal were removed by different groups. A lot of old bicycles were also found and removed during the clean-up.

Not all of the trash could be removed. Rude said several old barrels were removed, but some were located in areas that could not be accessed. Mud, generally, in those areas made it unsafe for employees to attempt to remove the barrels.

Many things were discovered during the drawdown. Pilings for the old electric railway were uncovered, and many individuals came forward with information about the train. Several people took the opportunity to search for artifacts, such as glassware or certain metal objects. It also uncovered the pilings to the old electric railway that ran between Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

Survey crews are, or will be in the process of taking cross sections of the river at various locations. The cross-sections will be used to determine whether the sediment in

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Applications available for local United Way grant funds

United Way of Thief River Falls will soon be sending out questionnaires to organizations interested in receiving funds from the organization. Representatives of local organizations, that have not received United Way funds in the past, but are interested in receiving Thief River Falls United Way funds, are encouraged to contact the Thief River Falls United Way at P.O. Box 276, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or call Mary Anderson at 681-3303. Questionnaires will be mailed to local organizations in November.

Last year over $100,000 was allocated to local organizations. Most of the organizations, which requested funds received the amount they requested. A study of where the funds went shows that it followed the pattern of those organizations applying for funds. It shows that less than one per cent went to United Way of America, 21 per cent of the funds went to organizations administering to the needs of families in crisis, 20 per cent went to people with disabilities, 20 per cent went to health service providers, 8 per cent went to organizations representing the elderly and volunteers, and 30 per cent went to organizations representing youth in the community.

In one way or another, most residents in the community see some benefit from organizations receiving funds from their local United Way chapter. The local United Way chapter recognizes that it can-

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Cami Sorenson learns from 4-H experience

Happy Acres 4-H club member is state 4-H Ambassador, club president, junior leader, leader's council vice president

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

For Cami Sorenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club, the 4-H program has been a catalyst in her development of confidence and her ability to be a leader in her club, her state 4-H organization and her school.

The daughter of Clyde and Barb Sorenson and a senior at Lincoln high school, Cami has been a member of the county 4-H program for 11 years, carrying projects in clothing, child care, beef and health. This year she was elected a state 4-H Ambassador in recognition of her leadership abilities.

Along with many other 4-H club members in Pennington county, she will be participating in the annual awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles hall in Thief River Falls. A dinner will be served from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. with the awards program to begin at 2 p.m.

The Sorenson family has a long-standing 4-H background. Cami's older sister Carla, who graduated from St. Cloud State University this spring with a double major in speech communication and marketing with an emphasis on international marketing, was a 4-H club member for a dozen years.

Their mother, Barb (Breiland) was a member of the Happy Acres club for 11 or 12 years as well. And their brother Derek, 10, just completed his first year in 4-H and appears to have many years in the program ahead of him.

In the clothing project Carla has been county queen in the purchased garment division for two years and in the construction division one year. When she can find the time she sews some of her own clothes.

In the child care division she has won several state fair trips with county fair grand championships and in 1994 had a grand championship at the Minnesota State Fair with a child's number line game.

In the beef division she has won grand championships at the county fair, showing crossbred steers or animals in the cow/calf project. She has three cows of her own in the Sorenson herd and sells her calves as feeders.

As a 4-H Ambassador she participated in the Youth Leadership Extravaganza at the state fairgrounds last June 11-16 as the voting delegate from Pennington county.

At the 1995 Minnesota State Fair she was one of the select group of 29 young people who are state Ambassadors to assist at the state fair. She served as a greeter at the door to the 4-H building, welcoming visitors during the fair; assisted with sales of the 4-H cookbook; served as an assistant to judges; hosted groups of adults from many places who came to see how the Minnesota State Fair was conducted; and gave many tours of the 4-H building.

The Ambassadors run the fall retreat which is held this month as well as the winter retreat to be conducted early in 1996. At the retreats the Ambassadors work on programs for the coming year.

Cami is one of 20 Ambassadors to be selected through the district election process. Four others are selected on the basis of records judging and five are carryover officers. Among these is Myndy Olson, daughter of Myles and Susan Olson, who is also a senior at Lincoln and is serving her second year of a two-year term as state secretary.

The trips to the leadership extravaganza and the state fair were only part of Cami's travels this year as a result of 4-H club activities. She spent August 9-16 touring and [illegible] in the area of the Nation's Capital as a participant in the Citizenship Washington Focus program.

She participated in the New York 4-H exchange, traveling to New York state to live with Lara Olsted in a Buffalo, NY suburb. Lara was a guest in the Sorenson home when New York young people came to this area last year. A boat cruise and visiting Niagara Falls were trip highlights.

And the entire Sorenson family went to Great Falls, MT, this summer for the wedding of AmiLee Downey, another 4-H exchange student who had stayed at the Sorenson farm and become one of Carla's best friends.

Cami is president of the Happy Acres 4-H club for 1995-96 after serving as co-president, vice president and treasurer. She is also vice president of the Pennington county 4-H leader's council and has been a junior leader for five years.

Last year she was president of her junior class at Lincoln. She was a member of the student senate as a sophomore and vice president of the freshman class. She has been a member of the National Honor Society since 10th grade, is a member of Project-4-Teens and vice president of the high school choir.

Cami is a captain of the swim team where she has advanced to regional competition four years in the 50-yard freestyle and 100-yard backstroke events. She plays shortstop on the varsity softball team and has been captain one year and this winter will be a tri-captain of the basketball team.

She has been a Sunday School teacher at Bethany Lutheran Church for two years, served as a safety camp counselor, assisted the county fair board during the 1995 Pennington county fair and participates in the city women's softball league and a Crookston basketball league.

Her future plans are to attend Northland Community and Techni-

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Cami Sorenson has carried a beef project during all of her 11 years in the Pennington county 4-H club program and won several grand championships at the Pennington county fair. She has three of her own beef cows in the Sorenson herd.

Jolene Brown will be the keynote speaker for the Harvest of Knowledge Agri-Women's Conference

American Crystal Sugar has agreed to corporate sponsorship of the keynote speaker for the harvest of Knowledge Agri-Women's Conference, October 27 at the Ramada Inn in Grand Forks. Conference chair Michal Sands of Alvarado says presentations by renown humorist, Jolene Brown, West Branch, IA, will be made possible through a gift from the Moorhead sugar cooperative.

Sands says Brown is one of the most sought after presenters on the national speaking circuit.

"We felt very fortunate to bring a speaker of Jolene's caliber to the conference this year. We really can't thank American Crystal enough for recognizing not only the important role women play in agribusiness, but also the importance of networking and sharing strengths through this event."

Brown has been featured in several national publications and was the guest speaker at the Farm Women's Forum last spring in Fargo. Although her focus is on agriculture and agribusiness, Sands says Brown will offer humor, optimism and motivation to women from all walks of life in her general address to the conference, "The Confident Woman" and during her luncheon presentation, "The Harvest of Humor."

Tickets for the Harvest of Knowledge Conference are $25 before October 20, $30 after October 20 and include the day-long conference and luncheon, Ag Tax and the Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year evening banquet honoring Pennington County Farm Woman of the Year, Linda Hanson, along with thirteen other women from across the Red River Valley. Tickets for the banquet only are $10. For tickets or information contact Karen Landman at 701-326-4521.

Other corporate sponsors for the Harvest of Knowledge Conference include Minnkota, Farm Credit Services and Land O'Lakes.

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Clothing has been one of Cami Sorenson's 4-H projects for most of her 11 years in the Pennington county 4-H club program. Her busy schedule keeps her away from the sewing machine most of the time, but she still makes some of her own clothes.

State 4-H Ambassador Cami Sorenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club in Pennington county models the dress she made in the clothing project for the Pennington county fair this year.

A state fair grand championship was won by Cami Sorenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club in 1994 when she exhibited this number line game in the child care project area. Joining her in playing the game is her brother Derek, 10, the third child in the family to be involved with 4-H.

Cami Sorenson learns from 4-H experience

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cal College for two years and then get into pre-med with a goal of becoming a pediatrician.

"I used to be really shy," Cami says. "Without the experience I had in 4-H from demonstrations, being a clown in the performing arts program and taking part in club meetings there is no way I would have been able to make up a five-minute speech in 20 minutes and deliver it in front of 450 people like we had to do in the Ambassador program."

Cami said her writing skills have also improved from carefully keeping records and filling out project record forms.

Van Swanson, Pennington county 4-H educator who directs the county 4-H program, says Cami is the type of member who typifies what the program is all about.

"Not every 4-H member is going to have the commitment and dedication to go as far as she has," he said, "but all have the opportunity to be the best they can be. Cami may not think of herself as a role model, but she has created a great example for younger members to follow."

Warroad public meeting on bond election planned

A public meeting to answer questions about the bond election will be held on Monday, October 30 at 7:30 p.m. in the Warroad high school library.

Due to a change in state law, a number of school districts are finding themselves in an unexpected, peculiar situation. School districts borrow money to build and equip buildings by selling bonds. This bonded debt is paid off by taxing property owners over a period of years. When these taxes are levied on the taxpayers an additional five per cent is levied to insure that enough money will be collected to pay the debt due in the upcoming year. Because delinquent taxes have been less than five per cent, money is left in the debt service fund each year. Normally as money accumulates in the debt service fund, the county auditor reduces the next levy which as the effect of returning the excess debt service e money to the property taxpayers.

The rules are different for school districts which have state loans such as the Capital Loan on Warroad high school. Districts with Capital loans are required to send any debt service excess to the State of Minnesota. Until recently districts were able to retain $260,000 for cash flow purposes while paying off bonds. The law which allowed districts to keep that money was recently repealed by the legislature.

At this time the Warroad School District has $354,000 of excess funds in the debt service account. An opportunity exists which will allow us to keep that money instead of sending it to the state. Voter approval to sell bonds would allow the school district to transfer the money from the Debt Service Fund to a Construction Fund. this opportunity may not exist next year as the legislature may decide to close the loop hole which allow districts to keep this money.

There are many ways to use $354,000 to improve or expand existing facilities. Needs expressed so far include: building kindergarten classrooms, building pre-school classrooms, building computer classrooms, technology updating such as new computers, additional computers and computer systems for student and staff work, energy saving by retrofitting light fixtures, install generators to reduce peak electrical demand charges.

Most of the above ideas will have to be done in the next few years. Some of the above will reduce future operating costs and free up money for education purposes.

The bottom line, according to the school district, is that if a yes vote isn't passed, the district will have to send the money to St. Paul and find other ways of financing some of the district needs.

Karmen Ortloff awarded Spencer L. Adams award

Karmen Ortloff of Thief River Falls has been awarded the Spencer L. Adams Award at Cornell University. Her award from the Spencer L. Adams fund was $11,000.

Only 10 per cent of the undergraduate student body at Cornell University receive the award. Spencer L. Adams served as president of the Cornell University Association of Chicago. He was also a member of the University, City, and Legal Clubs of Chicago, and the American Protective League. In 1956, he established the Spencer L. Adams-Sphinx Head Scholarship, asking that preference be given to members of the Sphinx Head Society, a senior honorary organization.

Ortloff is studying classical civilizations at Cornell. Her concentration is ancient India, which includes the study of Sanskrit. She is also studying Swedish, is a member of a peer counselor training program called Empathy, Assistance and Referral Service (EARS), a member of Saborduria, and is on the Orientation Steering Committee.

TRF examines community policing grant

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loader from the street department budget, an additional fire fighter from the fire department budget, and some anticipated grant revenue was added.

Several more meetings will be held by departments and committees in an effort to reduce the projected budget deficit.

In other business, the council: Dain Bosworth Inc., came in with the lowest bid on $1,140,000 general obligation bonds, series 1995; moved $100,000 from the insurance reserve fund to the Revolving Capital Loan fund; approved a progression raise for Tracey Wold; appointed election judges; approved a dance license for Matt Perkins on October 19; approved a premises gambling permit license renewal application submitted by the Heritage Community Center; approved a resolution proclaiming Manufacturer's Week October 16-20.

Rising waters signal end of TRF drawdown

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the river dropped. The sediment has dropped, but by how much? In some locations it has been estimated that the sediment dropped as much as a one-and-a-half feet.

Red Lake Watershed officials will be taking the cross-sections. Officials are cautiously optimistic. The weather really did not cooperate as much as expected. When the project began, officials said luck would play a part in its potential success. The area, especially in the past month, experienced more rainfall than usual. Also, a pump burned out and the water level had to be raised temporarily. The pump burnout was nobody's fault, but it did have an impact on drying out the sediment.

More cross-sections of the river at certain locations will take place in the next couple of weeks. Whether or not sediment dropped as much as hoped for or not, the drawdown allowed many to clean up their river banks, and in some cases re-visit a little of the area's history.

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United Way of TRF seeks applications

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not possibly provide for every need of every organizations applying for funds, but does not allow organizations which receive United Way funds to conduct fund-raising efforts during the United Way fund-raising drive. In addition, it provides residents in the community one convenient way for them to donate to the many human services organizations in the community.

The local United Way board met Monday night to discuss progress of the local campaign. Individuals and or organizations that have not received United Way pledge cards, but are interested in receiving pledge cards are encouraged to contact Mary Anderson at the above phone number. The fund drive is expected to begin winding down on October 20.

Little Oak

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good called at the Roger Good home in Gully on Thursday.

The Nazareth Ladies Aid had the fancy work sale at the Dining Hall Wednesday evening. They also served pie and coffee after the sale.

Ardith Kloth visited her mother Ida Haugen on Tuesday. Lois Burstad and Sherron Johnson called on there mother during the week.

System Advocacy training held in TRF October 23

Northwest Area Agency on Aging will hold a workshop called System Advocacy Training from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. October 23 at the Thief River Falls Senior Center, 301 East Fourth Street, Thief River Falls.

System Advocacy Training is all about skills training in communicating with elected officials at the local, county, state and federal levels. Participants will learn how to get their message across in a timely, succinct, clear and effective manner.

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Tickets are still available to the Agri-Women Harvest of Knowledge Convention

Community Focus

Convention p.6
Community Church of Thief River Falls is holding its fall convention.

Violence is focus during Child Health Month

Abuse and neglect in the home are the leading causes of death for children age four and younger. October is Child Health Month and the theme the American Academy of Pediatric has chosen is violence prevention. It may surprise some to learn that, according to a fact sheet published by the AAP, "more preschoolers are dying at the hands of their parents than from falls, choking on food, suffocation, drowning or residential fires." An expert federal advisory panel found that these deaths are often wrongly identified as accidents or natural causes because the police, physicians and coroners are largely untrained in identifying evidence of inflicted trauma and severe neglect in children.

Physical abuse kills children, but it is not the only abuse children face. The National Committee to Prevant Child Abuse (NCPCA) defines child abuse to include physical, sexual and emotional abuse and neglect.

Physical abuse is nonaccidental injury to a child that may include severe beatings, burns, strangulation or human bites. Sexual abuse is sexual exploitation of a child, including rape, incest, fondling of the genitals, exhibitionism or pornography. Emotional abuse is a pattern of behavior that attacks a child's emotional development and sense of self worth, such as constant belittling, criticizing, insulting and providing no love, support or guidance. Neglect is the failure to provide a child with basic necessities, such as food, clothing, shelter, medical care, education or proper supervision. Although these forms of abuse may occur singularly, they more often occur in combination.

Most child abuse is committed in the home by persons known to and trusted by the child. The causes of child abuse are very complex, but certain social and personal factors place some people at greater risk to abuse, such as poverty, substance abuse, being a single parent or adolescent parent, living in isolation and being raised by abusive parents. However, this does not mean that people who meet any or all of the above criteria are necessarily abusive.

Sue Miller of Social Services of Pennington county feels that parents don't set out to be bad parents and neglect their kids, "they just haven't been given the tools to make things work the way the rest of us do."

In other words, some parents don't have the resources to properly provide for their children or don't know how to care for them. Parents suffering from untreated mental illness or chemical dependency are not always able to care for their children. Some parents have to worry so much about accomplishing daily tasks, like getting groceries, that they don't have time to sit down with someone who can teach them to work out a budget. Some people can't afford a baby sitter to take their kids when they need to go to parent-teacher conferences, so they just don't go. Some parents don't have a car, so they can't always get to the grocery store. Some people can't afford to call the plumber when the toilet is not working. Some can't even afford the phone. Some parents are just kids themselves.

Miller feels people need to understand these issues before they sit in judgement of others.

She feels that the best way to teach parents good parenting skills is in a nurturing environment, not one of judgement and hostility. She says everyone needs to take ownership of the problem and recognize that the problem effects not just the child or family, but society as a whole.

One way to help make a difference might be to volunteer to help a single parent who is struggling. Volunteer to baby sit so the parent can get the shopping done or get some rest. Volunteer to be a parent aide to a young mother who needs help and guidance. Consider becoming a foster parent or respite caregiver for at risk families. All of these are ways to help stop the cycle of violence in our culture.

The Violence Intervention Project works with families who have experienced domestic violence. Its Umbrella Tree Children's Safety Center was designed to help children and their parents who have been involved in an abusive relationship. It provides a safe place for supervised visitation, offers families a safe place to exchange children for unsupervised visitation, offers support to children who have been abused or have witnessed abuse, and offers parenting groups for men and women.

Miller said that if anyone has a reason to believe that a child is being hurt through what the child says, marks on the child or the child's demeanor, should contact social service or law enforcement. (Both agencies are required by law to report to one another.)

We all need to teach the children we know that hands are not for hitting, that there are other ways to resolve conflict and deal with anger. Anyone interested in becoming a foster parent or learning more about being a parent aide can contact Phyllis Schmitz, Director of Welfare and Human Services for Pennington County or Ken Yutrzenka, Social Services Supervisor of Pennington County.

Kristopher Kulck, son of Karl and Kathy Kulck raised his hand to indicate he heard a tone. He had his hearing tested at early childhood screening, program which makes sure children's physical and congnitive development are progresseing normally. Most children are found to be developing just fine. If a child does have a vision, hearing or other problem, it can be detected at an early age improved or corrected, so the child enters school ready to learn.

Preventive care is the key to well children

Preventive care, or visits to medical care providers before one is ill, is important in health care, especially for children. Medical professionals believe that children should see their medical care provider on a regular basis throughout childhood. During an office visit medical care providers can check children for normal growth, development and other problems. Medical care providers are able to detect problems early if they see children regularly, and early treatment often prevents further illnesses. Every child also needs certain shots, or immunizations, to protect him/her from childhood diseases. Medical care providers can also offer parents helpful information about safety, growth, development and behavior of children so they know what to expect as their child grows.

Although overall health status of children in the United States has improved over the past few decades, serious health problems continue to threaten children under five years of age. For example, many children have not been fully immunized and deaths have occurred from measles and pertussis. Deaths due to accidents, for example, poisonings, drownings, fires and auto accidents, have increased.

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends the following schedule of check-ups for children birth through five years of age: the first exam should be before one month of age, then visits at two months, four months, six months, nine months, 12 months, 15 months, 18 months and 24 months. The AAP recommends three more visits for preschoolers; one at three years, one at four years and one at five years.

The Communities Caring for Children program urges parents to follow this schedule. For more information, call LaRue Johnson, RNC, at Inter-County Nursing Service (218) 681-5950.

WIC expects to serve over 98,000 this year

Minnesota's Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) expects to serve 98,500 women and children per month during federal fiscal year 1996 (October 1995-October 1996). This is an increase of about 3,000 recipients over 1995. The program, considered one of the great success stories of public health, has received funding from the Minnesota Legislature to enable it to serve its growing clientele. The program will add seven new agencies from which WIC services can be obtained.

WIC, which is administered by the Minnesota Department of Health, provides selected foods and other health-related services to mothers and children with special nutritional needs. WIC is a federal program, funded primarily by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The Minnesota Legislature provides additional state funding for the program.

Those eligible to participate in WIC include pregnant women, new mothers, infants and children up to age five. Each participant must be professionally evaluated and found to have special nutrition-related health needs. Participants must also live in Minnesota and meet income guidelines.

Participants are given vouchers that can be used to buy certain nutritional food items from grocery stores. Participants also receive nutrition education and they may be referred for additional health-related services. WIC services are provided through a statewide network of local WIC agencies.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/EPS, Quin County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 1-218-253-2125.

Strandquist

Elphie Adlis visited Elsie Lefrooth on Wednesday. Other afternoon visitors were Sharria Anderson, Lisa Lafrooth and children Elliott and Allison, Margaret Donaldson, Alaura and Sara, Debbie Cummins and Heather Lefrooth.

Sunday evening coffee guests at Isaac and Betsy Thompson's were Pearl Thompson, Elsie Lefrooth, Walter Thompson, Lloyd Johnson, and Marie Johnson, and Roy and Myrtle Vagle. The day was an early birthday observance for Betsy.

Elsie Lefrooth had as guests for dinner on Friday, Otto and Doris Seng, Roy and Myrtle Vagle and Walter Thompson.

On Monday, Pearl and Betsy Thompson and Elsie Lefrooth accompanied Marie Johnson to Crookston to a regional followship meeting.

How much do I weigh? Matthew Dahlin looks up at the scale as he is weighed at the early childhood screening clinic at Redeemer church. Matthew attended the clinic with his mom Brenda.

Kid's Halloween carnival planned at TRF auditorium

Get set for games, prizes and fun at the annual Kids' Halloween Carnival to be held from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, October 28 at the city auditorium in Thief River Falls. Wear your favorite Halloween costume. The carnival is sponsored by the Thief River Falls Women of Today.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On October 9, a baby boy was born to Scott and Kristi Grochow of Thief River Falls. He has been named Dustin James.
- On October 9, a baby girl was born to Elden and Dawn Neuschwander of Grygla. She has been named Whitney Lexi.
- On October 9, a baby boy was born to Wade and Merianna Bott of Woycross, GA. He has been named Kyle Douglas.

Jill Groslie is graduate in dental assisting

Jill Groslie, daughter of Lyle and Gaileen Groslie of Thief River Falls, is a summer quarter graduate of the dental assisting course at Interstate Business College in Fargo, ND. Graduation was held September 17.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Library Storytime at 11:15 at the TRF Library.

Sons of Norway Smorgasbord from 5-7:30 p.m. at the Eagle's Hall.

Diabetes Support Group to meet at 4:30 p.m. at Riverview Classroom.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club, All Coaches Day-Fall Tournament Update.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is "Problem solving."

Soup, Sandwich and Pie Luncheon at United Methodist Church from 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Writer's Group meets at the public Library from 7-9 p.m.

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Saturday

United Lutheran Men's Supper at Gatzke from 4:30-8:30 p.m.

Oklee Craft Day from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Community Hall and school Multi-purpose Room.

Sunday

Senior Meal at the Heritage Center at noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Orchestra Concert at Franklin Middle School at 7:30 p.m.

Parenting and Family Class at the public library at 6:30 p.m. Sponsored by the United Methodist Church of Thief River Falls.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Fall Concert at MCC High School, Newfolden.

Thief River Falls Quilters Guild meets at 7 p.m. at the Northwest Technical College room 114.

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Northland theater presents Children of a Lesser God

Northland Community and Technical College will present their fall play, "Children of a Lesser God" by Mark Medoff, on November 2 through November 5.

This deeply moving, beautifully written play is a love story about a young speech therapist who joins the staff of a school for the deaf, and a former student of the school who refuses to speak, but instead insists that people who wish to communication with her use sign language. The two fall in love and marry, but find that outside tensions between the deaf and hearing worlds enter into their relationship. With and without words, we learn to read the character's emotions and share an agonizing and joyous transition as the two tear down the walls between their worlds to find love and a deeper understanding of difference which, in the end, can unite as well as divide.

The all-student cast includes James Agnitsch of Omaha, NE; Mishelle Prior and Cassie Demere of Bejou; Kristen Saustad, Melanie Smith and Patrick Gaffaney of Thief River Falls; and Melody Dargon of Red Lake Falls. Technical crews include NCTC students Won Choe, Erica Fisher, Tim McAnnany, and Tanya Henke. The show is directed and designed by Janet Haak Aarness.

Tickets are available at NCTC at 681-0718 or 681-0717. Prices are $5 for adults, $4 for senior citizens and K-12 students, free for NCTC students, faculty, and staff. Children under 5 are not admitted. NCTC is proud to present this moving, award-winning production. On Broadway, Children of a Lesser God, received Tony Awards for Best Play, Actor, and Actress, and continues to impress critics and audiences alike with its great humor, compassion, dignity, and love.

Special program at Newfolden Evangelical church

The Newfolden Evangelical Free Church FCWM will hold their Offerfest on Sunday, October 22 at 2:30 p.m.

Tim and Cheryll Hvidsten will speak and show slides of their recent trip to the Ukraine. They were part of an agricultural team sponsored by the Shepherd Foundation. They visited a number of collective farms and shared with them how modern technology and equipment is used by farmers in the Red River Valley. Mony Ukrainions asked questions about the concept of being on independent owner-operator of a farm.

Tim and Cheryll also visited their sister church near Kiev. The congregation of about 50 people met in a church house and was attended mostly by elderly women.

The Hvidsten family will present special music. Lunch will be served following the service. Everyone is welcome.

Jodi Finke and Tim Everett were married on June 17 at St. John Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls. The bride is the daughter of Bev and Gary Finke of Thief River Falls. The groom is the son of Richard and Pat Baker of International Falls. The couple is now at home in Dunseith, ND.

LaNae Olson, formerly of Goodridge, and John Henning were married July 8 at Faith Lutheran Church, Reno, NV. The bride is the daughter of Gerald and Marilynn Olson of Reno. The groom is the son of James Helming of Round Mountain, NV and Margaret Helming of Salmon, ID. The couple resides in Sparks, NV.

Oscar and Cathy Nelson have a new baby girl

Oksono LaVonne Nelson was born September 18 in Red Wing. Her parents are Oscar and Cathy Nelson. Grandparents are Greg and Patti Nelson, Hager City, WI, Ruth Callaway, Colorado Spring, CO. Great-grandparents are Marvin and Rose Nelson and Dick and LaVonne Radnicckl of Thief River Falls.

Wagner and Sisler united in marriage

Lora Wagner and Jeremy Sisler were united in marriage on September 9 at 6 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Pastor Gary Johnson officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Ken and Sharon Wagner of Thief River Falls. The groom is the son of Dave and Beth Sisler of Thief River Falls and Tom and Nancy Isendorf of Thief River Falls.

Music for the ceremony was provided by vocalist/guitarist Craig Swenson and organist Phyllis Deleger. Vocal-guitar selections were "I Cross My Heart" and "The Keeper of the Stars." The vocal-organ selection was "Lord's Prayer." Processionals were "Sheep May Safely Graze" and "Trumpet Voluntary." The recessional was untitled.

The church was decorated with white and gold wedding banners, white tulle pew bows with wine ribbon centers, candelabrum with wine candles and a floral arrangement on the altar in memory of loved ones. The candelabrum were decorated with ivy and white tulle bows with gold ribbon centers.

The bride wore a white gown with scalloped neckline, long sleeves, v-back and back bow, cathedral length train with cut-outs which had pearls and sequins outlining the details of the embroidery. She also wore a pearl tiara headpiece with venise lace, a back pouf and a fingertip-length veil. Her cascading bouquet contained white roses, alstromeria, miniature wine carnations, heather and ivy.

For her sister's wedding, Lisa Johnson of Thief River Falls served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Lana Crawford of Blaine, sister of the bride, Amy Sisler of Thief River Falls, sister of the groom and Tracy Baird of International Falls, friend of the bride.

The attendants wore wine gowns with round necklines and tea-length skirts with a cummerbund effect and long sleeves, all sewn by the mother of the bride. The bridesmaids bouquets were made of miniature carnations, white lilies, alstromeria, heather and greenery and tied with gold ribbon.

The flower girl was Sara Sisler of Thief River Falls, sister of the groom. She wore a wine dress with round neckline, gathered waist, long sleeves and a back bow, also made by the mother of the bride. She carried a wicker basket filled with white roses, miniature wine carnations, alstromeria, heather, ivy and gold ribbon.

The bride's personal attendants were Kim Johnson, cousin of the bride and Aurelie Stickler, friend of the couple.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails and a white paisley vest and tie. His boutonniere was a white rose with heather and ivy.

Nick Stickler of Bottineau, ND, friend of the couple, served as best man. Groomsmen were Jamie Vigness of Duluth, brother of the groom, Jim Parnham of Lino Lakes, cousin of the groom and Mike Nelson of St. Hilaire, friend of the couple. The groom's attendants wore black tuxedos with tails and gold and white paisley vests and ties. Their boutonnieres contained white carnations and alstromeria.

The ring bearer was Adam Sisler of Thief River Falls, brother and godson of the groom. He was dressed in a tuxedo and vest similar to the groomsmen. He carried a heart-shaped pillow made by the bride and her mother. He wore a boutonniere with a white rose, heather and ivy.

The ushers were Scott Crawford of Blaine, brother-in-law of the bride, Marty Johnson of Thief River Falls, brother-in-law of the bride, Gerry Seim of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple and Jason Haugen of Thief River Falls, friend of the couple. The ushers wore black tuxedos with gold and white paisley vests and ties and boutonnieres of wine carnations.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a hunter green suit with lace accents. The mother of the groom chose a turquoise two-piece dress with satin accents. The step-mother of the groom chose a cream flora dress with lace collar. The women each wore a corsage with white carnations, alstromeria, wine tulle and gold ribbon.

The father of the bride and the father of the groom each wore a black tuxedo with black paisley vest and tie and a boutonniere with white carnations and alstromeria.

Honored guests were Myron and Ragna Harddson of Thief River Falls, grandparents of the bride, Ed and Caroline Sisler and Frank Gillespie, all of Thief River Falls and Jim and Claudette Parnham of Carson, CA, all grandparents of the groom.

The hosts and hostesses at the reception were Leon and Karen Johnson, uncle and aunt of the bride, Virgil and Bonnie Wagner, uncle and aunt and godparents of the bride, Bruce Parnham, uncle and godfather to the groom and Jeanne Forsue, friend of the couple.

Guest book attendants were Kim Maidment and Rosalind Wold, friends of the bride. Handing out bulletins were Jane Carlson and Tami Kirkeby, friends of the bride.

The three tiered cake with white dropped piping design was decorated with lights, greenery and wine holly and topped with a Precious Moments figurine, a gift from the bride's parents. The cake was baked and decorated by Margaret Rupprecht. Cake cutters were Rita Parnham, aunt of the groom and Gail Kasowski, friend of the bride. Coffee was served by Suzy Parnham, godmother of the groom, and Kathy Wagner, aunt of the bride. Punch was served by Becky Miller, aunt of the groom and Chad and Dave Miller, cousins of the groom. Candy kisses were distributed by Ethan Johnson, nephew and godson of the bride, Matthew Sisler, brother of the groom and Ashley Seaverson, niece and godchild of the groom.

The bride is a 1991 graduate of Lincoln High School, a 1992 graduate of Northland Community College and a 1994 graduate of Bemidji Sate University. She is currently employed as a science teacher in Fisher. The groom is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed at Sjoberg's Cable TV. The happy couple makes their home in Red Lake Falls.

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Open house for Srnskys

There will be a 25th wedding anniversary open house for Don and Della Srnsky at 4 p.m. on October 21 at the Don and Della Srnsky residence.

No gifts please. The open house will be hosted by the couple's daughters, Kathy and Kristy.

Open house celebration for Dietz anniversary

In celebration of Clarence and Carrie Dietz's 50th wedding anniversary there will be an open house on Saturday, October 21.

A luncheon will be held from 2-4 p.m. at the Heritage Community Center in Thief River Falls.

All family and friends are welcome. The event is hosted by Debra and Richard

ON THE OTHER HAND

Vicki Dimegale
Lincoln High School

The other day, someone commented on how busy I was. I took it with a grain of salt because it's true. I am an extremely busy person. Upon reflection, the comment reminded me of a section of lines I had during last year's One Act play, Insight.

"It was Monday at 3:00 baton and 5:00 ballet. Tuesday at 3:30 horseback riding. Wednesday at 4:00 Girls Scouts and 6:00 flute. Thursday at 2:30 piano and 4:20 cheerleading. Friday was Karate and then I started sewing and calligraphy on Saturday, and Sunday was my day for homework and play."

Now, I'm not quite that busy, but it certainly seems like life is rushing by awfully quickly sometimes. Last night, I was thinking about how busy high school students are as a general rule. We put so many hours into service clubs, competitive sports, music, drama, and part-time jobs that it's a wonder we get anything accomplished at all. Why do you suppose we constantly have to be involved in every activity under the sun? Maybe it's merely an opportunity to bolster a resume/application for some people, perhaps for others, activities are merely a way to pass the time. Another reason for being so involved is because it's just pure fun. Personally, I have another theory: I believe deep down we all need to feel loved, needed, and respected by both our peers and our adult counter-parts in society. What better way to be depended upon or commended for than to be involved in lots of activities?

Who doesn't love the thrill of applause after the final curtain of opening night or the cheers of the crowd during the big play-off game? Peer, parent, and teacher recognition are a very important part of a teenager's life. I guess that brings us to the major part of being involved—self-image.

I recently heard a good, adult friend of mine giving a lesson on identity. He discussed how the way we see ourselves will determine how well we handle the challenges we face in our lives. I have to agree. How can you possibly overcome an obstacle if you enter into it with a low attitude of your abilities? That's where the importance of doing activities comes in. By being involved in things, you are forced to take responsibility for your actions and attitudes for the good of other group, team, or cast members. In return, these people build you up, thus strengthening your self-image and value. For example, I play tennis. Tennis is an extremely physical and mental game. Each player is responsible for playing his or her own match to the best of his or her ability, but all of the scores go together for the good of the team. Teammates build each other up. Therefore, the confident "I" makes a confident and successful "We."

Being involved does have its downside. Sometimes it means sacrificing that extra hour of sleep on Wednesday mornings for a jazz rehearsal or missing "Friends" on Thursday night TV for play practice. All in all, however, the self-confidence and "team" spirit gained outweigh the things given up. And now I'd better go...I have a play practice to get to.

Senior meal at Heritage Center on Sunday

The senior meal at the Heritage Center on Sunday, October 22 at 5:30 will be a ham dinner. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Look, Mom, no cavities! Dr. Michael Thiele took this picture of his young patient Tristen Kindrick who was born with teeth. Tristian, son of Cheryl and Jim Kindrick, had his first visit to the dentist when he was two weeks old.

Tristen John Kindrick was born with two front teeth on August 6 at Nothwest Medical Center. He is pictured with his parents Cheryl and Jim Kindrick. Mr. Kindrick stated that Dr. Winjum, who delivered Tristen, has been in on 1,200 deliveries but he has never seen a newborn with teeth.

Tickets available for Harvest of Knowledge

Tickets for the Harvest of Knowledge Agri-Women's Conference and Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year Banquet are available by calling Karen Landman at 701-326-4523. The conference and banquet will be held October 27 at the Grand Forks Ramda Inn. Tickets are only $25 before October 20 and $30 after October 20. A special rate of $10 is being offered for the Farm Woman of the Year Banquet alone. Everyone is welcome. Those who are not Agri-Women members are also welcome to attend.

1995 members of the hospital auxiliary board are, front row, Joan Strong, Lindsay Ray, Ruth Nepper, Snookie Bondy, Sylvia Grindley, Bea Froelich and Evelyn Myrum, second row, Annabelle Cuppette, Carol Novak, Marge Prestebak, Pauline Aubol and Bette Beich.

Hospital auxiliary members attend convention

Six board members attended the state meeting of HCAM at Cragun's at Brainerd, September 20-22. Those attending were Pauline Aubol, Maxine McEwen, Evelyn Myrum, Carol Novak, Sylvia Grindley and Annabelle Cuppett.

The auxiliary fall dinner was held at the Heritage Center September 26. Maxine McEwen was honored for her years of service to HCAM and was presented a corsage and a cake.

The 1995 auxiliary board members were also presented with corsages. They are Joan Strong, Lindsay Ray, Ruth Nepper, Snookie Bondy, Sylvia Grindley, Bea Froelich, Evelyn Myrum, Annabelle Cuppette, Carol Novak, Marge Prestebak, Pauline Aubol and Bette Beich.

On October 17 Evelyn Myrum and Bea Froelich attended the District A meeting in Baudette.

TRF Writers' Group to resume meeting

The Writers' Group will resume meeting every third Thursday from 7-9 p.m. at the Thief River Falls public library, beginning Thursday, October 19. Call Jan at 681-2390 or 681-8401 or Kim at 681-4465 for more information about the group.

SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

. . . Weekly Shopping

Despite being such a hoarder of food and other supplies, I dislike shopping. I find it is a real chore to decide what items I need, make out a list, clip coupons for the items, and then actually make my way to the grocery store to buy them. It always seems to take up so much of my time — time I could spend doing other things that I enjoy more.

I usually make out my shopping list during the week and then wait for the flyer from the grocery store to finish off. Sometimes I need only a few items, but as soon as I get the flyer from the grocery store, my list becomes outrageously long. I don't know why I find it necessary to buy things simply because they are on sale, but I do. I suppose this is how my cupboards become so full.

Once my list is complete, I need to check my coupons to see if I can get some money off the items I am going to buy. This is a rare occurrence. I often find that the coupon for whatever I am buying has expired the week before the store has the item on sale. Do you suppose the store plans it that way?

Digging through my coupons is a lengthy process, even though I have them in a special box and all neatly categorized — usually. The problem is that sometimes I let my coupon pages sit around for several weeks before I get around to cutting them out and this is bad. This means that I must spend my time cutting the coupons out, or else leaf through numerous pages of coupons before I can actually get ready to go shopping.

Nonetheless, after finding the suitable coupons, I finally have everything organized and ready to go. My coupons are paper clipped to my list and my list has been re-written, as best I can, in the order that the items will be found in my trek around the store. I am ready. Now to get to the store.

I have tried shopping at 7 a.m. on a weekday and find this is just a little too early. I usually get to the store quite a bit later than 7 and then, once I have raced around the store and done my shopping, I have to get the items home and then put everything away. This often makes me somewhat late for work. That will not do.

I have tried shopping at my noon hour and this, too, gets to be difficult. Most of the time I am too busy dragging in bags and putting things away to have even a small bite to eat, so I go back to work hungry, as well as completely worn out with my feet hurting from running through the store and carrying in and putting away groceries.

I have not tried shopping in the evenings, but I know that I am very tired after a day at work and this might not be a good time. I am also very hungry after a day at work and I will certainly find myself straying from my carefully planned list and buying several things that just "look good" to me because I am so hungry. Besides, everyone else is also shopping right after work and the check-out aisles are always full of people. Later in the evening I am too full of supper and dopey after eating or too ready to go to bed to do my shopping.

I have gone to the store on Saturday morning and this might be the best time for me. Everything is nice and fresh and there are very few people shopping at that time. The only drawback to shopping on Saturday morning is that some of the sale items from the flyer have disappeared. Other people have shopped earlier in the week and bought everything.

In spite of all of the problems I still find myself at the grocery store every week, and sometimes more often. One of these days I might actually dare going a week without doing the shopping, and what will happen then?

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Wolds to celebrate 25 years

In celebration of the 25 wedding anniversary of Roland and Rose Wold, there will be a supper served at St. Bernard's Catholic Church Hall at 6:30 p.m. on October 28.

Hinces to celebrate 40 years

In honor of their 40th wedding anniversary, Willard and Shirley Hince will renew their wedding vows at 7 p.m. on October 21 at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls. Friends and family are welcome. Reception to follow.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

I Grew Up On The Four Food Groups

I mourn the demise of the good old four food groups. It was easy, eat a few servings of this and a few servings of that and you're healthy.

Now there's this food pyramid, looking like a triangle. The biggest portion on the bottom represents the food you should eat a lot of - breads and grains. The next biggest section is reserved for fruits and vegetables. The very tip at the top, not much bigger than a pencil point, shows what you should eat little of - the fat. They're talking about all the good stuff: chips, cookies, pizza, tacos, fast food.

The food pyramid and nutrition experts recommend eating a whopping five to nine servings of fruits and vegetables each day to be healthy. I know, for a fact, that you DO NOT get to eat nine servings from that section at the top.

Almost every newspaper and magazine that I've read lately carries suggestions of how to actually eat five to nine servings of fruits and veggies. Personally, I think you'd have to be a close relation to a rabbit in order to eat that quantity of fruits and vegetables in one day.

I'm lucky if I eat the minimum of five fruit and vegetable servings in one week. Ever since I was a youngster, I've had bad experiences with these foods.

I remember tasting a banana once. Yuck! Too warm and mushy. Also at an early age, I remember gagging on canned mushrooms that had been cooked on a pizza. I also believe that a green bean casserole gave me the stomach flu. And I think I broke out in hives from everything else that resembled "good-for-you-food."

Fruit looks appealing, but somehow my tastebuds don't agree. It's a good thing that tastes change as one ages or I'd be a perfect specimen of what happens on a vegetable- and fruit-free diet.

Lately, all the hype about the food pyramid has me thinking and counting my servings. I give myself quite a bit of leeway in the calculations because I'm not quite certain what constitutes a serving or if something actually deserves credit.

For example, are lettuce and a slice of tomato on a sandwich a serving? How about the carrot, onion and celery in one bowl of soup? Or do you have to slurp down 10 bowls of soup? Does spaghetti sauce count as a vegetable serving? How about the olives, green peppers and mushrooms on a pizza? Or the fruits in pies? Salsa must count for something?

It's not that I totally boycott fruit and vegetables. I'll choke down an apple or an orange occasionally. Peas and green beans are tolerable. I'd be in business if I could count multi servings of corn (especially corn on the cob) or potatoes.

Disguising fruits and vegetables also works. Broccoli and cauliflower are excellent when dunked in massive quantities of ranch dressing. Raspberries make a tasty ice cream accompaniment, along with whipped cream. Apples are yummy when dipped in caramel. Bananas are tolerable when mashed in pudding.

My avoidance of fruits and vegetables is something I could hide, but somehow I have to encourage my 5-year-old son to enjoy fruits and vegetables. I've always thought that if you could incorporate fruits' and vegetables' vitamins in potato chips and cookies, you could make a fortune.

Until then, I'll have to keep reading those magazines and newspapers to see how other people hold up the bottom part of the food pyramid. And I'll campaign for the return of the four food groups.

Blood pressure & foot care clinic

Monday October 23 there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Skylite apartments, 415 Arnold Avenue, Thief River Falls.

Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only. Call Inter-County Nursing Service for foot care appointments at 681-5950. There is a $4 fee for foot care. The public is welcome.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Cornmeal Playdough

Cornmeal playdough is interesting to play with, because it has a grainy texture. This is also a good time to discuss the fact that cornmeal is made from corn, how the corn grows and how it is ground to make cornmeal.

You will need:
2 1/2 cups of flour
1 cup of cornmeal
1 tablespoon of oil and
1 cup of water.

Mix flour with cornmeal. Add oil and water. Additional water can be added to make the desired texture. Use cookie cutters, rolling pin and imagination to enjoy this activity.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need white paper, watercolors and a white crayon.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Parton, Dolly. Coat of Many Colors. A little girl from Tennessee soon discovers that riches come in many forms after her mother sews her a wonderful coat out of a bunch of colorful rags.

Miller, M. L. Those Bottles. It turns out to be a major adjustment for all when the Bottles, a "different" sort of family shaped like bottles and made out of glass, moves to a town with regular people.

VIDEO VARIETY

Families Are Special. After an exciting day, Tosha's big surprise is revealed as Barney, Baby Bop and BJ are exploring family values.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

—(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Teaching Independence Through Dressing

Parents can encourage enormous growth in their child's sense of independence and cooperation during dressing times. Children like to do things for themselves as quickly as they can. You can see it very early when infants repeatedly try to stand and walk only to fall flat on their bottoms. You can also see it when they attempt to feed or dress themselves. Little successes in these and other tasks result in great joy because children are finally learning to do things for themselves. These accomplishments have greater value in that they help establish in children a sense of independence and cooperation as well as building self-confidence. They feel good about themselves because they can do "big person" things. They will then want to do more things for themselves and by themselves.

Dressing and diapering young children should be a partnership between the parent and the child. Allow your child to do the things she can do by herself and assist her when she needs help. Yes, it may take longer to do it this way. Yes, there can be some frustration when your child wants to do more than he or she is capable of. But if you keep a positive attitude, one of cooperation and partnership (rather than creating a power struggle), dressing should go much more smoothly.

Even babies can participate in this partnership and cooperation. The baby who lies still or holds his legs up during a diaper change is an active participant. Recognize, reward and encourage this participation by responding postively to your baby.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk about what you are doing as you dress your child. Help him/her to put words into actions. "Raise" your arm, "lift" your leg, "stand up", "sit down", etc.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

40th anniversary for Johnsons

Marland and Sharon Johnson will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Saturday, October 21 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium, lower level. Family and friends are invited to share in coffee and cake from 8 to 10 p.m. No gifts please.

Theme for Community Church Convention is "Our Destiny to Come"

Community Church on Highway One, east of Thief River Falls, will be having their annual Fall Convention: Our Destiny to Come. The convention begins at 7 p.m. and continues nightly through Sunday evening. Special features will be a men's prayer breakfast for ages 13 and older to be held Saturday morning at 9:30 at the C'Mon Inn on Highway 59 south in Thief River Falls and a mother/daughter tea on Thursday afternoon at 2:00.

Coinciding with the convention will be a women's conference for ages 13 and older on Friday at 2 p.m. and all day Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Special guest speakers will be Lindell and Darlene Ballenger, pastors of Jubilee Christian Ministry International in Pensacola, FL, site of the recent hurricane Dan.

For answers to questions call (218) 681-2285.

Open house for Morkens

Allard and Margaret Morken will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house on Saturday, October 21 from 2-5 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church dining hall, Grygla. No gifts please.

Area members attend AAL conference

The Aid Association for Lutherans Lamplighter Renewal Training Conference was held October 6-8 at the Radisson Inn in Bismarck, ND.

There were 115 people in attendance including Lamplighters Ardis Horn of Ada, Cliff and Margie Steinhauer of Holt and Loretta Hesse of Plummer, members of the Gerald Behnkendorf Agency of Grand Forks, ND.

A 1996 BOATS presentation was given by the Western ACV Team, Alan and Joanne Vasek.

Roger Drevlow (formerly of Ada) was host AAL General Agent for Bismarck. Reverend Brad Stolkenew (formerly of Ada) pastor of Zion Lutheran Church in Bismarck was speaker for the church service held Sunday, October 8 at the Radisson Inn.

Marcie Degroot-Flasch, Sue Anderson and Steve Schultz from Appleton, WI representing the Aid Association for Lutheran's home office, gave several sessions on the 1995 and 1996 programs and direct-to-member benefits. Some of the programs discussed were "Together Against Crime" and "Youth Serve."

Special guest was Bruce Fehr, Western Region Manager, from Denver, CO.

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LaVanna Meyhoff

LaVana has managed the Super 8 Motel for the past five years. Her responsibilities include bookkeeping, scheduling employees and anything that is required to keep the motel running smoothly. LaVana enjoys working with people and tries to satisfy all of her customers and make them feel at home during their stay. During her spare time LaVana enjoys painting, dancing, shopping, meeting new people, going to craft fairs and camping with her husband, Raymond.

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Colleen Holen

Colleen serves the Thief River Falls, Goodridge and Grygla area people for Aid Association For Lutherans. AAL is the Bohnsbondorf Agency out of Grand Forks, ND which sells life, health, disability and long term care insurance and annuities. Colleen has qualified for the National Quality Award for the last five years. Colleen's interests include her seven children, 11 grandchildren and her many friends.

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Dayna Bruggeman

For the past six months Dayna has been director of Discovery Place and Discovery Place on Campus. She is responsible for the overall operation of Discovery Place which serves over 130 families and employs 29 staff members. Dayna is married to Dean and her hobbies and interests include antique and craft shopping, snowmobiling and collecting children's books.

Discovery Place 681-6202

LAURIE PANEK has worked for the state for 18 years as Stride Program Coordinator/Case Manager. She and her husband, Larry, are the proud owners of Frosty Lane Llama Farm located eight miles East on Highway 1. They have a son: "Charlie" Garrett. *Not pictured.*

BONNY STECHMANN, a 5-year employee, works in unemployment insurance taking initial claims, interviewing claimants and employers, and troubleshooting. She is also trained and certified to teach Creative Job Search classes. Bonny's time away from work Includes spending time with her three children: Ben, 15 and twins Alexis and Alicia, 13, and their activities.

JILL FREMLING, a 3-year Job Service employee, with 14 years of administrative marketing experience. She is marketing coordinating working with advertising, employer relations and facilitates résumé writing classes. Jill has three daughters: Heather, 7; Holly, 5; and Hilliary, 3; with whom she enjoys spending time with.

JANIE CHAPLINSKI has been with Job Service for two years and is administrative assistant in charge of ordering office supplies, processing payroll, maintaining personnel files, providing clerical support for managers and other programs, data entry for re-employment and job service. Janie has a 3-year-old daughter, Kelsey; and is engaged to Dean Brandon. She enjoys crafts as a hobby.

JAN SCHUSTER has been with the Department of Economic Security for three years and has recently transferred to Thief River Falls from the Bloomington office. She works with the Stride Program helping AFDC recipients to find work. Jan enjoys music, travel, working with twig furniture and is in the process of learning to quilt, and time spent with her grandchildren. She has three children and five grandchildren.

LEE HELGENSET, a 12-year veteran, works with adjudicate separation and eligibility determinations and monitors re-employment insurance programs in the area. She enjoys reading, drawing and walking. Lee and her husband, Rod have two children: Hans, 20; and Leah 17.

LORRAINE WATNE has worked with Job service since December, 1981 and is program assistant for Minnesota Green Thumb, the oldest and largest operator of employment and training programs for older Americans. It's mission is to improve the quality of life by using and developing talents and skills through training, employment and community service. Lorraine's hobbies include flowers and her grandchildren. She is widowed with five grown children.

PAT UELAND has worked with Job service for 17 years as field office manager for Thief River Falls, Crookston, Roseau and East Grand Forks. She has four children: Natalie, Jeff, Nick and Greg. *Not pictured.*

MARLYS JOHNSON, a 12-year employee works with unemployment insurance and recently transferred to Thief River Falls from Fergus Falls Job Service. She is married with four children and six grandchildren. *Not pictured.*

PAT BJERKNES has been with the Minnesota Department of Economic Security for five years. She is a coordinator for a federal classroom training program through the Minnesota Department of Economic Security, in addition to working as an employment representative. Pat's interests include interior decorating, going for walks, being involved in their children's activities and school and church events. Pat and her husband, Ron have two children: Dan, 18; and Darin, 15. *Not pictured.*

JOB SERVICE MINNESOTA

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Judy Johnson

Judy is production assistant to Jim Cwikla at Farm Bureau Insurance and helps Jim solicit insurance to the community. Her hobbies and interests include crafts, photography and the outdoors. She and her husband, Al, have three children: Scott, 20, Andrea, 17, and Jamie 7.

Meridith Walton

Meridith is a 2-year employee with Farm Bureau Insurance and she handles general office duties and helps clients and customers to the best of her ability. She is on the Middle River Community Theater Board, teaches Sunday school music, loves to snowmobile, tend to her flower garden and camping. Meridith and her husband, Brian have two children: Jeremy, 7, and Christopher 3.

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Kay Wedul-Steiger

Kay has been with Lutheran Brotherhood for 15 years. She works with clients to determine their financial needs and inform them on choices of insurance and investments. Kay enjoys traveling, reading, bridge, gardening and motorcycling. She is married to Douglass and has two children: Sara Wedul, 28; and Aaron Wedul, 25.

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Annette Bergan

Annette and her husband, Bob, started Bergan Travel in 1976, 18 years ago. They coordinate travel plans for travelers all over the world, both incoming groups from abroad and corporate and local individuals and groups. Annette enjoys public contact and escorting groups all over the world, including China, Japan, Russia and Europe. Annette's hobbies include entertaining, traveling and spending time at the cabin. Bob and Annette have two daughters: Tammy, employed by U of M in Accounting, St. Paul; and Paula who with her husband, Tim Palsrson, are employed by Nova Care in Sioux City, IA as Occupational Therapists.

BERGAN Travel

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Brenda McCarty

Brenda was former marketing manager for Goodson Manufacturing, Winona, and Studio 6, a free-lance studio specializing in graphic design in Oshkosh, WI. As an independent representative on the Consultant Services network, Brenda is responsible for all graphic design, graphic art, and commercial art including layout, production, and typesetting. "Graphic design is fun. The possibilities are endless and the commercial edge a business gets from a well-done logo or newsletter – or an ad that's been put together right, has it's own rewards." Brenda holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Wisconsin. Brenda and her husband, Charlie, live in Thief River Falls and have two children: Kyla and Koila.

Kim Ditz Willis

Kim Ditz Willis is one of 11 representatives on the Consultant Services network. Kim is a native of Birmingham, MI, with a bachelors degree from Michigan State University. As an independent consultant, Kim's area of expertise is data base processing, data base management and internet access. She also works with G.P.S. (Global Positioning Systems) and digital mapping. "I think it's amazing what can be done to organize data on a computer, and how that information can be used and managed. It makes everything so efficient." Kim and her husband, David, have a home in rural Thief River Falls. They have two children: Sarah and Benjamin.

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Cathy Belmont

Cathy, owner of Cathy Belmont Interiors, has worked in the field of interior design for 17 years. She offers a complete range of decorating services from wall, window and floor coverings to cabinets and beautiful functional gas and wood fireplaces. Cathy enjoys meeting and working with her clients. She proves whether decorating one room, or an entire home, planning your environment can be a pleasant experience. Cathy and her husband, Larry have three children: Christopher, Colleen and Ryan, and one grandchild.

CATHY BELMONT INTERIORS

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Kami Spears

Kami has owned Young Impressions for 5 1/2 years. Her duties include: ordering merchandise for the store, directing employees to price merchandise displayed for sale, bookkeeping, merchandise displays, training employees, assisting customers with selecting the perfect gift or outfit for their children, and trying have a good selection of merchandise to please her customers. Kami enjoys spending time with her husband and children, walking, biking, reading to her children, traveling and watching sports. Kami and her husband, Mike, have two children: Grand, 4; and Devin 2.

Young Impressions

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Tami Dyer

Tami is employed by Norwest Banks of Thief River Falls. She has been in the banking business for nearly 17 years. Tami is currently a personal banking officer/annuity representative. She works with installment loans and deposit accounts' checking, savings, CDs and IRAs. Tami also is licensed through Norwest Insurance Inc. to sell annuities. Within the Norwest system, a personal banker is the one-stop banker. Tami helps an individual with all of their financial needs from checking to loans to investment options. Tami is married to Lynn and has two children: Matthew, 14 and Brianna, 11. She enjoys being with her family, camping, snowmobiling, good movies, a good book, rollerblading, walking and volleyball.

Sharon L. Stewart

Sharon is employed by Norwest Banks of Thief River Falls. She has 17 years of banking experience. Today Sharon supervises 12 co-workers in the teller department. She is responsible for efficient customer service and sales. Sharon is married to Donald and has one son Todd, 23. Sharon enjoys gardening, gourmet cooking, spending time with family and trout fishing in Montana.

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Mary Ann Lofberg

Mary Ann works in the graphic arts department at The Times where she does layout and design of commercial printing, including process color brochures, posters, flyers, business forms, booklets, letterheads, envelopes, etc. She has been employed there for 22 years. Her hobbies include crocheting, reading, walking, shopping and enjoying her three grandchildren. Mary Ann and her husband, Gary have three children: Quincy 28, Kim (Darren Panek), 25, and Paul (Rhonda), 24.

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Kim Lubarski

Kim has been employed with Country Health since August 1988. As a Medical Equipment Specialist II her duties include providing planning of equipment needs for patients, as well as education delivery, mainly oxygen and IV; coordinate and complete all documents that contribute to quality improvement and JCAHO standards, develop patient plans of care, conduct marketing activities to promote and educate on product lines available to patients, oversee and assist with staff orientation and skills validation and submit comments to physicians. Kim and her husband David have a five-year old daughter Nicole. They raise, show and sell Appaloosa horses that have won at Canadian Nationals, placed at World Show and have been in the top 10 in the nation.

Kathy Sather

Kathy is Patient Account Specialist with Country Health and has had that position for approximately 3 1/2 years. She does all the insurance billing for customers and nursing homes, waits on customers and answers the phone. Her hobbies include reading and gardening. Kathy and her husband Aldyn have three children: Neil 13, Kyle 12 and Jodi 9.

Diane Berggren

Diane employed 1 1/2 years as Customer Service Representative with Country Health. She answers incoming calls, assists customers with purchases, type correspondence, prior authorizations and contracts, reviews appropriate paperwork for billing purposes on equipment or services, enters computer data, filing, faxing, ordering supplies and collects patient information for equipment set up. Her hobbies include riding Harley Davidsons and bowling. She and her husband Gus have four children: Alan 24, Sheila 21, Andrea 12, and Daniel 11.

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Wanda Schuster

Wanda and her husband, Gerald purchased Wanda's Flower and Gift Shoppe in January 1990. As owner, she is involved in all aspects of the business. Gerald is the bookkeeper which involved a lot of work. Buying merchandise in both the gift and fresh flower business is a major part of Wanda's job. Working with customers in selling is a pleasure and she has wonderful employees who are a great part in making their business very successful. Wanda extends her sincere thanks to Ellen, Celeste, Patty, Katie and Anne for their assistance. Wanda's hobbies include going fishing with her husband and friends and family. Gerald and Wanda have three children: Ronald, Lori and Jason.

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Wanda's Flower & Gift Shoppe

Debbie Muzzy

Debbie is a sales associate at Kordel Furniture for the past year and a half. A day at Kordel for Debbie consists of sales, customer service, customer relations and bookkeeping. Debbie enjoys spending her free time with her husband, Scott, and her two children: Jake, 5, and Royce, 2 1/2. She also enjoys sewing, crafts, yardwork, music and spending time with friends.

Jolene Ryba

Jolene is a sales associate at Kordel Furniture for the past 6 1/2 years. Some of Jolene's daily duties at Kordel are sales, customer service and customer relations. When Jolene is not at Kordel, she enjoys spending time with her husband, Arne, and two children: Amy, 15 and Tyler, 13. Jolene also enjoys camping, snowmobiling, walking and reading.

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Diane Johnson

As owner of The Music Works Diane does everything from management duties to tuning and fixing pianos and band instruments and selling retail items including instruments, accessories and canoes. She enjoys canoeing, camping, photography and cross-country skiing and is active in Oak Ridge Lutheran church and Thief River Falls Women of Today. Diane loves to spend time with her husband Dave, and children: Danica, 11, and Christian, 8 months. She also enjoys her dogs.

THE MUSIC WORKS

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Kerri Armstrong

Kerri, a sales representative for The Jewel Box has been employed there for the past six months. She demonstrates products available, assisting in product knowledge, helps customers to create new settings from existing jewelry, helps customers make decisions in fine jewelry purchases that they will enjoy for years. Kerri enjoys sewing, crocheting, reading and has taken courses in fine jewelry, diamonds and diamond grading. She has two children: Ashley, 10; and Tyler 1.

Tina Hoffart

Tina has been employed with The Jewel Box for two months and does sales and customer demonstrations of jewelry available within the store. She also orders inventory and sets up the new product in the computer. Tina enjoys cross-stitching, sewing, fishing and snowmobiling. Her husband is Brian.

The Jewel Box

105 Third Street East • (218) 681-4837

Kim Hicks

Kim is the co-owner of Mr. Duanes, a women's clothing store in Thief River Falls. Kim is responsible for purchasing merchandise for the store, and visual merchandising. She also does the hiring and training of employees, scheduling and all of the advertising. Kim and her husband, Rick, enjoy going to the family lake cabin with their 3-year-old son, Cody. Kim also enjoys bowling, church choir, fishing, painting, wallpapering and traveling. One of Kim's all-time loves is movies. She also likes going to the theatre for plays and musicals.

Pam Pals

Pam is the co-owner of Mr. Duane's, a women's clothing store in Thief River Falls. Pam is responsible for accounts receivable, accounts payable and all the office work, including shipping and receiving of merchandise for the store. Pam also helps Kim Hicks do all the purchasing of inventory for the store. When Pam has some free time, she enjoys the company of her daughters, Jennifer, 23, and Brenda, 19, and her pride and joy is her year-old granddaughter, Mickayla. Pam also enjoys church choir, church building committee, fishing, bowling, home decorating, traveling and musicals.

Mr. Duane's

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Kathy Panek

Kathy is self-employed with Farmers Insurance Group and began working there seven years ago. She writes all lines of insurance, specializing in auto, home and life insurance. Her hobbies include wood crafts, raising flowers and drying them to sell at craft shows. Kathy also plays drums in the music ministry with Church on the Move. Her three children include: Jill, Paige, and Clint.

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Olivia Newland

Olivia is the co-owner of Variety Sales in Thief River Falls. She and her husband/co-owner, Bob, have been in the business for 13 years. Olivia is responsible for all the financial transactions, including the general bookkeeping. She purchases and determines retail pricing on all inventory except tools, furniture and electronics. Bob takes care of that. Olivia also takes care of the advertising, donations, sales, scheduling and "whatever it takes to keep things going." She has two children: Dan, 26, and Nancy 24. When time permits, she enjoys going to the lake and fishing; and when she's at home she likes cleaning, decorating and baking. One of Olivia's biggest hobbies is to buy a house, fix it up, and turn around and sell it again.

VARIETY SALES

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Sue Minnick

Sue has been employed by Northland Community and Technical College for five years. She is currently the Vice-President in charge of Academic Affairs and Student Services. She received her A.A. from Austin Community College, her B.A. from Winona State and her M.A. from the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse. Sue has three children: Julie, 22, Laurie, 21, and Amy, 15. She enjoys reading and traveling.

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Julie Rohl

Julie is employed by John G. Kinnard. She has been employed in the financial investment business for 7 years. Customer service is a big part of her job – from finding out when a check was sent out, to providing quotes to processing securities for an estate account, to answering questions. Julie also works with local accountants to answer questions at tax time, and does a lot of direct mailings with information of interest to the clients. Setting up seminars beneficial to our clients, keeping transaction records on the computer and monitoring retirement plans for several local businesses are also some of her duties. Julie is married to Regan and has two children: Brent, 15, and Brock, 10. She enjoys golf, volleyball, spending time at the lake, snowmobiling and relaxing with a good book.

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Gail Oyster

Gail has been in the real estate business for 15 years. In addition to listing and selling real estate, Gail does closings, secretarial/receptionist duties, bookkeeping and computer work for All Season's Realty. She enjoys walking, crafts, sewing, reading and is active in Boy Scouts of America. Gail and her husband, Royal have two boys: Lee, 20; and Adam, 13.

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Michelle Benton

Michelle employed for 5 years, has been a CPA for 10 years. Currently, she is a partner at Anderson, Poissant, Kays & Co. and is involved in providing a full range of accounting, financial, tax and advisory services to individuals, businesses, nonprofit organizations and governmental entities. Michelle is a member of AICPA and MN Society of CPA's, a board member of Rotary Club, a board member of the Northwest Regional Development Commission's Enterprise Fund and a member of its loan committee and economic development committee. She is also treasurer of AAUW, Chamber of Commerce Ambassador and board member of Northland Community Hospice. Michelle is married to Timothy S. Benton and enjoys collecting antiques, listening to and playing music, reading, watching sporting events and rollerblading.

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Julie Olson

Julie is the Director of the Thief River Falls Convention and Visitors Bureau of the Chamber of Commerce. She has worked for the Chamber for the past 7 years. Julie's job is to promote tourism, conventions, seminars, trade shows, sporting events, and any other activity that will bring overnight travelers into Thief River Falls. Julie serves on several community committees and boards of directors in the region. Julie is married to Jeff and have three children: Chad, 11; Anthony, 10; and Makenzie, 2. Julie enjoys spending her spare time horseback riding, wood painting and camping with her family.

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Kathryn Carlson

Kathryn owns and operates Victoria House for the past eight years. There she hand paints porcelain dolls and dresses them, each doll being one of a kind. Victoria House also handles consigned items from area craftors. The shop in Kathryn's home is open by appointment to give her the flexibility to be active on their farm and with her family. Kathryn and her husband Charles have four children: Todd, 26; Troy, 24; Matthew, 20; and Sunny 15. Her interests include raising and showing registered Angus cattle with her family, being a 4-H leader and a volunteer for School District #564.

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Gayle Dahlen

Gayle is the owner/manager and operator of Stylon Chateau. She has been in business for 12 years. Gayle has five employees. Besides the bookkeeping, Gayle cuts, styles and perms hair. Gayle's favorite part of her job is working with her customers and helping people when she can. Gayle and her husband, David, have one child, Stacey, 21. Gayle enjoys cooking, gardening and hunting.

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Cynthia Kaushagen

Cynthia and her husband, Mark, purchased Lindahl's in July of this year. Previously we had a similar business, Trash and Treasure, that was located on Highway 59 about 3 years ago. Buying and selling used furniture, kitchen items, home decorating things, antiques, just about anything you have in your house, buying a few items that people bring in or buying whole households and estates are some of Cynthia's duties. She and her husband, Mark, have been married 10 years and have three daughters: Alexis, 12, Alison, 8, and Karissa, 3. Cynthia enjoys bowling, driving in the country, hunting, and watching baseball and football on TV.

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Susan Schneider

Susan has been owner and president of the Pennington County Abstract Company for the past eight years. Her duties include updating abstracts of title, preparing new abstracts of title, certificates on Torrens Title, Underwriter for major title insurance company and real estate closing services. She is president of the Thief River Falls skating club, enjoys all sporting activities and volunteers for her children's activities. Susan and her husband Dave have three children: Kimberly, 13; Jeffrey, 10; and Aaron, 4.

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Patti Wold

Patti Wold has been with Fountain of Jewels for 8 years, the last 6 as manager. She received formal training with Gemological Institute of America in jewelry repairs, diamonds and colored gemstones. Previous to attending GIA, Patti was manager of a clothing store in Watertown, SD and also has 7 years of experience in banking. Patti's husband, Bob, is an Aviation Mechanics Instructor for NCTC. They have two children: Kyle, 14 and Kari 9. Family activities keep them busy in time away from work. As manager of Fountain of Jewels, Patti would like to invite everyone to stop by. We are the store that likes to offer back to our customers and community in every way we can.

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Harriet Westlin, 77

Thief River Falls — Harriet Westlin, 77, died on Thursday, October 12 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Services were held on Monday, October 16 at Our Saviour's Free Lutheran Church with Reverend Del Palmer officiating. Special music was provided by organist Wanda Vigness and soloist Mike Coppock. Selections were "Beautiful Savior" and "The Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Kent Westlin, Rodney Jorgenson, Kristopher Jorgenson, Robert Benson, James Johnson and Knute Jorgenson. Interment was in the Bethania Cemetery, Marsh Grove township, Marshall county.

Harriet Jorgenson was born on June 5, 1918 on the family farm in Alma township, Marshall county to George and Clara (Bjorsness) Jorgenson. Harriet was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith in Argyle. She attended school in Alma township and following school she stayed home and helped on the family farm.

She was united in marriage to Clarence Westlin on February 7, 1942 in Marshall county. The couple farmed his family farm in Marsh Grove township, Marshall county until 1966, when they moved to Grand Forks, ND. In 1969, they moved to Thief River Falls and Harriet has since resided there.

Clarence preceded her in death in 1975.

She was a member of Our Saviour's Free Lutheran Church and and enjoyed knitting and crocheting.

She is survived by her son, Curtis of Thief River Falls; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; brothers and sisters, Clifford of Milwaukee, WI, Elaine Benson of Detroit Lakes, Earl of Brownsville, TX, Eugene of Argyle and Elizabeth Hammerback of Warren; other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Clarence and brother Lawrence.

Ellen Wralstad, 95

Thief River Falls — Ellen Amanda Wralstad, 95, died on Tuesday, October 10 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, October 14 at the Grafton Lutheran Church in Grafton, ND with Rev. Dale Moe officiating. Special music was provided by Ruth Stenson, organist, and Marvin Mielke, soloist. Selections were "In the Garden" and "Thy Will Be Done." Congregational hymns were "Rock of Ages" and "Abide with Me."

Casketbearers were Roy Mohagen, Alfred Mohagen, Morris Even, Clifford Horter, Steven Wigness, Douglas Williams. Interment was in Grafton Cemetery, Grafton, ND.

Ellen Amanda Evens was born on November 5, 1899 in Voss, ND to the late Even and Anne (Hjelden) Evens. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith and attended Vesleyville #36 School through the eighth grade.

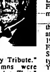
She worked on the family farm until her marriage to Manvil Wralstad on September 10, 1930 in Grand Forks, ND. The couple lived in Grand Forks for two years and then moved to Grafton, ND where they baught a farm. They lived there until Manvil's death in 1985. Ellen then moved to Thief River Falls and has since resided there.

Ellen was a member of the Grafton Lutheran Church. She enjoyed gardening and made wooderful lefse.

She is survived by one son, Phillip Wralstad of Sierra Vista, AZ; one daughter, Marilyn Wigness of Thief River Falls; six grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Edward of Minneapolis and Anton of Eau Claire, WI; and many nieces and nephews.

Ellen was preceded in death by her husband in 1985; brothers, Harold, John, Rudolph and Leonard; half brother, Elgin and three half sisters, Bertha, Julia and Levy.

Bert Vigen, 73



Thief River Falls — Bert Vigen, 73, died Monday, October 9 at Northwest Medical Center.

Funeral services were held Friday, October 13 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Dennis Raymond officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and soloist Van Swanson. Selections were "How Great Thou Art" and "My Tribute." Cangregational hymns were "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee," "Amazing Grace" and "Onward Christian Soldiers."

Casketbearers were Douglas Vigen, Gregory Hallstrom, Ray Schindler, Gordon Benson, Neil Bugge, Kermit Finstad. Honorary casketbearers were nephews, Edward Vigen, James Vigen, Mark Vigen, David Vigen, William Vigen, Daniel Hallstrom, Gary Vigen. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery in Thief River Falls.

Bert Vigen was born May 21, 1922 on the family farm in Smiley township, Pennington county to Edward and Martha (Moe) Vigen. He was baptized at St. Pauli Lutheran Church in Rocksbury township and confirmed at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls where he continued his church membership.

Bert attended rural school through the eighth grade and graduated from Lincoln High School in 1939. He was active in 4-H and FFA while in school. He farmed in Smiley township, Pennington county while participating in Rural Youth, was a 4-H leader, Smiley township assessor, Smiley township clerk and a member of the school board in District 4.

Through these activities he traveled to St. Paul where he met his future wife. Bert was united in marriage to Jolyn Conrad on December 17, 1960 in St. Paul. The couple made their home on the family farm where Bert continued to farm until his death.

Bert was well known in the area for raising Black Angus cattle. He was also instrumental in the construction of Zion Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his wife Jolyn; six children, Elizabeth of Thief River Falls, Bert, Jr. of Fort Lauderdale, FL, Angela, Thief River Falls, Karl of Crystal, Naomi Ness of Roseville and Jennifer of Thief River Falls; six grandchildren; one sister, Gladys Hallstrom of Red Lake Falls; two brotherr, Oscar of Alexandria, VA and Melvin of Dallas, TX and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

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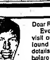

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Oscar Olson, 82

Thief River Falls — Oscar Olson, 82, died on Saturday, October 14 at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Service for Mr. Olson were held on Tuesday, October 17 at the Green Funeral Home with Reverend Tim Bauer officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and vocalist Al Reesnes. Selections were "Abide with Me" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Luke Noreen, Michael Noreen, Grant Nygaard, Kurt Nygaard, Lance Nygaard and Terry Nygaard. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Oscar Olson was born on January 25, 1913 near Box Elder, MT to Tellef and Anna (Tveit) Olson. He was baptized as an infant in the Christian faith and confirmed on May 19, 1929 in the Golden Valley Lutheran Church of Holt. Oscar attended elementary school for some years in Montana before the family moved 1924 to Mud Lake where he finished his schooling.

They farmed there and in 1937 moved to Rocksbury township, Pennington county where he continued to farm. He also worked a number of years for the Arctic Enterprises in Thief River Falls and in later years did dry-walling with his brother Art.

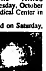
Oscar served in the US Army from May 1942 until December 28, 1945. His duty took him to Louzon, Philippines Theater, for which he received the American Theater, Asiatic Pacific Theater and good conduct medals.

He was united in marriage to Anna Nygaard on March 19, 1982 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

He is survived by his wife, Anna; several nieces and nephews; stepchildren, Conley Nygaaard of Fergus Falls, Robert Nygaard of Thief River Falls, Ramona Burns of Tuscon, AZ, Melba Marquette of North Fort Myers, FL, Tressie Noreen of Thief River Falls; 17 stepgrandchildren; 27 stepgreat-grandchildren; one brother Vernon of McIntosh and one sister Bernice Reesnes of Apple Valley.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Elmer, Arthur, LuVera, Willard, Gordon and Carl.

Alfred Solem, 89



Thief River Falls — Alfred Solem, 89, died Tuesday, October 10 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Services were held on Saturday, October 14 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Reverend John Wollenzien officiating. Special music was provided by organist Dorothy Larson and soloist Mike Coppock. Selections were "Beautiful Savior" and "Borning Cry." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art." Eulogies were written by Marvin Lundin and Loiell Dyrud.

Casketbearers were Roger A. Solem, Kent Nelson, Michael Solem, Aaron Solem, Darryl Solem, Robert Solem, Arlen Solem, Carson Solem, Andrew Solem and Craig Solem. Honorary casketbearers were Cindi Kilen, Kari Nelson, Cassi Solem and Rebekah Solem. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Alfred Solem was born on August 14, 1906 in Excel township, Marshall county to Peter and Alvilda (Krogstad) Solem. He was baptized and confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church and attended County Line school in Marshall county. Alfred attended St. Paul School of Agriculture and returned home to continue farming.

He was united in marriage to Rebecca Halvorson on June 12, 1935 at Trinity Lutheran Church. The couple made their home on the family farm. They raised their family and resided there until 1993, when Alfred moved into the CNC Unit of the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

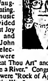
Mr. Solem was chosen outstanding Thief River Falls Community Senior Farmer, he and his wife were chosen Red River Valley outstanding Farmer and Homemaker from Marshall county and were the first to be inducted into the Pennington County 4-H Hall of Fame. He was a member of the American Angus Association, Steiner Community Club, Central Livestock Shipping Association and a deacon at Trinity Lutheran Church.

Alfred enjoyed the outdoors, hunting, curling, reading and showing Aberdeen Angus Cattle at the county fairs.

He is survived by his wife, Rebecca, Thief River Falls; sons, Roger, Thief River Falls, Stuart, Grand Rapids, Kermit, Cameroon, Africa, Peter, Thief River Falls; daughter, Kathryn Nelson, Spring Lake Park; 14 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; brother Allen, Gainesville, FL and nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son Arlen; two grandchildren, Corrine Solem and Naomi Solem; brothers, Otto and Arnie; two sisters, Alice Adkins and Ruth Lee.

James Teigland, 94



Grygla — James Teigland, 94, died on Thursday, October 12 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Monday, October 16 at Grace Lutheran Church Grygla with Reverend Daniel Faugstad officiating. Special music was provided by organist Joy Nordby and soloist John Flom. Selections were "How Great Thou Art" and "When Peace Like a River." Congregational hymns were "Rock of Ages" and "You Are the Way."

Casketbearers were his grandchildren. Interment was at St. Olaf Cemetery.

James Christofer Teigland was born on March 6, 1901 near Beltrami, Polk county to Martin and Brita (Anderson) Teigland. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith. He moved with the family to Grygla in 1902. He attended school and grew to adulthood in Benville township, Beltrami county, later attending Crookston Business School. He worked in Grygla for the Cooperative store.

On January 16, 1926, he was united in marriage to Signe Hylland at Grygla. The couple moved to Waukegan, IL for a time and returned in 1930 to Grygla. The couple farmed in Benville township. James was a carpenter in the area.

He survived by daughters, Marian Ostby, Richfield, Doris Smeby, Grygla, Mavis Smeby, Grygla, Gloria Ness, Viking, and Carole Wells of Bemidji; daughter-in-law Carole Teigland, Waukegan, IL; sons, Glenn, Grygla, Carl, Richfield and Sheldon, Barrow, AK; 35 grandchildren; 36 great grandchildren; brother Melvin, Waukegan, IL; sister-in-law, Mae Teigland, Bemidji and Alice Teigland, Thief River Falls.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; two children, Wallace and Joyce; sisters, Hannah Sorenson, Margaret Sandsmark, Betsey Swanson, Agnes Tollefson, Evelyn Nordby; brothers, Mikkal, Arthur, Allen, infant brother James and foster brother Emeth Landro.

Velma Mae Hamness, 68

Strathcona — Velma Mae Hamness, 68, died Wednesday, October 11 at the Roseau Area Hospital.

Funeral services were held Saturday, October 14 at Grace Evangelical Church, Strathcona with Rev. Robert Ludwig officiating. Special music was provided by organist Pat Ludwig, accompanist Rev. Robert Ludwig and soloist Naomi Zak. A duet was performed by Kay Prothero and Chris Hamness.

Casketbearers were Edward Dallager, Jim Rickenberg, Eldor Lorenson, Harvey, Tommy and Ray Hanson. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Strathcona.

Velma Mae was born May 10, 1927 at Deer township, Roseau county, between Strathcona and Greenbush, the daughter of Emil and Hilda (Majer) Haugtvedt. She grew up and attended school in Deer township, between Strathcona and Greenbush. She graduated from Greenbush High School, class of 1945.

She married Danferd Hamness on March 25, 1950 in Greenbush. They farmed at rural Strathcona for many years. She also was employed by Arctic Enterprises in Thief River Falls from 1968 to 1981.

She was a member of the Grace Evangelical Church in Strathcona and was an active member of its Ladies Aid. Mr. Hamness died on May 11, 1995.

She is survived by one son, Ronnie of Strathcona; two grandchildren; two brothers, Curtis of Greenbush and Harris of Anoka; two sisters, Elaine Nestby of Greenbush and Eunice Staveness of Grygla; many nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and two brothers, Morris and Stanley.

Dale Rokke, 60

Newfolden — Dale Rokke, 60, died on Thursday, October 12 at the United Methodist Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were held Monday, October 16 at 10 a.m. at New Hope Lutheran Church in Newfolden with Reverend Curtus Paulson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Mrs. Erling Selstad and vocalists Mrs. James Monroe and Mrs. Gene Moen. Selections were "Children of the Heavenly Father" and "Precious Lord Take My Hand." Congregational hymns were "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross" and "Great Is Thy Faithfulness."

Casketbearers were Irwin Underbakke, Leslie Folden, David Bakke, Rolland Amundson, James Engelstad, Milo Windahl.

Dale Gordon Rokke was born on June 1, 1935 in New Folden township, Marshall county to the late Oscar and Esther (Anonsen) Rokke. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith. His elementary schooling was in the Marsh Grove Elementary School and he graduated from high school in 1953 at Crookston AC.

In 1955, he entered the Army and served for two years. Following his discharge, he returned to Newfolden and farmed.

On June 17, 1967 he was united in marriage to Kathryne Moen in Newfolden and the couple have since farmed.

He is survived by his wife Kathy; one daughter, Mary Jo Efte of Moorhead; three sons, Darin of Brooklyn Park, Michael of Newfolden and Kent of Fargo, ND; one granddaughter; four sisters, Evangeline Teigen of Oslo, Barbara Grochow of Cloquet, Bonita Tinnes of Brainerd and Carol Boothby of Eagan; two brothers, Orvald of Newfolden and Kermit of Plymouth.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brother Neil.

Francis Wendell Kielty, 80

Grand Forks — Francis Wendell "Wen" Kielty, 80, died Sunday, October 15 at his home in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, October 18 at Holy Family Catholic Church, Grand Forks with interment to follow at Calvary Cemetery, Grand Forks, ND.

Francis Wendell Kielty was born March 22, 1915 in Thief River Falls, the son of John F. and Belva (Odekirk) Kielty. He was raised in Thief River Falls and graduated from Lincoln High School where he excelled in sports and was selected Minnesota All State Forward in basketball in 1932. He continued his basketball career at NDSU Agricultural College in Fargo, ND. He received a teachers degree and taught and coached while he was the principal of Aneta, ND High School.

He was employed by Universal Credit and GMC in Fargo and Williston.

He married Pearle Powers on April 7, 1940 in Sydney, MT. She passed away March 14, 1995.

He served in the Navy in World War II at Long Beach.

In 1951, he purchased Chief Pontiac Motors in downtown Grand Forks. By 1955, he acquired the Buick dealership and formed Kielty Motors, which became known as "clean green engines." Finally in 1969, he expanded Kielty Motors to the location on 32nd and South Washington, Grand Forks.

It is often said that Wen Kielty was a true gentleman. He is remembered by those who knew him and those who worked for him as a man who always treated everyone respectfully. In the early 1970's, he was selected by the Chamber of Commerce as "Boss of the Year." Wen was active in local and state auto associations. He served as director of the Heartview Foundation and was a member of the Tuesday Dinner Club. He retired in 1981 after 30 years in the automobile business and was able to enjoy time at Blackduck and Apache Wells, AZ.

He is survived by daughters, Wendy Kielty Lunski, Gayle Kielty Clifford, both of Grand Forks; four grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and a sister, Sister Rochelle Kielty of Crookston.

He was preceded in death by his wife Pearle; infant daughter Kimberly; brothers, Robert "Dennis" and John "Wayne."

Ronald P. Anderson, 54

West Fargo, ND — Ronald P. Anderson, 54, died on Tuesday, October 10 at his home in West Fargo, ND.

Funeral services were held Friday, October 13 at 2 p.m. at First Lutheran Church, Middle River with Pastor John Jorgenson officiating. Special music was provided by organist-vocalist Barb Geer. Selections were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns were "I Know That My Redeemer Lives," "Abide with Me" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Todd Hansen, Kelly Jacobsen, Chris Pedersan, Kenny Pederson, Wally Anderson and Eldor Omquist. Interment was in First Lutheran Cemetery, Middle River.

Ronald P. Anderron was born November 2, 1940 at Thief River Falls, the son of Carl "Andy" and Nellie (Omquist) Anderson. He attended school and grew to manhood at Middle River, graduating from Middle River High School in 1958. Ronnie was baptized and confirmed at the First Lutheran Church in Middle River.

He attended Thief River Falls Technical College for one year, then entered the National Guard and was discharged in January of 1960.

He returned to Middle River and was employed at the Middle River Record.

On July 6, 1963, Ronnie was united in marriage to Marilyn Peterson at Plummer. Following their marriage, the couple made their home at Delano, Newfolden, Middle River and Mahnomen, prior to moving to West Fargo, ND in 1973. Ronnie was employed by the Fargo Forum in the composing room.

Marilyn passed away June 6, 1995.

He is survived by one son, Craig, West Fargo, ND; two daughters, Carmen Tendeland and Cheryl Anderson, both of West Fargo, ND; two grandchildren; one brother, Mark of St. Cloud and several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his wife; his parents and one daughter, in infancy, Carla.

NCTC offering bronze casting

John Leopold, the interim art instructor at Northland Community and Technical College will be conducting a class focusing on the process of bronze casting. This will be done with the cooperation of the art department at Moorhead State University.

The class will be held Tuesday nights from 6 to 10 p.m. beginning November 28, through March 3. This credit course (ART262 3-Dimensional Design), will acquaint students with the principles of 3-dimensional design, taught through the techniques of mold making and bronze casting. This is a hands-on course taught in an informal studio setting. Students will be creating wax and clay sculpture and then translating these into bronze through the casting process.

Highlights include a trip to Moorhead State University to conduct a bronze pour and producing a bronze statue for each participant. This course, having never been offered before, provides a unique opportunity for students and art enthusiasts in the area. To register, call NCTC admissions at 681-0701 or 1-800-959-6282.

The cost is four credits tuition and $25 lab fee. No text is required.

Noon Lioness hold meeting

Thief River Falls Noon Lioness held their monthly luncheon meeting at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Wednesday, October 11, with 21 members and three guests present. Co-President Edie Brandli opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance and Lioness table prayer. Tail twisting was done by Gloria Lee. Dimes were won by Clarice Galliher and craft was won by Coreen Erickson. A thank you was extended to members who drove for our week of service to Meals on Wheels in September.

Edie Brandli reported on the Lion's Leadership Training she attended on October 7. Joyce Fox reported that 86 pair of used eyeglasses have been collected for the Lion's project. Members brought toiletry articles for Hanson's Boarding Home residents and will visit the home on Monday, October 16 to play bingo and serve lunch. Program chairman Idella Samuelson introduced school board members Cheryl Lee and Carl Clark who gave a very informative presentation on the Excess Levy Referendum that will be on the November ballot. Next board meeting is November 2 at Eileen Horejsh's home. The next regular meeting is November 8 at the Evergreen. Members are reminded to bring food articles and children's books for the local food shelf.

Class of 1940 holds its 55-year reunion

Class members and their spouses from Florida to Washington and California attended the 55-year reunion of the Lincoln high school Class of 1940 at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls September 29-30 and October 1.

Following an afternoon of reminiscing on Friday, class members gathered for group photos early that evening, then attended the banquet and program with Art Buringrud as master of ceremonies.

Invocation was given by Rodney Brodin. Leonard Furuseth welcomed classmates and their spouses and former teacher N. Quentin Jones and his wife Libby. Clifford Vigness presided at the memorial service and a moment of silence was observed in memory of the 26 deceased classmates. Frances (Stenberg) Stromberg read letters received from classmates who could not attend.

Roger Tunberg of the Thief River Falls Education Foundation spoke on the mission of the foundation and its impact on education in Thief River Falls. He stressed membership which is open to everyone through making a contribution to the organization. Clifford Vigness gave the closing prayer.

Entertainment at the banquet was provided by Lois (Jordahl) Dahlen of Willmar. Special door prizes were won by Betty Olson of Tensed, ID; Bill Claffy of Mansfield, MA; and Dolores (Votava) Wilson of Thief River Falls.

On Saturday a buffet luncheon was held at the Best Western Inn, followed by tours of Lincoln high school, Northland Community and Technical College, Challenger Elementary and Preschool, Heritage Community Center and Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village. Leonard Furuseth and Art Buringrud conducted the tours. The evening was spent at River Road Casino with shuttle service from the Best Western Inn.

Concluding event of the reunion was a buffet breakfast Sunday morning at the Best Western Inn.

Classmates and spouses attending the 55-year reunion were the following:

Bill and Kip Claffy, Mansfield, MA; Perry and Arlene Froseth, Portland, OR; Kay and Marie Fretland, El Cerrito, CA; Ione (Ryan) Beck, Waukegan, IL; Olaf and Lois (Jordahl) Dahlen, Willmar; Preston and Helen (Grinde) Brown, Fresno, CA; and Blanche and Herb Goethe, Goodridge;

Also Gilbert and Carrie (Groven) Vensland, Pequot Lakes; Betty and Maynard Olson, Tensed, ID; Andy Wilson, San Mateo, CA; Frances (Stenberg) Stromberg, Grygla; Valzora (Voldness) Norman, Owatonna; Charles Orme, Colorado Springs, CO; Blossom and Robert Stewart, Billings, MT; and Donald and Elaine (Rambeck) Pederson, Twin Valley;

Also Harlie Lunke, Westminster, CA; Ardith (Lauger) Famme, LaMesa, CA; Norma Jean Looker, Red Lake Falls; Lawrence and Mavis Swanson, North Redington Beach, FL; Ken and Ruth (Myhrer) Keuhn, Ely; and Doris (Hostvet) Peterson, Marcell;

Also Dagny (Tungseth) Rolph, Seattle, WA; Elaine (Douglas) Dausch, Castroville, CA; Milo and Ruby Wilde, Fosston; Vera (Rockstad) Fordahl, Fargo, ND; Rodney and Marion Brodin, Arden Hills; Henry Clifford Iverson, Sunburst, MT; and Henry and Mathilda (Paulson) Gebhardt, Crookston.

Attending from Thief River Falls were Marion (Holmen) Wold, Doris (Carlson) Stromberg, LaVerne and Olive (Jorde) Rondorf, Ray and Ruth (Klein) Oen, Daynard and Ruby Warnecke, Owen and Madeleine Scramstad, Leonard and Mildred Furuseth, Helen (Arros) Wysoski, Alice Roos, Art and Virginia Buringrud, Bob and Anne (Hillyer) Kraemer, Tress (Mackenroth) Noel, Al and Phyllis (Prestebak) Sollom, Dolores (Votava) Wilson, Clifford and Catherine (Anderson) Vigness and John and Viola (Jorgenson) Jaranson.

Exploring the Internet workshop set October 19

"Exploring the Internet for Home, Office or Business" will be presented on Thursday, October 9 from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in Room A of the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

The evening will include an overview by Jane Leonard, the Access Minnesota Project which provides a public access site for Internet at the Pennington County Extension Office. Don Larson, telecommunications consultant, will demonstrate how to access information available on the Internet. Heidi Hoks from the Thief River Falls Branch of the Northwest Regional Library will explain Internet access available at the Library and Deb Zak, Pennington County Extension Educator, will provide information about the public access site in Pennington county.

The evening is designed for anyone who is interested in learning about Internet applications for home, business or office. There is no charge for the program, but anyone interested in attending the session should register by calling the Pennington County Extension Office at 681-2116.

The event is sponsored by the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce, Minnesota Extension Service, Pennington county, Northwest Regional Library - Thief River Falls Branch, Telecommunications Strategic Planning Task Force.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Lorraine Wetna and Lonnie attended the funeral for AlRay Jones at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge. Our sympathy to the Jones family. May his memory be blessed.

Friday, Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Granddaughter Kylie Johnson and June Johnson enjoyed coffee with Mildred Hovet at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Visitors and dinner guests on Saturday at the Danny Johnsrud home were David Sjulestad and Adam, Roger Wold, Larry Johnsrud, and Arlen Eldsbes.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson had lunch at a restaurant in Thief River Falls.

Thursday night visitors and supper guests at the Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodeen home in Thief River Falls were Alvina Bakko of Palouse, WA; Lorraine Wetna, Mildred Hovet, Ardith Salheim of Red Lake Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hovet, Mrs. Roger Hovet, Stacy and Lisa, and Evelyn Hovet.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tiegland of Minneapolis and Max Stucy were visitors and lunch guests Tuesday night at the Eddy Stucy home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud were visitors at the Ron Fulton home in Roseau.

Mrs. Eddy Stucy visited with her mother Leola Cullen at the Good Samaritan home in Warren on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iversen attended the lutefisk supper served on Sunday evening at the Community Center in Goodridge.

Alvina Bakke of Palouse, WA spent a week visiting with her sister Lorraine Wetna and her nephew Lonnie Wetne.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy left on Monday sightseeing in the Brainerd area. The Stucy's returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Alfred Iversen visited and had coffee with her sister Hilda Hoffman on Tuesday.

Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Wetna home.

Alvina Bakke of Palouse, WA and Lorraine Wetne and Lonnie attended the lutefisk supper served on Sunday night at the Community Center in Goodridge.

Sunday, Sylvester and Evelyn Johanneck of Red Lake Falls were visitors and coffee guests at the Eddy Stucy home.

Kelly Dahlen was a visitor and dinner guest on Monday at the Danny Johnsrud home.

Sunday evening visitors and lunch guests at the Lorraine Wetne home were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wetne, Jackie, David and Brittany and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hansen and Luane.

Jean Johnson was a visitor and lunch guest on Thursday night at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson left on Friday to spend the weekend visiting with their son, Bob Johnson in Baxter.

Sunday night, Joel Fiedler and his mother Elva Fiedler went out for supper in Brooks in honor of Joel's birthday. Happy Birthday Joel.

Gerald Johnsrud was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday at the Vernon Iverson home.

Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited with Clarence Johnson at the hospital in Thief River Falls on Wednesday forenoon.

Wednesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vad of rural Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam visited at the Ricky Bjerklie home and also the Rodney Bjerklie home on Saturday night.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Hanford Raiseland home were Roger Kriel, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sorensen of Thief River Falls. Leslie Iversen, Ethel Johnson, Stanley Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. Galen Englund of rural Grygla.

Mrs. Norman Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kolrba attended the lutefisk supper served at the Community Center in Goodridge on Sunday evening.

Those who visited and had coffee with June Johnson during the week were Mrs. Leonard Johnson, Mrs. Oena Marquis, and Mrs. Norman Kriel.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mosbeck of St. Hilaire and Anne Kriel of Thief River Falls were visitors and supper guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud left for Stillwater. Then on Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud attended a wedding for Cheryl Eaton and Daniel Memmeskeimer at the home of Robert and Helen Mobraten in Stillwater. In the afternoon on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud attended the reception. Then on Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went to Litchfield to spend Saturday night and Sunday visiting at the Kenneth Lind home. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud spent the day visiting at the Mr. and Mrs. Orville Johnson home in Cosmos along with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Johnson and family. On Monday, on their way home Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went by Fergus Falls and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sourdif. The Johnsruds returned home on Monday night.

Plummer

Effie Byer
465-4375

Myrtle LaFayette lunched at Hendy Farms on Wednesday with old friend Dorothy Pego of Red Lake Falls.

Circles Meet

Bunny DuChamp entertained the Phoebe circle on Tuesday afternoon at her home. Eight members attended and were led in Bible study by Bertha Hughes. Amelia Eskell presided over the business and lunch was served by the hostess.

The Joy circle met on Wednesday afternoon at the church. Hazel Ollie was Bible study leader and Fern Eskell conducted the business. Lunch was potluck.

Amelia Eskell, Avis Frelland, Bunny DuChamp, Effie Byer and Bertha Hughes were Wednesday afternoon guests of Estelle Helgeson of Thief River Falls.

Funeral

Sympathy is extended to Anna Traxler and other family members in the death of her uncle Walter Skroland whose funeral was held on Wednesday at Solem Lutheran church of Oklee with Rev. Dahlen of Goodridge officiating.

Hazel Ollie and Margaret Greenwald attended the Octoberfest at Fairview Manor of Red Lake Falls on Sunday and also visited Jennie Norman.

A guest at Howard and Myrtle LaFayette on Saturday and Sunday was her sister Hilma McKee of International Falls. Another sister, Grace Tornos accompanied her but stayed with her daughter in Thief River Falls.

Gathering on Sunday evening for a send-off for Earl and Angie Marquis before they leave for Arizona were supper guests Angie and Earl, Mona Solberg, Russell Saranson, Virginia and Jon Berns and family. The party was held at the home of Monte and Avis Marquis. Lloyd and Wavell Sorensen came later in the evening.

Ruth and Sherrie Wilkins attended the funeral for sister-in-law Alice Jenson on Monday in Ada.

Bumol and Effie Byer went to Grand Forks on Monday and visited her sister-in-law Christine Jaglum at Valley Memorial Nursing Home. Enroute home they visited Bill and Donna Jackson of Red Lake Falls.

Pam O'Neil of Oklee was a Tuesday visitor of her grandmother Myrtle LaFayette.

MARKETS

as of Monday, October 16

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.90
New Crop 96	4.25
Spring Wheat #2	4.70
Winter Wheat	4.45
Durum	6.00
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.35
Top Milling Oats	1.75
Ordinary Oats	1.60
Oil Sunflowers	10.65
Corn	2.65
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.15
Soybeans	5.80
Buckwheat	12.00
Confectionary Sunflowers	13.00
Canola	11.25

Triplets were born to a cow on the Tony Rubischko farm six miles east of Highlanding. Rubischko said the two bulls and one heifer were born on September 23.. They were well-formed and normal. The cow calfed unassisted and did not have any problems after birth. It was her fith, sixth and seventh calf. To five-year-old Otto Rubischko, it was a very exciting event.

Lindsey family named guest speakers at Assembly of God

Randy and Linda Lindsey will be guest speakers at New Life Assembly of God church, 315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls, at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, October 22. The Lindseys pioneered and pastored a church for the deaf in Everett, WA. They then moved to Jerusalem, Israel, where they worked among the deaf for three years. Currently they are working with ICI University located in Irving, TX, developing evangelism, discipleship and training materials on video tape for deaf communities in various countries.

Linda became deaf shortly after birth, but grew up using speech reading and her voice for communication. The couple first learned sign language two years after they were married. Their two hearing children, Michelle (16) and Ben (14), both grew up using sign language as their first language.

Deaf people live in every nation, tribe and culture. Over 300 million deaf people are alive in the world today, most live outside the United States. Less than one per cent of these deaf people living in these countries attend any kind of church. It is their God given right to have the same chance to know Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior as other hearing people. The Center for Deaf Ministries is making that possible.

Join us on Sunday the 22nd of October as the Lindsays share their testimony and ministry in this important field.

Lori Golightly is cast member of "Buried Child"

Lori Golightly, a Luther College sophomore of Thief River Falls is a member of the cast of "Buried Child", a drama by Pulitzer Prize and Obie Award winning playwright Sam Shepard. The performances will be held October 13-15 at Storre theater on the Luther Campus.

Golightly is the daughter of Clayton and Joanne Stigen of Thief River Falls. She is pursuing a major in music and management.

Women Win the Vote exhibit at NCTC Oct. 23

Failure is Impossible: Women Win the Vote, a touring exhibition on loan from the Minnesota Historical Society, traces American women's struggle for the right to vote. The photographs, graphics and documents, together with full-scale reproductions of early suffrage banners, proclaim "Failure is Impossible!". The exhibition opens on October 23 at the Northland Community and Technical College Art Gallery, and continues until December 18.

As early as 1787 women recognized the necessity of the ballot for enacting reforms affecting their lives. In 1869 Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton founded the National Woman's Suffrage Association. This was followed, in 1913 by the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, a more militant group. These two groups, in cooperation with other reform organizations, organized dramatic silent marches, endorsed hunger strikes, picketed the White House and endured arrest and imprisonment, all with the goal of winning the right to vote.

The movement of women into traditionally male jobs during World War I gave the economic momentum needed for the U.S. House to pass the 19th amendment - the Anthony Amendment. It was passed 14 months later by the U.S. Senate. The Anthony amendment was signed by the U.S. Secretary of State on August 26, 1920. After women had won the vote they now ran for office in order to make laws as well. In 1922, the Minnesota legislature saw its first wave of women: Mabeth Hurd Paige, Hannah Kempfer, Myrtle A. Cain and Sue Dickey Hough.

The NCTC Art Gallery is open Monday through Friday, from 8 to 9 p.m. Admission is free and the public is invited to come out and enjoy this exhibit.

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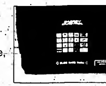
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OCT. 16 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M. AUXILIARY MEETING 7:00 P.M.	OCT. 17 OLD TYME DANCE 7:30 P.M. "KICK OUT"	OCT. 18	OCT. 19 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 20 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 21 AUXILIARY "CRAFT SALE" 9 A.M.-2 P.M. BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.
OCT. 23 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	OCT. 24 AERIE MTG. 8:30 P.M.	OCT. 25	OCT. 26 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 27 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	OCT. 28 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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OCT. 23 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 24 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	OCT. 25 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	OCT. 26 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 27 DANCE 9-1 "DEALER'S CHOICE"	OCT. 28 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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15 FISH BOWL SPECIAL AT BINGO	16 Double Payouts	17 Sea Food Platter	18 Blackjack Tournament	19 Steak Night $5.00	20 Prime Rib & Walleye Special	21 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
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The river kept a tricycle for 40 years! Recently Dick Sjoberg retrieved a battered tricycle that he had used when he was a boy. The trike was mired in the silt of the Red Lake River in back of his parents' home. Back in the 1950's a mean neighborhood child had cast the tricycle in the river in a fit of jealousy.

You already read about the opened safe found near the power house with empty money sacks. The safe had been trundled off, then dumped in the river during a 1988 robbery. The burglary is still unsolved

The first bridge, linking Red Lake Rapids on the east and the village of Thief River Falls on the west, was 40 feet long. Its 1900 pilings, still just upstream from the present First Street Bridge, were steel filled with concrete, still intact after nearly a hundred years.

A lost bridge is the old railroad bridge. The wooden pilings from the railroad bridge built a hundred years ago are clearly visible on both sides of the river. This bridge and tracks were built to carry the lumber from the sawmill on the east side across the Red Lake River and on to its destination in the Twin Cities and south. The Meehan Sawmill in Thief River Falls was the end of the line. Today, Northwest Medical Center is built right over the site of the old tracks.

During the river draw-down a pile of rocks became visible in the river below Northwest Medical Center. And in mid-stream just after the Thief River joins the Red Lake River near the Eighth Street Bridges a second rock pile, usually submerged, became visible.

The rock pile at Eighth Street is a much larger pyramid of round stones. I could not figure out why the hundreds of stones were there: they are piled neatly and were obviously placed there by man. It was not until I talked with Ethel Sanders that I learned the origin.

Ethel Myrin Sanders grew up in the house in the college wood and she remembers the last days of the logging industry. She told me that the pyramid of stones was the base of a wooden platform that was used to direct logs. Logs would pile up there because they could not make the curve. Logs had to be directed around the curve; if they were not kept moving, dreadful pile-ups would occur. Lots of logs sank. Ethel said that neighbors used to fish for the logs, drag them out, and make firewood when the logs dried out.

Indeed, when the city dredged the river by Chief's Park in 1966, Arlo Rude says that workers pulled out 15 large pine logs. The logs were so well preserved by river water that the mill marks imprinted on the ends of each log were still visible.

At this platform in the water the logs were divided, the logs on the east side destined for the Thief River Falls Sawmill, a tremendous number: The Thief River Mill averaged 40 million board feet of lumber each year in the early 1900's.

The logs on the west side of the river were sent on their way to mills at St. Hilaire, Red Lake Falls, Crookston and East Grand Forks. These logs, each with a mill mark, were guided on to fall over the dam and to then continue their long journey.

The pile of rocks below Northwest Medical Center was a second platform from which to funnel logs to one side or the other. These two rock piles stuck out of the water for a number of years, until they were demolished in the 1920's to a level below water that was safe for boating.

The Red Lake River is the reason the village of Thief River Falls was started here. The first buildings of the 1896 city were clustered beside the fall of the river, which was never really a falls. The fall was a series of three rapids of water flowing down over boulders. The first rapids, which dictated the terminus for steam boats, was located at what is now Elks Park.

A series of two or more rapids continued to the location of the first dam, a timber crib dam over 40 feet upstream of the current dam. Carl Kretzschmar built the dam in 1889 to run his OK flour mill. The OK's mill race was by the driveway of CNC and its outlet was where the District 564 Service Center building is today. It used the approximately 10 feet of head to power the mill. The head was the water depth; the water would fall about 10 feet when it passed through the turbines. The flour mill was built above the outlet. The Meehan Sawmill began to use the falls power to drive its saw blade in 1889.

Below the dam on the east side was brick works. There the clay was just right for making bricks; however, today the clay is covered by silt.

In 1900 Kretzschmar was elected mayor of the city of Thief River Falls and that year an electrification bond issue was approved. The site of rusticated concrete block power house is part of the current dam.

In the 1911, the original timber crib dam was replaced by a new dam constructed partly of timber and partly of concrete. More water power was needed to drive the great saw blade of the lumber mill which went day and night in summer. The sawmill was on the east side where Hugo's Market is today. The site for the 1889 dam was approximately 40 feet upstream of the present dam. By 1911 the flour mill was a four-story structure owned by Matt Barzen and the lumber mill had been sold to investors from Wisconsin.

The city purchased the water power site in 1924. The times were stressful because the lumber industry had collapsed when the timber was used up. The city razed the 1900 powerhouse and built a new dam over its site, incorporating some of the structure. In 1927 the city also constructed a new hydroelectric plant, a beautiful cream brick building with tall round-head windows with concrete keystones, and red tile roof with bracketed gutters.

This 1927 powerhouse, much altered, is about 18 per cent of the floor space of the current powerhouse. The 1927 north and south facades are intact. Today hydro power produces electricity in two hydro turbines. This electricity flows into the city's distribution system and reduces the amount of power the city has to purchase.

A portion of the current dam was built in 1927 as part of the powerhouse construction. The 1927 dam had a spillway adjoining the east bank, and two tainter gates that were re-used in the 1946 dam. The third tainter gate was added then. In 1946 when the current dam, a much longer dam, was built, the 1927 dam was demolished down to about ten feet below the normal surface level of the pool. The 1946 dam incorporated the berm from the 1927 dam and the massive block of concrete at the northwest corner of the 1927 spillway was left in place, highly visible above the normal water line.

During average conditions, the difference in elevation between the surface of the pool above the dam and the surface of the tailwater is 15 feet.

If you want to see some of these secrets of the river, time is short. Arlo Rude says the river will be back at its normal level on October 13.

I have learned about these river structures by talking with Arlo Rude, Don Mattson, Al Cork, Ethel Sanders, and by reading. Roberts, TRF Hydroelectric Facility: Minneapolis, Historical Research, 1994.

Plan property valuation short course in TRF

One of seven property valuation short courses offered by the University of Minnesota will provide updated information of property assessment and appraisal on Thursday, October 26, at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

First-day sessions are designed for assessors, fee appraisers, real estate professionals and local government officers. The short course is approved for continuing education credit.

Topics will include current assessing and appraisal issues, communications, modern farm buildings, building inspection, school property tax, new legislation and board of review work.

A course brochure that includes a registration form and information on second and third-day dates and locations is available from county assessor and county extension offices or by calling the University of Minnesota special programs at 612-625-1214 or 1-800-367-5363.

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First Grade Teacher Sue Froiland, and student Brandon Klinkhammer talk about Columbus Day in Froiland's classroom at Challenger Elementary school. A drawing of Christopher Columbus and his famous ship decorate the classroom cabinets behind Brandon.

Aiding escape, assault violations in Pennington county court reports

Aiding in escape, assault, and driving while intoxicated were among the violations listed in the Pennington County Citatian Disposition Bulletin for the period between October 6-12.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Audra Ann Alley, Thief River Falls, 19, aiding in felony escape, $10 restitution, one year in jail with all but 90 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Jeremy Michael Ray, Thief River Falls, 18, aiding in felony escape, $10 restitution, one year in jail with all but 90 days stayed for two years; Joseph Lee Broten, Thief River Falls, 19, aiding in felony escape, $10 restitution, one year in jail with all but 90 days stayed, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Chad Wayne Grindeland, Thief River Falls, 24, fifth degree assault, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Michelle Lynn Gunnarson, Thief River Falls, 19, aiding in felony escape, $10 restitution, one year in jail with all but 90 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Patsy Lynn Hoglo, Thief River Falls, 29, issuing dishonored check, $5, and $70 restitution; Sue Lynn Sargent, Thief River Falls, 23, issuance of worthless checks, fine stnyed, pay $880.83 restitution, 180 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year;

Kathern Marie Baum, Thief River Falls, refusal to submit to chemical test, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Alden Vernon Anderson, Thief River Falls, 38, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Charlie Allen Johnson, Oklee, 41, 70/55, $87.50; Dean Marshall Vigen, Adams, ND, 18, 76/55, $99.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Daniel Thomas Cullen, Thief River Falls, 27, 40/30, $64.50; Marvin James Momerak, Wannaska, 38, aggravated driving while intoxicated, one year in jail; Robert Lee Anderson, 27, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Jonathan Gary Erickson, Thief River Falls, 21, disorderly conduct, $137.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Timothy Charles Holmseth, Brice-lyn, 27, trespassing, $37.50, seven days in jail with all but 2 days stayed for one year; Roxanne Fay Johnson, Thief River Falls, 28, driving while intoxicated, $352.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Brian David Jones, Thief River Falls, 30, driving after cancellation, $37.50;

Brian David Jones, Thief River Falls, 30, driving after cancellation, $282.50; Karl Eugene Jorgenson, Argyle, 26, 42/30, $76; Steven Allan Wasley, Thief River Falls, 38, check forgery, $175 restitution, one year in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Taryn Michelle Rux, Thief River Falls, 18, fifth degree assault, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Terri Jean Stengrim, Thief River Falls, 23, fifth degree assault, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Greg Michael Blue, Thief River Falls, 18, 51/30, $99; Kevin John Hamre, Thief River Falls, 32, driving after revocation, $237.50, 20 days in jail stayed for one year; Jason Paul Allen, Thief River Falls, 23, fifth degree assault, $267.50, 180 days in jail with all but 33 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Rodney Alan Aho, Apple Valley, 40, 65/55, $64.50; Dale Gene English, Red Lake, 38, leaving the scene of an accident, $372.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Dale Gene English, Red Lake, 38, obstructing legal process, $627.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Kenton Clyde Hicks, Thief River Falls, 59, driving while intoxicated, $500, 30 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Rita Renee Holland, Fosston, 49, 65/55, $64.50;

Nicky Ann Gervais, Red Lake Falls, 17, 69/55, $76; Wallace Gary Sistad, Grygla, 51, 82/55, $133.50; Monica Lynn Franceschi, Thief River Falls, 26, 65/55, $64.50; Terry Lynn Koppelman, Grand Rapids, 34, no log book in possession, $137.50; Lisa Ann Vettleson, Thief River Falls, 16, seat belt violation, $47.25; Luana Marie Hoffman, Thief River Falls, 33, 70/55, $87.50; Kathleen Lenore Panek, Goodridge, 44, seat belt violation, $47.25.

Winter events for Old Mill set

Winter Events being planned for 1995-1996 at Old Mill State Park include a Wreath Workshop, a Moonlight/Candlelight Ski; and a Snowshoe hike.

The Wreath Workshop, November 18 and 19, 1 p.m. will be held at the picnic shelter. A vehicle permit is required to enter the park. Balsam sprigs will be provided, a wreath or spray base, wire and wire cutters are required. Please register by writing to the park before November 10. Old Mill State Park, route 1, Box 43, Argyle, MN 56713. (Wreath workshops may be arranged for groups at other times by calling or writing the park before November 10.

Moonlight/Candlelight Ski, January 6, February 3, and March 2 from 6 to 10 p.m. (weather permitting). The trail starts at the parking lot and ends at the picnic shelter for hot chocolate. Vehicle permits and Great Minnesota Ski Passes required.

Snowshoe the Agassiz Interpretive Trail on January 21, and February 10 at 2 p.m. Explore winter on top of the snow. Space is limited to 15 per hike. More than one hike will be given if needed. Vehicle permits required but the snow shoes are rent free for the special hike.

Marine Pvt. Eric Morris completes special training

Marine Pvt. Eric M. Morris, son of Julie-Anne Morris of Thief River Falls, recently completed the Basic Assault Amphibian Vehicle Crewman's course.

During the course at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, CA, students prepare for assignment to assault amphibian units where assault amphibian vehicles are used to transport troops and supplies from ship to beachhead for subsequent operations ashore.

Course studies also include vehicle capabilities and operating characteristics, land and water driving exercises and operator-level maintenance procedures.

Morris is a 1995 graduate of Roseau high school.

ASHS sponsors Donilyn Mathsen concert Oct. 29

Agassiz Swedish Heritage Society is honored to present Donilyn Mathsen in a violin concert Sunday, October 29, at 2 p.m. at Marta Lutheran church in Kennedy.

ASHS program chairman Lloyd Nordling of Alvarado will present the artist and her accompanist and board member Jane Larter will supervise the lunch committee. There is no admission charge; however, a free-will donation will be received.

Donilyn Mathsen, a native of Grand Forks, has played violin since age 5. She has participated in local and national competitions and attended music camps in Michigan, New York and Quebec. She graduated from Red River high school in Grand Forks and attended one year at the Cleveland Institute of Music in Cleveland, Ohio. She is currently a junior at the University of North Dakota, majoring in music education and music performance and has the opportunity to teach many young violin students. Dondyn also enjoys gardening, sewing, and taking part in church activities. Next summer she will be married to James Bergman who farms near Oslo.

Allison Weisser is Donilyn's accompanist. She has also played piano from a very young age. Also from Grand Forks, she is a senior at Red River high school.

Donilyn and Allision will perform a program that contains classical, sacred and some Scandinavian violin music. The violin is regarded as the national instrument of Sweden.

Donilyn's parents are Don and Marilyn Mathsen of Grand Forks and her grandparents are Benneth and Bertha Mathsen of Alvarado and Leol Knutson of Oslo.

Norwest leading loan originator in second quarter

Norwest Mortgage was the leading loan originator in the United States during the second quarter according to National Mortgage News, a mortgage financing trade publication.

"We are not only honored to be recognized as the industry leader," said Mike Strege, Mortgage Banking Manager for the region, "but we are also excited about the ranking because it demonstrates that we are on track in our initiatives to provide the best possible loan products and services to our customers nationwide." Norwest Mortgage provides mortgages for about one of 20 homes financed in the United States.

"Over the last year we have been able to reduce the time it takes for mortgage loan approvals," Strege said. "Approval time is now under 15 days for over 60 per cent of our loan volume."

From April 1 through June 30 Norwest Mortgage made $7.7 billion in loans to home buyers at 700 branches nationwide. This figure was a 14.9 per cent increase from the same time period last year, according to Strege. In August, Norwest Mortgage reported that earnings for the first six months of 1995 more than doubled to $47.5 million.

Janell Hudson
director of nursing

Janell Hudson elected to MOLN board of directors

Janell Hudson, director of nursing at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls, was installed October 6, as a member of the board of directors for the Minnesota Organization of Leaders in Nursing (MOLN). Over 265 nurse executives, nurse managers, nursing educators, and other leaders in nursing from across the state of Minnesota met this week for their annual conference and business meeting. The focus of the conference was an "Competencies for the Future."

The Minnesota Organization of Leaders in Nursing, whose membership exceeds 450, established in 1994 when the Minnesota Organization of Nurse Executives and the Minnesota Council of Nurse Managers voted to merge their two organizations. The mission of the organization is to facilitate the professional development of nursing leaders through a multi-dimensional approach that encompasses administration, practice, education and, research. Through the development of leadership among nurses across the state, MOLN seeks to facilitate positive changes within health care.

Odette graduates from workshop held by CAP

1 Lt. David Odette of Thief River Falls, Northwest Minnesota Composite Squadron Commander, recently graduated from the Minnesota Commanders Workshop held at the Air Force Reserve Base in Minneapolis.

The Minnesota Wing of the Civil Air Patrol (CAP) sponsored the two-day intensive event September 30 and October 1. It provided practical information and exercises to enhance business managerial competence.

Civil Air Patrol is the official auxiliary of the United States Air Force and is a non-profit corporation charted by Congress. The 1,200 Minnesota youth and adult volunteers are compensated through the intangible rewards they receive through the three missions of Emergency Services, Cadet Program and Aerospace Education.

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With teammate Nick Bradley throwing a block on Thief River Falls' Jared Brandt, Woodbury runningback Darren Smith avoided the tackle of the Prowlers' Karl Anderson and broke away on a 66-yard touchdown run in the second quarter of Friday's high school football match-up at the Fargodome. Smith also had a 57-yard touchdown run and finished with 191 yards on 23 carries, but the Royals still lost a 34-18 decision to the Prowlers.

Prowlers out-score Class AA Woodbury in Fargo 34-18...

TRF picks up dome win

Runningbacks Darren Smith of Woodbury and Nick Chiodo of Thief River Falls put on quite a show for the Fargodome football fans Friday, combining for some 437 yards worth of offense and five touchdowns. But Chiodo had a stronger supporting cast, and the Prowlers wound up out-scoring the Royals 34-18 in a Class A vs. Class AA high school match-up.

Smith, a 5-9, 167-pound senior, rushed for over 1,000 yards in the Royals' first four games this fall. And he showed how he racked up those eye-opening numbers with a 191-yard, two-touchdown night against the Thief River Falls defense that was keyed on stopping him. He scored on 66 and 57-yard breakaways by sliding along the line of scrimmage until he found a hole, then simply out-running the secondary.

"Number 9 (Smith) is as good a back as I've ever seen," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "The films we saw on Woodbury didn't do him justice. He's fast, he's quick, he's strong and he's a smart runner."

But as impressive as Smith was, he still had to share the spotlight with Chiodo, a similar-sized 5-10, 158-pound senior. Smith averaged an impressive 8.3 yards on 23 carries. Chiodo did event better with a 15.7 average by netting 173 yards on just 11 carries. He broke free for 59 and 66-yard touchdown runs.

And while both runners had one pass reception to their credit, Smith (thanks to a holding penalty that erased what would have been a 70-yard touchdown on a screen play) was held to no gain on his catch, while Chiodo turned a short toss into a 73-yard touchdown play, hiking his offensive output for the night to 246 yards.

However, Chiodo wasn't the only Thief River Falls standout. Fullback Aaron Ehrenstrom, a 6-4, 190-pound senior, was a workhorse with 25 carries and 125 yards. It was Ehrenstrom, running behind an offensive line that dominated play as the game wore on, that got the bulk of the calls in the second half when the Prowlers took control of what had been a wide-open affair.

"Ehrenstrom ran hard," noted Mumm. "They (Woodbury) took our inside game away with their defensive slants early, but we made some adjustments and our line did a super job in the second half."

Forcing a punt and setting up shop at the Thief River Falls 47 midway through the opening quarter, Woodbury went in for the first points – a 35-yard field goal by Joe Rotundi.

The real action came in the second quarter when four touchdowns were scored in an 8-minute span.

First, Chiodo went through the left side, cut right and sprinted 59 yards for a 6-3 Thief River Falls lead with 10:09 left in the first half.

A mere 24 seconds later Smith shrugged off arm tackles at the line of scrimmage and broke into the clear for a 66-yard touchdown run to put Woodbury back on top 11-6.

The ensuing possession was an impressive 10-play, 73-yard drive by the Prowlers that resulted in a 36-yard Keith Anderson touchdown pass to a wide-open Adam Fulton down the left side to make it 12-11 with 5:20 to play.

A three-down-and-out series for the Royals was followed in short order by Chiodo's 66-yard run as he again started on the left side, slipped to the right and broke into the clear. Chanc Keefe added the conversion kick for a 19-11 spread with 2:08 showing.

Thief River Falls appeared ready to take over by starting the second half with a first-possession 8-play, 70-yard touchdown march to open up a 26-11 gap. A 23-yard run by Chiodo and a 29-yard Anderson pass to Kyle Nelson that carried to the Woodbury 1-yard line were the big plays in the drive. Anderson scored on a quarterback sneak and Keefe made the kick.

However, Woodbury came right back on a 57-yard run by Smith, who went untouched on a draw play, for a 26-18 game with 7:04 remaining in the third quarter.

With Smith a threat to score any time he touched the ball, the Thief River Falls lead was anything but secure at that point. It was, however, a little more comfortable on the Prowlers' sideline after Chiodo turned what was going to be a short, first down-producing pass over the middle into a 73-yard touchdown with 1:11 left in the third quarter. The pass came on the first attempt by junior Jon Blomker, playing his first series of the game in place of Anderson, who was banged up and limping heavily when Mumm made the switch.

Blomker also hit an open Steve Rambeck in the end zone for the conversion points and a 34-18 lead.

"Jon did a nice job," said Mumm. "He came in and got the job done. We didn't miss a beat when he came in."

A Woodbury drive reached the Thief River Falls 18 before running out of downs with 7:53 to play in the game, and the Prowlers made sure Smith wouldn't have another chance to close the gap by running out the clock with an 18-play series that ended at the Woodbury 3 as time expired.

Thief River Falls' sixth straight win put the Prowlers at 6-1 heading into their regular season finale Wednesday at East Grand Forks. Woodbury, a member of the St. Paul Suburban Conference and a first-time Thief River Falls foe, fell to 2-5.

"That was a fun game," said Mumm. "Our kids played well. "Woodbury has a nice team. It was a good win for us."

Statistics

	TRF	W
First Downs	14	7
by rushing	10	4
by passing	2	2
by penalty	2	1
Rushing attempts-yards	49-314	34-238
Pass att-comp-int	7-4-0	10-4-0
Yards passing	148	25
Total offensive yards	462	263
Fumbles-fumbles lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-yards	3-25	6-55
Punts-average	3-34.3	5-38.4

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Woodbury	3	8	7	0	18
Thief River Falls	0	16	18	0	34

W - Joe Rotundi, 35-yard field goal.
TRF - Nick Chiodo, 56-yard run; kick failed.
W - Darren Smith, 66-yard run; Smith run.
TRF - Adam Fulton, 36-yard pass from Keith Anderson, run failed.
TRF - Chiodo, 66-yard run; Chanc Keefe kick.
TRF - Anderson, 1-yard run; Keefe kick.
W - Smith, 57-yard run; Rotundi kick.
TRF - Chiodo, 73-yard pass from Jon Blomker; Steve Rembeck pass from Blomker.

Individuals

■ Rushing - (TRF) Nick Chiodo 11-173; Aaron Ehrenstrom 25-125; Josh Harris 4-13; Paul Kopari 5-10; Jason Brelland 1 (-) 1; Jon Blomker 1 (-) 3; Keith Anderson 2 (-) 8; (W) Darren Smith 23-191; John Soma 10-46; Paul Robinson 1-1.

■ Passing - (TRF) Keith Anderson 3-for-6, 75 yards, 0 interceptions; Jon Blomker 1-for-1, 73 yards, 0 interceptions; (W) Andy Hill 4-for-10, 25 yards, 0 interceptions.

■ Receiving - (TRF) Kyle Nelson 2-39; Nick Chiodo 1-73; Adam Fulton 1-36; (W) Jay Swanson 2-25; Darren Smith 1-0; John Akquen 1-0.

High school volleyball tournament...

Sub-Section 32A play will begin on Monday

Play starts Monday in the 1995 Sub-Section 32A high school volleyball tournament.

An opening-night doubleheader will be played at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls. The Thursday, Oct. 26, quarterfinals will be played at both Northland and Marshall County Central High School in Newfolden. Semifinals Friday, Oct. 27, and finals Monday, Oct. 30, will be played at Northland.

Upon request from member schools, the Minnesota State High School League returned to the use of the old district numbers for post-season identification. In recent years the tournament was known as Section 8A Sub-Section 4.

The winner will join champions from Sub-Sections 29A, 30A and 31A for the state-qualifying Section 8A tournament Nov. 3 and 4 at the University of Minnesota-Crookston.

Sub-Section 32A Volleyball

■ First round Monday, Oct. 23 - (at Northland) Stephen vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, 6:30 p.m.; Marshall County Central vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke, 8 p.m.

■ Quarterfinals Thursday, Oct. 26 - (Upper Bracket at Marshall County Central) Stephen or Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Roseau, 6:30 p.m.; Kittson Central vs. Lake of the Woods, 8 p.m.; (Lower Bracket at Northland) Marshall County Central or Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke vs. Tri-County, 6:30 p.m.; Warroad vs. Kittson County North, 8 p.m.

■ Semifinals Friday, Oct. 27 - (at Northland), Upper Bracket winners, 6:30 p.m.; Lower Bracket winners, 8 p.m.

■ Finals Monday, Oct. 30 - (at Northland), third place match, 6:30 p.m.; championship match, 8 p.m.

Blue Devils post another shutout, 36-0 over Eagles

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke turned in another shutout effort Thursday in a 36-0 Nine-Man high school football win over East Grand Forks Sacred Heart.

It was the second straight shutout for the Blue Devils' defense, and the fourth time they've blanked an opponent this fall.

Offensively, Trevor Kiesow had a four-touchdown, 151-yard game for the winners, who led at the quarter stops 16-0, 24-0 and 30-0.

"It went well," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Darwin Hagen. "Trevor ran hard, and the line came off the ball well."

The win sent the 6-1 Blue Devils into Tuesday's regular season final at Stephen with a chance to gain a share of the Top of the State Conference title.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
EGF Sacred Heart	0	0	0	0	0
Goodridge/G-G	18	8	8	8	36

G/G-G - Trevor Kiesow, 14-yard run; Kiesow run
G/G-G - Kiesow, 10-yard run; David Jones pass from Jamie Lunsetter.
G/G-G - Kiesow, 1-yard run; Shaun Varbout run
G/G-G - Kiesow, 39-yard run; run failed
G/G-G - Alex Anderson, 8-yard run, kick failed

Prowlers finish regular season vs. Green Wave

Already assured of the No. 2 seed in the upcoming Section 8A high school football playoffs, Thief River Falls will close out its regular season schedule tonight (Wednesday) with a 7:30 p.m. game at East Grand Forks.

The Prowlers, after losing their 1995 opener to Detroit Lakes, have rattled off six straight wins, including a 34-18 victory over Class AA Woodbury Friday at the Fargodome. After ending a 10-year span of below .500 finishes in 1991, Thief River Falls is capping a fifth straight winning season, and its best finish since going 8-1 in 1972.

Section 8A seeding meeting will be held Thursday. Eight of the ten sectional members will take part in the playoffs, starting with quarterfinal matches-up Tuesday, Oct. 24, and semifinals Saturday, Oct. 28, at the home sites of the higher seeded teams. Championship game will be played Thursday, Nov. 2, at the Fargodome.

The Section 8A schools include Thief River Falls, Detroit Lakes, Crookston, East Grand Forks, Fergus Falls, Long Prairie-Grey Eagle, Park Rapids Area, Perham, Staples-Motley, and Wadena-Deer Creek.

Boosters Club will meet on Thursday

Coaches from the Lincoln High School and Northland Community and Technical College fall sports teams are scheduled to be the guest speakers Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters luncheon meeting at the Elks.

The coaches will summarize their seasons and discuss post-season situations for their programs. The public is invited.

Vermilion, Mesabi beat Northland

Vermilion and Mesabi were Minnesota Community College Conference volleyball winners over host Northland on the weekend, dropping the Pioneers to 4-12 for the year and 2-9 in the MCCC Northern Division standings.

Both matches were played in Thief River Falls, with Vermilion winning 15-12, 15-11, 16-14 Friday night and Mesabi winning 15-10, 5-15, 15-5, 15-10 Saturday afternoon.

"We had a better performance Friday night," said Northland coach Shari Olson. "It was a real good team effort."

The Pioneers' balanced attack included LaVonne Nelson and Jenny Smith with 9 kills each, Carrie Lawrence and Stacy Stanwick with 7 apiece, and Jenny Steen and Ali Hietala both with 6. Steen had 3 blocks.

It was the second 3-0 Northland loss to Vermilion this fall. The Pioneers owned an earlier 3-2 win over Mesabi.

"We didn't look as sharp Saturday as we did Friday," acknowledged Olson. "We weren't as intense."

Steen led the Pioneers with 9 kills and 4 blocks vs. Mesabi. Nelson finished with 7 kills.

Stanwick and Hietala, the team's setters, did yeoman work, noted Olson. Stanwick had 20 assists and Hietala 19 against Vermilion while Hietala came up with 19 and Stanwick 11 against Mesabi.

"We're not a real good passing team, so our setters have to work hard for those numbers," explained Olson. "People have noticed improvement in our net play this year, but we're just not as quick in the back row as some of the top teams we play."

After a Tuesday drive to Itasca, the Pioneers will finish the 1995 season with matches at home Tuesday, Oct. 24, vs. Fergus Falls and Thursday, Oct. 26, vs. Brainerd – the top two teams in the MCCC Northern Division.

Sportmen's Club to meet Thursday; set days for sighting-in

Pennington County Sportmen's Club membership meeting will be held Thursday, Oct. 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the club house.

The club also announced that sight-in days at their shooting range will be offered Oct. 21-29. Non-members may use the facility free of charge to sight in their deer hunting rifles from 10 a.m. to dark on weekends and from 4 p.m. to dark on weekdays.

Blackpowder demonstration day will be held Sunday, Oct. 22, from 1 p.m. to dark.

Pioneers will be facing Hibbing in home finale

Buoyed by a 28-12 upset of previously unbeaten Vermilion last week, the Northland Community and Technical College football team will be back on Prowler Field Thursday for a 1:30 p.m. Northern Division game against winless Hibbing.

It will be the final home appearance of the year for the 1-5 Pioneers, who will close out the schedule on the road with a Saturday, Oct. 28, game vs. Central Lakes in another 1:30 p.m. weekday start.

Northland's win over Vermilion revived the Pioneers' dying post-season hopes, but even wins over the Cardinals and Raiders in their final two starts won't guarantee a Minnesota Community College Conference playoff spot. A mixture of wins and losses by other teams will have to come into play for Northland to be a playoff qualifier – one of the top two finishers in the regular season Northern Division standings.

A loss to either Hibbing or Central Lakes will eliminate Northland from the race.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central
■ Wednesday, Oct. 18 - football vs. Red Lake Falls (at Oklee).

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River
■ Wednesday, Oct. 18 - football at Fosston.

Nordics lose 58-0 Thursday game to Kittson. Co. North

Marshall County Central fell to 0-6 Thursday with a 58-0 Top of the State Conference Nine-Man high school football loss to Kittson County North.

The host Cougars had quarter leads of 22-0, 36-0 and 52-0.

Marshall County Central had a season-ending game scheduled at Kittson Central Tuesday.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Marshall Co. Central	0	0	0	0	0
Kittson Co. North	22	14	16	6	58

KCN - Tyson Twamley, 27-yard pass from Josh Whitlock; pass failed.
KCN - Twamley, 34-yard pass from Whitlock; Jake Homstad pass from Whitlock.
KCN - John Wilson, 4-yard run; Kevin Grabowska run
KCN - Grabowska, 38-yard pass from Whitlock; kick failed.
KCN - Grabowska, 8-yard run, Adam Wiebski pass from Matt Nordin.
KCN - Chris Johnson, 2-yard run, Chris Hokanson pass from Nordin
KCN - Johnson, 5-yard run; Jake Homstad run.
KCN - Russ Homstad, 5-yard run; run failed.

Arena Schedule

Old Arena

Thursday, Oct. 19 - 8-9:15 a.m. public skating 10-under; 9:30-10:45 a.m. public skating 11-over; 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. DPFS; 12:45-2 p.m. public skating; 2:15-3:30 p.m. public skating; 3:45-5 p.m. public skating; 5:15-6:15 p.m. public skating; 6:30-7:30 p.m. open hockey 6-under; 7:45-9:15 p.m. high school captain's practice; 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Friday, Oct. 20 - 8-9 a.m. Squirts open hockey; 9:15-10:15 a.m. Tiny Mites open hockey; 10:30-11:45 a.m. public skating; 12-1:30 p.m. DPFS; 1:45-3 p.m. public skating; 3:15-4:15 p.m. Pee-Wees open hockey; 4:30-5:30 p.m. Bantams open hockey; 5:45-7 p.m. public skating; 7:15-9:15 p.m. high school captain's practice; 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Oct. 21 - 8-9 a.m. Squirts open hockey; 9:15-10:15 a.m. Tiny Mites open hockey; 10:30-11:30 a.m. public skating; 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. DPFS; 1:30-2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4 p.m. Prowler Clinic #1; 4:15-5:15 p.m. Prowler Clinic #2; 5:30-6:30 p.m. Prowler Clinic #3; 6:45-8:15 p.m. public skating; 8:30-10:30 p.m. high school captain's practice.

Sunday, Oct. 22 - 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. referee clinic; 1:15-2:45 p.m. DPFS; 3-4 p.m. Prowler Clinic #3; 4:15-5:15 p.m. Prowler Clinic #1; 5:30-6:30 p.m. Prowler Clinic #2; 6:45-8:15 p.m. public skating; 8:30-10:30 p.m. high school captain's practice.

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Oct. 18
■ Football - LHS at East Grand Forks, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 19
■ Football - NCTC vs. Hibbing, 1:30 p.m.

Defensive efforts by Thief River Falls' Rick Donarksl (32) and Steve Rembeck (88) couldn't prevent Joe Rotundi of Woodbury from connecting on this 35-yard field goal attempt in the first quarter of Friday's high school football game at the Fargodome. Andy Hill was the holder on the play. The kick gave the Royals an early 3-0 lead, but the Prowlers won 34-18.

Thief River Falls representatives at the 1995 Section 8AA girls high school tennis tournament in St. Cloud this week included, left to right, Prowler seniors Kamie Twomey, Shari Evanson and Anna Pedilla, along with head coach Sylvia Sjoberg.

Injury-plagued Mustangs shut out

Injuries sabotaged what had been a promising high school football season for Red Lake County Central. The Mustangs, who were 2-1 three weeks into the schedule, fell to 2-5 Friday with a 20-0 Valley Plains Conference loss to Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

"We just have too many injuries," said Red Lake County Central coach Orsy Brantl, who has six starters on the sidelines, including four two-way performers. "You just can't have that many people out and still expect to do well."

Tim Schmiedeberg scored all three of the game's touchdowns for the host Ponies, on runs of 77, 3 and 8 yards. It was 8-0 at the end of the first quarter and 14-0 at halftime.

"Defensively, outside of that long run, we did a pretty good job," said Brantl. "They got some yards on us, but they earned them."

Offensively, the Mustangs never really mounted a serious threat in the wind-driven rain, netting only 77 yards on the ground and just 40 more in the air. "We moved the ball a little but in the middle of the field," noted Brantl. "The weather made it tough, but it was the same for both teams."

Nate Lundeen was the Mustangs' top ball carrier with 53 yards on 20 carries, and led his team on defensive with 7 tackles and 7 assists. Bryce Hootari, who was 6-for-18 passing, helped on defense, too, with four tackles and 7 assists. Aaron Rosten contributed offensively by catching four passes for 32 yards.

The loss all but eliminated Red Lake County Central from the post-season playoff picture.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Co. Central	0	0	0	0	0
Warren-Alvarado-Oslo	8	6	0	6	20

W-A-O - Tim Schmiedeberg 77-yard run. Joe Kvamme run
W-A-O - Schmiedeberg 3-yard run pass failed.
W-A-O - Schmiedeberg, 8-yard run, run failed

Mustangs drop 3-0 volleyball matches

Red Lake County Central took a 14-10-1 record into a regular season-ending high school volleyball match against Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail Tuesday.

The Mustangs lost 3-0 matches to Win-E-Mac and Climax/Fisher in their latest outings, with the Patriots winning 15-3, 15-8, 15-12 Thursday and the Knights winning 15-5, 15-5, 16-14 Monday.

"People are pounding the ball at us," pointed out Red Lake County Central coach Nancy Bray. "We're not doing much on offense."

Gators beat Nordics in tournament finals

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River won championship honors in the Warroad Invitational high school volleyball tournament Saturday, beating nemesis Marshall County Central in the title match.

It was a series of 2-0 wins throughout the tournament for the Gators, who collected pool play victories over Lake of the Woods 15-5, 15-10, Indus 15-8, 16-14 and Tri-County 15-11, 15-9 before knocking off the Nordics 15-12, 15-13.

Marshall County Central won all three earlier meetings this fall with Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, but the Nordics couldn't put the Gators away when the opportunity presented itself in the Warroad finals, watching a 12-8 first-game lead and a 12-5 second-game edge disappear.

"That was the big thing, to be able to come back when we fell behind," pointed out Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Christi Anderson. "That's something we haven't been able to do this year. It should be a big confidence builder for them."

The play of Krissi Super keyed the Gators' pool play wins, explained Anderson, with Kara Reese stepping up to lead them in the title match with her serving and hitting.

"We played some good volleyball," noted Anderson. "It was exciting."

Marshall County Central reached the finals with a 2-1 round robin record. Host Warroad beat the Nordics 18-16, 15-8, but they came back to knock off Kittson Central 15-7, 8-15, 15-7 and then snapped a 12-12 second-game tie in a 15-3, 15-12 win over Northome that proved to be the pool play tie-breaker.

"We started off playing well against Warroad and the first game against Kittson Central, but our passing fell apart the rest of the day," pointed out Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson. "The disappointing part was not being able to finish teams off when we had them down."

Swimmers beaten by strong Bemidji team

A strong Bemidji team won 10 of 12 events Thursday en route to a 131-47 girls high school swimming win over Thief River Falls at the Franklin Middle School pool.

It was the fifth loss in six dual meet starts for the Prowlers, but head coach Scott Hetherington was nevertheless pleased with the showing by his team that included 15 season-best times. "The girls showed what a class act they were," he said. "Although a bit intimated and down about swimming against a powerhouse, they swam very well."

Thief River Falls winners were senior Jennifer Olin in diving and freshman Nicole Kopari in the 50-yard freestyle.

Bemidji won the junior varsity portion of the meet 114-54.

TRF Varsity Places

200 medley relay - 2. Cami Sorenson, Becky Harger, Robin Bollesen, Sunny Carlson, 2:14.36.
200 freestyle - 4. Andrea Olin, 2:30.78; 5. Julie Chrzanowski, 2:39.48.
50 freestyle - 1. Nicole Kopari, 26.87; 4. Sunny Carlson, 28.15.
Diving - 1. Jennifer Olin, 212.56; 4. Becky Mattson, 181.65.
100 butterfly - 3. Kristin Chrzanowski, 1:23.83; 4. Wendy Lindquist, 1:27.21.
100 freestyle - 4. Nicole Kopari, 1:01.19; 5. Cami Sorenson, 1:03.51.
500 freestyle - 4. Becky Harger, 6:28.51; 5. Andrea Olin, 6:43.59.
200 freestyle relay - 3. Sunny Carlson, Andrea Sorvig, Cami Sorenson, Nicole Kopari, 1:53.47.
100 backstroke - 3. Cami Sorenson, 1:15.05, 5. Melanie Johnson, 1:19.17.
100 breaststroke - 4. Robin Bollesen, 1:22.41; 5. Ayla Donlin, 1:28.31.
400 freestyle relay - 2. Nicole Kopari, Wendy Lindquist, Andrea Sorvig, Becky Harger, 4:21.58; 3. Andrea Olin, Kristin Naplin, Julie Chrzanowski, Alicia Bakken, 4:47.9.

TRF JV Places

200 medley relay - 2. Wendy Lindquist, Yvonne Asp, Ayla Donlin, Jenny Sorvig, 2:28.57.
200 freestyle - 3. Denice Schroeder, 2:52.06; 4. Ashley Hemmer, 2:57.73; 5. Jamie Kalsnes, 3:34.08.
100 I.M. - 3. Alicia Bakken, 2:51.75.
50 freestyle - 2. Jenny Sorvig, 31.49; 4. Rachel Hager, 33.37.
Diving - 1. Ayla Donlin, 79.0; 2. Erika Hudson, 66.0; 4. Naomi Olson, 57.7.
100 butterfly - 2. Andi Sorvig, 1:25.10.
100 freestyle - 2. Julie Chrzanowski, 1:06.53; 4. Yvonne Asp, 1:18.65; 5. Alexis Klockman, 1:26.85.
100 backstroke - 2. Kristin Naplin, 1:18.18; 3. Alexis Klockman, 1:40.09.
100 breaststroke - 4. Rachel Harger, 1:32.29; 5. Jamie Kalsnes, 1:47.38.
400 freestyle relay - 3. Jenny Sorvig, Ashley Hammer, Rachel Harger, Yvonne Asp, 5:07.66.

City League Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Rookies	2	0
Digi-Key	2	0
Middle River	2	0
Best Western II	2	0
Arctco	1	1
Best Western I	1	1
Amoco 24	0	0
Hartz Truckline	0	2
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	2
Sea Monkeys	0	2
Forsberg's	0	2

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Nerverud Cleaners	8	0
Double D Bees	7	1
Budweiser	5	2
Clip-N-Tan	5	3
Thrifty White Drug	5	3
Tim Loeffler Agency	3	5
Arctco	1	7
PCR Graphics	1	7
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	0	5

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Bud Light	2	0
Universal Screenprint	2	0
Primetime	2	0
Doc's Jocks	2	0
Tunberg Motor Co.	1	1
Cellular 2000	1	1
500 Club	0	2
Unpredictables	0	2
National Guard	0	2
Cactus Club	0	2
Carvers	0	2

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Miller Lite	8	0
Northwest Medical Center	7	1
St. Hilaire Elevator	6	2
LaVonne's Grocery	5	2
Evergreen Eating Emporium	4	4
Legion	3	5
St. Hilaire Supply	3	5
Digi-Key II	2	5
Digi Key I	1	7
Robson Honey	0	8

Results

■ Monday, Oct. 9 - no matches scheduled.

■ Tuesday, Oct. 10 - (6:30 p.m.) Thrifty White Drug def. Arctco; Clip-N-Tan def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (7 p.m.) Nerverud Cleaners def. Arctco; Tim Loeffler Agency def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; (7:30 p.m.) Thrifty White Drug def. Budweiser; PCR Graphics def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; (8 p.m.) Nerverud Cleaners def. Double D Bees; Budweiser def. Clip-N-Tan; (8:30 p.m.) Double D Bees def. PCR Graphics.

■ Wednesday, Oct. 11 - results not reported.

■ Thursday, Oct. 12 - (6:30 p.m.) LaVonne's Grocery def. Legion; Evergreen Eating Emporium def. Digi-Key II; (7 p.m.) Northwest Medical Center def. Legion; Miller Lite def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (7:30 p.m.) LaVonne's Grocery def. Digi-Key I; St. Hilaire Elevator def. Digi-Key II; (8 p.m.) Northwest Medical Center def. St. Hilaire Supply; Miller Lite def. Robson Honey; (8:30 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Robson Honey; St. Hilaire Elevator def. Digi-Key I.

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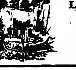

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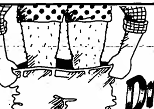

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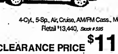

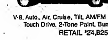

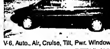

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Gators strike first, lose 41-12

■ Top-ranked Hawley beats B/G-MR

First play from scrimmage [illegible] for an 80 yard Badger/Greenbush-Middle River touchdown [illegible] Josh Kuznia, but the Gators' [illegible] was short lived [illegible] 41-12 Valley [illegible] high school football [illegible] in Middle River.

The unbeaten [illegible] rated team in Minnesota [illegible] football [illegible] first quarter [illegible] three quarters.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River fell to 3-4 with the loss [illegible] coach Steve Wellman [illegible]

[illegible] the Gators' efforts [illegible] said. "I'm [illegible] with the way we [illegible] We played well. The kids [illegible] with it and played hard [illegible] the No. 1 team in the state."

[illegible] winds and rain that turned [illegible] second half snow storm made [illegible] miserable playing conditions, [illegible] took away the passing game - [illegible] Gators' strengths.

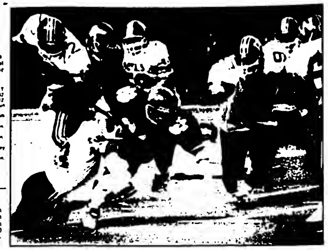
Badger/Greenbush-Middle River [illegible] with 157 yards on the ground but only 13 yards passing. Hawley rushed for [illegible] yards and passed for 55 more.

The Gators complete regular season play today (Wednesday) at Fosston before preparing for the start of the Section 8C playoffs.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Hawley	22	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
B/G-Middle River	6	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12

B/G-MR - Josh Kuznia 80 yard run, run failed
Hawley - Dan Wike 55 yard pass from Travis Olson, run failed
Hawley - Chad Larson 10 yard run, Larson run
Hawley - Larson 2 yard run, Larson run
Hawley - Larson 8 yard run, run failed
Hawley - Larson 32 yard run, Casey Marshall run
B/G-MR - Chris Haarstick, 2 yard run, run failed
Hawley - Olson 4 yard run, run failed



Josh Harris of the Prowlers lunged for yards as he was being wrapped up by a Woodbury tackler during Thief River Falls' Friday night high school football game at the Fargodome. The Prowlers improved their record to 6-1 with a 34-18 win over the Class AA Royals.

Middle School

Football

Franklin Middle School seventh graders beat Crookston twice in Monday football match-ups – with the FMS small team winning 6-0 and the FMS big team winning 20-0.

A 6-3 season ended Monday for the Franklin eighth graders with a pair of wins over Grand Forks Valley – 30-28 in the A game and 14-0 in the B game.

In other recent eighth grade games, Franklin lost to Crookston 14-12, fell to Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 36-0 and beat Bemidji 38-16.

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Area teams close volleyball season

Marshall County Central, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River and Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke closed out their 1995 regular season high school volleyball seasons Monday.

Sub-Section 32A tournament play begins Monday, Oct. 23.

Gators

A strong outing still came up short on the scoreboard as Badger/Greenbush-Middle River lost a 3-2 decision to Kittson Central.

The Wolfpack won 5-15, 15-12, 9-15, 15-11, 15-9.

"Overall, the girls played really well," reported B/G-MR coach Christi Anderson.

Krissi Super had 12 kills for the Gators, who will take an 11-14 record into post-season play.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River will meet Stephen in a first-round Sub-Section 32A match, with the winner facing tournament favorite Roseau in the Thursday quarterfinals. The Rams swept the Gators 15-6, 15-11, 15-12 last Thursday.

Wolverines

A pair of 3-0 losses to Red Lake Falls on Friday and Tri-County on Monday closed out a 4-14 regular season for Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke.

The Eagles won three close games, 15-10, 15-13, 15-12.

"We played really well," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Tina Rode. "We worked well together as a team."

The Wildcats pulled away from the Wolverines as the match wore on, 15-10, 15-7, 15-1.

"We weren't working together," said Rode after the Tri-County match. "It was a lack of communication. We weren't setting the ball. I think we started coming around as the year went on, but we still have our up and down nights."

Nordics

Amanda Myhrer had 15 service aces to lead Marshall County Central past Crookston 15-12, 15-12, 15-7.

"She served really well," noted Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson. "The rest of our game wasn't real sharp, but we got it done at the service line."

Darlene Nelson added five service aces for the winners, who finished the regular season 15-9.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Malwitz Dairy	30	12
Welseth Construction	30	12
Mid Rv. Community Club	27	15
Rundell Electric	25	17
Amoco	24	18
B-H-R	22	20
Hartz Truck Line	21	21
Sorter Construction	20	22
Generaux Realty	20	22
Rainbow Nursery	18	24
Northwest Asphalt	11	31
Dummy Team	4	38

High Game

Randy Rasmusson	202
Lyle Walseth	200
Kraig Molvie	194
Cindy Vennes	194
Jodi Gustafson	192
Sue Higginbotham	181
Diane Wagner	181

High Series

Kraig Molvie	189-194-164=547
Darren Wagner	188-174-176=538
Randy Rasmusson	202-180-141=523
Arlene Welseth	171-163-173=507
Cindy Vennes	163-194-140=497
Jodi Gustafson	192-116-170=478

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Swanson Airspray	14	6
Red Lake Electric	12	4
Olin Law Office	11	9
5/5ths	11	9
Soap-N-Suds	11	9
Hutchinson Transfer	11	5
Northwest Asphalt	10	10
Lentom	5	15
Styles By Amy	5	15

High Game

Beth Skallet	199, 102, 186
Charmaine Peters	190

High Series

Beth Skallet	192-186-199=577
Donna Josephson	154-174-177=505
Terese Ruda	174-125-170=475
Gayle Fiefland	159-141-168=468

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Bronx Bombers	8	2
Sheldon Greaseballs	0	2
Stompers	0	2
Hools	5	3
Bulls	4	4
Stags	4	4
Horn's	4	4
Alley Rats	4	4
Hogan Heroes	3	5
TNT's	2	6
Big Boys	4	4
Rutters	0	8

High Game

Steve Stone	243
Bob Jury	224
Dale Dillon	222
Gordy DeLap	218

High Series

Tom Williams	182-210-212=604
Jerry Jenson	165-211-183=559
Steve Stone	243-152-150=545
Dale Dillon	190-131-222=543

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	27	15
Mr. Duane's	24	18
Pennington Square	24	18
Farmer's Union	20	22
Busch Light	19	23
Brodin's	12	30

High Game

Deb Pierce	199
Bunny Dondelinger	189, 192
Minnie Bjorke	198

High Series

Deb Pierce	199-158-165=522
Bunny Dondelinger	189-192-139=520
Lorraine Morben	172-179-152=503

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Creative Clippers	31	11
Budweiser	29	13
Northern Motors	25	17
Arctco	25	17
Kwick Strip	20	22
Bud Ice	19	23
Loeffler Agency	17	25
Team #6	2	40

High Game

Linda Olson	213, 200
Shirley Colden	210
Rosemary Nesseth	201

High Series

Linda Olson	213-200-153=566
Shirley Colden	158-210-171=539
Deb Pierce	178-178-173=529
Dollie Newland	183-181-163=527

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Digi-Key	18	8
Tommy G's	18	6
Sizzlers	18	8
Farmers Union	15	9
NW Medical Center	14	10
Imaging Plus	13	11
Fire Flies	12	12
NW Eye Center	11	13
Hill Trucking	11	13
Material Girls	11	13
Rusty Noll	9	15
KTRF CAD's	8	16
Norwest	8	18
Borsheim	8	16

High Game

Rhonda Jeppru	197
Sharon Stauss	197
Loyme Swenson	193
Karen Satranski	190

High Series

Rhonda Jeppru	188-177-197=562
Layme Swenson	193-185-147=525
Deb Ernst	164-177-170=511
Karen Satranski	170-151-190=511

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Handyman Service	26	9
KSRD	21	14
Four Fun	21	14
Spare Parts	17	18
TR Salvage	12	23
Classic Chevys	10	25

High Game

Bruce Mattson	205
Kenny Lian	204
Ron Moon	203
Jene Mattson	192
Nancy Tolte	190
Lindsey Roy	175

High Series

Kendall Jensen	195-192-197=554
Bruce Mattson	161-205-185=551
Ron Moon	202-203-141=546
Polly Dehnert	169-170-160=499
Lindsey Roy	175-155-155=485
Nancy Tolte	190-130-135=464

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	104	76
Pennington Express	147	93
Gormundson's Inc.	144	90
Kalinowski Construction	123 1/2	116 1/2
Wikstrom Telephone	122 1/2	117 1/2
RV Sports	112	128
VFW	105	135
1st National Bank	102	138
Thyron Auto	99 1/2	140 1/2
No. Border Whse	80 1/2	159 1/2

High Game

Brent Fuller	233
Bryce Bray	227
Jerry Jenson	226

High Series

Brian Peterson	222-179-222-197=820
Brent Fuller	184-233-170-203=790
Jerry Jenson	167-201-226-101=765

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Olase Farm	18	6
Amoco 24	17	7
B & E Car Wash	16	8
Auction-2-Sell	15	9
Joe's Floor & Tile	6	18

High Game

Paul Johnson	237
Bob Koestner	222
Craig Peterson	212
Jan Olson	181
Roberta Klooty	180
Diane Peterson	179

High Series

Paul Johnson	616
Larry Olson	602
Craig Peterson	538
Diane Peterson	503
Jon Olson	496
Patsy Lindquist	458

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Phyllie's	27	15
S & S Espresso	27	15
Olson's Auto	23	19
Larson's Drywall	21	21
Purdy's Shoe Stars	17	25
Grygla Cafe	11	31

High Game

Mindy Shnyder	197
Monica Swanson	188
Pam Schmidt	184
Paulette Dupont	181

High Series

Pam Schmidt	160-170-184=514
Sharon Wold	163-148-152=463
Mindy Shnyder	132-197-123=452
Paulette Dupont	118-135-161=432

City League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Appliance	30	12
Hanson's Repair	28	14
The Spot	26	16
FSA	23	19
Wilde Builder	23	19
MN/DOT	23	19
Milk & Cookies	20	22
St. Hilaire Elevator	18	24
Homark	12	30

High Game

Eric Jones	224
Lowell Burkel	204
Mitch Mathieu	204

High Series

Eric Jones	195-224-146=565
Don Shnyder	167-184-199=550
Lowell Burkel	185-153-204=542

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers Mutual Health	21	14
Firestone	21	7
Clip N' Tan	18	17
Arctco, Inc	16	19
Glenn's Electric	16	12
Brooks Auto	15	20
Peter's Back Hoe	15	20
Micholab	11	24

High Series

Orillin Nowland	190-137-220=547
Bill Sylvester	189-177-171=537
Mike Anderson	161-161-189=511
Carol Splido	163-161-139=463
Lucy Sylvester	132-171-160=463
Shown Nowland	164-129-167=460

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
Bad Boys	11 1/2	1/2
Team #1	9	3
Magic Raptors	8	4
3 Ninjas	8	4
3 Musketeers	7	5
Blades	6 1/2	5 1/2
Jr. Elk	4	8
Lions	3	9
3 Little Princesses	3	0

High Game

Justin Pyle	121
Paul Sjoberg	120
Scott Stone	108
Jesse Lian	99
Stacy Rasmusson	99
Daniel Kaushagen	97

High Series

Paul Sjoberg	120-112=232
Justin Pyle	121-92=213
Scott Stone	92-108=200
Stacy Rasmusson	99-96=195
Jesse Lian	92-99=191

Prep League

	Wins	Losses
Prowlers #2	15	1
Wild Cats	13	3
Hocky Socks	12	4
Prowlers #1	11	5
3 Little Ladies	8 1/2	7 1/2
Wild Ones	6	8
4 Aces	7	9
Raiders	7	9
Pin Masters	7	9
Super Bowlers	7	9
Pin Blasters	7	8
Blasters	7	9
L O B's	0	10
Rattlers	5 1/2	10 1/2
Pinheads	5	11
Penguins	3	13

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Twelve local runners participated in the Twin Cities Marathon on Sunday, October 8: (from left, front row) David Hill, Anita Hendrickson, Sylvia Grindley, Deanne Larson, Marty Duchscher, and Tom Scholin; (back row) Darrell Magner, Penny Langland, Jim Langland, Tom Ronchetti. Not pictured were Jim Grindley, and Ken Cedergren.

Part of field featuring 7,000 entries...

Local runners compete in Twin Cities Marathon

Fifteen local and area runners were among the estimated 6,700 participants to step up to the starting line to the 14th Annual Twin Cities Marathon last Sunday. It was the largest contingent of local and area runners to ever participate in the event.

It was one of the the largest fields of participants in the marathon's history. Typically, only 6,000 registrations are accepted. This year over 6,000 registirtaions had been accepted before September. Eventually, the field was expanded to allow nearly 7,000 registrations.

Twin Cities Marathon is known as the most beautiful urban marathon in the United States. Additional interest in the race this year was probably generated by the 100th anniversary of the Boston Marathon. Runners who wish to participate in the Boston Marathon must complete a certified marathon course in under specified time limit in order to qualify for Boston.

Weather conditions at the Twin Cities Marathon Sunday were nearly perfect. The temperature at the start of the race was in the low 40s. Rain clouds that appeared around 1 p.m. held off until later that afternoon.

Winner of the men's open was Ralphael Zepeda of Mexico in a time of 2:15:09. Winner of the women's open was Gywn Coogan of Boulder, CO, in a time of 2:32:58. The men's wheelchair division was won by Scott Hollonbeck of Champaign, IL, in a time of 1:41:46. Winner of the women's wheelchair division was Tami Oothoudt of Stillwater, in a time of 2:16:25. Each of the winners received $15,000.

Among the 5,693 runners completing the 26.2 mile race were: Ken Cedergren, 44, Thief River Falls in 3:25:53 and placing 1,135 overall and 228th in his age group; Marty Duchscher, 37, Thief River Falls, in 3:51:56 placing 2,199 overall, and 464th in his class; James Grindley, 60, Thief River Falls, in 5:18:21, and placing 3,901, and 46th in his class; Sylvia Grindley, 52, Thief River Falls, in 5:18:21, and placing 1,593, and 54th in his class; Anita Hendrickson, 45, Thief River Falls in 4:46:55 and 1,376 and 107th in her class; David Hill, 35, Thief River Falls, in 3:13:58, placing 684 and 149th in his class; Wayne Kazmlerczak, 25, Badger, in 3:39:43, placing 1686 and 274th in his class; Jim Langland, 43, Thief River Falls, in 4:26:56, placing 3,281 and 639th in his class; Penny Langland, 43, Thief River Falls, in 4:26:57, placing 1,101 and 135th in her class; Deanna Larson, 51, Thief River Falls, in 4:27:07, placing 1,108 and 30th in her class; Bruce Nielson, 46, Lancaster in 3:35:06, placing 1503, and 176th in his class; Thomas Runchetti, 42, Thief River Falls, in 3:58:00, placing 2,469 and 495th in his class; Tom Scholls, 33, Thief River Falls, in 4:24:14 and placing 3,217 and 616 in his class; Kent Werne, 27, Newfolden, in 3:46:28, and placing 1,980 and 322 in his class.

Darrell Magner, another Thief River Falls runner, injured his knee during the early miles of the race, ran for several more miles, but decided to pull himself out of the race as the injury got worse. Jan Puttbrese of Thief River Falls, who had registered to participate in the event suffered a stress fracture in her hip during training a few weeks before the event and did not compete. Dr. Richard Heinrichs of Thief River Falls was also registered for the event but because of conflicts and interruptions in training chose not to participate in the event.

There were several other runners who had connections to individuals from the area. Dion Warne, 30, Willmar, who is the brother of Kent Warne of Newfolden, finished in a time of 4:32:52. Arne Espeseth, 34, New Brighton, son in law to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lundin of Thief River Falls, finished in a time of 4:43:06. Lori (Carriere) Klabunde, 32, Grand Forks, who finished in a time of 3:20:03, is a sister to Diane Aandal of Thief River Falls.

Bowling Leagues

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High Game

Tommy Oreolis	171
Christopher Lian	164
Cola Holthusen	154
Jeff Vennes	154
Kelsey Holtan	144
Ben Weigelt	143

High Series

Jeff Vennes	154-150-106=410
Tommy Oreolis	111-127-171=409
Carl Harbott	131-128-141=400
Jarvis Kuznia	122-123-133=378
Ben Weigelt	122-143-108=373

Junior League

	Wins	Losses
Northern Motors	15	1
Prowler Express #1	12	4
Team #10	11 1/2	4 1/2
Prowler Express #2	10 1/2	5 1/2
Generaux Realty	10	6
Blix Photography	10	6
1st National Bank	9	7
Amoco 24	8	8
Team #12	8	8
Nelson State Farm	8	8
RV Sports	8	8
Team #15	7	9
Team #17	7	9
Family Bowl	5	11
Wiseth Farms	5	11
Team #7	4	12
Team #13	3	13

High Game

Josh Jenson	205
Jeremy Trottino	192
Rachel Oreolis	186
Josh Comeillo	181
David Bray	180
Jeremy Jenson	178
Carl Welseth	178
Dayna Holland	177

High Series

Josh Jenson	149-205-167=521
David Bray	178-163-180=521
Jeremy Jenson	178-155-178=511
Josh Comeillo	181-165-155=501
Stephanie Sculthorp	175-150-138=472

Colleen Hoffman downed this 380-pound bear Oct. 11 in a sunflower field three miles west of Highlanding. Two shots from her 30-06 stopped the boar. (Submitted photo).

Outdoor News

Kvasnicka Receives DNR Award

"I am very honored to have received the award," said John Kvasnicka, executive director of the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association. "It is the highest award that I have ever received in my life."

That was Kvasnicka's reaction to receiving the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources' Meritorious Service Award recently from DNR Commissioner Rodney Sando.

"John's work as executive director of the Minnesota Deer Hunters' Association has made the organization one of the most active and vital conservation groups in the state," Sando said.

Among projects for which Kvasnicka was recognized: the development of the Hides for Habitat program, large mammal curriculum, the annual Whitetail Deer Resource Center.

Sando also commended Kvasnicka for his "overall support habitat improvement, education, and legislative initiatives that have resulted in improved management of our natural resources."

"I'm not into big awards," Kvasnicka said. "I just work for the cause of conserving natural resources and providing a good hunting environment for future generations."

Thief River Falls Gun show attracted hundreds of people to the Curling Club in Thief River Falls over the weekend. More than 100 tables had been registered by vendors prior to the weekend event. Any remaining space was occupied by the weekend. Vendors displayed and sold all types of reloading components, rifles, pistols, shotguns, and antiques and new. Tables were also reserved for sports cards and other related equipment.

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Several face charges following area burglary

Law enforcement officials were notified this week that two individuals being held in Marshall county on other charges had been involved in a burglary at Carpenter's Corner.

On September 28 Carpenter's Corner was burglarized, alcohol, pop, food, a television, and a safe and cash were taken. The total theft loss was estimated at $1,535 in cash, and around $2,000 in other merchandise. On October 14 the Marshall county sheriff's department informed the Pennington countylaw enforcement center that they had in custody two individuals who had admitted burglarizing Carpenter's Corner. Upon further investigation five individuals face charges for the burglary. Matthew Donavan Maurstad, 18, Newfolden, is being charged with second degree burglary and felony theft. Danny Nygord is being charged with second degree burglary and felony theft. An 18-year-old male from East Grand Forks is being sought. Daniel Leslie Maurstad, 18, Argyle, faces charges. A 22 year-old male of Grand Forks, ND, is being sought. Law enforcement officials have not been able to recover the item or cash taken in the burglary.

Vandalism. On October 10 at 9:42 a.m. police received a report of damage to combines on a railroad car south of Nora Street. Upon their arrival, officers found 30-year-old Allin Amons Schofield of Post Falls, Idaho, within one of the cabs of a combine. A window had been broken so that he could gain entry to the combine. Schofield faces a charge of criminal damage to property. He is also being held on a warrant from Nevada.

Thefts. During investigation of a break-in at Lee Plumbing and Heating, police are now charging the three individuals involved with theft of a motor vehicle from a residence in North township on October 8. The vehicle had been recovered that afternoon in Norden township, but there had also been an estimated $3,500 damage and theft loss to the vehicle. The three individuals facing charges of vehicle theft and criminal damage to property include: Chad Mitchell Beito, 18, Thief River Falls; Myron Dean Sunram, no permanent address, 18; and a 16-year-old male from Thief River Falls.

Driving while intoxicated. On October 12 at 1:30 a.m. police stopped a vehicle on Highway 32 south. Arrested for gross misdemeanor driving while intoxicated was Douglas Paul Stack, 30, St. Hilaire.

On October 14 at 1:03 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle and Chris Olaf Solheim, 27, Thief River Falls, was arrested for misdemeanor driving while intoxicated.

On October 15 at 2:22 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on County road 32 and Ryan Michael Kramer, 20, Thief River Falls, was charged with gross misdemeanor driving while intoxicated.

Consumption under age. On October 8 at 2:30 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on County road 85. Nancy Louise Verbout, Thief River Falls, 24, was informed she would be charged with furnishing alcohol to minors. Charged with consumption under age were: Dale Jeffrey Shumway, 18, Middle River; and Jamie Lee Weigel, 19, Thief River Falls.

On October 14 at 11:28 p.m. police were called to a loud party at the Chaparral apartments. Charged with consumption under age were: Lars Rolla Johnson, 19, Crookston; Brock Charles Kuchan, 20, Crookston; Eric Lee Haller, 19, Crookston; Shawn Adam Aubol, 18, Crookston; and Eric Carl Roseland, 18, Crookston.

On October 14 at 11:32 p.m. a sheriff's deputy was working at a dance. Charged with consumption under age: Jacob Charles Self, 18, Karlstad; and Cory Allen Schouten, 18, Thief River Falls.

On October 14 at 11:38 p.m. Pennington count sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle at Fifth and Davis. Charged with minor in consumption, no proof of insurance, and window tint, was Juan Pablo Elizondo, 18, Thief River Falls. Charged with contributing to the deliquency of a minor was Jose Elizondo, 28, Thief River Falls. Charged with minor in consumption was Marcelino Romero Jr., 20, Thief River Falls.

Accidents. On October 10 at 5:45 a.m. at about one and one-half miles west of Highway 32 on State Aid 3 a semi driven by Curtis Dale Haugen, Roseau, going west struck a moose. Damages were estimated at $2,000 to the semi.

On October 15 at 1:46 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of James and Crocker. According to the accident report, Frank Wallace Kujava, Badger, was driving a car south on Crocker when he was hit by Sarah Jenay Stavenes, Red Lake Falls, who was driving a car west on James Street. Damages were estimated to $800 to the Kujava vehicle, and $1,300 to the Stavenes vehicle.

On October 17 at 8 a.m. police received a report of a four vehicle accident at the Corner of First and St. Paul. Wayne Otto Johanson, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup and was stopped facing west on First Street for traffic. A vehicle driven by Samantha Jean Hjelle, Thief River Falls was stopped behind the Johanson vehicle. A vehicle driven by Sandra Dee Miller, Thief River Falls, was unable to stop and collided with the Hjelle vehicle pushing it into the Johanson vehicle. A pickup driven by Robert Otto Parnow, Thief River Falls, was unable to stop and collided with the Miller vehicle. Sandra Miller and her passenger Hollie Miller both complained of sore necks. There was no damage to the Johanson vehicle, $1,200 to the Hjelle vehicle, $600 to the Miller vehicle, and $500 to the Parnow vehicle.

Alcohol. On October 12 at 9:39 p.m. police received a call from a local bar. Charged with a minor in a liquor establishment was Alison Marie Wolbeck, 20, Thief River Falls.

Malicious punishment. Kenneth Pius Martin, 40, Thief River Falls, was arrested on October 13 at 3:15 p.m. on possible charges of terroristic threats and malicious punishment following an incident involving his children. In court, he was charged with two counts of malicious punishment and one count of terroristic threats and released on his own personal recognizance.

Public nuisance. On October 15 at 11:18 p.m. police were called to a residence in Greendale Manor for loud music. Charged with permitting public nuisance is Michelle Marie Stoltman, 36, Thief River Falls.

Trespassing. On October 16 at 12:23 p.m. police were called to a local church. A person was found in the church who had no reason to be there. Rick Allen Fowler, 23, Thief River Falls, was cited for trespassing and released.

Pet found. A male, black Shar pei, impounded on October 7 in the 200 block of South Tindolph, is being held at the Thief River Falls animal pound. Anyone interested in adopting this pet should contact the Pennington county law enforcement center at 681-6161.

TRF students in NDSU classes

Eleven students from Thief River Falls are enrolled in classes this fall at North Dakota State University in Fargo. Two are freshmen and two are enrolled in the graduate program, seeking masters degrees.

Enrolled are Todd Braunschweig, junior; Gretchen Carlson, sophomore; Toni Chiodo, freshman; Brian Fogarty, sophomore; Darrin Haagenson and Jody Housker, graduate program, masters degree; Jonathan Hams, senior; Ami Harbott, freshman; Angella Janisch, junior; Matthew Kaushagen, junior; and Evan Klopp, senior.

Women business owners win annual awards

Over 80 northern Minnesota women business owners have been nominated for the Women Entrepreneur of the Year Awards. Winners will be announced at a banquet on Tuesday, October 17 in Fosston.

The Women in New Development Center in Bemidji is sponsoring the awards to honor women whose hard work and perseverence have resulted in successful business ventures.

Awards will be given in the following categories: Entrepreneur of the Year, Emerging Entrepreneur, Turnaround Entrepreneur and Entrepreneur Against the Odds.

Separate awards will also be presented to Entrepreneur Advocates, those whose support and example have inspired success in others.

Special speaker for the evening is Twin Cities based Deb Fumanti, "combining business information, humor, and compassion while taking a refreshing look at the human spirit." Fumanti is a business owner herself, providing professional speaking services since 1982.

The awards banquet will be held at the Stadium in Fosston, starting with social hour at 6 p.m. A limited number of tickets are available by calling the WIND/BI-CAP office in Bemidji at 1-800-332-7161 or the Fosston office at (218) 435-2134.

The event honors Women in Business Week, October 16-23.

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Improper parking, alcohol citations in court reports

Several citations for improper parking and alcohol violations were among the cases listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the period of October October 2-5.

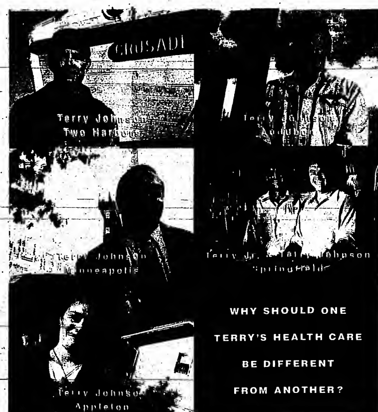
Thief River Falls police department cases: Diane Kay Tiani, Newfolden, 33, overtime parking, $22.50; Diane Kay Tiani, Newfolden, 33, overtime parking, $22.50; Diana Lyn Topka, Thief River Falls, 32, 40/30, $64.50; Glen Allen Braget, Thief River Falls, 19, possession of beer by an individual under age, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Daniel Eric Dahlin, Thief River Falls, 30, driving after revocation, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; David Lloyd Johnson, Thief River Falls, 40, drinking in public, $48.50; Kari Lea Olson, Thief River Falls, 30, overtime parking, $22.50; Jeffrey Andrew Redden, Thief River Falls, 28, failure to yield, $72.50; Diane Kay Tiani, Newfolden, 33, overtime parking, $22.50.

Gregory Paul Judes, New York Mills, 20, no motorcycle endorsement, no proof of insurance, $108.50; Andrea Lynne Lundin, Erskine, no birthdate listed, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Kelly Marie Blomquist, Thief River Falls, 18, 44/30, $76; Chad Wayne Grindeland, Thief River Falls, 24, no drivers license, $122.50; Liane Danette Kaml, Thief River Falls, 31, overtime parking, $22.50; David Alan Moulton, Warren, 31, overtime parking, $22.50.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Patrick Lynn Robinson, Red Lake Falls, 27, issuance of worthless checks, $152.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Maxine Helen Nicol, Bagley, 48, driving after revocation, $282.50, 15 days in jail stayed for six months; Jeremy Arlyn Skjerven, Newfolden, 20, issue dishonored checks, $142.50, $38.05 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Sheila Rae Vondal, Thief River Falls, 36, driving after revocation, $282.50, 15 days in jail stayed for six months; Ross Roosevelt Boldt, Roseau, 20, disobey stop sign, $76; Wesley Dean Brinkman, Dent, 31, no seat belt, $47.25.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Thomas Michael Blazek, Middle River, 26, 65/55, $64.50; Paul Scott Gregor, Thief River Falls, 36, failure to stop for stop sign, $76; Erick Carl Longo, Thief River Falls, 19, 65/55, $64.50; Lisa Rae Dvergsten, Greenbush, 34, 65/55, $64.50; Todd Gregory Engen, Fargo, ND, 26, no medical certificate in possession, $87.50; Deanna Lynell Kotrba, Goodridge, 17, 65/55, $64.50; Aaron Lee Majerus, St. Cloud, 22, 74/55, $87.50; Tammy Jo Ortloff, Warroad, 25, 65/55, $64.50; Jolene Jane Solheim, Red Lake Falls, 16, 65/55, $64.50.

Minnesota Department of Natural Resource cases: Jason Paul Cervantes, St. Hilaire, 18, failure to display current registration, $41.50.



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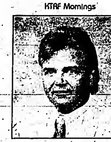
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Nova Scotia Trip

Kern and Alice Tilman returned last Thursday from a trip to Nova Scotia. They had driven to Minneapolis where they were joined by Don and Genyce Harrington and flew from there to Boston. From there they went with a tour group making the first leg of their journey on a ship overnight. From the ship they transferred to a bus for the remainder of the tour. They visited the sights of the Canadian Maritime Provinces which included Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, the site of Anne of Green Gables, the Evangeline Trail and other interesting places. Coming back to Boston they visited the Old North Church where Paul Revere hung his lanterns in the first struggle for the independence which we all enjoy. Other places of historic interest and the beautiful fall colors everywhere made it a most enjoyable trip. On their return to Minnesota they spent a night with Don and Genyce in their St. Paul home before driving back to Plummer.

Vivian Olson of Grand Rapids accompanied by her dog, spent from Wednesday to Saturday at the Lorene Westerlund home. On Thursday they were luncheon guests of Mrs. Tress Nicer at the Best Western.

Lillie Halvorson and Alyce Knelck-son were visitors last week at the home of Leonard and Bernice Peterson.

Jack and Donna McCloud of Brandon Manitoba accompanied by her brother Lyle Howell of Sudbury Ontario came on Thursday to visit their cousin, Edna Hyde, leaving on Friday. They were enroute home from Montreal to their homes.

Sarah Grindé, daughter of Carl and Joyce Magers, has been promoted to Regional Sales Representative for Winnebago Computer Software Company. Sarah will be demonstrating training library automation software and the training of site representatives.

Dickenson Trip

Clare Everson of Greenbush, her parents Joe and Helen Fisher and Frances Schefert drove to Dickenson ND on Friday. Frances was a house guest of Bob and Geri Marty, former residents of Plummer who sent greetings to their many friends here. She also visited her sister Gecelia Zine at the Nursing Home. The Fishers and Clare visited Helen's mother Elizabeth and helped her celebrate her 92nd birthday, also visited with other relatives. They returned home on Monday.

Duane Walter of Minot arrived on Saturday to visit his parents, Herb and Esther Walter. He went back on Sunday accompanied by his mother-in-law Ezella Schefert.

Ruth Wilkens spent the past week at the Garyl Wilkens home in Langdon, ND with her granddaughter, Tara while her parents were attending a convention in Seattle.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Ruth Wilkens were Leonard and Veronica Boucher of Brooks.

Turkey Supper

Immanuel Lutheran Church's annual Fall Turkey Supper was very well attended on Saturday evening at the town hall. It was ably served by all of the church families and the meal of home prepared foods, including many varieties of pie, was enjoyed by friends from far and near. Matching funds were from Lutheran Brotherhood and Aid Association for Lutherans. Thanks to all who came and to everyone who worked.

Carole and Jim Wright visited at the home of Charlotte Leining on Saturday evening after the church supper.

Marvin and Judy Engesether moved on Saturday to their newly purchased country home, formerly owned by Bill and Winnie Trelline.

Elnore Christianson of Oklee visited her sister, Bernice and Leonard Peterson on Sunday. They all drove out to visit Mervin and Judy in their new home. Leroy Engesether also visited them that day.

George and Hazel Olie were Sunday afternoon visitors of Jon and Evelyn Kuiper of Red Lake Falls.

Effie and Bunnie Byer took a drive on Sunday to see the lovely fall colors of the Minnesota woods. We stopped at Roy Lake and later drove by the smoldering ruins of the Roy Lake Lodge which had burned that morning. We also stopped at Lake George and went on to visit the homes of cousin Virginia Olson of Guthrie, Ken and Evelyn Johnson and Leona Moemkurt of rural Bemidji. I think the autumn colors were the most brilliant I've seen in many years.

Sunday supper guests of Carl and Joyce Magers were Lowell, Cindy and Ross Arlt, Sherrie Engen and boys of Thief River Falls, Mr and Mrs. Walter Katschke of Brooks and Chad Schmitz of Red Lake Falls.

Trudy Culkins, Tyler, Casey and Nicholas were Sunday evening guests of Charlotte Leining. Amelia Eskeli had visited there in the afternoon.

Homecoming Royalty

Congratulations to Scott Waldal and Patty Greenwald who were named King and Queen of Plummer high on Monday morning at the school. They will reign over the activities of Spirit Week and Homecoming weekend coming up. They are both seniors and their attendants were Catherine Rosten, Bryce Huotari, and Ginger Frolland, also Beth Killian and Jersen Rewertz and Matt Lather. Sophomore attendants were Tiffany Gustafson and Ross Arlt. First grade attendants are Brittannie Malwitz and Tyler Gustafson.

VA Visit

Amelia Eskeli, Karen and Catherine Fossell, Harriet Norman, Bunny DuChamp and Fern Eskeli spent Monday in Fargo visiting the residents of the VA Hospital. They brought lunch and led in playing Bingo and other games, representing the American Legion Auxiliary of Plummer.

Church Directory

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
101 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Ronchad, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
Gaven & Marcia Sylvester, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Thursday-Friday, Oct. 19-20—10th Grade Retreat at 6 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 22—Gideon Sunday at Redeemer and Black River.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school is followed by worship service.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Pastor; Henry Moyer, Pastor
Gary Johnson, Associate
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Richard Lundgren, Interim Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4716
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. - Joy 4 Kids Children's church; Sunday school (Ages 2-Adult) at 9:30 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wollenzien, Pastor; Timothy M. Bauer, Pastor
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

CNC CHAPEL
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
1024 Tindolph Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Robert Forbes, Pastor
681-7685 Office or 681-4606
Worship Services: Saturdays at 11:05 a.m.; Sabbath school at 9:15 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Thursday, Oct. 19— Soup and sandwich luncheon at 11 a.m.
Worship Services: Sundays (This Sunday, October 22, is Gideon Sunday) at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9 a.m. Also this Sunday there is a baptismal reception for Beau Eckert.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
211 Arnold Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Curtis O. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sich, Associate
Edsel Lindquist, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3855
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday Bible school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m.; Evening Bible Hour at 6:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Baptist General Conference
414 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Ron Gullman, Senior Pastor
681-2477
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.

ABUNDANT LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
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Wesley Langaas, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

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105 Knight Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Father Joe DeCrans, Pastor
Father Tim Bushy, Associate Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-Noon, 12:30-5
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move Children's church.

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
401 South Saint Paul Avenue, Thief River Falls
Del Palmer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed.-Fri., 9-4:30 • 681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays—Morning Devotional hour at 8 a.m.—Service at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.

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Bob Waterbury, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Evening services at 7 p.m.

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Nondenominational
Highway 1 East; Rt. 4 Box 11A, Thief River Falls
Curtis Jacobson, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 9-3 • 681-2285
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

ST. PAULI LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
County Road 20 South of rural Thief River Falls
Terri Jo Slotdum, Pastor
964-5447 or 964-5750
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m., Sunday school at 10 a.m.

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Water Street, St. Hilaire
964-5447 or 964-5750
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

FAITH LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
601 North Dewey Ave., Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Phone: 681-7705 Church 681-5462 Office
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

SILVERTON LUTHERAN CHURCH
Silverton Township, Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Office 681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

NEWFOLDEN FREE LUTHERAN PARISH BETHANIA AND WESTAKER CHURCHES, AFLC
P.O. Box 187, Newfolden
Rev. Leroy Flickinger
874-7925
Worship Services —Bethania: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Worship Services — Westaker: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

NAZARETH AND SILVER CREEK, ELCA
Rt. 1 Box 132, Newfolden
Nancy Werner, Pastor
449-3841
Worship Services – Silver Creek: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 11 a.m., Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

NEWFOLDEN NEW HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, A.A.L.C.
P.O. Box 185, Newfolden
874-6611
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH, EFCA
P.O. Box 86, Newfolden
Gary Barrett, Pastor
874-8785
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:25 a.m.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Box 38, Newfolden
John Jorgensen, Pastor
874-7115
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH, MT. OLIVE, NAZARETH, OAK PARK, ST. PETRI, ELS
P.O. Box 26, Oklee
Daniel Faugstad and Philipp Lehmann, Pastors
796-5597 (Pastor Lehmann)
Worship Services – Mt. Olive: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 9:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Oak Park: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Dinner at 12 Noon.
Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.

IMMANUEL/EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Box 98, Plummer
Clarence J. Johnson, Pastor
465-4525
Worship Services – Immanuel: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Ebenezer: Sundays at 11 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
Brooks
Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
796-5844
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH
Oklee
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

ST. VINCENT dePAUL CHURCH
Plummer
Worship Services: Saturdays at 7:30 p.m.

REINER FREE LUTHERAN, AFLC
Highway 1, Goodridge
Del Palmer, Pastor
681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays—Morning devotional hour at 8 a.m.—Service at 11:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:15 a.m.

GOODRIDGE LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Box 157, Goodridge
Robert W. Dahlen, Pastor; David Dahl, Intern Pastor
Office Hours: Tues., Thurs., Fri. 9-12 Noon
378-4191
Worship Services – Ekelund: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Worship Services – Faith: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services – Bethany: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Sunday school at 11 a.m.

TELEMARKEN LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
Rural Goodridge
Raynard Huglen, Pastor
Pastor's 874-8465
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

GATZKE-THIEF LAKE LUTHERAN UNITED AND OUR SAVIOR'S PARISHES
Gatzke-Thief Lake area
Arlen Lloyd, Pastor
459-3314
Worship Services – United: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services – Our Savior's: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

VIKING COVENANT CHURCH
Viking
Gerald Deppa, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-4 • 523-4735
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

VIKING LUTHERAN PARISH ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH
P.O. Box 37, Viking
Paul A. Chell, Pastor
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:45 a.m.; Sunday church school at 9:30 a.m.

OAK RIDGE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Rural Thief River Falls
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Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was a Sunday overnight guest of her son, Rod and Char Myhre of Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Madelyn Novotne and family of Minneapolis was a Monday overnight guest of Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum.

On Monday, Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Cheryll Hince, and Mable Sabourin were guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Duane and Delores Delage of White Bear Lake were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Nora Delage.

Clarence and Diane Gagner visited with their son, Tim and Brenda Gagner in Fergus Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. Diane Plante, Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel, Myrtle Hamrum attended the Red Lake County Board on Aging in Red Lake Falls on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Jane Paradis, drove to Fargo, on Tuesday and was an overnight guest of her daughter, Todd and Heather Nelson.

Mrs. Yvonne Kush of Aurora, and Madonna Pello of Rosemount, were Tuesday overnight guests of their mother, Mrs. Nora Delage.

Thursday to Sunday guests of Mrs. Vi Gagner were her sister, Mrs. Don Behnte of St. Paul and her daughter, Beverly Truran of Brooklyn Center.

On Friday, Joyce Carlson of McIntosh and a friend of Croquet, Tammy Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee, Evangeline Grove, Shawn Hince and Michael Hagger visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Monica Novak returned on Monday from a ten day visit with her daughter, Jack and Anita Mattison in Minot, ND.

Roger and Mary Jane Paradis recently attended the 25th Wedding Anniversary of a cousin, Doyle and Sue Nelson in Thief River Falls.

Dona and Joyce Rock visited their daughter, Val Walker and family in Crookston on Sunday.

Wednesday forenoon, guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were, Mrs. Joann Delage, Myrtle Hamrum, Vi Gagner, Pat Proulx, Debbie Opdahl and Mamie Riendeau.

Dan Gagner, a student of UND of Grand Forks was a Friday to Sunday guest of his parents, Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Sheldon and Shirley Gelage of Erskine were Sunday evening dinner guests of his mother, Mrs. Nora Delage.

On Saturday, Mrs. Harold Derosier of Red Lake Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachary, Troy Gustafson and Courtney, Tammy Grove all of Oklee, Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince were visitors of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Wayne and Robin Kerbe and Allyssa of Grand Forks were Saturday overnight guests of her mother Mrs. Joann Delage.

Lowell and Cindy Arlt and Ross and Karl Magers all of Plummer, Sherrie Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests of Walter and Willie Katschke.

Friday overnight guests of Marc and Connie Parenteau were Greg and Donna Parenteau and Cory and Auston of Crookston.

Mrs Joann Delage attended the wedding of a cousin Lona Jeane and Paul Miller on Saturday in Greenbush.

Mrs. Diane Plante, Evangeline Grove and Mr. and Mrs. Darrin Grove of Oklee visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Sunday.

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak attended the St. Bernard church dinner in Thief River Falls and after visited at the home of their son, Ray and Reinette Walter, on Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel, Herb and Esther Walter were Sunday dinner guests of their children, Roger and Janel Walter of Plummer and helped Marc celebrate his 6th birthday.

Marc and Connie Parenteau returned home on Thursday evening from a three week holiday visiting an Aunt Lowella Clement of Illinois; a son Marc and Connie Parenteau and family of Shell Lake, WI; a daughter Michael and Pam Daley and family of Hamersville, OH; a sister Chuck and Nancy Stridde of Gallatin, TN; a sister Lamont and Mary Lou Deaver at Myrtle Beach, VA and attended the reunion of Marquette University Fraternity Brothers and their wives there. On their return home they visited Dick Huebler in Illinois and Pam and Mike Daley in Hamersville, OH.

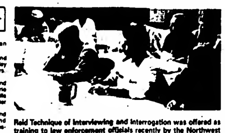
Mike and Sharon Riendeau hosted a dinner party on Friday evening with Harvey and Mamie Riendeau, Ben and Ethel Reindeau of Arizona, Ralph Grandbois and son David of Red Lake Falls as guests.

Little Oak

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Olaf Olson is on the sick list. We all send get well wishes to Alvera.

Orben Good visited at the Willie Good home recently. Adeline Henson called there on Friday.

Kyle Arveson visited at the Ernest Mostrom home on Sunday. Willie and Jane Good called there in the evening.



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Reid Technique of interviewing, interrogation held

Reid Technique of Interviewing and Interrogation was recently offered as training to law enforcement officials by the Northwest Regional Training (NRT) program *through Northland Community and Technical College.*

NRT Coordinator Kevin Stuckey, described the seminar, which is presented by John E. Reid and Associates of Chicago, IL, as "Top Notch", and that the Reid Technique is recognized both nationally and internationally in the criminal justice field.

The seminar was presented by Brian C. Jayne who has been employed by James E. Reid and Associates since 1978. Jayne has conducted federally-sponsored research in a number of areas relating to the detection of deception, including behavior analysis.

According to Jayne, the Reid Technique separates the interview from the interrogation, enabling the officer to evaluate the subject's behavior to determine whether or not they are telling the truth. "This increases the probability that the investigator will elicit the truth," said Jayne. He added, "It also helps the investigator establish a rapport with the suspect who in turn, is more likely to volunteer information."

Throughout the seminar, Jayne revealed that the *Reid Technique* looks at interviewing as a process with an emphasis on behavior analysis.

According to Jayne, investigator's styles and techniques will differ while interviewing and interrogating, however, studies show that people will relieve anxiety the same way, time after time.

"This was one of the most beneficial seminars NRT has offered. I've learned a lot of techniques I'll be able to use," said Mark Krosen of the Hubbard County Sheriff's department.

NRT offers 360 hours of training each year. Some of the courses offered for the winter quarter include: High Risk Communication, Domestic Assault, Emergency Medical Dispatch, Community Policing, Police Report Writing, and Firearms Training Systems. For more information on any of the above courses contact Kevin Stuckey at (218) 681-0727 or 1-800-959-6282.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Mr and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited with Mrs. Tim Howard at united hospital in Grand Forks, ND on Monday. Enroute home they visited at the Harley Bulchotz home at Grand Forks, ND and Harvey Ness home at Thief River Falls.

Gene Peterson visited on Wednesday at the Alan Severts home.

Supper guests on Saturday at the Frank Teserek home near Roseau were Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Olson and Ryan, Mr and Mrs. Michael Teserek, Timothy and Ashley and Adam Teserek of Roseau, Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls and Mr and Mrs. Clifford Klamar. They celebrated Karla's birthday.

Milton Johnson of Fergus Falls and Dr. Mark Johnson and son Eric of Michigan visited on Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

Correction

Melanie Lunsetter was a sponsor for the baptism of Jenna Lunsetter.

Senior News

The Seniors met on Wednesday at the center. Denise Holthusen took blood pressures. Karyl Larson won the door prize and the seniors served.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited at the Gary Polansky home.

Circle

The Salome circle met on Tuesday morning at United Lutheran church. Those present were: Pastor Arlen Lloyd, Mrs. Gene Peterson, Mrs. Juel Aune, Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mrs. Rueben Engevik, Mrs. Larry Hagen, Mrs. Alton Sparby, Mrs. Rueben Brawley and Mrs. Raymond Aune. Hazel gave the Bible study and Ann was hostess.

Supper guests on Monday at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sorenson and Terry Blaine of Grygla.

Mrs. Rueben Engevik attended the Gideon banquet at the Best Western on Tuesday evening.

Mary Polansky and Harold Polansky of Grygla and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polansky attended a wedding of Mary's great-nephew on Saturday at Fargo, ND.

Evening visitors at the Merlyn Sistad home were Walter Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lunsetter.

Lowell Larson, Brian Flater and Bob Jeris of Blaine spent the weekend at the Keryl Larson and Randy Larson homes enjoying some hunting.

Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud and Walter Lunsetter visited with Art and Herman Ruud at Goodridge and were later coffee guests at the Orvin Anderson home.

Nathan and Karen Engevik and children of Roseau visited on Sunday at the Rueben Engevik home.

Betty Polansky and daughter Betty of Milwaukee spent several days at the Eugene Polansky home and visiting with other relatives in the area.

Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar of Roseau spent the weekend at the Clifford Klamar home.

Steve Koch and Chad Severts of Bemidji spent the weekend hunting at the Alan Severts home.

Saturday 22 senior citizens drove to the Sportsman's Lodge at Baudette where they went on a boat cruise to Pine Island and enjoyed a fish fry. Those attending were: Howard and Mary Ann Lunsetter, Bill and Tillie Bernstern, Harold and Doris Klamar, Karyl Larson, Eunice Hagen, Walter Lunsetter, LeRoy Lian and Darlene Swagger, Evert and Anne Westberg, Cheslie and Arlette Ruud, Eugene Polansky, DeLones Engevik, Merlyn and Gloria Sistad, Elsie Aune and Donnie and Betty McMillin.

Harry Delsing and Jim Neunchow of Long Prairie spent Tuesday until Saturday at the Alan Severts home.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair visited at the Gene Peterson home.

Eunice Hagen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Francis Johnson of Newfolden to East Grand Forks on Monday where they and many relatives and friends attended funeral services at Secred Heart Catholic church for Nancy (Mongoven) Frebohle of Salol, formerly of East Grand Forks. She is survived by her husband and three small daughters.

Tuesday evening visitors at the Alan Severts home were Harry Delsing and Jim Nuenchow of Long Prairie, Mike and Morris Frenzel, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Linder, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polansky visited on Sunday afternoon at the Clifford Klamar home.

Evening visitors on Saturday at the Cheslie Ruud home were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter, Walter Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Marlyn Sistad, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd, Kylene and Kelsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Drown of Bagley and Genevieve Hruby of Clearbrook visited on Friday at the Gene Peterson home.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis visited at the Alan and Evelyn Severts homes.

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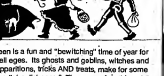
Tricks or Treats?!?



Halloween is a fun and "bewitching" time of year for kids of all ages. Its ghosts and goblins, witches and other apparitions, tricks AND treats, make for some harmless "ghoulishness." There are a few things to beware, however, to keep the holiday safe.

- Use make-up instead of a mask to keep vision unobstructed;
- Ensure all costumes are flame-proof;
- Supervise youngsters during their "trick or treat" activities;
- Remind children to practice safe pedestrian rules;
- Check all collections for hazardous items before allowing children to eat;
- Provide lots of yard light for young visitors.

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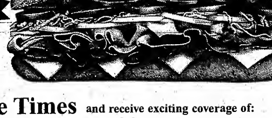

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Each year Inter-County Community Council, Okiee, Minnesota, is required to notify communities that there will be an opening on the Board of Directors to serve the "Private Interest Groups."

Any Private Interest Group who may be interested in having a person represented on the Inter-County Community Council Board of Directors, is requested to submit a nomination in writing to the Inter-County office by November 15, 1995.

Eleven independent professionals now make up the Consultant Services network. Pictured here from left are Kim Ditz Willis, who does processing/data base management; Mortensen advisor, Brenda McCarty, graphic design/marketing; and Bob Hultgren, audio production/talent/marketing. The public relations and business communications firm recently opened a new office in Thief River Falls.

Consultant Services moves downtown

Consultant Services, a Pennington county public relations and business communications network, has opened a new office in the Robl Professional Center, 213 LaBree Avenue North, in Thief River Falls.

The announcement was made this month by Consultant Services network administrator and originator, Kay Teeters Asp. "Over the last five years we'd grown to a dozen of crosstrends. We needed an office in a centralized location for them and clients meetings. It was really a matter of meeting the expectations of the accounts we work with, and we have been doing just that," Teeters Asp said.

"The move is a big step for the public relations firm. Since it began grown to 11 network representatives working with businesses and agencies in a two state area. "Sometimes our clients need promotional plans, sometimes it's a direct mailing, or a data base — a training video or audio production, media work or news releases — or any combination. We coordinate the projects along a professional track, making it from start to finish."

Consultant Services began as a home-based business in 1991. Although Teeters Asp continues to write news releases and direct marketing and promotions projects, independent professional network principals now handle graphic design, data base processing and data base management, audio and video production, direct mailings and business signs.

JOB SERVICE MINNESOTA
We're Moving!
Job Service Will Be Relocating To Their New Office Monday, October 23rd
Hwy. 1 East,
(East Entrance of Northland Community and Technical College)
The Job Service office will be closed Thursday, October 19 & Friday, October 20 in order to move.
Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause. For immediate service on these days you may contact the Crookston office at 218-281-6020

Strandquist — F. Myrtle Vegle — 436-2133

The weatherman had said Northwest Minnesota will be having sunshine for nine straight days. Since that first day, 3 weeks ago, the 4 thermometers here have been reading 80 degrees. Guess we are bringing in the houses during the most evenings and don't take chances.

The beautiful fall-like weather enjoyed this year will now keep many of us busy for a long time. A few of the leaves would fall off at about the same time it would make it easier to get rid of them! But a lot of trees haven't sided yet. Do you want to be able to see the TV where you could blow them all into your neighbors' yards. What if your neighbor got one of the blowers and blew all his leaves and yours too back to you? I suppose then you would have twice as many leaves in your yard. What a problem.

Strandquist Seniors met again on Thursday at the Center with seven members and no guests. Anna Sabel was the hostess and Ida Bruce won the door prize. They got there rugs in and you better believe they were busy. When the rugs come out the kids retired; so they find partners and on each side of the table they tie knots and tie the rugs. I have been there and watched them, they do a wonderful job. For Christmas, last year I bought peel-and-stick to give as gifts and used some at home. They are lot safer and anyone can come and pick out their own colors.

Lorraine had the photo club meeting for her story telling on Sunday afternoon. Family town is distance. Lorraine had guests the names of their 21 guests at the Center last week, which I appreciated and for those of you who were there. Thanks for coming. I apologize for stuffing names but I was really pressed for time.

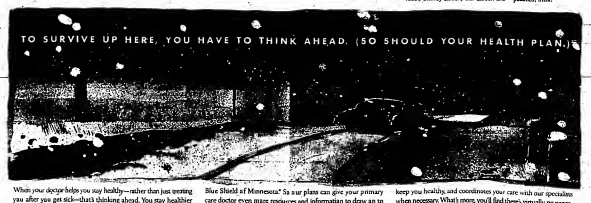
Julie Kirkeson of Seattle, Wa. visited her home last week after seeing her sister and family in Fargo. Julie and Andrew and relationship Kirk's both are the parents of two visiting friends and relatives in Ulsta.

Supper grams at Wally Lindstrom's in Robin, Saturday night were Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom of Karlstad, Morris and Carolyn Johnson, Anita Sodergren of Grand Forks, David and Sharon Lindstrom, Anita and Rudean, Amy and Tim Gunderson.

Tuesday, Alyce Anderson, Julie Kirkeson of Seattle, WA and Corrienne Jacobson visited Frank and Judy Melnyk visitor. Other visitors at the Stattvoitter's this week have been Bud and Ardyce Lee of Lake Jackson, Texas and Ulsta, ND; Elan Strandquist, Lowell Lehrooth, Elmer Holmstrom, Claudia Bergren, Jennie and Kali.

Dinner guests at Isaac Thompson's were Richard and Carol Thompson of Red Lake Falls; Rolsan LaDoux of Thief River Falls, Cathy Andrew and Lisa Thompson, Robert Jordan Isaac.

On October 18th, the Karlstad Clinic will be taking blood pressures and giving flu shots at the Center in Karlstad. Bring your Medicare cards. Dessert and coffee will be served from noon until 3 p.m. You are also invited to have dinner with us which begins at 11:00 and get your shots afterwards. It will be Wednesday the 18th, put it on your calendar.



When your doctor helps you stay healthy—rather than just treating you after you get sick—that's thinking ahead. You stay healthier and your costs stay lower. That's the age-old philosophy behind a new venture at Dakota Clinic. The new Dakota Community Health Network brings together the highly-respected medical expertise of Dakota Clinic with the health planning skills of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota.* So a sur plans can give your primary care doctor even more resources and information to draw on to keep you healthy. Dakota Clinic has over 50 doctors and over 20 consulting specialists who practice at 9 locations across northwestern Minnesota. (They're part of a regional team of more than 160 doctors.) Your primary care doctor works with you to keep you healthy, and coordinates your care with our specialists when necessary. What's more, you'll find there's virtually no paperwork. Think about it and we think you'll think about joining. We'll find out if we're for ahead of anything else. Call us at 1-800-605-7003 or call your local agent.

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Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-6331

Early Wednesday tomorrow, Arnold and Vernice Larson left for DeGraff and spent the night with Arnold's Army buddies James and Mary Kay Mathewson from Minnesota morning the tour of ice went to Portage, WI and spent the night. On Friday they visited the Fort Ft. Wagner in Portage, WI and spent the 50th Army reunion where they met with lots of army buddies and their wives and did alot of visiting. Then on Saturday, we had a nice banquet in the evening. They also had a group of high school boys and girls that put on a concert for them. They were really good and they sang a lot of old time songs. Then on all met for brunch on Sunday morning we visited and said our farewell to all of our friends hoping to see them again. Then James and Mary Kay Mathewson and Arnold and Vernice Larson left for their home and we spent Sunday night with James and Mary Kay and on Monday forenoon we left for our home here. We spent a very nice weekend with all our friends.

Sarah Kuzma visited Sunday evening with her Aunt Olga Thompson and enjoyed coffee and lunch with her.

Pastor and Frances Gerczewski attended the Prayer service for Henry Hanson at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and also with Tim Hanson a son who is also at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Daune and Louise Ellingson left for their home at Aurora after spending a week visiting with the moms Alice Ellingson and Ella Kuzma.

Saturday, Roy and Laura Rogge, Frank and Harriet Rogge and Gladys Erickson were among those who attended the Wedding of Becky Bergen to Christopher Fenske at the Wetlaker Church.

Harvey Dejong stopped in and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson and had coffee and dessert on the day evening October 4th.

Tuesday, Harriet Holte visited over coffee with Clara Hanson.

Pastor and Frances Gerczewski went to Minneapolis on October 5th and were housegueats of Denna and Linda Gerczewski at St. Louis Park. Friday, October 6th, they attended a greeting party for Pastor Jim and Ann Hoffman at the St. Peters Catholic church in Richfield. They returned home on Monday after a very enjoyable weekend.

Saturday evening, Vernice Larson and Sue Sondelleger and Evan were visitors at the home of Ella Kuzma where they had a nice time. Sue is a Christian Education Director at the Wetlaker church and was the wonderful entertainer at the Best Western in Thief River Falls. Congratulations Sue and Christopher.

Myrtle Hommrom of St. Paul visited with Aaron and Blanche Wetterworth on Tuesday.

Wednesday those that helped Lillie Olson celebrate her 90th birthday in the afternoon were Helen Stoneson, Vi Moen and Aldra Stoneson. Evening callers were Chuck and Sherry Olson, Lyle and Becky Olson and Brandi Brad and Marie Olson. Bud and Ruby Moen and Joan Rogge. Lillie received many nice gifts and cards, also many telephone calls.

Saturday evening, Ardyce Lee and Lavison Stribling wishes were Roy and Laura Rogge, Frank and Harriet Rogge and Gladys Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson were Sunday, October 8th, visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson we played pitch, ate, ehcolate and had a fast nice evening.

Last weekend Tamera Mamjo of Minneapolis came on Saturday and spent Saturday night and Sunday with Clara Hanson.

Sunday visitors at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kari Jeanne and Caitlin, Sue Sondelleger and Evan, Harvey and Sylvi Dvelle, Shirley Lathroom, Stanley Larson, Gail Larson and Don and Gail Larson.

Friday evening visitors at the Aaron Hommrom home were Aaron Wetterwoth and Debbie Wetterworth and Rachel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Haugen accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stoneson went to the beautiful wedding of Becky Bergen to Chris Fenske on Saturday evening, October 7th at our Wetlaker Church and Reception hall in the Best Western in Thief River Falls. It was a lovely evening.

Wednesday evening, Floyd and Harriet Nelson and Clara Hanson had birthday lunch with Lillie Olson.

Friday, October 13th we met the Lone Journey and Paul Miller on their marriage on Saturday at the Bethel Lutheran church in Grandmarsh.

Last Sunday, October 8th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson ate dinner in Thief River Falls and later visited with Emma Kemmer at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and also visited with Tim Hanson a son who is at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls also stopped by and visited Lisa Wilson and children awhile.

Saturday evening, Joel and Lori Wetterworth visited with Aaron and Blanche Wetterworth.

Monday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited with Edward and Edward and Janice Carlson and Robbi.

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Gully .....

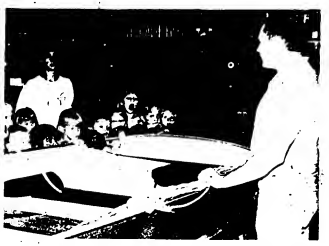
Ken, Alice and Doris picked up Betty Peterson at St. Cloud on Friday and they spent the weekend in Minneapolis. Betty's son, Jim, and family were there and Fred Peterson, brother and Donna and Al Millers at Buffalo. The Pondsegs and Bach Peterson returned Monday and Doris flew back to her home in Washington, Tuesday. Larry Solvem spent about one and a half weeks with his mom Mildred Solvin, he is from Denver, CO.

Senior Citizens Nutrition Program
LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: Milk, apple juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Milk, apple juice, French toast, syrup.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Milk, scrambled eggs, toast, orange juice.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Milk, grape juice, Rice Krispies, muffin.
Friday, Oct. 27: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Tuna hotdish with cheese and peas, raw veggies, pineapple upside down cake.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Homemade vegetable beef soup, cheese sandwiches, jello with fruit, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, bread and butter, pears, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Hamburger pizza casserole, lettuce with dressing, diced peaches, milk.

Firemen Rick Jensen shows children visiting the fire station Tuesday in Thief River Falls, some of the equipment used if fighting fires. It was fire prevention week in Thief River Falls last week. One of the annual events includes bringing elementary children to the fire station to see some of the equipment and learn a little about fire safety.



A boat is stored in the Thief River Falls fire hall for emergencies. Thief River Falls elementary children visiting the station Tuesday during fire prevention week, look over the edge of the boat. Children were familiarized with some of the equipment used in preventing fires and responding to emergencies. Firemen Rick Jensen explains some of the equipment used.

School Lunch Menu

Thief River Falls

Breakfast: Served daily in all schools from 7:45-8:20 am.
Breakfast Prices: Elementary $1.00; Adult/Student $1.25; Extra milk $1.00/half.
Lunch Prices: Elementary $1.25; Middle school/Jr. Hi $1.35; Lincoln High $1.40; Adult $2.20. Extra milk.

LINCOLN

Toppings for Potato Bar: Chili, cheese, broccoli, sour cream, butter, bacon bits, chopped ham.
"Taco Thursday" - Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2 tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk. Price $1.50.
In addition ala carte items are hoagie sandwiches, Prime Time pizza, fruit, shakes, and bakery.
Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Juice or fruit choice, French toast, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: 1-Chicken grilled on a bun, shredded lettuce and cheese slice, spicy potato wedges, fruit choice, 2-Combo bite, 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: 1-Chicken grilled on a bun, shredded lettuce and cheese slice, spicy potato wedges, fruit choice, 2-Combo bite, 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Juice or fruit cups, fruitcup, bread, fruit choice, 2-Combo bite, 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Juice or fruit cups, fruitcup, bread, fruit choice, 2-Combo bite, 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: 1-Meatball sub, cheese slice, spicy potato wedges, fruit choice, 2-Combo bite, 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice, milk.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice toast, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (3), milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Chicken grilled on a bun, shredded lettuce and cheese slice, potato wedges, fruit choice, 2-Combo bite, 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit bowl.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: 1-Deluxe nacho tray, vegetable choice, fruit choice, bread, 2-Bean chickenburger on bun, lettuce, cheese slice, fruit choice, 3-Big bowl.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: 1-Meatball sub, cheese slice, spicy potato wedges, fruit choice, salad, bread, fruit choice, 2-Big bowl.
Thursday, Oct. 26: 1-Sliced turkey, gravy mashed potatoes, roll, peas, fruit choice, 2-Chicken nuggets on bun, potato rounds, fruit, cherry dessert, 3-Big bowl.
Friday, Oct. 27: 1-Jr. Sub, fruit, fries, veggie sticks with dip, fruit choice, 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice, 3-Big bowl.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice toast.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (3).
Thursday, Oct. 26: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.
Friday, Oct. 27: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.
Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Chicken patty on bun, lettuce, cheese, fruit.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Deluxe nacho tray, corn, bread, pear crisp.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Hamburger on a bun, lettuce, cheese, potato wedges, fruit.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, dinner roll, green beans, cherry dessert.
Friday, Oct. 27: Jr. Sub on bun, potato rounds, pickles.
• Menu subject to change
• Remember! The 1st Way of each month is the last day of the month you must have your lunch money and meal tickets. Lunch costs per day is $4.50; 2 carnons per day is $4.

ST. BERNARD'S

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: Cereal choice, toast, jelly, cheese slices, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Waffles, syrup, sausage, fruit, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Breakfast pizza, fruit, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Fried eggs, bacon, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

LINCOLN

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Beef patties on a bun, melty fixes, fruit, lettuce, tomato, pickles, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Tater tot hotdish, fruit, cookie, bread, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, cranberries, cake, bread, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: 5th Crede Choice.
Friday, Oct. 27: Sloppy sandwich, chicken, noodle soup, lettuce, mayo, cheese slices, fruit, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: Toast, cereal, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: French toast sticks, syrup, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Caramel roll, juice, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Breakfast pizza, syrup, fruit, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Sausage and egg biscuit, fruit, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Pepperoni pizza, green beans, apple sauce, bread and butter.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Italian dunkers, spicy potato wedges, salad, peach cup, bread and milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Barbecued pork rib on a bun, white bread corn, pineapple, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Country fried pork steak, potatoes and gravy, buttered peas, fruit cup, bread and milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Hoagie, lettuce and cheese, stuffed carrots, gelatin with fruit, bread and milk.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information as services for older adults.
Sunday, Oct. 22: Ham, baked potato, creamed peas, bread, pumpkin bars, milk.
Monday, Oct. 23: Pork chopette, pastoucs, Winter mix, roll, plum sauce milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Vegetable beef soup, ham salad sandwich, pickle, jello salad, peaches, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, roll, peas, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Chicken, potato casserole, green beans, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: German pepper potato, sauerkraut, pineapple, carrot, cake, bread and milk.

Lutheran Social service center meals program will serve meals as the Heritage center at 301 5th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:30 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Oct. 23: Meatballs and gravy, boiled potatoes, peas and carrots, dessert, bread and margarine, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Barbequed ribs, cheesy hash browns, vegetable, dinner rolls, cake, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Cook's choice.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Baked turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetables, cranberries, fruit cup, milk.
Friday evening, Oct. 27: Spaghetti noodle with meat sauce, corn, cabbage salad, garlic toast, dessert, milk.
Monday through Thursdays are noon meals, Friday is on evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

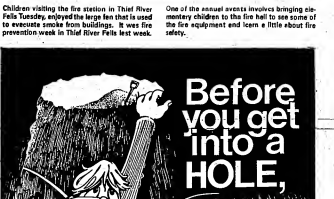
Goodridge

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 23: French toast, syrup and butter, sausage, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Cereal choices, toast, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Assorted rolls, pastries, juice, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Country skillet scramble, toast, juice, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Turkey mini tacos with assorted sauces, green beans, fresh fruit, PB & PB bread, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Hamburger with all the fixings, baked beans, mixed fruit bites, pickle, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Tater tot hotdish, toasted salad, applesauce, plate cookie, bread, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Wienerschnitzel, ketchup, mustard, veggies with dip, pickles, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Pizza, corn, fresh fruit, pickle and pepper butter bread, milk.

Plummer

Monday, Oct. 23: Coffee cake, Cheerios, cranberry juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Cinnamon roll, Cream of Wheat, orange juice, milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Breakfast pizza, Cheerios, orange juice, milk.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Cinnamon toast, Cheerios, apple juice, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: Breakfast bars, Cheerios, grape juice, milk.
Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 23: Ham slice, AuGratin potatoes, corn, butter or margarine, fruit cup, bread, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 24: Meatloaf/meat sauce, cheese sauce, refried beans, mixed vegetables, pineapple upside down cake.
Wednesday, Oct. 25: Beef steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, bread, cookie.
Thursday, Oct. 26: Chicken noodle soup, cheese and crackers, bologna sandwich, pickles, vegetable stix and dip, fruit, milk.
Friday, Oct. 27: French toast, pizza, molasses, peach sauce, sunshine bar.

Children visiting the fire station in Thief River Falls Tuesday, enjoyed the large fan that is used to evacuate smoke from buildings. It was fire prevention week in Thief River Falls last week.



One of the annual events involves bringing elementary children to the fire hall to see some of the fire equipment and learn a little about fire safety.

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Star News

Mrs. Vernon Hoehusen of Thief River Bendinger of near Grygla and Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed dinner on Friday at Hardy Farms in Thief River Falls. Their sister Mrs. Hoehusen of Thief River Falls celebrated her birthday. Johnson is patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Later that afternoon Clarence Johnson returned home after being a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls from Tuesday until Friday.

The Times' Editorial Opinion

The Times
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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In Tribute to Alfred Solem

by Marv Lundin
Editor

I lost an old friend this week. I don't mean old in the manner that people count years in the passage of time. I mean old in the context of what is appreciated because it is familiar and comfortable — old rocking chair, old jacket, old boots, old friends. Alfred Solem had a way of making people feel that way. You didn't have to know him long to have the feeling that you knew him well.

Actually, as I think about it, it was more a case of Alfred knowing others well that made them comfortable around him. It wasn't his way to think or talk much about himself. He seemed to derive his zest for life from the people around him... old friends... long known or just met.

Alfred and I shared an interest in the outdoors and wildlife and, to a lesser extent perhaps, hunting. Some years ago I wrote articles for an area outdoors publication, and Alfred seemed to enjoy reading them. It is always a morale booster for a writer to have someone tell him they enjoy reading what he writes. One story that he would bring up from time to time dealt with the idea that hunting pants should never be washed. When you were through wearing them for the season you should stand them in a corner until the next fall. He understood what I was trying to say... Old friends understand.

Alfred wrote me a letter once. People don't write letters much any more, especially to those who only live a few miles away, so it was sort of special to get one from him. He told about his early years in the area, what the landscape and wildlife were like, and what he believed had caused changes since then. I still have that letter... I know I do... although I can't find it right now! I think he would understand about that, too.

I marveled at his vigor and appreciated his attitude... cross-country skiing at the age of 80 and perhaps beyond. Taking pride and pleasure in his Black Angus cattle. Finding excitement in the tradition of the deer season.

I feel a little guilty about not being here today to say goodbye. Instead I am in another state on a long-planned and much anticipated pheasant hunting trip with my son. And I expect to be wearing an old pair of leather boots which have carried me many miles through everything from hot sand and cactus to early winter snowfall. New laces have replaced the broken and knotted ones and more leather patches have been sewn on to cover the holes worn in the toes and sides. They have served me well without complaint. When they finally wear out and I have to put them away, I'm going to miss them.

Old boots... old friends. Maybe it doesn't seem right to think of a person in the same way you think of an old pair of boots. Some people might be offended by that. But I think Alfred would understand.

Taking steps toward greater understanding

by David Hill
Associate Editor

Monthly proclamations clutter our desks at The Times, yet each has an important message. Two proclamations to recently cross our desk are equally important for the message they convey.

Our media eye has been focused, and perhaps blackened, by coverage of the O.J. Simpson trial. Yet it has forced us to take a prolonged look at violence in America and, particularly, domestic violence.

Domestic violence is a serious problem. Not only is it devastating to families, but it is a costly one to society. October has been declared Domestic Violence Awareness Month. In 1994, at least 19 Minnesota women and seven children were murdered as a result of domestic violence. In 1993, at least 28 Minnesota women and 13 children were murdered. Researchers estimate 25 to 37 per cent of all women experience battering in their lifetime. The Minnesota Department of Corrections estimated at least 132,000 domestic assaults occur annually, based on police reports submitted.

As a symbol of awareness, purple ribbons are being provided. If you need assistance, contact local law enforcement, or Violence Intervention Project.

Governor Arne H. Carlson has declared October as Disability Employment Awareness Month. To me, the proclamation has meaning other than political connotations. Individuals with disabilities are productive and valued citizens. As such, barriers to their participation to society should be removed and our community made more aware of how to communicate with people with disabilities.

The President's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities have prepared the following "Ten Commandments of Etiquette for Communicating with People with Disabilities" to help in communication with persons with disabilities:

1) When talking with a person with a disability, speak directly to that person rather than through a companion or sign language interpreter; 2) When introduced to a person with a disability, it is appropriate to offer to shake hands. People with limited hand use or who wear an artificial limb can usually shake hands (Shaking hands with the left hand is an acceptable greeting.); 3) When meeting a person who is visually impaired, always identify yourself and others who may be with you. When conversing in a group, remember to identify the person to whom you are speaking; 4) If you offer assistance, wait until the offer is accepted. Then listen to or ask for instructions; 5) Treat adults as adults. Address people who have disabilities by their first names only when extending the same familiarity to all others. (Never patronize people who use wheelchairs by patting them on the head or shoulder.); 6) Leaning on or hanging on to a person's wheelchair is similar to leaning or hanging on to a person and is generally considered annoying. The chair is part of the personal body space of the person who uses it; 7) Listen attentively when you're talking with a person who has difficulty speaking. Be patient and wait for the person to finish, rather than correcting or speaking for the person. If necessary, ask short questions that require short answers, a nod or shake of the head. Never pretend to understand if you are having difficulty doing so. Instead, repeat what you have understood and allow the person to respond. The response will clue you in and guide your understanding; 8) When speaking with a person who uses a wheelchair or a person who uses crutches, place yourself at eye level in front of the person to facilitate the conversation; 9) To get the attention of a person who is deaf, tap the person on the shoulder or wave your hand. Look directly at the person and speak clearly, slowly, and expressively to determine if the person can read your lips. Not all people who are deaf can read lips. For those who do lip read, be sensitive to their needs by placing yourself so that you face the light source and keep hands, cigarettes and food away from your mouth when speaking; 10) Relax. Don't be embarrassed if you happen to use accepted, common expressions such as "See you later," or "Did you hear about that?" that seem to relate to a person's disability. Don't be afraid to ask questions when you're unsure of what to do.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

June Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday afternoon at the Norman Kriel home.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor nt tha Jean Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Holeck, Carissa and Julia were visitors on Sunday at the Tim Lundeen home.

Friday, Aaron Chervestad and Tim Lundnnn wnrn visitors nnd dinner guests at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and early supper guests on Friday evening at the Orin Hanson home.

Snturdny, Shirlny Johnsrud nnd Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt were dinner guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Tim Lundaan, Shnnnon nnd Alissa were visitors on Tuesday at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Jean Johnson and Jnssica were overnight guests at the Merle Naeseth home on Saturday night.

Elva Fiedler left on Friday night for Sleepy Eye to visit her mother, Clsrs Hudson and brother Dennis Elva spent Friday and Saturday at the her mothers home. Then on Saturday, Elva Fiedler, Clara Hudson and Dnnnis, Jon nnd Joyce Neid wera nmong others that visited and attended a baby shower nt the Jim Ziegler homn for tinta Coray Ziegler. Then on Sunday Elva Fiedler visited her sister-in-law, Merle Fiedler in Braham. Then Elva and Merle took a drive on the North Shore Drive on Monday and Tuesday. Elva Fiedler returned home on Wednesday.

Thosa who visited with Clarencn Johnson at the hospital on Wednesday were Jason Naeseth, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Jenney, Elizabeth, Katie and Christine.

Sunday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundean, Shannon nnd Alissa warn visitors at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel, Roger Kriel and Jeff Kriel, Gastan and Gannon attended the lutefisk supper served at the Community Center in Goodridge.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and supper guests on Monday evening at the Tim Lundeen home.

Sunday aftarnoon, Mr. nnd Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and luncheon guests nt the Obert Hovet home.

Abbia Charvestad was a visitor nt thn Tim Lundnnn homn on Sunday nfternoon.

Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel warn visitors and coffee guests at tha Vernon Iverson home.

Mr. nnd Mrs. Merla Naeseth apent the weekend visiting with JoAnn Naeseath, Dnn Wellman nnd Zachary nt their lake home near Motley.

Helen Messerschmit of International Falls called and visited by phone with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Sunday night.

Jean Johnson and Jessica attended the bridal shower for Nancy Osbjornson held at the basement of the Eagles in Thief River Falls on Saturday, October 7th.

Vernon Iverson and Orlin Hanson entertained the rnsidnnts at Valley Home in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Late afternoon on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson of Andover were visitors and coffee guests at the Clarence Johnson home. Then later that afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson visited and had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson, Elizabeth, Katie, Christine and Jenny al DW's in Goodridge. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson left for home that night.

Delores Johnsrud and Shelly Johnsrud were visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at thn Shirley Johnsrud home.

Friday, Mrs. Vernon Iverson nttended thn funeral for AlRoy Jones nt thn Faith Lutheran church in Goodridgn. Our sympathy to the Jones family. May his memory be blessed.

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Deann Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—S. T. Johnson, the candy man, has gone to St. Paul to purchase his Christmas goods.

—Barber H. Fant has papered and otherwise embellished his tonsorial rooms on LaBree avenue.

—It is estimated that about 1,000 bushels of wheat are marketed each day at this point.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—The state drainage league executive committee, at a meeting in St. Paul, decided to ask Congress to subsidize drainage of swampland in the Red Lake reservation. Cost of the drainage is estimated at $1 to $2.25 per acre.

—Laboring men thinking of seeking employment on the west coast would do well to remain in northern Minnesota, advised A. J. Cleveland, who just returned from the coast. There is at present a surplus of labor there, he said.

—The local sawmill will not close down until the river freezes over. There are about 8 million feet of logs in the booms here and about 10 million feet in upstream booms.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Arrangements are being made for the fourth annual library ball in the auditorium.

—Harry Brumund expects to have his new Princess theatre completed in December.

—Nearly 40 Goodridge residents took part in a tour to Red lake.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—The Thief River Falls Tribune was purchased by Ludwig Roe and W. E. Dahlquist of Montevideo, the latter to serve as editor.

—Sales of the local cooperative poultry association totaled $156,159 in its first year in business.

—Earl Baker, formerly of Thief River Falls, is performing with the Harmony Kings making fox trot records for RCA Victor.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Elizabeth Jorde was named Miss Pennington county and Ingo Stenberg, Miss Thief River Falls, in a contest sponsored by the junior chamber of commerce.

—Pearl Hanson, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hanson of Rocksbury, was killed when struck by a car while walking along the highway east of Warren.

—Pennington county residents in a special election voted 1,770 to 1,005 against permitting the sale of liquor in the county.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—After spending the past 51 months with the Army Medical corps, Dr. Wallace E. Anderson resumed his practice here in association with Dr. O. F. Mellby.

—Theodore A. Beulke, rural mail carrier, suffered serious injuries when his car rolled over south of the city.

—William Thompson is general chairman of the Lions club annual Halloween festival.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Dr. O. D. Beich and Ralph Luhman, president and secretary, respectively, of Jobs, Inc., were named by Governor Orville Freeman as members of a state-wide industry committee of 100 members.

—Judge Herman Kjos was elected to the board of directors of the Minnesota Tuberculosis association.

—Mrs. Roy V. Nelson, wife of a Goodridge farmer, won $550 in a Minneapolis Tribune crossword puzzle contest.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—The Lincoln high school music department will present a concert Wednesday in the high school gym.

—Lightning struck the Roger Barnes farm home northwest of Oklee, igniting a fire which left little more than the shell of the house remaining.

—Approximately 850 girls are expected to attend the District I convention of Future Homemakers of America in Thief River Falls this week.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Brian Johnston, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Johnston of Thief River Falls, has won first place trophies at three different levels of the annual Ford Motor company's Punt, Pass and Kick competition.

—Stephen D. Easton has been selected as Lincoln high school winner in the Bicentennial Seniors Scholarship competition.

—Thief River Falls city council, the board of education and the Pennington county board of commissioners will decide in separate sessions this week whether to enter a joint agreement for the purchase of the 175 by 140 foot section of Kiewel property located west of the new law enforcement center.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Several boys who were elevated to the rank of Eagle Scout recently at a court of honor at Zion Lutheran church were Bill Carlson, Eric Grostic, William Nygaard and David Novak.

—Pumpkinfest Princess selected in competition for girls age three through kindergarten at Kmart was Jami Lea Phillipp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Phillipp.

—Kristi Rupprecht of the Silverton 4-H club, accepted several 4-H awards Monday evening at the 4-H recognition banquet, including the 4-H Honor club award as club president and overall home economics, overall leadership, achievement for members 14 and over and a number of project awards.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota October 18, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: October 25, 1945

An announcement will be made stating that about one-fourth of the men who had been drafted to serve in the military during World War II have now been released from military duty. The total number of persons serving from this county was more than ten percent of the population. Was this total number: A. 530; B. 930; or C. 1330?

Advanced question: What was the number released by this week? A. 112; B. 212; C. 312.

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library in the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Ration Board Office Now in Auditorium Basement

"The local war price and rationing board, which has occupied quarters in the L. B. Hartz building in space donated by Mr. Hartz, moved last week to the room in the basement of the city auditorium formerly occupied by the Pennington County Historical society. Most of the historical exhibits have been moved to the firemen's room on the second floor of the fire hall."

400-Pound Bear Shot in Apiary Last Week

"One 400 pound bear that will molest no more apiaries was shot last Wednesday evening at 6:30 in George Gessner's bee yard 30 miles east of Thief River Falls. The sharpshooters bringing down the huge specimen were Wilbert and Adolph Jablinske and Floyd Campbell."

Community Halloween Festival Plans Made

"Committees to arrange details of the city-wide Halloween festival to be for approximately 1,500 staged in the Thief River Falls auditorium and arena Wednesday, October 31, were announced yesterday by General Chairman William Thompson at the luncheon meeting of the Lions club, sponsors of the annual affair in cooperation with the city recreation board.

"Mr. Thompson stated that the festival, which in recent years has gained much favorable publicity throughout the state, will include the well-established features of an afternoon party in the arena for the smaller children, another party early in the evening for the older group, followed by a dance for high school students in the auditorium."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
George Raft
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Ideal Indian Summer Weather During Week

"This area during the past week has enjoyed a period of ideal Indian summer weather, with clear skies and warm temperatures, the mercury reaching the week's high of 78 Wednesday afternoon. Farmers have taken advantage of the fine weather to dispose of belated flax threshing and other fall work."

Airport Dance in City Auditorium Oct. 26

"Bob Sjulestad and his orchestra will supply music for the airport dance to be held in the Thief River Falls auditorium Friday evening, October 26. At that time will be awarded a choice of a free course of flying instructions or a free airplane trip to Chicago, officers of the local chapter of the National Aeronautics association announced today."

Children Cause Damage To Rural Mail Boxes

"Reporting that he has received complaints of boys causing damage to rural mail boxes by perforating them with rifle bullets or otherwise molesting them, Postmaster Andrew Anderson today appealed to parents and school authorities to use their influence to bring the practice to a halt. He added that there is a stiff penalty for those convicted of the offense."

—And did you remember to observe Columbus Day last Friday?

—Better get set, youngsters, for the biggest and best community Halloween party the Lions club and the city recreation board know how to put on.

—It's high time to start studying the candidates in the November 6 city election.

—It's hard to beat Mother Nature when it comes to splashing the colors around in October.

—Judging by the current discussion it was less of a feat to devise the atomic bomb than to decide how to dispose of the thing.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota October 16, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

From the Editorial Page

"What blessings have followed the refusal of the farmers last year to inaugurate a political revolution tending towards a change of existing systems. It is terrible to think of the prices they would be taking for their products if they had been so foolish!! It is safe to say, at all events, that the present splendid prices would not have been realized."

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Renum enjoyed the turkey supper at Zion on Saturday night.

After the church supper Ward and Barb Sinn, Angie Hoglo and children and Stacey Berberich, Stephanie and Brittney were visitors at the Melvin Grandstrand home on Saturday night.

Friday evening dinner guests at the home of Edythe Fransen in Thief River Falls were Mable Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Oote Slerk and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Susted.

Darral and Shirley Swenson and granddaughters Shelby spent Saturday evening at the Liz Swenson home in Thief River Falls visiting with aunt Ann Larson from Carrington, ND.

Stevn Larson and Allon Swanson were Sunday dinner guests at the Liz Swenson home. Steve and his mother returned to Carrington Sunday afternoon.

Liz Swenson was a Sunday night supper guest at the Darrin Holter home.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. LeRay Susted called on Alma Orotta at the CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and on Olenn Halvorson and Art Jappru at the hospital.

Lillian Sundby and Evelyn Skjervan visited with Adelle Skjervan on Friday.

Saturday night the Dordon and Arnold Skjervons attended the Burger family reunion in Badger.

Oen and Kathy Olsen were callers at the Gordon Skjervan home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Susted hosted Sunday dinner at the Best Western with son-in-law Dan Hogberg of Thornton, CO and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hogberg of Newfolden.

Leonard and Micholle Kron and Crystal Williamson of Inver Grove Heights came Friday night to spend the weekend at the Bert Kron home. On Saturday night they all attended the fall supper at the Zion church in Viking. The Leonard Krons returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hall and Brian were callers at the Bert Kron home on Sunday night.

Ann Larson hosted a Friday night fish supper for Liz and Allen Swenson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Erickson attended the fall supper held at Zion Lutheran in Viking on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson visited at the Rydell Nelland home in Brown's Valley last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand attended the horticultural workshop at Roseau on Saturday. Elmer and Clarissa Rooker also attended.

On Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Grandstrand attended the lutefisk supper held jointly by several Lutheran churches in the Goodridge area.

Carrie Nicholson was a Wednesday afternoon caller at Liz Swensons.

Leonard Larson was a visitor at Koy Lynne on Sunday and stopped to see Bruce Inler.

Tuesday afternoon, Adella Skjervan visited with her sister Anna Carlson at the Good Samaritan Home in Warren. Adella also stopped at the Alice Swenson home for coffee and a visit.

SHOP LOCALLY

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klemar
459-3445

Mrs. Ray Scott and Katie of Red Lake Falls visited on Saturday at the Eugene Polansky home and Preston returned home with them. He had accompanied his grandmother home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesiiq Ruud, Walter Lunsollor and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klemar visited on Wednesday evening at the Bill Bernstein home.

Eunice Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Paterson visited on Friday evening at the Alan Severts home.

Florence Ruud of Kennedy spent Monday and Tuesday at the Evelyn Severts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oena Paterson visited at the Alma Wagner and Gary Paterson home near Middle River one day last week.

Harvey Mugaas, Gene Engen, Steve Koch and Chad Severts of Bemidji were supper guests on Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

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Miscellaneous

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FOR SALE- Marcy Mach 1200 weight machine. Cannon Starwriter word processor. Conair phone w/memory, all like new. Youngsters Jennings compound bow. 50 gal. wood frame aquarium w/stand. 2 living room chairs. 681-4811. P4t84p

TIRES AND RIMS for sale. 5 P235 75R15 on Chev five hole white spoked rims $125.00. 2 LT 235/75R15 wide track radial Bajas on five hole Ford rims $90.00. 1 P205 75R15 general new $40.00. Call 681-8968 after 8 p.m. 75tfe

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Apply at
Petro Pumper, TRF

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RN REGIONAL Supervisor for Home Care. Immediate opening for RN Regional Supervisor for the Thief River Falls office. Candidate must be self-directed, possess excellent communication skills, current MN RN license and proven leadership and supervisor experience in home health nursing. Prior home health care experience preferred. Competitive wages and full benefit package. Send resume to La Vonne McWilliam, HRD, Pine To Prairie Home Health Care, 201 Hillcrest Ave. N., Fosston, MN 56542 or call 1-800-664-3758 for an application. E.O.E. 4t85c

S AND S Espresso is looking for someone to work part-time behind the counter, flexible hours. Apply in person at S and S Espresso, located next to Twice But Nice, TRF. 4t86c

HELP WANTED- Full-time driver, must have CDL with tanker and Haz-mat endorsement. Contact Russ at Prowler Express LTD at 1-800-621-6029 or 218-681-4366, Monday through Friday. 4t83c

WIREFEED WELDERS- Full-time positions with OT, holiday pay, vacation and insurance. Call for interview 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., 218-772-1200. 4t87c

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PART-TIME COOK- Apply in person, Dee's Kitchen, 811 N. Atlantic, TRF. 71tfc

Help Wanted

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Apply at Narverud Cleaners

WANTED- Salesman for small local custom sportswear and graphic design company, call Bryce, 218-222-3631. 80tfc

HANSON'S BOARDING HOME is taking applications for a Resident Aid position. Applicant must be 18 years or older. For more information call 681-4827. 77tfc

FULL-TIME POSITIONS available. Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions available for full time employment, rotating shifts. Eligible applicants need to be on the nursing assistant registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the nursing assistant registry. Benefit package available. If interested apply at Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 74tfc

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS- Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now hiring. For info call (219) 794-0010 ext. 9011, 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days. 6t84p

SEASONAL GENERAL CLERICAL to answer phones, enter orders into computer, type, file and misc. office duties. Seasonal Shipping/Receiving to receive, pick and pack orders. Both positions have day and early evening shifts available. Please send resume to #2900, C/O The Times, PO Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 6t88c

DAY & Closing shifts, flexible scheduling, full or part-time. Benefits include free uniforms, meal discounts, medical and life insurance, paid vacation and 401K. Up to $6.50/hour. Apply in person at HARDEE'S, 225 W. 3rd St., M-F, 1-4 p.m. 72tfc

HELP WANTED- Two part-time laundry positions, every other weekend, 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m. 4 hours each day and occasional fill in hours. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 2t86c

HELP WANTED- A toddler teacher to work at our main or campus location. Please call Dayna at Discovery Place, 681-5202. 4t86c

HELP WANTED- Earn up to $500.00 per week assembling products at home. No experience. Info 1-504-646-1700 Dept. MN-8345. 4t86p

COOK/TRAYLINE POSITION open at the Karlstad Health Care Center, part-time hours available. Contact Kay Viereck, Dietary Supervisor at 218-436-2161 Mon.-Fri., 8:00-3:30. Karlstad Health Care Center, Inc. is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 4t83c

VALLEY HOMES, Inc. has full and part-time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply at 402 Main St. South in Karlstad or call 218-436-2518 or 1-800-532-7655 for an application. E.O.E. 71tfc

EARN EXTRA money delivering the Grand Forks Herald, ages 10 to 100 welcome to call 1-800-477-6572. 5t86c

NEEDED- Responsible, reliable person(s) to babysit in my home, M-F, 4-11 p.m., maybe some days and weekends. References required, need own transportation. Call Susie, 964-5021. 2t83p

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DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed. No experience?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers/DTOTS. Call 1-800-332-7364. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay pkg. + benefits. $30K=1st yr. $40K=2nd yr. 48tfc

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NURSING ASSISTANT
Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available to become eligible for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at Riverview Healthcare Association, Human Resources Department, 323 South Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682. EOE 102tfc

HELP WANTED- Housekeeper, part time, 25-30 hrs/week. Apply at front desk only, C'Mon Inn, TRF. No phone calls please. 2t84c

KMART IS seeking applications for a part time Processing Center Associate, weekdays, approximately 28 hours per week. Kmart, TRF. P4t86c

SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST position open to start immediately. Answer phones, type, file and misc. office projects. Computer experience a must and previous experience with Windows and Microsoft Works helpful. Full benefits available. Please send resume along with references to #2901, C/O The Times, PO Box 100, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 6t88c

HELP WANTED- Need by October 1, laborers to bag edible beans, will be lifting and handling 50 to 100 lb. bags, call 964-5407, ask for Kristi. 7tfc

THIEF RIVER Falls Amateur Hockey Assn. is looking for pull tab dealers for their booth at the Rusty Nail. Pick up application at the pull tab booth at the Rusty Nail. 4t85c

JANITORIAL in TRF. 15 hours every two weeks, every shift, $6.00 per hour, 1-800-670-1987. P4t84p

HELP WANTED- Early morning production worker and wrapper. Also, part-time early morning delivery person. Contact Corliss at Gary's Rainbow Bakery, 681-1222 mornings. 4t85c

SUPERVISORS, MANAGERS, FULL- AND PART-TIME HELP- Are you energetic and willing to work towards advancement? Great benefits for those who are willing to work up in the company. Relocation may be necessary in some areas. Apply at 7-11 Store. 4t86c

ULTIMATE HEALTH and Fitness in Thief River Falls is seeking four energetic and motivated individuals. We're growing and need part/full-time and instructors. Please call Terry at 681-6146 for more information. 82tfc

IMMEDIATE OPENING- Full- or part-time cook, experience a plus, but not necessary. Apply in person. Town and Country Restaurant, Karlstad. 6t88c

HELP WANTED- Cleaning person, part-time or full-time evenings, 681-2319. 80tfc

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WARROAD CARE Center is taking applications for a full-time Licensed Practical Nurse, rotating shifts, excellent benefit package. Contact Linda Crandell at 386-1235 if you have questions. E.O.E. 4t84c

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. needs mature (responsible) person now in THIEF RIVER FALLS area. Regardless of training, write W. N. Hopkins, Dept. W-56701, Box 711, Ft. Worth, TX 76101. T3t87p

HELP WANTED- Cook, experience preferred, nights, weekends, excellent wages. Phyllis's, Red Lake Falls, 218-253-4113. P4t86p

IDEAL FOR semi-retired person, part-time light maintenance, a.m. hours, Mon.-Fri., call 681-4527. 77tfc

Help Wanted

THE RED Lake County Highway Department will be accepting applications until Nov. 1, 1995 for the position of Account/Safety Clerk. Applicants must have a high school diploma or equivalent with a minimum of two years accounting or safety-related experience. Applications and full job descriptions are available at the Red Lake County Highway Department, 204 7th Street SE, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. Phone 218-253-2697. E.O.E. 6t86c

REWARDING EMPLOYMENT opportunity for motivated, caring and responsible persons. Full/part-time coordinators to provide assistance to persons with developmental disabilities. $6.25/hr. Benefits include insurance pkg. at 20 hrs./wk. Must be 18 years and meet eligibility requirements. 463-1031 REM Roseau, Inc. E.O.E. 10t87c

Rummage Sales

MOVING SALE- Toys, good clean children's clothing, lots of misc., 417 Hickory Road in Southtown on Airport Road. 8:00-2:00, Sat., Oct. 21. 2t84p

HUGE GARAGE Sale- Boys and girls clothes, infants to size 16, waterbed, light fixtures, household, Home Interior, 3/4 mile east of TRF Airport, follow signs. Sat., Oct. 21, 8 to 8. 2t84p

GARAGE SALE- Sat., Oct. 21, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Lots of baby clothes, children's fall/winter clothes, Sorrel boots, snowsuits, adult clothes, all in excellent condition, baby walkers, new crib mattress, pictures, mirrors, dishes, curtains, western paperbacks, lots of misc. Also, 265 gallon fuel oil tank on stand with filter, 1/2 mile north of Home Lumber. 2t84p

RUMMAGE SALE- 319 N. Kendall, Oct. 21, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Will be held weather permitting. Clothing, coats, household items, sewing machine, kitchen items, shoes and belts. 2t84p

GROUP SALE- Skyline #68-73 northeast corner, Friday, (10/20), Saturday, (10/21), 9-4 p.m. 1t83p

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO buy- Outdoor wood furnace, 745-5535. P4t84p

WANTED- Fire wood, cut, split, call after 5:00 p.m., 964-5568. P4t83p

WANTED TO BUY- Dairy quality alfalfa. Also, grass mixed squares, shedded semi loads. Larson Hay Service, Fertile, 218-574-2721. P4t86p

CONE-TOP BEER and soda cans. Up to $300.00 paid, call mornings or late evenings, Erik, 612-871-6304. P8t90p

WANTED- Furnished entry for trailer house, prefer 10x12, will accept smaller. Call 218-874-2301 after 6:00 p.m. 4t84e

WANT TO buy- Wood, 681-8048 after 3:30 p.m. P4t86p

WANT TO buy- Trailer hitch that will fit a 1990 Buick Regal. Call 681-5647 evenings. 4t83f

WANTED TO BUY- Deer hides, trade for gloves, mittens or pay cash. Also, buying raw furs starting Nov. 4, Johnson Hide and Fur, Erskine, phone 687-3500, or residence 687-3955. 8t96c

WANTED TO buy- 1953 Ford F600 truck for parts, 218-449-4665. P4t85p

Public Notices

CARD OF THANKS
Special thanks to Pastor John Jorgenson for his kind words of comfort in loving memory of our sister Doris Jevne. Also special thanks to organist Lois Peterson and vocalist Barb Geer. Gustav Adolph Ladies Aid provided a beautiful luncheon. Thank you.

Eunice & Frank Kovach
Gordon & Roberta Wellin
Elaine Olson
Rosalyn Mazzaferri
all of California
1t83p

THANK YOU
We would like to thank everyone who came to our 40th anniversary and also to our children and grandchildren who put it on for us. Thanks again.
LaVerne & Maxine Filipula
1t83p

36 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat N Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-446-4043. 21tfc

Household Goods

FOR SALE- Antique oak dresser and mirror, 681-3947. 2t83p

FOR SALE- 24" RCA color console TV, new Sears LXT, 4-head VCR, 19" Zenith color TV, 681-8401 evenings. 2t84p

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Bemidji Area Schools Is An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer

~WANTED~
HEAD BOYS BASKETBALL COACH
CLOSING DATE FOR INTERESTED APPLICANTS IS OCTOBER 20, 1995 AT 4:00 P.M.
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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota for the 1995-96 school year:

SWIMMING POOL AIDE

LOCATION: Franklin Pool
EFFECTIVE: October 23, 1995 - approximately April 18, 1996. 6 hours day/student days.
DUTIES: Teach swimming lessons to Middle School students and locker room supervision.
REQUIREMENTS: Minimum of a Red Cross Certification with WSI preferred.
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, School District Service Center, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 18th, 1995.
"Thief River Falls Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in the employment or the provision of services."

REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISORS
Roseau Area Hospital & Homes is seeking applications for RN Supervisors for Sheltering Oaks Manor, a 64-Bed, Long Term Care Facility.
The following supervisory positions are available:
- Full-Time Day Supervisor
- Part-Time Evening Supervisor

Responsibilities will include:
- Care Planning
- Direct Staff Supervision
- MDS & Case Mix Charting

Some weekend shifts will be required.
For more information, please contact the Director of Nurses at Sheltering Oaks Manor or send application to:
Deb Heugen, Human Resource Specialist
Roseau Area Hospital & Homes
715 Delmore Drive, Roseau, MN 56751-1599
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FOR SALE- Purebred female Chocolate Lab, $200.00. Also, 8'x12' chain link kennel, $200.00, 681-6054. P4t86p

Situation Wanted

WANTED- Roommate to share 2-bedroom trailer house, $125.00/month, half utilities. Call 681-2205, leave message. 4t84p

LICENSED DAYCARE has full-time openings for infant or toddler in December. Call Connie, 681-8716. PT4t85p

Motorcycles-ATVs

FOR SALE- 1992 Honda Four-Trax, nice shape, priced to sell, call after 6:00 p.m., 218-745-5766. P4t83p

1987 HONDA 200 SX four-wheeler, auto., electric start, reverse, $1,000.00, 681-8265. 2t84p

Sporting Goods

FOR SALE- Mosberg 835 Ultra-Mag 3-1/2" 12 gauge, 681-6054. P4t86p

FOR SALE- 1988 14-ft. Fisher fishing boat, 25-h.p. Evinrude, trailer, absolutely loaded with extras, 796-5477. 80tfe

NORTHERN GUN & Pawn pays cash for guns, 311 N. Main, 681-6811. 8t88c

Mobile Homes

FOR SALE- 1989 Liberty 14x70 mobile home, 3-bedrooms, 2 baths, large deck and entry, double garage, own lot, close to Challenger School, 681-1962. 4t83f

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Real Estate

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HUNTING LAND- 80 acres SW quarter of Section 8, East Park, Marshall County, 745-5761. 2t83p

FOR SALE BY OWNER 4 bedroom home on 2 1/2 acres, 2 miles from TRF. Fireplace, central air, formal dining, barn and other buildings, call 681-1423 days, 681-7298 evenings. Ask for Cecil Anderson. 40tfe

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OLD HOUSE- to be moved, would be good hunting cabin! Sold in, as is condition, 449-3945, owner/agent. 33tfc

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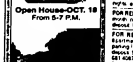
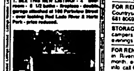
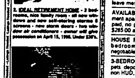
Open House-OCT. 18 From 5-7 P.M.



1. SEE THIS NEW LISTING! - 4 bedroom - 2 1/2 baths - fireplace - double garage attached at 106 Parkview Street - over looking Red Lake River & Hartz Park - price reduced.



2. IDEAL RETIREMENT HOME - 2 bedrooms, nice family room - all new windows and new self-storing storms & screens - new storm doors - two window air conditioners - owner will give possession on April 15, 1996. Under $30's.



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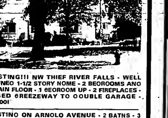

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Plummer Community News

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Dorothy Pederson spent Monday afternoon with Esther Walter while Ernie had a medical checkup. They were both supper guests that evening of Herb and Esther.

Immanuel ladies spent a good share of Tuesday quilting again, finishing up another 18 quilts. Pastor Harold Sitoa, a representative of Lutheran Social Services stopped by to see Pastor Johnson, who wasn't in his office. He heard the ladies at work in the basement and came down for a nice visit with them. He told of a visit to Israel that he and his wife had made recently and he had seen first hand how the quilts from LWR and other organizations have been put to use and were very much appreciated.

Rosa Carriera, representing the Northwest Agency on Aging visited the Senior Meal Site at the hall on Tuesday and made a "Nutrition Site Assessment", joining us for our noon meal. She said we passed with flying colors!

Holly Hocks Meet

The Hollyhock Homemaker's Home Study group met on Tuesday evening at the home of Rosemary Eskell. Jean Carpenter presided as president and the reports were given by Sue Hagge and Diane Gagner. Election of officers was held and the present slate was re-elected for another year. The project for the evening was making mod-podge gift boxes. Present from Brooks were Lorna Neilson, Myrtle Hamrum, Dianne and Sue. From Plummer were Jean C., Karen Demarais, Edna Hyde, Kathy Junaau and host Rosemary who served a super duper lunch.

Albert and Evelyn Tarvo left on Friday for Willmar where they were overnight guests of his sister Edna Carey. On Saturday, they went on to Minnetonka and visited their daughter Renee until they left for home on Monday.

John and Clara Hallay have been busy people lately. They've had several appointments in Fargo and many meetings relating to the Special Olympics. On September 22-24 they attended meetings in St. Paul and took part in a banquet where the outstanding male/female athletes were honored. More recently in Thief River Falls on Tuesday a meeting of 12 coaches in the area made plans for a Special Olympics Bowling Tournament to be held on October 12th in Crookston at the Corral Lanes on Highway #2 from 9-2 p.m. Visitors are welcome and volunteers are needed. And then there's the boy scouts, another project dear to John's heart. They had a meeting on Saturday morning and he hopes to see more boys at the next scheduled meeting on October 12th, at the Plummer Hall.

Jerry and Barb Bjerke and family who spent a good share of the summer in Plummer are nicely settled in a new larger apartment than they had before. Their home is in Newport Beach, VA, where he is stationed.

Goodwin and Lucille Kvasager spent last weekend in Excelsior with daughter, Janet and Charlie Hebert and girls.

Tracy and Ryan Peterson of Tolstoy, SD; Mindy, Larry and Baron Juhl of Lake Bronson were weekend guests of their parents Chuck and Jolenyne Simpson.

RSVP Banquet

A banquet honoring the Retired Senior Volunteers who participated in the program for Red Lake and Polk Counties was held at the Northland Inn of Crookston on Wednesday. The theme was "A Harvest Festival" with a delicious meal served and entertainment provided by a lady yodeler. Speakers were Collin Peterson, Roger Moe and Leroy Stumpf. Going from Plummer were Howard and Margaret Greenwald, George and Hazel Ollie, Lillie Holverson, Clara Hesse and Esther Walter.

New Arrivals

Joe and Helen Fisher proudly announce the arrival of a new granddaughter born on August 24th. Abbie Serena, was born to Ken and Heidi Fisher of Grand Forks. She has an older sister at home to welcome and to play with her. Congratulations to the Joe Fisher family.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Fisher are happy to announce the birth of a new granddaughter Jasmine Lorraine was born to Russell and Kim Fisher at Salem, VA on Thursday, September 28th. Baby Jasmine weighed in at 7 lbs. 14 oz. The Russ Fisher family is now living in Danville, KY where Russ is employed at the Burkmann Mills. Congratulations to the parents and grandparents. Al, Lorraine and Shannon Fisher spent a few days with them recently and helped them move to Danville.

Edna Hyde was recently honored at an Avon dinner meeting for her 30 years of service in the Avon Corporation. She was presented with gifts and royally feted at the dinner. Congratulations, Edna!

Birthdays

The 4th birthdays of cousins Jeffrey Sorenson and Brett Gerardy, as well as that of Grandpa Lloyd Sorenson (39?) were celebrated at a birthday supper hosted by Sheila and Tony Gerardy, Brett's parents, on Friday, September 29th. Guests were Grandpa and Grandma Sorenson, Great-grandparents Eugene and Willie Prestagaard, Earl and Angie Marquis, Russell Sorenson, Karl and Rita Sorenson, Kassandra and John; John, Delaine and Maren Hammer; Tom, Rebecca, Tricia and Todd Willett.

Burton and Joyce Carlson, Don and Shar Fox, Kern and Alice Tillman were last Friday evening visitors at the home of Jason and Paula Cater of rural Red Lake Falls.

Virginia Berns and daughters of

Oklee brought a birthday cake to Uncle Lloyd Sorenson last Sunday and shared with Delaine and John Hammer. She's and Brett Gerardy, Rebecca, Todd and Tricia Willett.

Edna Hyde took Myrtle Patnode, Pat Larson, Bunny DuChamp and Amelia Eskeli on her annual tour of fall scenery last Tuesday. They toured the Maple Lake area and enjoyed the lovely colors and dinner at Fertile.

Clara Hasse, Joyce Carlson and Hazel Ollie attended the Red Lake County Committee on Aging meeting last Tuesday in Red Lake Falls. Plans for the county's centennial were discussed and new officers were elected. Pearl Lanel to replace Clara Hesse as president, and Dolores Zaloreki to replace Eva Mae Bergeron as secretary.

Birthday for Harriet

Luncheon guests last Wednesday to help Harriet Norman celebrate her birthday were Doris Malwitz and Peggy Hesse.

Last Wednesday afternoon callers of Ruth Wilkens were Dorothy Myhre and Lucille Kvasager.

Lorraine Millar of Red Lake Falls was a Wednesday afternoon caller at the Byer home.

Bob and Carlan Kleinschmidt of Oklee were lunch and supper guests of Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson last Monday.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson visited Muriel and Vernon Thomas of Grand Forks on Thursday last week.

Welca Meets

The Women of Immanuel met on Thursday evening at the church with president Lucille Kvasager presiding. Date for scrambling circles and planning for 1996 was set for November 1st at 7:30 p.m. All WELCA and circle officers should attend. The program was given by members of the Grace circle with Carole Wright in charge. The topic was "Children's Sabbaths and Peace with Justice". Hostesses were Lorna Huotari, Judy Carlson and Carolyn Myhre.

George and Hazel Ollie met their cousins Ons and Marcella Heiden from West Fargo in Thief River Falls on Saturday and spent the evening with them.

Pastor Clarence and Alice Johnson, Art and Gloria Fossum and Bunny DuChamp attended the Goodridge Lutheran church supper on Saturday evening.

Richard Vigstol of Oak Grove came Saturday morning to visit Effie and Burnel Byer returning to his home on Sunday afternoon.

Amelia Eskeli and Avis Frorland attended the fall festival of crafts from the Abundant Life church of Thief River Falls on Saturday held at the Heritage Center.

Jim and Judy Kelley and Jean Carpenter spent Sunday at Lake George with the Gary Carpenter family at their lake cabin.

Harley Schefert and children were weekend guests of his mother Frances Schefert.

Della Rewertz, Clarence and Norma Swanson, Leonard and Shirley Yonke were Sunday visitors at Margie Prestbak of rural Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening callers of Ruth Wilkens were Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fossell and daughters DEane and Catherine. DEane Berry is presently stationed in California and was here visiting her parents.

Bunny and Jim DuChamp visited Bunny's sister Tillie Askeland at the hospital on Sunday, where she is recovering from a stroke.

Burnel and Effie Byer visited on Sunday evening at the home of George and Hazel Ollie.

Birthday for Fern

Fern Hesse was guest of honor at a birthday dinner at the American Legion Club of Thief River Falls on Wednesday. Family members who attended were her husband Floyd, Ivan Hesse, Helen Simpson, Doris Malwitz, Loretta Hesse, Peggy Hesse, Crystal Martell, Mary Hesse and Margaret Greenwald. Friends were Dorothy Anton, Barbara Hermaning, Carol Gustafson and a daughter-in-law.

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Gully

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An October Birthday "Fest" was held at the Gully Cafe on Friday afternoon. Edna Engdahl whose birthday is in October, made a giant birthday cake and treated the people stopping at the Cafe. Kay Erickson also with an October birthday treated the people with ice cream. Many of those with October birthdays were seated at special decorated tables for afternoon coffee and a good visit. Among those were Millie Brovold, Caroline Rindahl, Gertrude Christianson, Luverne Fore, Leonard and Toni Schmit, Lloyd Wold, Orville Kjelgren, Judy, Rachel and Albert Seyller, Agnes Weinsma, Maria Schmidt. Others in the area with October birthdays were recognized but were unable to stop were Brian Brinkman, Patty Brokke, Jessie Benson, April Theraldson, Jodi Thompson, Nancy Schmit, Patrick Lee, Ashley and Brittany Kroening, Amy Bruggeman, Tina Paulson and Becky Anderson.

People in Gully had a pleasant surprise last week when Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lundmark of Colorado Springs, CO and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lundmark stopped at the Gully Cafe to visit friends and former neighbors from the time when the Paul Lundmark family lived in Gully and Paul was buttermaker at the Gully Creamery. Dennis attended school here and used to play basketball in the same space now filled with Cafe tables.

Mrs. Renae Clemenson of Bemidji; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hughes and family of Gonvick; Mr. and Mrs. Todd Fore and family of Oklee spent Sunday with their folks the Arlie Fores, celebrating mom, Luvernes birthday by visiting, eating and having a good time together.

Natalie Haugen and Datoris Ringstad visited at the Don and Judy Haugen at Gonvick, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne and Maja were overnight guests of Effie Handy on Friday night. Walter Handy stopped in at Effie's on Saturday.

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3. Define limits and rules clearly, and enforce them. But do allow leeway for your children within these limits.

4. Be a good role model. Let your children know that you feel good about yourself. Also let them see that you too can make mistakes and can learn from them.

5. Teach your children how to deal with time and money. Help them spend time wisely and budget their money carefully.

6. Have reasonable expectations for you children. Help them to set reachable goals so they can achieve success.

7. Help your children develop tolerance toward those with different values, backgrounds and norms. Point out other people's strengths.

8. Give your children responsibility. They will feel useful, and valued.

9. Be available. Give support when children need it.

10. Show them that what they do is important to you. Talk with them about their activities and interests. Go to their games, parents' day at school, drama presentations, awards ceremonies.

11. Express your values, but go beyond "do this" or "I want you to do that." Describe the experiences that determined your values, the decisions you made to accept certain beliefs, the reasons behind your feelings.

12. Spend time together. Share favorite activities.

13. Discuss problems without placing blame or commenting on a child's character. If children know that there is a problem but don't feel attacked, they are more likely to help look for a solution.

14. Use phrases that build self-esteem, such as "Thank you for helping" or "That was an excellent idea!" Avoid phrases that hurt self-esteem: "Why are you so stupid?"; "How many times have I told you?"

15. Show how much you care about them. Hug them. Tell them they are terrific and that you love them.

IS THERE HOPE?

Whether you think your child is on drugs or experimenting, there is evidence that some of today's teenagers are understanding the problems of drug abuse as a result of education. For example, the number of high school seniors who believe there are great "risks" in regular marijuana use has increased significantly in the past five years. This makes it a little easier for them to say "no" to drugs because there is a decrease in peer pressure.

Despite the fact that regular marijuana use is decreasing, we still face an uphill battle with the increasing abuse of other drugs. And the best people to wage that battle are PARENTS.

WHAT CAN A PARENT DO?

The first thing a parent can do in the fight to have a drug-free child is learn about the kind of drugs kids abuse. This will put you in a good position to have frank, open discussions with your children to impress upon them that they are being sold a bill of goods by the drug culture. That they are being led to believe that drugs are "cool" when in fact they represent a tremendous health hazard. Armed with the proper information, you can give your kids the help they need to say "no" to drugs.

It's important for you to encourage your children to get involved in activities that can give them a "natural" high. Sports, recreational, religious and volunteer activities can be real substitutes for drugs. It's important for both you and your children to discuss rules of behavior. That you set clear and distinct limits they can understand.

It's also crucial that you participate. Form groups with other concerned parents. Join your P.T.A. Invite drug counselors to meetings. Talk with school superintendents, principals, coaches, church people, physicians and local politicians to make sure that everyone is not only aware of the drug problems but that they are responsive to them.

If we can stop drug abuse at the experimental stages, we'll be getting at the problem before it gets a grip on our kids.

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Pennington 4-H members receive awards

Annual awards program for 1995 year was conducted Sunday afternoon at the Eagles hall in Thief River Falls

Myndy Olson of Kratka 4-H club and Wayne Johnson of New Solum 4-H club received the "I Dare You" award in recognition of excellence in character, personal development and constructive leadership when the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program was conducted Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

Myndy Olson also was presented the Good Citizen award and along with Chad Torstveit of the Smiley 4-H club was presented with the Key Award which recognizes junior leaders who have given significant leadership to their clubs.

Smiley 4-H club earned the Honor Club award, Sanders 4-H club was recognized for herdsmanship at the Pennington County Fair and Happy Acres 4-H club was honored for fairgrounds beautification.

Achievement awards for overall contributions and accomplishments in 4-H, based on records, were presented to Katy Olson of Kratka and Daren Asp of Sanders in the seventh grade and younger division and to Cami Sorenson of Happy Acres and Brandi Larson of Smiley in the eighth grade and older division.

Dan and Sande Drevlow were recognized for their support of the 4-H club program by being named recipients of the Friend of 4-H award. Alumni awards were presented to Wendy Mattson and Dawn Hanson.

Judy Weleski of New Solum 4-H club received a 15-year adult leader award; Barb Natvik of New Solum a 10-year award; Dawn Hanson of Highlanding, Susan Olson of Kratka, Lana Bulger of New Solum and Robin Asp of Sanders, five year awards. Recognized for their first years as adult leaders were Barb Molskness and Faye Rouland of Happy Acres, Marlys Hruby and Delaine Hammer of Kratka and Key Teeters Asp of Sanders.

Serving as emcees for the awards program were club members Amanda Clark, Jocelyn Helgeland, Tiffany Lee and Laura Steiger.

Special Awards

A number of special awards in addition to those mentioned above were presented at the awards program. Awards and recipients included the following:

Russell Sorteberg Sportsman Award—Amber Morkrid, Sanders;

Record Keeping Award (13 and younger)—Daren Asp, Sanders and Catherine Erickson, Happy Acres;

Clifford Jorde Agronomy Award—Daren Asp, Sanders;

Conservation Award (based on point system)—Chad Torstveit, Smiley;

Judge Kjos Clothing Award—Laura Steiger, Smiley;

Dairy Achievement—Kelsey Carlson, Satellite;

Leighton Hamre Shop Award—Benjamin Hanson, Highlanding;

Clara Mae Swanson Clothing Achievement Award—Kay Lynn Steiger, Smiley;

Electric Award—Daren Asp, Sanders;

Demonstrations—Daren Asp (junior), Sanders and Jocelyn Helgeland (senior), Smiley;

Fashion Revue—Kay Lynn Steiger (Beginner), Smiley; Laura Steiger (Intermediate and Advanced), Smiley; and Sunny Carlson (Purchased), Happy Acres;

Public Speaking—Ashley Morkrid (grades 1-3), Sanders; Katie Hruby (grades 4-6), Kratka; and Kelsey Carlson (grades 7-9), Satellite;

Creative Writing—Katie Hruby (grades 4-6), Kratka;

Interpretive Reading—Cole Halvorson (grades 4-6), Highlanding; and Amber Morkrid (grades 7-9), Sanders;

General Livestock Judging (top individual based on points)—Jarad Asp, Sanders;

Horse Judging (top individual based on points)—Lauren Lavalier, Silverton;

Consumer Education Judging—Ben Hanson, Highlanding;

Top Dairy Animal at Fair—Chris Swanson, Happy Acres.

Graduation Certificates

Receiving graduation certificates upon completing the 4-H club program were the following with years of membership listed for each:

Chad Torstveit, Smiley, 8; Wayne Johnson, New Solum, 11; Lisa Reierson, New Solum, 11; Shannon Ratliff, Satellite, 11; Arlen Stenvik, Highlanding, 9; Danielle Grandbois, Happy Acres, 9; and Jana Johnson, Happy Acres, 10.

Project Awards

Based on project records, the following club members were recipients of awards in the project areas listed:

Beef—Lisa Sorteberg, Smiley;

Beef Cow/Calf—Sunny Carlson, Happy Acres;

Swine—Wayne Johnson, New Solum;

Dairy—Kelsey Carlson, Satellite;

Dog Care & Training—Jocelyn Helgeland, Smiley;

Horse—Amanda Clark, Smiley;

Pets—Ryan Broden, Happy Acres;

Cat—Bryanna Helgeland, Smiley;

Poultry—Wayne Johnson, New Solum;

Rabbit—Wayne Johnson, New Solum and Bryanna Helgeland, Smiley;

Sheep—Tiffany Lee, Smiley;

Agriculture—Wayne Johnson, New Solum;

Child Development—Myndy Olson, Kratka;

Clothing (7th grade and under)—Allyson Torstveit, Happy Acres and KayLynn Steiger, Smiley;

Clothing (8th grade and older)—Sunny Carlson, Happy Acres;

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"I Dare You" Awards were received by Myndy Olson of the Kratka 4-H club and Wayne Johnson of the New Solum 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, in the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls. The award is presented in recognition of excellence in character, personal development and constructive leadership. Wayne graduated from the 4-H program this year after 11 years in project work. Myndy is president of the Pennington county 4-H leader's council.

Officers of the Pennington County Fair Association were elected at the annual meeting Monday, October 16, at the Pennington county courthouse meeting room. Pictured (left to right) are, seated, Donna Harder, secretary; Floyd Erickson, president; and Ray Safranski, treasurer; standing, Mike Sorteberg and Bernie Huot, vice presidents.

Erickson again heads Pennington fair board

Floyd Erickson was reelected as president of the Pennington County Fair Association board of directors at the annual meeting of the association Monday, October 16, at the Pennington county courthouse meeting room.

Other officers elected were Mike Sorteberg and Bernie Huot, vice presidents; Donna Harder, secretary; and Ray Safranski, treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors for three-year terms were Bud Homme, District 1; Norrie Thune, District 2; Anita Cardinal, District 3; Bill Ulrich, District 4; and Ray Safranski, District 5. Lorraine Steiger was elected to a two-year term from District 4 to replace Brad Richards who has moved from the county.

Other directors who continue to serve are Linda Homme and Donna Harder, District 1; Floyd Erickson and Terry Nelson, District 2; Michael Sorteberg and LaVerne Hamre, District 3; Deb Quesnell, District 4; Pat Swanson and Kermit Finstad, District 5; Norman Hanson, Goodridge; and Bernie Huot, St. Hilaire.

Fair dates for 1996 had not been set pending a district meeting with other county fair board and carnival representatives in Red Lake Falls. Decisions on major entertainment for the 1996 fair also remain to be made. The county fair has one year remaining on its contract with the Murphy Bros. carnival.

Annual report presented by treasurer Safranski at the meeting showed that the 1995 Pennington County Fair netted $216 from total receipts of $125,122 and total disbursements of $124,906. The association has long-term debt of $40,000 remaining from construction of the horse barn in 1994 with the debt projected to be retired over the next four years. A $3,000 interest payment was made in 1995.

Total receipts for the 1995 fair of

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Citizens committee promotes levy vote

"We need just over $700,000 to restore reasonable class sizes and some of the critical educational positions in School District 564, especially in kindergarten and sixth grade," states Harriet Worker, community contact person for the Citizens for Quality Education—a parent/community committee working on passage of a special levy in a referendum at the November 7 general election.

Worker says a lot is riding on the committee's effort and there is a lot of work to do with very little time to do it.

The first of several community meetings was held Tuesday evening at Lincoln high school. Other information sessions are scheduled for Thursday, October 26, at Challenger elementary and preschool and Monday, October 30, at Franklin middle school. Both sessions will begin at 7 p.m.

"We want an informed public," she said. "It's important, not only to note how the cuts made last year are affecting our kids, but also how little the referendum passage will affect property taxes and what a difference it will make to lower class size and relieve the anxiety we're feeling over the future."

Class sizes are bumping 30 in the elementary school and exceeding that number at the middle school, Worker said, and parents have asked administrators to do something to restore numbers that would better insure adequate one-on-one time between instructors and students. Administrators, however, say there are no alternatives because of a freeze in state revenues over the past four years.

Many school districts in rural areas are taking advantage of equalization formulas which allow them to adopt special levies which are paid to a large extent by the State of Minnesota. In the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire school district, for example, local property taxpayers would be assessed for only 20 per cent of the total with the state paying the other 80 per cent.

In the proposed referendum to be voted on November 7, the annual amount to be raised would be $701,714 with $564,118 coming from the State of Minnesota and $137,596 from property taxes in School District 564.

"It's an incredible opportunity to restore educational standards in the district with little impact on the district's taxpayers," Worker said.

"Our committee is working with support from the board of education and Supt. Mark Hinckley and we

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Northland Community Hospice to observe National Hospice Month

Hospice of the Red River Valley through Northland Community Hospice in Thief River Falls will join agencies nationwide in celebrating National Hospice Month in November.

"When faced with a terminal illness, many patients and family members tend to dwell on the imminent loss of life rather than making the most of the life that remains. In effect, they lose their spirit to live," notes Mary Lou Dahms of Hospice of the Red River Valley.

"Hospice helps patients reclaim the spirit of life. It helps them understand that even though death can lead to sadness, pain and hopelessness, it can also lead to opportunities for reminiscence, laughter and reunion. Hospice gives patients the opportunity to reclaim the spirit of life."

"The hospice caregiving team helps patients as well as their family members with one of the toughest transitions in life," adds Susan Fuglie, executive director of Hospice of the Red River Valley.

"They are able to do so by eliminating the physical pain associated with an illness, as well as supplying necessary psychological, spiritual and emotional support so that patient and family can concentrate on life until death. It is a program primarily based in the home that treats the person, not the disease; focuses on the family, not the individual; and emphasizes the quality of life, not the duration."

National Hospice Month provides agencies with the opportunity to promote public awareness about hospice care and to pay tribute to the thousands of caregivers who devote their time, love and support to the terminally ill and their families. In addition, it provides the opportunity for agencies to focus national attention on the issues of hospice.

Hospice of the Red River Valley has scheduled an array of activities and events through the Northland Community Hospice office to help celebrate National Hospice Month. On November 2 the agency will be recognizing area physicians who have assisted the staff in the referral and care of hospice patients.

November 14 and 20 from 6 to 8 p.m., forums will be presented at Northwest Regional Library in Thief River Falls. These sessions deal with coping with a loss through the holidays and hospice care. They are open to the public and free of charge.

Anyone wishing more information on the forums, or to schedule a program or speaker for Hospice Month, may contact Martha Wissmann at the Northland Community Hospice office at 681-6189.

Citizen's committee promotes levy

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encourage residents of the district to look for community meetings and presentations to civic groups and organizations to obtain information on the special levy referendum.

An informational mailing will also take place to residents of the district with answers to frequently asked questions.

"Referendums are a very common form of funding for school districts," Worker said. "Of Minnesota's 365 school districts, 287 have felt it necessary to adopt special levies to fund education in their communities."

While there has been a 12.5 percent inflation rate in the past four years, the State of Minnesota has not increased its basic K-12 education aid, Worker said. School officials have been unable to make budget cuts to equal the increase in costs.

Worker said there may also be some confusion among voters regarding the bond issue passed for Challenger elementary and Lincoln and Franklin building projects and the proposed referendum to provide operating funds.

"By law, the bond issue that was passed to build and renovate those schools could only be used for building construction," Worker said. "Money raised by the referendum could not be used for construction. It would only be available for staff, supplies, books, utilities and other operational expenses."

Worker said that School District 564 spends $499 less per pupil each year than other school districts in the state and that the district has cut $617,000 from its budget in the past four years.

"If the referendum fails," she said, "the district will be forced to cut another $400,000 from its budget. Teaching positions will be eliminated, class sizes will increase and services to students will be reduced.

"If there is a favorable referendum vote, however, money will be made available for class size reduction, increased one-on-one contact between teachers and students and additional help will be provided for at-risk students and other students who need it."

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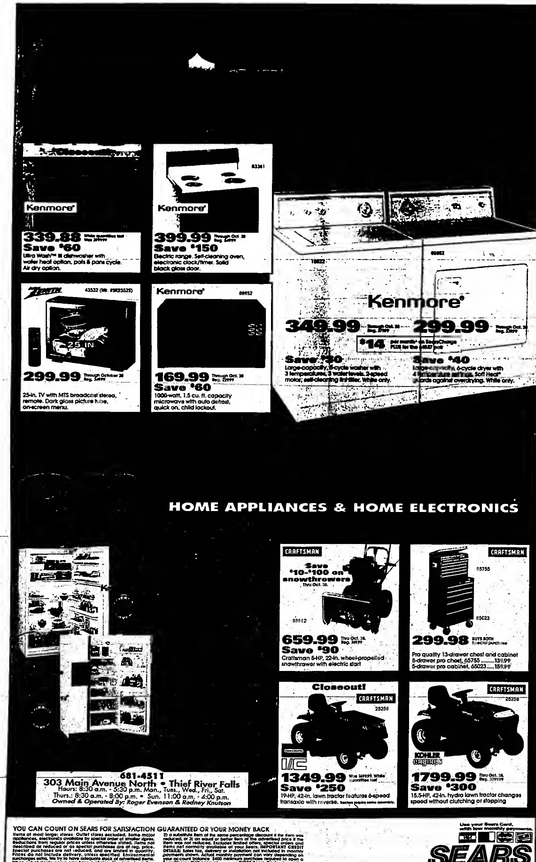

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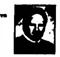
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Kay Awards recognizing junior leaders who have given significant leadership to their clubs were presented Sunday, October 22, at the 4-H awards program in the Eaglas Hall in Thief River Falls to Myndy Olson of the Kratka 4-H club and Chad Torstveit of the Smiley 4-H club.

Pennington Co. 4-H members presented awards on Sunday

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Foods and Nutrition (Beginner)—Allyson Torstveit and Catherine Erickson, Happy Acres and Lynnet Solberg, Kratka;

Foods and Nutrition (Intermediate)—Katy Olson, Kratka;

Bread—KayLynn Steiger, Smiley;

Microwave Cooking—Heather Torstveit, Happy Acres;

Food Preservation—Heather Torstveit, Happy Acres;

Dairy Foods—Anthony Wold, Happy Acres;

Home Environment—Randine Hall, New Solum;

Needle Arts—Amber Morkrid, Sanders and Beth Olson, New Solum;

Consumer Education—Kelsey Carlson, Satellite;

Creative Arts—Catherine Erickson, Happy Acres; Chelsey Helgeland, Smiley; and Becky Wegner, Sanders;

Photography—Kari Swanson, Highlanding; Allyson Torstveit, Happy Acres; and Beth Olson, New Solum;

Tractor—Daren Asp, Sanders;

Bicycle—Andrew Hanson, Highlanding;

Computers—Aaron Swanson, Highlanding;

Shop—Andrew Hanson and Benjamin Hanson, Highlanding;

Electric—Daren Asp, Sanders;

Aerospace—Lara Ellen Haymond, Happy Acres;

Small Engines—Eric Rouland, Happy Acres;

Forestry—Becky Wegner, Sanders;

Fishing Sports—Myndy Olson, Kratka;

Shooting Sports—Adam Kassa and Andrew Hanson, Highlanding;

Wildlife—Jared Asp, Sanders;

Conservation—Chelsey Helgeland, Smiley;

Geology—Lara Ellen Haymond, Happy Acres;

Health—Sunny Carlson, Happy Acres;

Safety—Jocelyn Helgelond and Brandi Larson, Smiley and Daren Asp, Sanders;

Self-Determined—Wayne Johnson, New Solum;

Junior Leadership—Jocelyn Helgeland, Smiley and Myndy Olson, Kratka;

Lawn and Landscape—Bryanna Helgeland, Smiley;

Flower Gardening—Bryonna Helgeland, Smiley and Heather Torstveit, Happy Acres;

Indoor Gardening—Rondine Hall, New Solum;

Vegetable Gardening—Heather Torstveit, Happy Acres;

Crops/Plant and Soil Science—Bryanna Helgeland, Smiley;

Fruit—Jared Asp, Sanders

Horticulture—Jored Asp, Sanders.

Camp Counselors

Serving as counselors at the Thief River Falls day camp were Katy Olson, Kratka; Melissa and Amanda Clark, Smiley; Lindsey Cedergren, Happy Acres; Rondine Hall, New Solum; Ashley Hammer, Kratka; Deirdre Dally and Kim Kirkeide, Silverton; Becky Wegner, Sanders; and Kelly Natvik, New Solum;

Counselors at Goodridge day camp were Angie Holen, Penny Frederick and Ben Hanson, Highlanding and Myndy Olson, Kratka.

Counselors at safety camp were Ben Hanson, Highlanding; Myndy Olson, Kratka; Jocelyn Helgeland, Brandi Larson, Tiffany Lee and Josh Clark, Smiley; Cami Sorenson, Ryan Swanson, Desirae Alberg, Sunny Carlson, Danielle Grandbois and Heather Torstveit, Happy Acres; Darren Nelson, Lauren Lavalier, Ryan Skibicki and Andrea Vigen, Silverton; Beth Olson and Nichole Bulger, New Solum.

Ambassadors

Named 4-H Ambassadors were Lauren Lavalier, Darren Nelson, Ryan Skibicki and Andrea Vigen, Silverton; Ryan Swanson, Desirae Alberg, Sunny Carlson, Danielle Grandbois, Heather Torstveit, Kelly Clark and Cami Sorenson, Happy Acres; Ben Hanson, Highlanding; Nichole Bulger and Beth Olson, New Solum; Billy Lubitz, Steiner; Myndy Olson, Kratka; Tiffany Lee, Josh Clark, Amanda Clark, Laura Steiger, Jocelyn Helgeland and Brandi Larson, Smiley.

First year junior leaders recognized were Tiffany Lee and Amanda Clark, Smiley.

First Year Cloverbud

First year Cloverbuds who had club designation included:

Mikkel Jorde and Justin Voecks, New Solum; Brittany Hanson and David Lovly, Highlanding; Lucas Eckstein, Peter Hoks and Dale Swanson, Happy Acres; Michelle Tieman, Kratka; and Joshua Iverson and Sara Mills, Satellite.

Cloverbud members without club affiliation were Hanna Bednarek, Seri, Broden, Bradley Burton, Lakiesha Clinton, Melissa Dagen, Tyler Hedin, Allyson Helling, Ross Helling, Jordan Jacobson, Brandon Johnsrud, Tyson Panek, Brittany Peterson, Melissa Peterson, Sarah Rothchild, Aaron Sigerud, Heidi Steele, Jacquelyn Wallestad and Ben Willis.

First Year Members

First year 4-H club members were from the following clubs:

Lynnet Solberg and Vanesso Tieman, Kratka; David Frederick, Pamela Frederick, Penny Frederick, Angie Holen, Jamie Holen, Jessica Nelson, Kristian Solberg and Aaron Swanson, Highlanding; Madi Mills, Satellite; Matthew Langevin, Ashley Morkrid and Erle Asp, Sanders;

Also Heather Bjerken, Ryan Broden, Gabriel Carlson, Chad Eckstein, Seth Eckstein, Teresa Friend, Derek Sorenson and Alicia Peterson, Happy Acres; Senja Lopac, Lena Lopac, Ben Clark, Jill Gregor, Znyra Gregor, Tanner Harlow, Kari Hesse and Alicia Lampe, Smiley.

The awards program booklet also listed a number of awards presented at the county fair and during the past year.

County fair holds annual meeting

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$125,122 compared to $150,368 in 1994, but the latter figure included the $40,000 loan for barn construction. Grandstand and fund raising receipts of $57,133 topped 1994 by just over $10,000 and auto parking was up by about $450 to $3,389.

Space, booth and equipment rental dropped by about $750 to $14,952, carnival income was up $550 to $24,338, premium list advertising was down $670 to $2,401, state aids were down $200 to $4,143 and county aids were up $6,000 to $14,000. Donations declined $825 to $1,375.

Safranski said that county aid had been set at $22,000 for a two-year period, leaving $8,000 to be received from the county in 1996. He compared county fair receipts from county levies in Pennington and neighboring counties over the past four years.

Pennington county fair received $13,000 from the county levy in 1992, $10,000 in 1993, $8,000 in 1994 and $14,000 in 1995 to date.

Marshall county fair received $12,500 from the county levy in 1992, $17,500 in 1993 and $19,000 in 1994. Polk county's two fairs at Fertile and Fosston received a total of $16,000 in county funds in 1992, $21,000 in 1993 and $21,500 in 1994. Roseau county fair received a county appropriation of $23,963 each year from 1992 through 1994. Allocations for 1995 were not yet available.

Expenditures in 1995 for the Pennington county fair of $124,907 compared with $167,011 in 1994. The latter amount included $45,000 in buildings and equipment additions while there were none in 1995.

Expenses for grandstand acts of $24,821 in 1995 were down from $27,115 in 1994 and money spent for prizes dropped from $14,364 to $11,309. Administrative expense was down $500 to $8,393; insurance and real estate taxes were up $500 to $8,167; salaries and wages were up nearly $400 to $7,767; material and supplies climbed $1,900 to $8,523; bandshell acts cost nearly $5,000 more in 1995 at $11,305; and equipment and building maintenance dropped sharply by $2,400 to $2,787. There was a $3,338 loan payment made in 1995 while there was no debt in 1994.

The county fair association shows total assets of $116,272 at the end of the 1995 fiscal year compared with $75,864 at the end of 1994. Major increase was in buildings and equipment from $126,839 to $172,581.

Wedul-Steiger earns award

Kay Wedul-Steiger, FIC, a Lutheran Brotherhood district representative in Thief River Falls, recently received the Special President's Award from the National Association of Fraternal Insurance Counselors (NAFIC) for issuing at least $5 million in life insurance during 1994.

School District 564 rejoins Academic League as member for 1995-96 year

Minnesota Academic Excellence Foundation has announced that Thief River Falls School District 564 has rejoined the Academic League as a 1995-96 member.

As a service of the Minnesota Academic Excellence Foundation, the Academic League provides assistance to public and non-public schools in planning and delivering organized challenges, recognitions, and enrichment opportunities for their elementary and secondary students. Implemented in 1989, the Academic League provides a framework which enables schools to involve students in a multitude of high quality activities.

"Thief River Falls School District 564 is to be commended for their continuous commitment to the promotion and recognition of academic excellence," Karla McKenzie, a Virginia-based field consultant for MAEF said. "During the school year, we will continue our cooperative efforts to ensure that academic activities and organized challenges provide expanded opportunities to help students self-esteem and positive attitudes which carry over into the classroom."

"Membership in the Academic League provides a wonderful opportunity for schools to network with each other as well as involve volunteers and community organizations in the promotion of academic excellence," Greg Vandal, co-chair of MAEF's Academic League Council, noted. "When communities encourage and support academic activities and publicly recognize academic achievements, everyone benefits - students, parents, teachers, and the community as a whole."

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Halloween Family Fun Night will be held tomorrow from 6-7:30 p.m.

Community Focus

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Women of Today Fall Conference was held September 30

Helping students plan for life after high school

by Elizabeth Reishus Ott
Times Reporter

Where can a person find information on college? How can a student apply for scholarships? What are the jobs that are most in demand? The answers to these questions can be found in the Career Center at Lincoln High School.

The career center was created in response to a state mandate that high schools make information about post-secondary jobs, training and education available to students. After a PER (Planning, Evaluating and Reporting) review, the district decided to create a separate space for students who want to explore post-secondary options. The decision to create such a space coincided with a remodeling project at Lincoln. Two classrooms were converted to what is now the Career Center.

School counselors Whitey Olson and Bill Stock recruited Julie Rohl and Judy Dimich to help get the center started. Rohl and Dimich, along with staff members from the school district visited schools in Eden Prairie and Minnetonka to get ideas for the center. Rohl and Dimich found bookshelves, marker boards, counter tops and cabinets from around the district to use in the center. Some of the bookshelves came from the Knox library. Some items came from Franklin Middle School's remodeling project. The Buildings and Grounds department made adjustments to the cabinets and shelves to fit the new space.

The center opened in March of last year and is staffed completely by volunteers. Dimich said many of the volunteers are parents who want to be able to help their own children when the question of "what to do after high school" arises. In the meantime, everyone's kids benefit from the time they donate.

Seniors who are looking for scholarships can refer to a three-ring binder which contains cover sheets of the many scholarships that are available. Each scholarship has a corresponding sign-up sheet, so the office can remind students of deadlines. However, the primary responsibility is on the part of the students.

Students who are not sure what career they wish to pursue can get lots of information on a variety of jobs and careers. The center has several pamphlets from Chronicle Guidance Publications which outline various jobs. The pamphlets include information such as work performed, working conditions, hours and earnings, education and training, personal qualifications, employment outlook, entry methods and advancement. This information can help students decide what job is right for them.

The center also accepts similar information from professional organizations.

Such information is also used by the ninth grade students, who are required to take a career unit. Students take an interest inventory. The inventories help guide students toward careers that correspond with their interests. The students in the career unit are also required to do a career project and use the center for researching careers.

The center also contains information about colleges, all kinds of colleges. The college catalogs and other information are arranged by Minnesota institutions, out-of-state institutions, technical, two-year, four-year, graduate, business, and other specialty schools. Students are allowed to check out catalogs and take the home for a few weeks. There are also guides to choosing a school and how to finance school.

The center also has a TV and VCR. The center has videos on schools, vocations, test taking and the military. The videos are all free as the center has almost no budget.

The center has separate areas with information on the military and Northland Community and Technical College.

The computers in the center also have a list of schools and scholarships available, but students need a lot of time to be able to sort through the list. When a student does find information she wants to keep, she can request the information to be put in her file. Every student has a file in the counseling office at Lincoln.

The career center is not just for college-bound students. It is there to serve all students. The office also helps students in special education make the transition to post-secondary life.

"We really want to serve all kids," said Dimich.

She also note that the volunteers are willing to look for information that students cannot find at the center. She stresses that the staff at the career center is there to give information, not advice. If students want advice, however, the counselors are willing to help.

The center also posts job openings in the community. The center does not have applications or do screening, however.

Students can also find out when schools are having "visit our campus" opportunities and when college representatives are going to be at Lincoln's Career Center.

The center is open on school

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High school counselor Whitey Olson and Northland Community and Technical College representative Don Howe discuss ideas for arranging college tours for Lincoln students who are interested in attending Northland. NCTC representatives visit LHS weekly.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Library Storytime at 11:15 at the TRF Library.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club. Janet Hask Aarness, NCTC Theatre and Les Torgerson, NCTC Music, guest speakers.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is "Personal Strenghts."

Senior Citizen Dance at the Heritage Center with Smokey Mountain Boys from 7:30-10:30 p.m.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Lodge meeting at 8 p.m.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Soup and Sandwich-Rummage Sale at 9 a.m.

Friday

Halloween Party at the Heritage Center at 1:15. Prizes for best costumes.

Fall Auction Sale at Nazareth Lutheran Church of Holt at 7:30 p.m. featuring baked goods, quilts and more.

Falls Squares dance at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium.

Saturday

Turkey Supper and Craft Sale at Silver Creek Church from 4:30-8 p.m.

Lutefisk Supper at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Thief Lake at 3:30 p.m.

Sunday

Heritage Center Board Pancake Breakfast from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Heritage Center Senior Meal is a roast beef dinner at 5:30. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Parenting and Family Class at the public library at 6:30 p.m. Sponsored by the United Methodist Church of Thief River Falls.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Lioness Halloween Party for children who are toddlers through fifth grade will be at the TRF Armory from 4-5:30 p.m. and dance for grades 6-8 from 7-10 p.m.

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Humphrey here Fri.

Minnesota Attorney General "Skip" Humphrey will be at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls Friday, October 27, from 8 to 9 a.m. for a Dutch treat breakfast with area constituents.

Humphrey recently received the Trumpeter Award from the National Consumers League and the 1995 Outstanding Achievement Award for Public Issues.

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Sorter and Haugen married on September 21

The families of Selmer Sorter and June B. Haugen are pleased to announce their marriage on September 21. There will be a reception held for them in Roseau at the Four Seasons Center on October 28 from 1-5 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to join in the celebration of this marriage.

WIC will be held at Redeemer in Thief River Falls

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of November.

Infants and children up to the age of five and women who are pregnant or breast feeding may be eligible for the program. Prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby and it is important to apply for WIC early in the pregnancy. No proof of pregnancy is needed.

All potential clients must write or call WIC and complete an application.

The following is the schedule for WIC clinics to be held at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls for November:

- Monday, November 6
- Monday, November 13
- Thursday, November 16
- Friday, November 17

Note: Immunizations will now be given by the county nurses. Contact Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls at 681-5950 for dates and times.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/EPS, Quin County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 1-218-253-2125.

The WIC program must treat everyone the same. A person cannot be treated unfairly because of race, color, national origin, age, sex or handicap. If you feel you have been treated unfairly, write Administrator, Food and Nutrition Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

(Quin County serves the counties of Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Roseau.)

Alice Brubakken's 85th birthday

Alice Brubakken celebrated her 85th birthday at the CNC Unit of the Northwest Medical Center. Many were in attendance, including the choir from the Heritage Center, who entertained all with their songs. Pastor Kerr gave the devotions. Family members in attendance included her daughter Janice of Naples, FL, daughter Connie of Barnwell, SC, her son James and friend of Fridley, her son Thomas and wife of Milwaukee, WI and several grandchildren.

Randy Nelsons have a baby girl

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Nelson of Avon are the parents of a new baby girl, Abigail Kathryn, born October 13. She weighed eight pounds, five ounces and measured 20.5 inches.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Duane Nelson of Goodridge and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Post of Mount Horeb, WI.

Abigail was born on her parent's fifth anniversary.

Schantzen have new baby girl

Dave and Teresa Schantzen of East Grand Forks have a new baby girl, Breanna Dawn, born October 16 at 6:25 a.m.

Maternal grandparents are Joan and the late Donald Gunderson, of Thief River Falls. Paternal grandparents are the late Donna and Lawrence Schantzen, formerly of Thief River Falls.

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On October 16, a baby boy was born to Larry and Bonnie Kraft of Thief River Falls. He has been named Brody Joseph.
- On October 16, a baby boy was born to Christopher and Anissa Lauer of Viking. He has been named Logan Arne.
- On October 17, a baby girl was born to Edwin and Nancy Amberson of Red Lake Falls. She has been named Molly Ann.
- On October 17, a baby boy was born to Kim and Minette Carpenter of Plummer. He has been named Nicholas Mark.
- On October 17, a baby girl was born to Timothy and Cheryl Peterson of Goodridge. She has been named Kaitlyn Brianne.

On October 18, a baby boy was born to Brian Nelson and Kari Kasprowicz of Karlstad. He has been named Marcus Aaron Nelson.

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TIMES FOR TODDLERS

PARENTING TIPS

Halloween: Fun vs. Fear

Halloween can be an exciting time for both children and adults. However, it can also be a fearful, scary time of young children. For them, a mask is not just a mask: it is Batman or a witch come to life! This does not mean that we have to avoid Halloween. Rather, we can use it as an opportunity to teach children the meaning of fantasy or pretend play.

If your child appears to be fearful of masks, costumes, etc., here are some suggestions you might want to try to prepare your child for the holiday:

•Expose your child to some non-threatening masks, such as animals, Disney characters, etc. Leave them where the child can look at them and touch them in his or her own way and time.

•Play with masks in front of a mirror. If your child resists holding a mask up to his face, don't force it.

•Hold a mask over your face and talk in your "normal" voice and then remove the mask so that your child can see that it is really you.

•Remember that young children may not know what is pretend and what is real. So don't rush them. Let them ease into this holiday. It often takes years. The best thing you can do for your child is to understand. Tell your child, "I know those masks are scary to you. Stay close to me. I will not let anyone hurt you."

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk to your child about all the Halloween "characters" and decorations. Discuss what is pretend and what is real. Let your child know that you are there to share his or her whole Halloween experience.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

ACTIVITIES

Appearing Ghosts

The following activity appears to be magic to children. Parents should draw ghosts and other Halloween creatures on white paper with a white crayon, before beginning the activity with children. To begin, encourage the children to paint the entire page with dark watercolors. Ghosts and other Halloween creatures will appear through the paint.

The following is a fingerplay that is also about ghosts.

A cute little ghost named Waldo White (indicate small size);

Gave all the children a terrible fright (act frightened).

"Why," said Waldo, "Are you scared of me?" (shrug shoulders);

"I'm a friendly ghost, as friendly as can be."

The children knew that he was right (nod head);

When he danced and sang -- that Waldo White! (dance).

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need pumpkin seeds, margarine, salt, Worcestershire sauce, and a shallow pan.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Schroeder, Alan. The Stone Lion. Drashi's life is changed in a wondrous and unexpected way when one day he reaches the top of the mountain and encounters a majestic stone lion.

Silverman, Erica. Fixing the Crack of Dawn. Lisa is rewarded by the wonder of the desert at daybreak when she searches for the "crack of dawn" in an attempt to get her mother home.

VIDEO VARIETY

So That's How They Build Cars. See the sparks fly as Daniel and Tina take the trip of a lifetime through a real life auto assembly plant.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

TRF Academic Boosters to meet

Academic Boosters will meet on Wednesday, November 1 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium.

On the program will be Elizabeth Quick speaking on the Science Program at Challenger.

Everyone is welcome.

Alicia Haviland and Cindy Tsukichi check the schedule in the volunteer log at the Career Center. They are two of the volunteers that staff the center at Lincoln High School.

Jared Asp of the Sanders 4-H club won the award for General Livestock Judging (top individual based on points) at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

Career center helps students

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days from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Dimich notes that the hours make it difficult for parents to utilize the center. That is why on Mondays, January 8 through February 12, the center will be open late. On January 8, 15, 22, 29 and February 5, the center will be open from 6:30 to 8 p.m. On February 12, the center will be open from 6-7:30 p.m. The staff at the center hopes that parents and students will take advantage of these special hours and come in together.

Dan Willoughbys have a baby girl

Dan and Cathy Willoughby had a new baby girl, Capri Danielle, born October 19 in Grand Forks. Grandparents are Denise Stepp of Thief River Falls and Richard and Veronica Willoughby of Lincoln.

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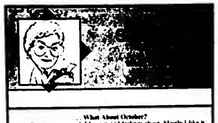


What About October?

October is a month I have mixed feelings about. Mostly I like it, but there are some things about it that I don't like.

I like it because I like the fall weather that it brings and the fun and excitement of Halloween. I also like it because both of my grandchildren, two of my children and my daughter-in-law were born in it. I have a birthday on the first (my grandson's 10th), one on the 17th (my youngest daughter's 23rd), the 24th (my daughter-in-law's), the 28th (my granddaughter's fourth), and the 29th (my eldest son's – and I don't dare tell you how old he is because he will get mad at me – and I won't tell you how old my daughter-in-law is either, because she would never speak to me again).

However, I don't like October because it is a very expensive month for me, with all of those birthdays, and also because it too often brings cold rain and then the snow that will last all winter.

Too many times I have seen snow on Halloween that stays throughout the winter. Too many times I have followed snowsuit-clad children trick and treating around the neighborhood, trekking through inches of wet, slushy snow and then found myself nursing the colds that they inevitably got that night, which brings me to another thing I hate about October – colds.

How many people do you know who are hacking and sneezing with October colds right now? *Too many. The sudden temperature* changes of October are certainly to blame.

But I do like crawling into bed on the crisp, cold nights of October, though, snuggling under my electric blanket and a warm quilt. I do like being able to wear my comfy sweatsuits without roasting to death, and I do like to be able to cook hearty meals in the oven again without overheating the entire house.

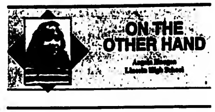
And, come to think of it, I do remember a Halloween or two when the weather was absolutely beautiful – when the children could actually wear their costumes without their mittens on their hands, boots on their feet, and winter caps and coats underneath the costumes, stuffing them up like little turkeys. And when they got home with their treats, the candies weren't even frozen!

I do like the pretty colors that October brings, even though most of the pretty things disappear by the end of the month. I especially like to hear the leaves crunching underfoot when people walk by the house, or I take the dog for a walk. I even like the sound of the October wind howling because it makes being inside so cozy. However, it is another thing when I have to go out in it.

Come to think of it, October isn't such a bad month, especially when one considers that it is followed by November, the month when winter really sets in. I guess I like October after all.

ECFE Coordinator Joyce Froechheiser and the friendly harvest scarecrow in the preschool office, welcome preschoolers and their families to Halloween Family Fun Night, Thursday, October 26, in the preschool wing at Challenger School. There is no charge for the evening, which is sponsored by Launch, ECFE and ECSE.

Halley Johnson, 2, Thief River Falls, plays in the Early Childhood Resource Center at Challenger Elementary school. The center will sponsor a Halloween Family Night Thursday, October 26, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Halley, the daughter of Jeff and Jill Johnson says she's going to come. "I'm going to be Winnie-the-Pooh!"



ON THE OTHER HAND

Lincoln High School

American Literature class read *Rip Van Winkle* by Washington Irving. It was very interesting. The story made me think about how the world is today, how it was twenty years ago, and how it might be in the future. Had someone fallen asleep in 1975 and awakened in Los Angeles' present day, what would they think of the world we had created?

It would be unfair not to credit the good things that have been accomplished since then. After all, we've ended the communist scare, promoted the women's rights issue, and opened ourselves to the technology of computers, but not everything we have done has profited humans as a whole. In fact some of the industrial and technological progress has hindered the human population. *The point I'm trying to* make is that we have neglected our duties as the tenants of this apartment. Even dogs and cats won't sleep where they excrete.

Though we may be hurting our current environment and our gift of life by the things we do every day, I do not think we are ruining the Earth. In Astronomy I learned that the world has been here for 4.5 billion years. It would take a lot more time for us to undo what has been accomplished in all those years. If the Earth survived for billions of years without us, it will do equally well when we are gone.

Before there was water and fertile land, there were violent eruptions and never-ending seas of molten lava. I don't think the volcanoes fretted about losing their environment to crispy morning frosts or summer night dews. Something better eventually came along. The Earth evolved and is still changing. Perhaps in the year 2525 even more intelligent life forms will come along, making us look like the slugs under rotten logs.

In Biology and Environmental Science, we were taught about natural selection – only the strong survive. If you've got a will, it will find the way. Perhaps the earth is generally weeding out the bad apples, carefully choosing the right renters for its multiple duplexes. Maybe the Earth has already decided we're not wanted and has begun the process of evicting us.

What kind of existence will we have in twenty years – one hundred years – five hundred? Maybe our children will become stronger breathers with smog resistant mechanisms. Their children will have air filters built into their throats to protect their lungs. Maybe we will just become immune to the harmful toxins, turning them into a requirement *for our body's daily functions.* Our lungs will process carbon monoxide instead of oxygen.

If Rip Van Winkle had slept until the year 2025, would he be able to breathe? Humans have changed since his time. Each generation has become a little taller and heavier than the one before. As scary and inevitable as the future may seem, the past should give us some comfort.

The world started out as a vast sea with one land mass. It had very little variety or life. Now it has six major land masses, each containing billions of people, living their own lives with different interests, jobs, families and origins. I think that saying we are ruining the earth is jumping the gun. We don't know what kind of effect our actions today will have on the world tomorrow.

Maybe old Rip will wake up one day to find beautiful emerald skies cast over a hazy violet earth as fresh and bright as its first waking days.

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Hospice sets fall forums at TRF library

Two fall forums have been scheduled by Hospice of the Red River Valley for November 14 and 20 from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Northwest Regional Library in Thief River Falls.

"You and Your Grief During the Holiday Season" will be the topic on Tuesday, November 14, when presenters will be Sonia McManus, RN, BSN Nurse thanatologist and Martha Wissmann, LICSW, site coordinator, both bereavement counselors.

"What Is Hospice Care?" will be the topic on Monday, November 20, when presenters will be Wissmann and Mary Lou Dahms, director of public relations for Hospice of the Red River Valley.

Both sessions are free and open to the public.

Youth Fellowship meets Wednesdays

Students in grades six through 12 are invited to attend the United Methodist Youth Fellowship each Wednesday from 3 to 7 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls. Transportation is available from Franklin middle school and supper will be served. Call 681-4388 for more details.

Veterans Service office closed

Office of John Ellison, county veterans service officer, will be closed from Wednesday through Friday, October 25-27.

Christmas Cash again available

"Christmas Cash" will again be available in Thief River Falls this year, according to the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Beginning Wednesday, November 1, local shoppers may borrow Christmas Cash from local banks, do all of their Christmas shopping with participating Thief River Falls merchants and pay no interest.

Participating stores will display a bright red poster in the window proclaiming "Christmas Cash Accepted here." To find out more about how to obtain Christmas Cash, visit one of the local banks.

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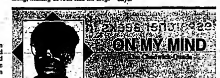


ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

I'll Put My Money Where My Child Is

The days of the Little Red Schoolhouse are gone. The days when a hot lunch meant warming your sandwich by the fireplace are gone. The days when walking 20 miles to school are gone.

A lot of things about education have changed over the years, but one thing still remains the same: quality education for our children is a top priority.

That's been my focus since my son was born five years ago. It's true that parents are a child's first teachers. Much of what my husband and I do revolves around providing a solid base for our son to begin school.

We read books daily. We attend Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) classes. We spend a lot of time playing – both for fun and learning. We attend library storytime. We visit children's museums. We volunteer in the schools. We have a lot invested.

After five years of building a base, next year we look forward to kindergarten.

But I'm concerned. I'm concerned that because after four years of budget cuts in the school district, class sizes are above what the state recommends. I'm also concerned that because of funding, aide positions have also been cut.

I'm concerned that if the levy referendum isn't approved on November 7 by the voters in the Thief River Falls School District, that it will be more and more difficult for all children to receive a quality education. Supt. Mark Hinckley says that if the referendum fails, class sizes will increase and services to students will be cut.

We, the voters, have an opportunity to turn this around. By voting "yes," we say "yes" to continuing the school's tradition of providing a quality education to our children. I've heard community members say that we're a leader in many areas; I agree, but we don't want to go backward.

In this fast-changing technological society, students today need to be armed with the very best in education. I want my son to be able to compete in college and in the job market as he grows older. The time to start is now.

Schools can't operate on air. They've done an excellent job with the money available. But for the last few years, the state of Minnesota has been underfunding basic education from kindergarten through the senior high level. In the last four years, that state has not raised per pupil aid to the schools, yet inflation has risen 12.5 percent. School officials have not been able to make enough budget cuts to equal the rise in inflation.

On November 7, we'll be asked to approve a levy referendum that will cost the local taxpayers only $137,596, or 20 percent of the total. The state will pay the other 80 percent, $564,118.

What a great deal for the taxpayers, the local school district and the children. I'm certainly willing to pay the small increase in property taxes to ensure a top-notch education for my son. He needs to be academically competitive for this society.

I'm going to put my money where my son is. I'm going to vote "yes" on November 7 for the future of my son, all the students in Thief River Falls, and for education.

"Switching Channels" class Mon.

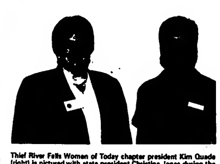
"Switching Channels" is the title of a parenting and family class to be presented Monday, October 30, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

Rev. Bill Kerr of the United Methodist Church will lead the class which will address such questions as: Do your children know their computer better than they know you? Are your children permanently attached to a Walk-Man?

Everyone is welcome to attend.

Falls Squares to dance on Friday

Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, October 27, at the Thief River Falls city auditorium with dancing beginning at 8 p.m. Jim Kooyer will be the caller and lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.



Thief River Falls Women of Today chapter president Kim Quade (right) is pictured with state president Christine Jones during the fall conference for Districts 1 and 3 September 30 at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

Women of Today fall conference

Women of Today from Districts 1 and 3 held their fall conference at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls September 30.

The forum included a session on "How and Why You Need to Incorporate Laughter Into Your Daily Lifestyle," "Success Programming," "Making Your Meetings Fun" and "Chapter Management."

Guest speakers were Nancy Poland, chapter management vice president; Janet Studer, external vice president; Pam Vaughan, District 13 director; Kerry Nagel Allen, administrative vice president; Lori Anderson, Ways and Means state program manager; and Christine Jones, state president.

The Women of Today is a non-profit, community service, leadership training organization for young people. The Thief River Falls chapter meets the second Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Elk's Club meeting room. Visitors are always welcome. Interested individuals can obtain more information by calling Kim Quade, president, at 681-4465.

Business Property tax forum in Thief River Falls

A Business Property Tax Forum will be held 7:30 a.m. Thursday, October 26 at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

The statewide average effective tax rate on commercial/industrial (CI) property is approaching 6 per cent of market value. That's the equivalent of a second 12-year mortgage on every Minnesota business. A mortgage payment that's due whether or not the business makes a profit or even opens its doors.

Minnesota CI taxes are among the highest (if not the highest) in the nation. In most states, effective tax rates are less than 3 per cent.

Minnesota businesses pay twice their proportionate share in property taxes. CI property is 14 per cent of total market value, but it pays 33 per cent of the total property tax bill.

CI's effective tax rate continues to increase despite classification rate reductions in five of the last six years.

The cost of the forum is $4 per person. Reserve your space at the forum by contacting the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce at 218-681-3720.

Researcher seeks information on Oscar E. Swanson

Carmen Skifstad of New Richmond, WI, is seeking information on the descendants of Oscar E. Swanson who was residing in Thief River Falls at the time of his father's death in Niagara, WI, in 1945. His mother, Minnie Johnson Swanson, died in Minneapolis in 1955.

Anyone with information is asked to contact Mrs. Skifstad at 328 East Third Street in New Richmond, WI 54017.

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Model home open house this weekend

Future home of Mark and Kathi Jenkins at 101 Fern Road in Thief River Falls will be open for public viewing Saturday, October 28, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, October 29, from 1 to 5 p.m.

Interior of the home has been designed by Cathy Belmont Interiors which is sponsoring the open house.

The two-level home has a total of about 3,150 square feet of finished living area on the two levels. It features a master bedroom, a guest bedroom and separate bedrooms for each of the two Jenkins children, and three bathrooms. Attached are a double garage and single garage which allow for one of the areas to be heated.

Other features are a den off the living room, large windows overlooking the Red Lake river, mirrored bifold doors, a gas burning fireplace, framed stone accent on the floor inside the front door, hardwood floor in the dining room, whirlpool, custom built cabinets with adjustable shelves and durable white finish, and a good deal of storage and shelving.

The utility room is located on the main floor to provide for total living on the single level.

Contractors involved with the construction include Lyle Walseth Construction, general contractor and ceramic tile installer; Home Lumber Company, materials; Glenn Erickson, electrician; Don Schindler, custom cabinets; Jerome Larson Drywall; Joe's Carpet and Tile; Randy Skoglund, custom millwork; Tapco Heating; Swenson Plumbing; and Killian Construction, concrete work and brick.

The home is located just off Nelson Drive in the southeast part of Thief River Falls.

Living room of the home being built for Mark and Kathi Jenkins features a view of the Red Lake River and a Heatilator gas burning fireplace. Designed by Cathy Belmont Interiors, the model home will be open to the public Saturday, October 28 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, October 29, from 1 to 5 p.m. The house is located at 101 Fern Road in Thief River Falls.

Continentals in concert at Free Church

Featuring 25 vocalists with live instrumentation, The Continentals will be presented in concert Friday, October 27, at 7 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church (formerly Washington elementary school) at 211 North Arnold Avenue in Thief River Falls.

The program will include a variety of popular inspirational and Gospel favorites.

All of the young people who are part of The Continentals are carefully selected from among thousands who audition annually from around the world. The program is arranged during an intensive nine-day rehearsal camp in Denver, CO, before each group heads out for an approximate three-month tour throughout the United States and many foreign countries.

In the last 25 years, at least 10,000 people have been a part of The Continentals, traveling over two million miles to more than 70 countries on every continent except Antarctica.

Public attendance at the concert is encouraged.

Praise Through Play is offered

Students in first through fifth grade are invited to attend Praise Through Play offered each Monday from 3 to 5 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls.

A fall costume party will be held October 30 and refreshments will be served. Transportation is provided from Challenger elementary and preschool. Call 681-4388 for more details.

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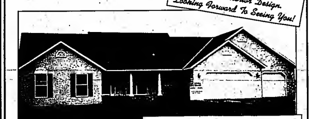

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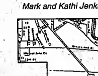

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Lupe Jarshaw, 84

Thief River Falls—Mass of Christian Burial for Lupe Jarshaw, 84, was held Saturday, October 21, at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Tim Bazlen officiating. Interment was made in the Thief River Falls Cemetery in the Thief River Falls.

Lupe Jarshaw died Wednesday, October 18, at the Roseau area hospital.

Mass for the funeral was preceded by The Resurrection Choir, with Joan Ladalle as organist and Sheila Burkel as cantor. Casketbearers were Charlie Brabant, Lawrence Hemmesch, Henry Hastad and Art Wynne.

Lupe Maramorosa was born Aug. 11, 1911, in Eagle Lake, TX. to Benjamin and Paula (Serrano) Maramorosa. The family moved to Thief River Falls in 1913 where Lupe attended school and grew to adulthood. She was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith.

Lupe worked for many years at Mercy Hospital and Land O' Lakes and at Noper's Motel in Thief River Falls. In 1939 she was married in marriage to Henry Hastad and she married Henry Jarshaw in 1946. In 1991 she moved to Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls and in 1992 to Warmoal Care Center in Warren.

A member of St. Bernard's Catholic Church, she was active in the Ladies Guild. She is also a member of the Vincens of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and American Legion Auxiliary, Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, Daughters of Norway and Eagles Auxiliary.

Survivors include four daughters, Delorece Zeppin of St. Paul, Doreen Harpool of Shawnee, KS, Helen Carlson of Phoenix, AZ and Dawn Wynne of Greeley, CO; two sons, Henry Hastad of Thief River Falls and Wayne Jarshaw of Warroad; three brothers, Jessie Maramorosa of Thief River Falls, Charlie Maramorosa of San Francisco, CA; and Jimmy Maramorosa of Wisconsin; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one son, Harold Hastad; sisters Connie, Trilli, Lois and Sarah; and brother Bernadine Jr.

The family requests that memorials be sent to St. Bernard's church for masses or to the VFW Auxiliary.

Erwin "Mike" Wietenkamp, Sr., 90

Red Lake Falls — Erwin (Mike) Wietenkamp, Sr., 90, of rural Red Lake Falls, died Wednesday, October 18 at Riverview Hospital in Crookston.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, October 21 at 1 p.m. at the Peterson Funeral Home in Red Lake Falls with the Rev. David Dolney officiating. Selections were "How Great Thou Art" and "The Old Rugged Cross." Interment was in Old Oak Grove Cemetery.

Erwin was born January 1, 1905 at Wakonda, the son of William and Emma (Gienapp) Wietenkamp. He came to rural Red Lake Falls with his parents and family at age 10. He attended rural school and was confirmed in the Lutheran Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls.

Evert Peterson, 84

Okloe—Funeral services for Evert Peterson, 84, of Okloe were held Monday, October 23, at 2 p.m. in the Brooks Presbyterian Church with Rev. Robert Schurr officiating. Soloist was Rev. Schurr and organist was Effie Byer.

Evert Peterson died Friday, October 20 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Interment was in the Brooks Presbyterian cemetery near Brooks.

Evert George Peterson was born in Long City, NE, to George E. and Olive (Knapp) Peterson on Feb. 9, 1911. He lived with his parents in Brooks in the spot of 2 1/2 years, attended school near Brooks and the North-west School of Agriculture in Crookston.

On Feb. 20, 1933, he married Beatrice A. Bernier at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Okloe. The couple purchased a farm in 1947 near Brooks where they lived and he worked on road construction. During World War II he worked in Ogden, UT and San Diego, CA, in the animal husbandry. In 1988 the couple moved into Okloe where they had lived since.

Evert was an avid outdoorsman, enjoying hunting and fishing, and was a champion shuffleboard player in Brooks.

Survivors include his wife Beatrice of Okloe; three daughters, Bonita Kloskowski of Chaguet, Sheryl Bergstrom and Lora Jean Thibodeau of St. Paul; four grandchildren; one great-grandchildren; one sister and two sisters.

He was preceded in death by his parents, an infant son, two sisters and five brothers.

Leonard E. Carpenter, 86

Lake Park—Funeral services for Leonard E. Carpenter, 86, a former resident of Lake Park, were conducted Saturday, October 21, at 4:30 p.m. in Lake Park Lutheran Church at Lake Park. Rev. Robert Bergstrom officiated and interment was in the Lake Park Lutheran cemetery.

Chris Felker was soloist and Audrey Lawrie was organist. Casketbearers were Ted Oelke III at Sunnyside Nursing Home of rural Lake Park.

Born April 19, 1909 at Plummer, he attended rural school near Plummer and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. Following his discharge from military service he returned to Plummer where he farmed for four years. He later worked as a Red Lake county sheriff's deputy.

In 1957 he moved to Lake Park and was a deputy in the Becker county sheriff's department. He later was a Detroit Lakes Police officer until 1969.

He was married to Adeline Mathison on Feb. 5, 1947 at Thief River Falls. She died Jan. 4, 1990. Surviving daughters are Jean (Mrs. Dennis) Lerud of Detroit Lakes and Gayle (Mrs. Mike) Denny of Everett, Wa.

Also surviving are three brothers, Walter of Aurora, Homer of Moss Springs, ID and William of Wenatchee, Wa; three sisters, Pearl Wieland of Palmer, AK; Anna Lawrence of Wenatchee, Wa; and Verna Limerts of Omaha, NE; and many nieces and nephews.

He was a member of the American Legion post in Lake Park.

Funeral arrangements were by the David-Donehower Funeral Home.

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Elsie E. Christianson, 80

Babbitt—Funeral services for Elsie E. Christianson, 80, of Babbitt were held Friday, October 20 at the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Babbitt with Rev. Jon Hagen officiating. Interment was in the Aspen cemetery at Babbitt.

Elsie Christianson died Tuesday, October 17, at the Virginia Regional Medical Center.

Elsie Caprain was born Dec. 5, 1914 in Bentinc to Tracy and Florence (Rickel) Caprain. She had lived in Babbitt since 1945 where she was a homemaker and worked at the Bewabic Store for eight years.

Survivors include two daughters, Marcia Bergeron of Babbitt and Joan Kandilcer of Chanhassen; two brothers, Henry Caprain of Seattle, WA and Albert Rubida of Evansville, WA; two sisters, Viola Nystrom of Babbitt and Marie Thompson of Boston, MA; six grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Einar in 1991; and her son Larry and grandson Bradley Kandilcer.

Arrangements were by the Kerntz Funeral Home in Ely.

Jo Mary Platz, 95

Langdon, ND — Jo Mary Platz, 95, died Saturday, October 14 at the CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls, where she had lived since 1995.

Mass of Christian burial was held Wednesday, October 18 at 2 p.m. at St. Alphonsus Catholic Church, Langdon, ND with Rev. Michael Schommer officiating. Special music was provided by Bev Gellner, organist, Rose Mullarkey, soloist; and the church choir. Songs were "Here I Am Lord," "On Eagle's Wings," "I Am the Bread of Life," "Prayer of St. Francis," "Ave Maria" and "City of God."

Casketbearers were Victor Kettleson, Dennis Hoff, John Dekley, Don Quam, Bob Tapson and Harry Kramer. Interment was in the Langdon Cemetery.

Josephine Mary Kram was born January 25, 1903 in Kalispell, Dakota Territory, Augusta, the daughter of John and Julianna Wagner Kram. She was raised and educated in Cavalier county.

She married Otto Platz in 1923. She owned and operated the Jo Mary clothing shop from 1949 until 1972. She was active in St. Alphonsus Catholic Church and the Altar Society and Catholic Daughters.

Mr. Platz preceded her in death in 1963.

After her retirement, she traveled extensively and wintered in Apache Junction, AZ and McAllen, TX.

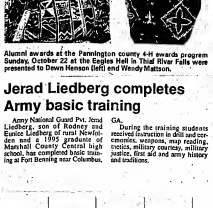
She is survived by three daughters, Jean King of Minneapolis, Donna Lewis of Merced, CA; 18 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; a brother, William Kram of Minneapolis and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Otto; parents and a brother, Samuel Kram.

Record keeping awards for members age 13 and younger were presented at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22 in the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls to Catherine Erickson of the happy Acres 4-H club and Daren Asp of the Sanders 4-H club.

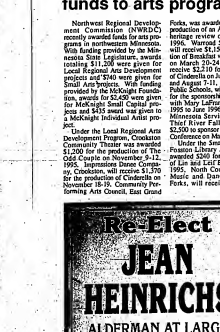
Electric Award was presented to Daren Asp of the Sanders 4-H club at the Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, in the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

Benjamin Hanson of the Highlanding 4-H club received the Leighton Ohlen Shop Award at the Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, in the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

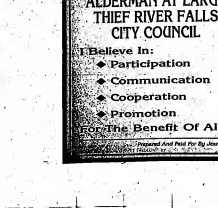


Alumni awards at the Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22 at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls were presented to Dawn Hanson (left) and Wendy Mattson.

Good Citizen Award was presented to Myndy Olson of the Kratka 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.



Judge Kips Clothing Award was received by Laure Steiger of the Smiley 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.



Peterson joins the US Army under delay program

Justin Peterson, son of Terence and Antoinette Peterson of rural Roseau and a 1995 graduate of Roseau high school, has joined the U.S. army under the delayed enlistment program.

Delayed enlistment gives young men or women the opportunity to delay entering the army for up to one year. Peterson will report to Fort Jackson near Columbia, SC, for military basic training November 1.

The enlistment gives the new soldier the option to learn a new skill, travel and so receive as much as $30,000 toward a college education. After completion of basic training, soldiers receive advanced individual training in their career specialty.

Jerad Liedberg completes Army basic training

Army National Guard Pvt. Jerad Liedberg, son of Rodney and Eunice Liedberg of rural Gonvick has completed basic training at Fort Benning near Columbus, GA.

During the training students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and army history and traditions.

Twenty-five of the 39 graduates of the Newfolden high school Class of 1955 attended the 40-year reunion recently. Class members attending (left to right) included, front row, Esther (Haglund) McFarland, Marie (Gunterud) Erickson, Diane Gustafson, Sylvia (Lindbeck) Johnson, Ione (Larson) Roiseland, Ronald Alby, Shirley (Hagen) Smith, Janice (Fluke) Hansen, Elsie (Olson) Lundgren, Janet (Jorgenson) Collins, Shirley (Hammond) Anderson, Beverly (Jornud) Swanson and Vi (Skadsem) Hanson; back row, Gerald Lindback, Norlen Windahl, James Kirkpatrick, Eldon Swanson, Orville Tangquist, Gordon Larson, Eldon Ness, Ronald Smith, Cleone (Langlie) Clayton and Eileen (Swanson) Frigard.

Patricia Jensen
Executive Director AURI

Jensen will be speaker at women's event

Until very recently, she was the highest ranking Minnesotan in Washington, D.C., in the Clinton administration. Today she is the facilitator for the highest hopes of Minnesota agri-business. Patricia Jensen, executive director for the Agricultural Utilization and Research Institute in Crookston, will talk about the international marketplace and how the world knowledge gained in "Harvest of Knowledge, Agri-Women's Conference" next week in Grand Forks.

Jensen is a native of Kansas, formerly executive director and an attorney for the Farmers Legal Action Group in St. Paul, before being appointed Assistant Secretary of Marketing and Requiatory Programs at the U.S.D.A. in Washington, D.C., in 1993. She has led trade delegations to Mexico and Central America and believes the future of agriculture is in connecting markets "that go beyond domestic borders." Jensen says the future is international. "Many farmers belong to commodity groups that are gaining sophistication in global markets. Although most is not all yet to be done, we can blow farmer/how to sold value to the products they produce by connecting with the world market."

Jensen began her post at the AURI today two days a half-time. She will be full-time in January, when she returns, have a home on Highway 8 side in Mentor. Coleman is also involved in agriculture, as director of Dairy and Livestock for the Minnesota department of agriculture in St. Paul.

Jensen will host one of three workshops which will be offered at the conference next Friday, October 27, at the Ramada Inn in Grand Forks. Theme is "Life in the 21st" long conference, workshops, handouts, and Red River Valley Fare Woman of the Year banquet. The conference will also feature Claudette Howick of Grafton, ND, Ann Hoffer, from Carrington, ND, on Ag Fair, and keynote speaker, Joleen Brown, from West Branch, IA. Everyone is welcome. Tickets are available at the door or by calling Karen Loudenau at 701-352-4535.

Newfolden Class of 1955 holds its 40-year reunion

Twenty-five of the 39 members of Newfolden high school's graduating class of 1955 attended the 40-year class reunion August 11 and 12 at two locations in Thief River Falls.

On Friday classmates and other friends gathered at the Thief River Golf Club clubhouse. Saturday a dinner and gathering was conducted at the Evergreen Dining Emporium. Dwight Tangquist and Bev (Bjornud) Swanson were in charge of the program and each classmate in attendance told about their families and reviewed what they have been doing since graduation.

Prizes were presented to the classmates who had the most children, the most grandchildren, the most recently married, married the longest and married the greatest distance to attend, and to the men who had gained the most weight and lost the most hair.

A corsage was presented to Ethel Torgerson, who was the class' business intern, and to Janice Polden, apple plaque presented to Howard Wergeland as a "Special Teacher and Principal." Gordon (Corky) Thompson joined the group on Friday but was unable to attend on Saturday. A "Special Teacher" plaque was given to him.

Letters were read from several teachers who were unable to attend the reunion.

Each classmate wore a name tag with his or her graduation picture and bookmarks were prepared with a class composite picture, pictures of classmates "from diapers to diplomas," calendar of senior year events, graduation and baccalaureate programs, resumes from classmates and lists of names, addresses and phone numbers of classmates.

Dwight Tangquist served as emcee and bookkeeper and prepared a large photo collage produced by Bev and Janice (Wesner) McMillan.

Classmates who are deceased include May (Gutterud) Schmidtke and Harold Ness.

Plans are to have a 45-year reunion in the year 2000.

Regional development council awards funds to arts programs in the area

Northwest Regional Development Commission's board has recently awarded funds for arts programs in northwestern Minnesota. With funding provided by the Minnesota State Legislature, awards totaling $11,200 were given for Local Regional Arts Development projects and $740 were given for Small Arts'projects. With funding provided by the McKnight Foundation, awards for $2,450 were given for McKnight Small Capital projects and $4,750 in grants were given to a McKnight Individual Artist project.

Under the Local Regional Arts Development Program, Crookston Community Theatre was awarded $1,200 for the production of The Odd Couple on November 9-12, 1995. Impressions Dance Company, Crookston, will receive $1,370 for the production of Cinderella on November 18-19. Community Performing Arts Council, East Grand Forks, was awarded $1,270 for the production of Beauty and the Beast on March 20-24, 1996 and will receive $2,110 for the production of Cinderella on August 3-4, 1996. Crookston Public Schools, will receive $1,500 for the sponsorship of a residency with Mary LaFrance Blue Dancers in 1995 to June 1996. The Northwest Minnesota Service Cooperative, Thief River Falls, was awarded $2,500 to sponsor a mini-arts schools Conference on March 7, 1996.

Under the Small Arts Program, Fosston Library Arts Center was awarded $260 for the sponsorship of Lin and Leif Enger in' October 1995. North Country Traditional Music and Dance, East Grand Forks, will receive $500 for the sponsorship of L'Ensemble Folklorique de la Riviere-Rouge, on April 27, 1996.

Under the McKnight Small Capital Program, Impressions Dance Company, Crookston, will receive $200 for the purchase of 12 pancake costumes. Community Theatre was awarded $1,000 for the purchase of electrical systems for lighting and sound.

Under the McKnight Individual Artist Program, Kimberley Mehlhoff, Lancaster, will receive $435 for the pricing of promotional postcards.

November 1, 1995 is the next deadline for organizations, schools and individuals to apply for funding to support arts projects. For more information on the above programs or for information on how to apply for an arts grant, contact Mira Landa, Arts Council Director, NWRDC, 115 South Main, Warren, MN 56762, (218) 745-0733.

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Smiley 4-H club was named the Honor Club for Pennington county in 1995, based on points earned by members through projects and participation. Laure Staiger, president, accepted the award plaque for the club.

Tax forum on business property set

Dan Solomone of the Minnesota Taxpayers Association and Bill Blazar of the Minnesota Chamber of Commerce will be presenters at a business property tax forum to be conducted Thursday, October 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

One is $4 per person and space may be reserved by calling the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce office at 681-2720.

The statewide average effective tax rate on commercial-industrial (C-I) property is approaching six percent, the highest in 15 years, he said. That's the equivalent of a second 12-year mortgage on every Minnesota business—a payment that's due whether or not the business makes a profit or even opens its doors.

Jensen will host one of three workshops which will be offered at the conference next Friday, October 27, at the Ramada Inn in Grand Forks. Theme is "Life in the 21st" long conference, workshops, handouts, and Red River Valley Fare Woman of the Year banquet. The conference will also feature Claudette Howick of Grafton, ND, Ann Hoffer, from Carrington, ND, on Ag Fair, and keynote speaker, Joleen Brown, from West Branch, IA. Everyone is welcome. Tickets are available at the door or by calling Karen Loudenau at 701-352-4535.

Clifford Jorde Agronomy award was received by Daren Asp of the Sanders 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

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OCT. 30 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	OCT. 31 OLD TIME [illegible] 7-10 P.M. "GOOD OLD BOYS"	NOV. 1	NOV. 2 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 3 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 4 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M. [illegible]

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OCT. 30 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	OCT. 31 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 REGULAR BINGO 7:00	NOV. 1 BAR BINGO 5-6:30 SMEAR 7:00	NOV. 2 BAR BINGO 5-6:30	NOV. 3 FISH FRY 5:30-8 DANCE 9-1 "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"	NOV. 4 BAR BINGO 5-6:30

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22 October Birthdays $5.00 Off Bingo	23 Double Payouts 12 a.m. - 10 a.m. Win Big!	24 Fish Fry Night	25 Blackjack Tournament	26 Steak Night $5.00	27 Try The Noon Buffet	28 $5.00 Bingo Discount If Dressed Up For Halloween
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Clara Mae Swenson Clothing Achievement Award was presented at the Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls to Kay Lynn Steiger of the Smiley 4-H club.

Conservation Award based on a point system was awarded to Chad Torstveit of the Smiley 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls will be recognized by the Minnesota Rural Education Association at its annual state conference in Alexandria November 8. The award will be presented for his sponsorship of a bill to coordinate availability of technology throughout the rural area of Minnesota. The invitation to attend the state conference to receive the award was presented Saturday evening by Maxine Panas (left) of Greenbush, a board member of the Minnesota Rural Education Association, and Donna Nelson of rural Middle River, who serves as a member of the association's legislative action committee.

Gully News

Florence Berg 268-4236

Edna's potato klub will be served every Thursday at the Gully Cafe starting at 10 a.m. until they are gone.

Dave and Sandy Graff of the Twin City area were weekend guests of Alma Sollen at Fosston. The three came over Saturday and were guests at the Deloris Ringstad home.

It was Natalie Haugen who was with Maxine Paulson and Deloris Ringstad to Fosston to visit Alma Sollen and bring her back to Gully, instead of Mildred Sollen. My mistake – sorry!

Herb and Bernice Magnuson of Gonvick visited at Elmer and Mary Bergs Sunday afternoon. Betty came from Grand Forks, ND and spent the weekend with her folks, Elmer and Mary Berg.

Laverne Fore, Deloris Ringstad, Natalie Haugen and Grace Nyland were Monday afternoon guests at a coffee party at Evelyn Johnson's. Sanna Brovold stopped in later and had lunch. The gals had such a good time together.

Dave and Sandy Graff and Alma Sollen visited at Mildred Sollen's Saturday afternoon. Sunday visitors were James and Sharon Sollen of Gonvick and Robert and Barbara of Oklee.

Bill Emerson from Horicon, WI spent a week with Effie Handy and other relatives. Bill Emerson and Effie visited Leslie Emerson at the Bagley hospital on Wednesday and also at the Don and Shirley Hoods. Leslie Emerson came home from the hospital Thursday. Bill and Effie visited him at Lengby that day. They also called on Marion Handy, Arnold Scott, Elmer Nord's and Blanche Hillard. Arnold Scott visited Effie on Tuesday evening. Maurice and Walter Handy and Laurie Void of Bemidji, Lyn Turenne, Marion Handy and Emma Nyland were at Effie's on Friday.

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Registration is issued for Oust herbicide

Minnesota Department of Agriculture issued a special local need registration on October 11 for Oust herbicide, for weed control in hybrid poplar plantings.

A federal or state agency, a local unit of government or any person or group of persons filing with the commissioner a petition that contains the signatures and addresses of 500 or more individuals of legal voting age shall have 30 days from publication of notice in the State Register to file written objections with the commissioner regarding the issuance of the special local need registration.

Objections may be submitted to John C. Sierk, Pesticide Registration Advisor, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, Agronomy Services Division, 90 West Plato Boulevard, St. Paul, MN 55107. Deadline is November 22.

Plummer

Concert

Those from here who attended the opening night of the Allied Concert Series featuring The Gold Strings Ensemble from Minneapolis were Hazel Ollie, Amelia Eskeli, Margaret Greenwald, Kathy Junesu, Harriet Norman, Sunny DuChamp and Florence Tvedt. They had rave reports!

Dick and Clara Wichterman of Alexandria arrived on Monday at the Harold Vatthauer home to spend a few days. On Tuesday, the four of them went for an autumn drive in eastern Minnesota and Wisconsin. They lunched at Ellie, on over to Ely overnight at Silver Bay and on to Duluth and some areas of Wisconsin before returning to Plummer on Wednesday evening.

Surgery for Ernie

Ernie Pederson underwent surgery for a hip replacement on Tuesday at Dakota Hospital on Fargo. His wife Dorothy is staying at the home of Herb and Esther Walter in his absence.

Chronic Fatigue Syndrome is topic for area worhshop

"Fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome" is the title of a workshop to be presented Monday, November 13, from 1 to 5 p.m. at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls. Cost is $10 per person.

The workshop is designed for health care professionals, program managers, individuals afflicted with the disease, family members or anyone seeking more information. Areas of discussion will include the cause, symptoms, diagnosis and treatment of the disease. Upon completion of the course, nurses and social workers can earn four credit hours in continuing education.

Facilitator will be Genevieve Williams, president of the WeCare Fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Support Network at Two Harbors. For more information or to register, contact the custom training and continuing education department at Northland community and Technical College at 218-681-0793 or 1-800-959-6282.

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SAMPLE BALLOT – November 7, 1995

STATE OF MINNESOTA

City General Election
City Of Thief River Falls, MN

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MAYOR
2-YEAR TERM
VOTE FOR ONE

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⬭ ______

COUNCILMEMBER AT LARGE
4-YEAR TERM
VOTE FOR ONE

⬭ JEAN HEINRICHS
⬭ ______

COUNCILMEMBER WARD 1
4-YEAR TERM
VOTE FOR ONE

⬭ MILTON BURSTAD
⬭ ______

COUNCILMEMBER WARD 3
4-YEAR TERM
VOTE FOR ONE

⬭ DALE WENNBERG
⬭ ______

COUNCILMEMBER WARD 5
4-YEAR TERM
VOTE FOR ONE

⬭ FRANK HAMERLINCK
⬭ ______

JUDGES INIT. ______

Independent School District No. 564 (Thief River Falls)

SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER
3-YEAR TERM
VOTE FOR UP TO THREE

⬭ CARL A. CLARK
⬭ DENNIS O. KIESOW
⬭ DARLA TWOMEY
⬭ ______
⬭ ______
⬭ ______

LEVY QUESTION

VOTE ON THE PROPOSITION STATED BELOW:

THE BOARD OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564, THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA HAS PROPOSED TO INCREASE ITS GENERAL EDUCATION REVENUE BY $281.24 PER ACTUAL PUPIL UNIT. THE ADDITIONAL REVENUE WILL BE USED TO FINANCE SCHOOL OPERATIONS AND THE PROPERTY TAX PORTION THEREOF WILL REQUIRE AN ESTIMATED REFERENDUM TAX RATE OF APPROXIMATELY 0.0546% OF THE REFERENDUM MARKET VALUE OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT FOR TAXES PAYABLE IN 1996, THE FIRST YEAR IT IS TOP BE LEVIED. THE REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION WOULD BE APPLICABLE FOR 10 YEARS UNLESS OTHERWISE REVOKED OR REDUCED AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

SHALL THE INCREASE IN THE REVENUE PROPOSED BY THE BOARD OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564 BE APPROVED?

⬭ YES
⬭ NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.

JUDGES INIT. ______

GIVE EDUCATION THE GREEN LIGHT

On Tuesday, November 7, you will be asked to approve an education referendum.

HERE ARE SOME COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

Q. Why are so many of Minnesota's school districts experiencing budget problems?
A. The State of Minnesota is underfunding basic K-12 education. The state has not raised per pupil aid to the schools in four years, yet in that time, inflation has risen 12.5 percent. In recent years, school officials have not been able to make budget cuts equal to the rise in inflation.

Q. Will the state really pay 80 percent of the referendum and we will only have to pay 20 percent?
A. Yes. As with the Challenger and Franklin/Lincoln remodeling projects, state law requires the state to pay 80 percent of bond and referendum funds approved by the voters in the Thief River Falls School District.

Q. What will happen if the referendum fails?
A. The district will be forced to cut another $400,000 from its budget. Teaching positions will be reduced. Class sizes will increase. Services to students will be reduced.

Q. How will the money be used if the referendum passes?
A. The money will be used to: Reduce average class sizes, increase one-on-one contact between teachers and students, improve services for at-risk students (those with problems), and provide additional help to students who need it.

COMMUNITY MEETING SCHEDULE
• October 26 – 7 P.M. Challenger Elementary School Cafeteria
• October 30, 7 P.M. Franklin Middle School Media Center

To obtain an absentee ballot, city voters contact the city clerk and rural voters contact the school district personnel office.

FOR EDUCATION ✓YES

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Sports Section

Stefanie Sparby got the Badger/Greenbush-Middle River offense started with this set at the net in Monday's Sub-Section 32A high school volleyball tournament against Stephen at Northland. Bridget Rinde (3) and Meggen Lund (11) of the Gators looked on.

Top-ranked Alexandria is volleyball favorite...

8AA tournament starts Friday

Seeding positions will be announced today (Wednesday) for the 1996 North Sub-Section 8AA high school volleyball tournament.

First round matches Friday will have the No. 5 seed at No. 4 and the No. 6 seed at No. 3.

Semifinals Tuesday, Oct. 31, will have the 4-5 winner at No. 1 and the 3-6 winner at No. 2.

Championship match will be played Thursday, Nov. 2, at the site of the highest seeded finalist.

Alexandria and Moorhead have a lock on the top two seeds. Detroit Lakes is expected to be No. 3, followed by No. 4 Thief River Falls, No. 5 Bemidji and No. 6 Fergus Falls.

Ranked No. 1 in the state Class AA poll, Alexandria carried a 20-0 record into the final week of the regular season. The Cardinals are ranked No. 4 in the nation by USA Today.

Three Alexandria players are considered Division I prospects. Teryl Townsend, a 6-2 middle hitter, has already committed to Georgia Tech. Andrea Thal, a 6-0 hitter, is being recruited by Alabama, Creighton, Drake, Minnesota, and North Dakota State. Setter Marni Anderson, daughter of Cardinals coach Denise Anderson, is being recruited by Connecticut and Georgetown.

Denise Anderson picked up her 300th coaching win recently. In 16 years at Alexandria, her teams have averaged 18 wins per season.

State tournament-qualifying Section 8AA final, matching the North and South Sub-Section 8AA winners, will be played Saturday, Nov. 4, at a neutral site.

Lakers after sixth straight title

■ Detroit Lakes heads Section 8A football field

A high school football playoff schedule that can nearly double the length of the season for teams reaching the Prep Bowl finals, began statewide Tuesday in five classes – AA, A, B, C, and Nine-Man.

A Thief River Falls vs. Long Prairie-Grey Eagle match-up at Prowler Field in 8A was one of the opening round sectional quarterfinals.

If the No. 2-seeded Prowlers advanced against the No. 7-seeded Thunder, they will host a Saturday semifinal game against either No. 3-seeded Park Rapids Area or No. 6 Perham.

Section 8A championship game will be played Thursday, Nov. 2, at 8 p.m. in the Fargodome. Defending champion Detroit Lakes is the No. 1 seed. The 8-0 Lakers, who have won five straight Section 8A titles, handed the 7-1 Prowlers their only loss of the year – a 34-15 decision in the 1995 opener.

The Section 8A winner will host a first round Class A state playoff game – likely on Friday, Nov. 10 – against the Section 4A champion.

Dassel-Cokato was the top seed in Section 4A, followed by No. 2 Hutchinson; No. 3 Shakopee; No. 4 Glencoe-Silver Lake; No. 5 Waconia; No. 6 Delano; No. 7 Sibley East; and No. 8 Orono.

State semifinal games will be played Nov. 17-18 at the Metrodome – site of the Prep Bowl finals Nov. 24.

Two other teams regularly covered in The Times/Northern Watch – Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River – were part of the Section 8C playoff field.

The Blue Devils had to make the move to Class C after playing Nine-Man football this fall because enrollment figures of the cooperative program surpassed the guidelines used by Minnesota State High School League for classification purposes.

Red Lake County Central (Class C) and Marshall County Central (Nine-Man) were two Times/Northern Watch area teams who failed to make the playoffs.

Section 8A Football

■ Quarterfinals Tuesday, Oct. 24 - (all 7 p.m. games) East Grand Forks at Detroit Lakes, Crookston at Fergus Falls; Long Prairie-Grey Eagle at Thief River Falls, Perham at Park Rapids Area.

■ Semifinals Saturday, Oct. 28 - (sites, times to be announced) East Grand Forks or Detroit Lakes vs. Crookston or Fergus Falls, Long Prairie-Grey Eagle or Thief River Falls vs. Perham or Park Rapids Area.

■ Championship Thursday, Nov 2 - 8 p.m., Fargodome

Section 8C Football

■ Quarterfinals Tuesday, Oct 24 (all 7 p.m. games) Kelliher/Northome at Blackduck, Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke at Fosston, Fertile-Beltrami at Red Lake Falls; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River at Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail.

■ Semifinals Saturday, Oct. 28 - (sites, times to be announced) Kelliher/Northome or Blackduck vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke or Fosston; Fertile-Beltrami or Red Lake Falls vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River or Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail.

■ Championship - Friday, Nov. 3 - 3 p.m., Fargodome

Gators, Nordics win matches

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River and Marshall County Central didn't play their best volleyball of the season, but both played well enough to advance past the first round of Sub-Section 32A tournament play Monday at Northland Community and Technical College.

The Gators came up with a 3-1 win over Stephen and the Nordics stopped Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 3-0 to move into Thursday's quarterfinals.

B/G-Middle River	3
Stephen	1

Christi Anderson was concerned that a season-long pattern was developing after Badger/Greenbush-Middle River failed to complete a sweep with a Game 3 loss to Stephen. But after the first-year coach reminded her players that the bench was ready and willing to take over, the re-charged Gators finished in dominating fashion, 15-8, 15-7, 8-15, 15-3.

"We've struggled all season where we can win two games, then fall apart and lose the match," explained Anderson. "I thought that scenario was taking place again tonight."

Stephen began with leads in the first two games. The Tigers' 6-2 Game 1 start disappeared when Tiffany Hagen served an ace for an 8-8 tie and Krissi Super had a kill for a 9-8 Badger/Greenbush-Middle River lead that carried through to the end.

Down 4-0 at the start of Game 2, the Gators stormed back to score 13 of the next 14 points.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River had a chance to close it out in three by jumping in front 6-2 in Game 3. But back-to-back mid-game aces by the Tigers' Julie Kuznia fueled a 2-1 match-producing finish that raised Anderson's ire.

She told her starters they would be become spectators unless their play improved.

It did. With sophomore setter Stefanie Sparby putting the ball for senior hitter Krissi Super, the Gators rolled big time.

"If Krissi's on, like she was in the fourth game, we can count on her for a lot of kills," noted Anderson. "Stefanie did a nice job getting her the ball, and Tiffany (Hagen) did a good job moving up and down the back row."

It was the first meeting of the year between the two teams, with the win putting the Gators at 11-14.

"It was a win, but we really didn't play up to our capabilities," said Anderson.

Marshall Co. Central	3
Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke	0

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke opened and closed its 1995 season with 3-0 losses to Marshall County Central.

Monday, the Nordics eliminated the Wolverines from the Sub-Section 32A tournament field 15-10, 15-13, 15-8.

Losing leads in both Games 1 and 2, especially in the second game, produced a mental barrier that accounted for a third game letdown noted Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Tina Rode.

The Wolverines erased an early 6-0 deficit to take a 9-8 lead in Game 1, and they were sharp in opening up a 12-5 lead in Game 2. But Marshall County Central met both challenges, tying the second game at 13-13 on a tip at the net by Tricia Pederson, then winning it on back-to-back hitting errors by the Wolverines.

"We had trouble with our passing in the second game," explained Marshall County Central coach Mark Jorgenson. "If we could just control the passes we would be all right."

The Nordics then all but iced the sweep with an 11-0 start in Game 3.

"It really hurt losing that second game after we had that lead," acknowledged Rode. "It was tough to come back. We had trouble receiving the serve and getting anything started."

The Wolverines did rally, however, behind a string of seven straight service points by Shaunna Thomas to pull within 14-8, prompting Jorgenson to put starters back on the court to finish it off – on a kill by Pederson.

"We had missed some of our serves early and we started getting tentative," mentioned Jorgenson. "We just wanted to become more aggressive with our serves; we felt we had to keep the pressure on them."

The Wolverines finished 4-15, including three losses to the Nordics, who improved to 16-9.

"They didn't give up," noted Rode. "They played all right."

Sub-Section 32A

■ First round Monday, Oct 23 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River def. Stephen 15-8, 15-7, 8-15, 15-3. Marshall County Central def. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 15-10, 15-13, 15-8

■ Quarterfinals Thursday, Oct 25 - (at Marshall County Central) Roseau vs. Badger/Greenbush Middle River, 5:30 p.m.; Kittson Central vs. Lake of the Woods, 8 p.m.; (at Northland) Tri-County vs. Marshall County Central, 6:30 p.m.; Warroad vs. Kittson County North, 8 p.m.

■ Semifinals Friday, Oct. 27 - (at Northland) Roseau or Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Kittson Central or Lake of the Woods, 5:30 p.m.; Tri-County or Marshall County Central vs. Warroad or Kittson County North, 5 p.m.

■ Finals Monday, Oct. 30 - (at Northland) third place, 6:30 p.m.; championship, 8 p.m.

RLCC wins first round match in Sub-Section 31A

Red Lake County Central beat Crookston 15-12, 15-13, 15-12 Monday in the opening round quarterfinals of the 1995 Sub-Section 31A high school volleyball tournament.

"We played well at times," said Red Lake County Central coach Nancy Bray. "It was a pretty good team effort."

The Mustangs' Thursday semifinal opponent at the University of Minnesota-Crookston will be Warren-Alvarado-Oslo. The Ponies upset No. 2-seeded East Grand Forks 3-1 Monday.

Sub-Section 31A

■ Quarterfinals Monday, Oct. 23 - Fisher/Climax def. Argyle 15-6, 15-5, 15-6; Red Lake Falls def. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 14-16, 15-3, 3-15, 17-15, 15-5. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. East Grand Forks 11-15, 15-10, 15-13, 15-0; Red Lake County Central def. Crookston 15-12, 15-13, 15-12.

■ Semifinals Thursday, Oct. 26 - (at UMC) Fisher/Climax vs. Red Lake Falls, 5:30 p.m.; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo vs. Red Lake County Central, 7:45 p.m.

■ Finals Saturday, Oct. 28 - (at UMC) third place, 8:30 p.m.; championship, 2:15 p.m.

Swimmers have two outings left before sections

An invitational at Crookston and a dual at home against the Pirates will close out the 1995 regular season high school swimming schedule for the Thief River Falls girls.

The Scott Hetherington-coached Prowlers will be at the Crookston Invitational Friday. They will host Crookston Thursday, Nov. 2, in the regular season finale. Both meets start at 5 p.m.

Section 8 swimming and diving championships will be held Nov. 10-11 in Alexandria.

Sighting-in days presented free of charge this week

A reminder that sight-in days at the Pennington County Sportsmen's Club are being offered free of charge to non-members this fall.

Hunters are invited to use the facility in preparation for the upcoming firearms deer season.

The range will be open through Oct. 29, from 4 p.m. to sundown weekdays and from 10 a.m. to sundown Saturday and Sunday.

Clinic schedules altered for some TRF Rec Skaters

Due to participation numbers, changes have been made in the 1995 Thief River Falls Recreational Skating Clinic.

Schedule revisions, announced this week, include:

■ 5 p.m. - Snowplow 1; Basic 1; Basic 3.

■ 5:30 p.m. - Snowplow 2 and 3; Basic 2; Basic 5.

■ 6 p.m. - Snowplow 1; Basic 1; Basic 4; Basic 6.

■ 6:30 p.m. - Snowplow 2; Snowplow 3; Basic 2.

■ 7:15 p.m. - Basic 5; Junior Advanced.

Among the activities sponsored by the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club is the annual Sports Boosters invitational high school girls tennis tournament. A public recognition for the group's involvement in the tournament included, left to right, Ruth Ostby of the Sports Boosters, Prowler tennis team members Anna Padilla and Kamie Twomey, John Michael Anderson of the Sports Boosters, and Prowler Shari Evenson. Padilla, Twomey and Evenson were Section 8AA tournament qualifiers for the Prowlers. (Submitted photo).

Arena Schedule

Old Arena

Wednesday, Oct. 25 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 3:45-4:45 p.m. 8-under open hockey; 5-5:30 p.m. S1, B1, B3; 5:30-6 p.m. S2, S3, B2, B5; 6-6:30 p.m. S1, B1, B4, B6; 6:30-7 p.m. S2, S3, B2, B3; 7:15-7:45 p.m. B4, B5, B6, Jr. Advance Patch; 7:45-8:15 p.m. Junior Advance Freestyle; 8:30-10 p.m. OPFS; 10:15-11:15 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Oct. 26 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 3:45-4:45 p.m. 7-8-year-olds open hockey; 5-5:30 p.m. S1, B1, B4; 5:30-6 p.m. S2, S3, B2, B5; 6-6:30 p.m. S1, B1, B3, B6; 6:30-7 p.m. S2, S3, B2, B3; 7:15-7:45 p.m. B4, B5, B6, Jr. Advance Patch; 7:45-8:15 p.m. Junior Advance Freestyle; 8:30-10 p.m. OPFS; 10:15-11:15 p.m. rental.

Friday, Oct. 27 - 5:30-7:30 a.m. high school captain's practice; 4-5 p.m. Prowler Clinic S3; 5:15-8:15 p.m. Prowler Clinic #1; 5:30-7:30 p.m. Prowler Clinic #2, 7:45-9:15 p.m. OPFS; 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Oct. 28 - 8-9 a.m. Squirts open hockey; 9:15-10:15 a.m. 8-under open hockey; 10:30-11:45 a.m. public skating; 12-1 p.m. Pee-Wee open hockey; 1:15-2:45 p.m. OPFS; 3-4 p.m. Prowler Clinic S1; 4:15-5:15 p.m. Prowler Clinic #2; 5:30-6:45 p.m. public skating; 7-8 p.m. public skating; 8:15-9:15 p.m. Bantams open hockey; 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Oct. 29 - 12-1:15 p.m. public skating; 1:30-2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4 p.m. Prowler Clinic S2; 4:15-5:15 p.m. Prowler Clinic #1; 5:30-7 p.m. OPFS; 7:15-8:15 p.m. Bantams open hockey; 8:30-10:30 p.m. high school captain's practice.

TRF deer hunters to meet Thursday

Thief River Falls' Minnesota Deer Hunters Association Chapter will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. at the Eagles.

Discussion will center around the annual Hides for Habitat collection program and on the big buck/big doe contest.

The meeting is open to the public. All deer hunters are encouraged to attend.

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Tricia Pederson of Marshall County Central (left) pushed the ball past Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke defenders Rachel Rychlock and Deanne Kotrbe (right) during Monday's Sub-Section 32A high school volleyball tournament at Northland. Darlene Nelson (far left) and Jackie Megner (8) of the Nordics looked on. The Nordics won 15-10, 15-13, 15-8.

Mustangs lose 30-0 decision to Eagles; finish season at 2-6

A 2-6 season ended for Red Lake County Central in a 30-0 Wednesday (Oct. 18) Valley Plains Conference high school football loss to Red Lake Falls.

The Gary Brantl-coached Oklee/Plummer cooperative began the year 2-1 before a rash of injuries led to an 0-5 finish, including back-to-back shutout losses to Warren-Alvarado-Oslo to close out the year.

"It's not the way we wanted to finish," acknowledged Brantl. "We just had too many young, inexperienced kids who had to step up and play for us."

Red Lake Falls shut down the Red Lake County Central running game, but despite the wet weather, quarterback Bryce Iluotari did supply some offense with a 10-for-25 passing night for 122 yards – with another half-dozen or so other on-target passes that were dropped by the receivers.

Nate Lunden, who led the bottled-up Mustangs' rushing attack with 34 yards on 13 carries, came up big on defense with 8 tackles and 6 assisted stops.

Jake Anderson also had a busy night for the Mustangs on both sides of the ball with 4 receptions for 66 yards, 4 tackles, 3 assists and a fumble recovery.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Falls	12	0	6	12	30
Red Lake Co. Central	0	0	0	0	0

RLF - Blaine Larson, 24-yard run, run failed

RLF - Larson, 2-yard run, pass failed.

RLF - Darcy Cardinal, 83-yard run, run failed

RLF - Larson, 5-yard run, pass failed

RLF - Aaron Cardinal, 31-yard run, run failed

City league hockey meeting is planned

A mandatory meeting for all Thief River Falls city league hockey team managers/captains will be held Wednesday, Nov. 1, at 7 p.m. in the board room of the Municipal Service Center, located at 803 South Barzen.

For additional information, call the Park and Recreation Department office at 681-2519.

Deer hunters must purchase firearms licenses by Nov. 3

Minnesota's firearms deer opener is Saturday, Nov. 4. The last day to purchase firearm deer licenses and multi-zone deer licenses in Minnesota is Friday, Nov. 3, according to Karen Beckman, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources License Bureau assistant administrator.

"Each year we speak with individuals who are unaware that firearm deer licenses must be purchased before the start of the deer season," Beckman said. "It is even more likely that a hunter may make the mistake of missing the licensing deadline for the muzzleloader season, which runs this year from Nov. 25 through Dec. 10." A license for hunting during the muzzleloader season must also be purchased by Nov. 3.

Some deer hunting licenses may be purchased after Nov. 3. Management and intensive harvest permits may be purchased through the firearms season.

The archery deer season opened on Sept. 16. Archery deer licenses may be purchased during the firearms season, but do not become valid until five days past the purchase date.

Brent Miller cradled the ball in his arms as the Northland runningback looked for an opening along the line during Thursday's college football game against Hibbing in Thief River Falls. Caylor Olson (75) and Laurence Reid (11) are also pictured. Miller had a 35-carry, 185-yard afternoon in the rain to lead the Pioneers past the Cardinals 34-0. Northland will close out the 1995 regular season schedule Saturday with a 1:30 p.m. Northern Division game against Central Lakes in Staples.

Pioneers close out seasons

Volleyball and football schedules will be completed this week at Northland Community and Technical College.

The Shari Olson-coached volleyball team played host to Fergus Falls Tuesday (Oct. 24), and will finish the year at home Thursday with a 3 p.m. match against Brainerd.

Northland's volleyball record is 6-11 overall, 4-8 in the Minnesota Community College Conference Northern Division.

In football, Northland wraps up the regular season Saturday with a 1:30 p.m. game against Central Lakes. The Brainerd-based school lost its football field due to construction this fall and has played its home games at various high school fields. The Northland-Central Lakes match-up will be played at Staples.

The Gene Kline-coached Pioneers are 2-5 after back-to-back home field wins over Vermilion 28-12 and Hibbing 34-0 in the rain last week. They still have an outside shot at earning one of two Northern Division MCCC state playoff berths by creating a tie-producing scenario with a win over the Raiders and a combination of other final-week results.

City League Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Rookies	2	0
Digi-Key	2	0
Middle River	2	0
Best Western II	2	0
Arctco	1	1
Best Western I	1	1
Amoco 24	0	0
Hartz Truckline	0	2
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	2
See Monkeys	0	2
Forsberg's	0	2

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	10	0
Double D Bees	9	1
Budweiser	7	3
Clip-N-Tan	6	4
Thrifty White Drug	6	4
Tim Loeffler Agency	3	7
Arctco	3	7
PCR Graphics	1	9
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	0	10

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Doc's Jocks	4	0
Primetime	2	0
Bud Light	3	1
Universal Screenprint	3	1
Tunberg Motor Co	2	2
Cellular 2000	2	2
500 Club	1	1
Unpredictables	1	3
National Guard	1	3
Carvers	1	3
Cactus Club	0	4

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Miller Lite	9	1
Northwest Medical Center	9	1
St. Hilaire Elevator	8	2
LaVonne's Grocery	7	3
Legion	5	5
Evergreen Eating Emporium	4	6
St. Hilaire Supply	4	6
Digi-Key II	2	8
Digi-Key I	1	9
Robson Honey	1	9

Results

■ Monday, Oct. 16 - results not reported.

■ Tuesday, Oct. 17 - (5:30 p.m.) Narverud Cleaners def. Thrifty White Drug, Budweiser def. PCR Graphics; (7 p.m.) Thrifty White Drug def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe, Arctco def. PCR Graphics; (7:30 p.m.) Double D Bees def. Clip-N-Tan, Narverud Cleaners def. Budweiser; (8 p.m.) Clip-N-Tan def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe, Arctco def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (8:30 p.m.) Double D Bees def. Tim Loeffler Agency.

■ Wednesday, Oct. 18 - (5 p.m.) 500 Club def. National Guard, Carvers def. Cellular 2000; (5:30 p.m.) National Guard def. Bud Light, Doc's Jocks def. Carvers; (7 p.m.) Universal Screenprint def. 500 Club, Cellular 2000 def. Tunberg Motor Co.; (7:30 p.m.) Bud Light def. Unpredictables, Doc's Jocks def. Cactus Club; (8 p.m.) Unpredictables def. Universal Screenprint, Tunberg Motor Co. def. Cactus Club. Note: standings do not include Oct. 11 results.

■ Thursday, Oct. 19 - (5:30 p.m.) Northwest Medical Center def. Digi-Key II; Robson Honey def. Digi-Key I; (7 p.m.) LaVonne's Grocery def. Digi-Key II, Legion def. Robson Honey; (7:30 p.m.) Miller Lite def. LaVonne's Grocery; Northwest Medical Center def. Digi-Key I; (8 p.m.) St. Hilaire Elevator def. St. Hilaire Supply; Legion def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (8:30 p.m.) St. Hilaire Elevator def. Miller Lite; St. Hilaire Supply def. Evergreen Eating Emporium.

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Special Olympics has bowling at Crookston

Corral Lanes in Crookston was the site for the Minnesota Special Olympics Area One bowling tournament Oct. 12.

The event drew 98 participants from Area One, which serves the counties of Kittson, Mahnomen, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, and Roseau.

John Hefley of Plummer is the the Area One Special Olympics Director.

Session I Results

Lane 1 - 1 (tie) Thomas Whalen, Oslo and Ryan Swanson, Warren 3 Marvin Hulst, EGF, 4 Jacob Sorenson, Warren 3 Mark Stehoutch, EGF

Lane 2 - 1 Randy Fournier, Warren 2 Alfonso Ybarra, EGF 3 Michael Petrzywalski, 4 Jason Birge, EGF

Lane 3 - 1 Stacy Petrzywalski, Warren 2 Heidi Carter, EGF 3 Kelly Crews, EGF 4 Stacy Helden, Falls DAC

Lane 6 - 1 Paula Craig, Falls DAC 2 Cheryl Gunnarson, Kittson Co 3 Teresa Rodriquez, Kittson Co 4 Sheryl Kostrzewski, Kittson Co

Lane 5 - 1 Vance Dahl, Kittson Co 2 Mike Burhel, Falls DAC 3 Tony Starren, Falls DAC; 4 Virgil Cota, Falls DAC 5 Gary Broers, Falls DAC

Lane 6 - 1 Devan Erickson, Falls DAC 2 Paul Johnson, TRF Comm. 3 John Hanson, Kittson Co.; 4 Robert Lapambe, Falls DAC

Lane 7 - 1 David Larson, Falls DAC 2 Terry Gunnarson, Kittson Co 3 Bryan Brown, Kittson Co, 4 Richard Gilbert, Falls DAC; 5 Gary Jones, Falls DAC

Lane 8 - 1 Mary Morrissette, TRF Comm., 2 Mariann Peterson, Falls DAC 3 Carmen Soutto, Falls DAC, 4 Judy Fisher, Falls DAC; 5 Mary Lamberson, Falls DAC

Lane 9 - 1 Susan Roman, Falls DAC 2 Debbie Larson, Falls DAC 3 Ona Johnson, Falls DAC 4 Joan Wolf, Kittson Co 5 Nancy Hanson, Falls DAC

Lane 10 - 1 Ron Youngren, Kittson Co 2 Jim Swenson, Kittson Co 3 Doug Stalberger, TRF Comm 4 Palmer Hallberg, Kittson Co

Lane 11 - 1 Russell Liste, TRF Comm 2 Lon Gunderson, Falls DAC 3 Terry Paul, TRF Comm

Lane 12 - 1 Palmer Ramsey, Falls DAC 2 Russell Solberg, Falls DAC 3 John Peterson, Falls DAC

Session II Results

Lane 1 - 1 Jason Shilrich, Warroad, 2 Chancy Edberg, Warroad 3 Nikki White, Warroad 4 Josh Boyer, Warroad

Lane 2 - 1 Nathan Krueger, Warroad 2 Sam Syvorsvong, Warroad 3 Sarah Austad, Warroad

Lane 3 - 1 Tina Dechavang, Warroad, 2 (tie) Kim Tupa, Warroad and Caleb Wood, Warroad 4 Karl Kolberg, Roseau

Lane 6 - 1, Ross Stenseri, Warroad, 2 Jeremy Storey, Warroad, 3 Melissa Hamrick, Warroad

Lane 8 - 1 Andy Erickson, Roseau, 2 Kristina Anderson, Ada, 3 Nicole Battles, Warroad 4 Alison Hahn, Warroad

Lane 6 - 1 Jessica Tupa, Warroad, 2 Derrick Johnson, Warroad, 3 Lucas Asselin, Warroad, 4 Joel Stenseri, Warroad

Lane 7 - 1 Tommy Lane, GB-MR, 2 Jeremiah Johnson, GB-MR, 3 Bill Helgoe, Warroad, 4 Velma Call, GB-MR

Lane 8 - 1 Frankie Mahan, Warroad, 2 Ricky Hager, Roseau, 3 Donna Berggren, Warroad, 4 Brett Gustafson, Roseau

Lane 8 - 1 Debra DuFault, E.P Co., 2 Greg Christianson, E.P Co 3 Tanya Gard, E.P Co.; 4 Jerna Bond, E.P Co

Lane 10 - 1 Roger Lund, E.P. Co., 2 Mary Peterson, E.P Co.; 3 Eugene Kirghk, TP Co

Lane 11 - 1 Carl Benson, E.P Co., 2 Olin Flateland, E.P Co.; 3 James Gregory, E.P Co., 4 Allen Flateland, E.P Co

Lane 12 - 1 Darren Evje, E.P Co., 2 Larry Ostlund, E.P Co., 3 John Rolf, E.P Co., 4 Agnes Stone, E.P Co.

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Sports Boosters gather Thursday

Janet Haak Aarness and Les Torgerson of the Northland Community and Technical College theatre and music departments, respectively, will be the guest speakers Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club.

The meeting, open to the public, will be held at the Elks.

Members of the Thief River Falls boys and girls high school cross country teams who will run in the 1995 Section 8AA meet Thursday in St. Cloud include, front row left to right, Kate Ihle, Becky Mooney, Laurel Ronchetti, Angie Klinker, and Lisa Swenson; back row left to right, Dewey Worker, Brady Anderson, Brendon Gererdy, Ronnie Lund, Jeremy Swenson, alternate Ryan Hendrickson, Shane Duffy, and Seth Harlow.

Turn In Poachers calls help protect natural resources

Minnesotans can help protect the state's natural resources by calling the Turn In Poachers (TIP) hotline when they observe hunting and fishing violations. And many do just that.

Calls to the 24-hour TIP hotline had resulted in approximately 100 arrests this year as of mid-October.

Those with information can call 1-800-652-9093 to report violations. They can remain anonymous and are eligible for rewards, noted Col. Leo Haseman, Department of Natural Resources Enforcement Division director.

"Most hunters and anglers are law-abiding citizens who respect our natural resources," noted Haseman. "They are more than willing to report those who don't."

Deer poaching is the most commonly reported violation to TIP, but calls are received on a variety of violations.

Haseman cautioned that the TIP hotline is for reporting violations only. No general hunting or fishing information is available from TIP.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Mid. Rv. Community Club	32	17
Malwitz Dairy	32	17
Waleeth Construction	32	17
Rundell Electric	30	19
Amoco	29	20
Genereux Realty	27	22
Hartz Truck Line	26	23
Sorter Construction	22	27
B-H-R	22	27
Rainbow Nursery	20	29
Northwest Asphalt	16	33
0 Team	6	43

High Game

Darren Wagner	246
Lloyd Wagner	233
Nathan Liedberg	196
Meloni Rasmussen	204
Cindy Vennes	187
Sharon Wagner	183

High Series

Lloyd Wagner	179-233-184=596
Darren Wagner	246-164-173=583
Kraig Melvie	181-172-156=491
Meloni Rasmussen	204-167-147=518
Mary Diaz	152-181-179=512
Cindy Vennes	164-187-132=483

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Bronx's Bombers	10	2
Stompers	11 1/2	2 1/2
Horn's	8	4
Buff's	7	6
Hoof's	7	5
Sheldon Greaseballs	6 1/2	5 1/2
Alley Rats	4	8
Big Boys	4	8
Rutters	4	8
Hogan's Heroes	4	8
Stags	6	6
TNT's	2	10

High Game

Jerry Wigness	245
Geno Kalinowski	221
Dean Anderson	213
Bob Jury	212

High Series

Gordy DeLap	169-192-202=563
Dean Anderson	178-213-168=559
Geno Kalinowski	221-178-158=557
Dale Dillon	165-182-189=536

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	32	17
Mr. Duane's	31	18
Pennington Square	26	23
Farmers Union	25	24
Busch Light	19	30
Brodin's	14	35

High Game

Deb Pierce	195
Paula Greelis	191
Lorraine Morben	189

High Series

Deb Pierce	165-195-169=529
Marge Grisanti	180-166-176=522
Paula Greelis	156-171-191=518

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Creative Clippers	36	13
Budweiser	33	16
Northern Motors	32	17
Arctco	32	17
Kwick Strip	23	26
Bud Ice	21	28
Loeffler Agency	17	32
Team #8	2	47

High Game

Linda Olson	195
Shirley Colden	192
Dollie Newland	187
Mary Olaz	179

High Series

Shirley Colden	169-163-192=524
Linda Olson	167-145-195=507
Deb Pierce	177-159-164=500
Mary Olaz	179-173-173=481

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Hutchinson Transfer	15	5
Red Lake Electric	12	8
Northwest Asphalt	12	8
Olin Law Office	12	8
Soap-N-Suds	11	11
Swenson Airspray	10	10
Styles By Amy	9	11
5/5ths	8	12
Lantern	8	15

High Game

Donna Josephson	225
Kim Hicks	196
Beth Skallet	193, 187

High Series

Beth Skallet	187-193-177=557
Eileen Hutchinson	146-184-184=514
Donna Josephson	147-139-225=509
Kim Hicks	153-146-196=487

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Tommy G's	22	6
Sizzlers	20	8
NW Medical Center	17	11
Farmers Union	16	12
Imaging Plus	14	14
Fire Flies	13	15
Material Girls	12	16
Rusty Nail	12	16
Hill Trucking	11	17
NW Eye Center	11	17
Norwest	9	19
Borsheim Printing	9	19

High Game

Suzanne Peterson	191
Darlene Kelley	191
Rhonda Joppru	180
Yvonne Wahlbeck	189

High Series

Suzanne Peterson	165-150-191=506
Rhonda Joppru	146-158-190=496
Darlene Kelley	126-176-181=493
Deb Ernst	164-130-162=476

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Handyman	28	14
KSRO	26	16
Four Fun	26	16
Spare Parts	19	23
Classic Chevys	17	25
TR Salvage	12	30

High Series

Bromley Carr	210-197-162=569
Ron Moen	193-146-187=516
Rocky Ammerman	187-176-143=506
Sharon Wold	172-191-148=511
Nancy Tofte	152-137-180=469
Barb Ammerman	158-189-134=481

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	190	90
Pennington Express	160	120
Garmundson's Inc.	148	132
Wikstrom Telephone	146 1/2	133 1/2
Kalinowski Construction	143 1/2	136 1/2
Thyren Auto	135 1/2	144 1/2
RV Sports	128	152
VFW	126	154
1st National Bank	119	161
No. Border Whse.	103 1/2	176 1/2

High Game

Al Baumgartner	262
Ron Ruud	225
Vern Anenson	224

High Series

Al Baumgartner	221-262-179-205=867
Ron Ruud	199-219-225-169=812
Tom Saragosa	222-183-210-185=800

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Glass Farm	22	6
Amoco 24	21	7
B & E Car Wash	17	11
Auction-2-Sell	15	13
Joe's Floor & Tile	9	19

High Game

Curt Quesnell	200
Paul Johnson	199
Bob Koestner	191
Shannon Nelson	190
Dollie Newland	186
Patsy Lindquist	183

High Series

Paul Johnson	548
Curt Quesnell	547
Larry Olson	527
Diane Peterson	496
Dollie Newland	486
Patsy Lindquist	459

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Phyllis's	34	15
Olson's Auto	28	21
S & S Espresso	27	22
Purdy's Shoe Store	20	29

Other Standing Incomplete

High Game

Deb Ulrich	196
Sharon Wold	196
Pam Schmidt	195
Colleen Conway	177

High Series

Sharon Wold	162-196-133=491
Deb Ulrich	144-128-199=471
Pam Schmidt	195-139-136=470
Cheryl Rosten	159-145-158=462

City League

	Wins	Losses
Rick's Appliance	37	12
FSA	30	19
The Spot	29	20
Hanson's Repair	28	21
Wilde Builder	27	22
Milk & Cookies	27	22
MN/DOT	23	26
St. Hilaire Elevator	22	27
Homark	15	34

High Game

Lyle Johnson	230
Don Shynder	226
Brian Garceau	219

High Series

Lyle Johnson	217-230-165=612
Don Shynder	226-153-176=555
Brian Garceau	219-158-169=546

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Clip N' Tan	23	19
Firestone	23	12
Brooks Auto	22	20
Farmers Mutual Health	21	21
Peter's Back Hoe	20	22
Glenn's Electric	19	16
Arctco, Inc.	18	24
Michelob	16	27

High Series

Joann Peters	141-171-187=499
Jan Noreen	132-198-144=474
Kim Peterson	122-176-181=448
Laura Carlson	161-130-155=436
Dave Majeres	181-160-196=537
Griffin Newland	190-177-138=505
Mark Fuller	163-170-160=493
Bill Sylvester	188-139-159=486

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
Bad Boys	14 1/2	1/2
Three Ninjas	9	6
Good Girls	9	6
Blades	11 1/2	6 1/2
Magic Raptors	8	7
Three Muskateers	8	7
Jr. Elks	7	8
Three Little Princesses	6	10
Lions	4	11
Ghost Team	2	13

High Game

Justin Pyle	111
Jesse Lian	111
Paul Sjoberg	109
Stacy Rasmusson	108
Scott Stone	103
Derek Smith	101
Tanner Jensen	98

High Series

Justin Pyle	111-101=212
Paul Sjoberg	96-109=205
Stacy Rasmussen	106-94=200
Scott Stone	103-96=199
Jesse Lian	84-111=195

Prep League

	Wins	Losses
Prowlers 2	16	4
Hacky Sacks	16	6
Wild Cats	14	6
Prowlers 1	12	8
Three Little Ladies	11 1/2	8 1/2
Wild Ones	11	9
4 Aces	9	11
Raiders	9	11
Super Bowlers	9	11
LOBS	9	11
Rattlers	8 1/2	11 1/2
Pin Masters	8	12
Pin Blasters	8	12
Blasters	8	12
Pinheads	6	14
Penguins	6	14

High Game

Jarvis Kuznia	176
Brian Ness	171
Steve Olson	165
Calnan Langlie	183
Nathan Cota	149
Ben Weigelt	147
Leyne Kaushagen	146

High Series

Steve Olson	165-147-105=417
Ben Weigelt	140-128-147=418
Tommy Greelis	132-128-141=401
Carl Herbott	133-124-130=387
Calnan Langlie	163-125-93=381

Junior League

	Wins	Losses
Northern Motors	16	8
Prowler Express	16	8
Blix Photography	14	8
1st National Bank	13	7
Prowler Express Racing	12 1/2	7 1/2
Nelson State Farm	12	8
Team 10	11 1/2	8 1/2
Team 12	11	9
Genereux Realty	11	9
Team 15	11	9
Amoco 24	10	10
RV Sports	10	10
Family Bowl	9	11
Team 17	7	13
Team 7	6	14
Wiseth Farms	5	15
Ghost Team	4	16
Team 13	3	17

High Game

Jeremy Jensen	214
April Weber	190
Rachel Greelis	187
Kelly Natvik	196
David Bray	180
Keith Blix	178

High Series

Jeremy Jensen	172-185-214=571
Keith Blix	178-144-171=493
Kelly Natvik	121-182-186=489
David Bray	180-117-172=469
Rachel Greelis	156-187-118=460

Gun safety stressed this fall by area DNR conservation officer

Area conservation officer Tony Arhart reminds hunters that loading and unloading firearms at the proper time and place can greatly reduce the risk of having an accident.

"Keeping the muzzle pointed in a safe direction is the rule," says Arhart, "but in so many situations, just having the gun loaded is an unnecessary risk. All it takes is a movement, a slip or a fall, and a loaded gun is pointed at someone."

Arhart encourages hunters to set rules for themselves on loading and unloading and offers these suggestions:

■ Load when you are in position – actually in the woods, in the blind or stand. Do not load in camp, near buildings, or parking areas, or when in group.

■ Load only when you know your zone of fire – the direction – you can safely shoot.

■ Load only when there is no danger of slipping, falling, or dropping the firearms.

■ Unload whenever you are unable to give your full attention to controlling the firearm.

■ Unload before setting the firearm down.

■ Unload before exiting a tree stand.

■ Unload before approaching landowners, hikers or other hunters.

■ Unload before retrieving or carrying game.

■ Unload before crossing slippery or rough terrain.

■ Unload before returning to camp, the parking area or the highway.

Arhart points out that these basic rules of safety aren't covered by law and regulations. "All the more reason," he said, "why hunters need to sit down and decide for themselves rules for the hunt."

DNR needs address information for boat and ATV registration

Every year, about 25,000 Minnesota watercraft and ATV registration renewal notices get placed into recycling bins instead of the mailboxes where they belong, according to Suellen Rau, Department of Natural Resources License Bureau recreational vehicle program manager.

The reason those 25,000 recreationalists don't get their renewal notices is because they've moved, but haven't notified the DNR of their whereabouts.

Approximately 213,000 watercraft registrations and 18,000 ATV registrations are due to expire in December of 1995. Renewal notices for those registrations will be mailed out by the DNR around Dec. 15. Any address changes that will guide those renewal forms to their new homes must be received at the DNR by Nov. 15.

Boaters and ATV operators who have moved during the past year should mail their change of address information to the DNR License Bureau, Registration Section, 500 Lafayette Road, St. Paul, MN 55155-4026. Included in the information should be the registrant's name, watercraft and/or registration number, old address, and new address.

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Achievement Awards for 4-H members in seventh grade or younger were received by Katy Olson of the Kratka 4-H club and Daren Aep of the Sandera 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall.

Nicky Demarais and Jason Clark

Demarais and Clark among UMC royalty

Nicky Demarais of Red Lake Falls and Jason Clark of Thief River Falls were among the queen and king homecoming royalty of the University of Minnesota, Crookston October 4.

Nicky is the daughter of James Demarais and Cindy Demarais, both of Red Lake Falls. Jason is the son of Richard and Carol Clark of Thief River Falls and enrolled in plant industries management.

Also among the king and queen royalty at UMC was Dorene Cyr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cyr of Red Lake Falls. Among the prince and princess royalty was Abignil Chervestad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karydon Chervestad of Oklee.

Brandi Larson of the Smiley 4-H club was a recipient of the Achievement Award for club members in eighth grade and older at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls. Also an Achievement Award recipient but not present was Cami Sorenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club.

HATS OFF TO 4-H

Leader's Council

Pennington county 4-H leader's council meeting was called to order on October 2 at 8 p.m. in the courthouse meeting room by president Myndy Olson. Flag pledges were said, roll call taken, secretary and treasurer reports read and approved.

Leader's Night Out scheduled for Newfolden has been postponed to a later date. Set up and clean up were needed for the October 6 4-H carnival. Members were encouraged to listen to 4-H club members on the radio during National 4-H Week and to encourage friends to join the 4-H program.

Awards banquet was scheduled for Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles club rooms. Volunteers were needed for decorating, serving and clean-up and an additional emcee. Donors are also needed to sponsor awards since all national awards have been withdrawn. Those who know of anyone who would like to be a sponsor are asked to contact the county extension office.

Enrollment forms should be turned in as soon as possible. Volunteers are needed to work at Peder Engelstad Pioneer Village next spring. Call Linda Homseth at 681-2512. Needed for the Leaders Forum are five $10 craft items to be sold as fund raisers.

Election and installation of officers was held. Officers for 1995-96 are Myndy Olson, president; Jocelyn Helgeland, vice president; Dawn Hanson, second vice president; Brandi Larson, secretary; Barb Natvik, treasurer; and Cami Sorenson, reporter.

Hot Dog Award was presented to Dawn and Dale Hanson for being chaperones on the New York exchange trip and at the State Fair.

Jocelyn Helgeland, reporter and acting secretary

Kratka 4-H Club

Kratka 4-H club held its monthly meeting October 9 at the Kratka town hall with the meeting called to order by president Myndy Olson. Secretary's report by Cheri Roisland and treasurer's report by Maren Hammer were approved as read.

Members reported on the 4-H carnival held October 6. Everyone enjoyed the horseback ride at Turtle River. It was decided not to have Halloween party this year. Fund raising was discussed; each family will donate a set amount of money per year.

Election of officers was held. New officers for 1995-96 are Cheri Roisland, president; Katie Olson, vice president; Katie Hruby, secretary; Lynett Solberg, treasurer; Vanessa Tieman and Maren Hammer, co-reporters. Meeting was adjourned.

Marlys Hruby provided wood cut-outs in the shapes of Halloween ghosts and witches and club members painted and decorated them. Lunch was served by Bev Roisland and family.

Maren Hammer, co-reporter

Smiley 4-H Club

Smiley 4-H club met October 9 at 7:30 p.m. with meeting called to order by Laura Steiger. Secretary's report by Amanda Clark and treasurer's report by Laura Steiger were approved.

The club had a fish pond at the 4-H carnival October 6. 4-H awards banquet was set for October 22 from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. with awards program to begin at 2 p.m.

Record judging is completed. State Fair report shows the Smiley club receiving three grand champions, six blue ribbons and one red ribbon. Cloverbuds will start October 17 from 3 to 4 p.m. at Challenger K-1 activity room. Meeting was adjourned.

Bryanna Helgeland gave a demonstration on rabbits and Lisa Sorteberg gave a demonstration on beef. A Halloween party was held with ring toss, fortune telling and cream the clown games. Lunch was served by the Steiger and Lee families.

Kay Steiger, reporter

Strandquist

Northwest Minnesota is experiencing weather that can't be beat in the 48 contiguous states. Hawaii is hard to beat but Alaska isn't even in the running. The barometer is up about 6 millibars today so fair weather is on the way. The turkeys have been taken off the range and trucks are sizzling by every day giving them their last ride. That accounts for the white feathers along 611 and 59.

50th Wedding Anniversary!!!

Yesterday was a great day at the Center in Strandquist, where Danny and Gloria Renstrom celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Photographers were there and took pictures of Danny and Gloria first. Then their family, then each family separately. Danny's sisters, Vera Isaacson of Longview, WA and Thelma Wilson of Granite Falls and Danny had a picture taken and Gloria and her three brothers and five sisters had one taken. It was like an unrehearsed family reunion.

All their children sponsored the party and attended, Ellen Johnson, Ronald and Margaret Deschene of Warren, Jane Schmink and daughter Danielle of Genoa, IL; Lynn and Denal Grahn of Thief River Falls, Jeff and Roberta Nyquist of Brooklyn Park and Terry and Barbara Vaness of Drayton, ND. Other relatives were Grace Wollin of East Grand Forks, Carol Britten, Susan Frei of Stephen, Tim Renstrom, Rod and Darlene Greyskiew of Watertown, SD, and Rod and Sandy StenIny of Longview, WA.

Jim and Cindy Wetterlund visited at Morris and Hazel Anderson's after attending the 50th Wedding Anniversary in town.

Guests at Morris and Marcelyn Lindstrom's over the weekend were Ted and Lori Johnson, Jaimie, Andy and Alyssa of Manahgn and Jeff, Peggy and Jarod Lindstrom of Akeley. On Sunday they were joined for dinner by Dr. Paul and Diana Ditmanson, Chester, Danny, Brad and Katie of Bemidji, Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom and Bob Pat, Dionn, Tylor and Case Lindstrom.

The Strandquist seniors met on Thursday with 11 members and five guests, Jeanette Onger, Clara Nelson, Marian Pederson, Lillian Germundson and Elsie Lafrooth. They had a business meeting and later played Bingo. Ida Bruce won the Blackout. The hostess was Adeline Stennes and she also won the door prize.

Elsie Lafrooth has had company most every day this week—Shirley Lafrooth, Margaret Sandbarg, Dan and Merlys Lafrooth, Pearl Thompson, Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Janet Blazejewski and boys, Sherril Hagen and Jessy and Karen Zimmerman and Jimmie.

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Montana Trip

Bernice Peterson and Clara Hasse returned on Monday from a trip to Chinook, MT to visit Bernice's brother Luvarn Mareonatta who had had a stroke. Another brother Harvey and daughter Diane, sons Malvin and Danny of Spokane, WA and daughter Shirley and son Josh of Cut Bank, MT met them at Chinook for a family get-together. Bernice and Clara had left on Thursday for the trip. Husband Leonard spent time with his son and daughter Milt Peterson and Lorna Huotari.

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Traffic violations in county court

Sveral traffic violations were among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for last week.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Gregory S Remer, Burlington, WI, 45, no current log book, $77.50. James Jon Wilson, Goodridge, 18, 75/55, $87.50. Donny Ramirez, Thief River Falls, 18, no Minnesota driver's license, seat belt violation, $47.25 and $122.50. Rodney Arlen Smith, Thief River Falls, 29, driving after suspension, and no seat belt, $169.75. Susan Boegel Swanson, Thief River Falls, 44, 65/55, $64.50. Terry Lee Weippert, Grafton, ND, 25, 69/55, $76. Lyle Vernon Stream, Jr, Lindstrom, 48, 65/55, $64.50. Carol Ann Newby, Bemidji, 42, 65/55, $64.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Kimberly Jo Kalinoski, Thief River Falls, 37, allowing dog to run at large, $45.50; Barbara Jean Rioux, Thief River Falls, 24, no seat belt, $47.25; Veronica Kay Burthwick, Thief River Falls, 22, fifth degree assault, $262.50, 10 days in jail stayed for two years; Scott Alan Hemmestvedt, Cedar, 35, theft, $147.50; Amy Laree Mimmick, Thief River Falls, 18, 44/30, $76; Christopher John Pancanowski, Thief River Falls, 27, contributing to the delinquency of a minor, $267.59, 20 days in jail stayed for one year; Christopher Edward Taylor, Thief River Falls, 25, driving after cancellation, 60 days in jail stayed for one year; Eric Carl Roseland, Crookston, 18, consumption by a minor adult, $87.50; Victor Harvey Schiefert, Plummer, 46, disorderly conduct, $137.50; Michelle Marie Stoltman, Thief River Falls, 36, failure to stop at a stop sign, $76;

Shawn Adam Aubol, Crookston, 18, consumption by a minor adult, $87.50; Bruce Daniel Bacon, Thief River Falls, 46, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Dustin Jacob Black, Thief River Falls, 18, stop sign violation, $76; Stanley Joseph Donarski, Thief River Falls, 68, inattentive driving, $122.50; Jay David Knott, Thief River Falls, 28, allowing a dog to run at large, $45.50; Mathew Putman Ray, Thief River Falls, 21, failure to give insurance information, $237.50.

Jason Lee Nordine, Karlstad, 23, 40/30, $64.50; William Gerald Desjarlais, Twin Valley, 49, disorderly conduct, $137.50; Christopher Leroy Ekman, Thief River Falls, 18, exhibition driving, $76; Melissa Ann Johnson, Thief River Falls, 21, 52/40, $76; Tracy James Kotrba, Thief River Falls, 27, 41/30, $76; Jeffrey Scott Frei, Thief River Falls, 22, careless driving, $122.50; Jeffrey Harlan Halvorson, Thief River Falls, 31, allowing a dog to run at large, $45.50; Paul Duane Haukebo, Newfolden, 25, no current registration, $41.50.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Cory Allen Schouten, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption by a minor, $87.50; Jacob Charles Self, Karlstad, 18, consumption by a minor, $87.50; Jamie Lee Weigel, Thief River Falls, 19, driving after revocation, minor consumption/driver, $582.50, 45 days in jail; Lynn Marie Forsberg, Thief River Falls, 30, issue dishonored checks, $142.50, $35 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Victor Martinez Jr., Challelview, TX, 20, issue dishonored checks, $157.50, $121.19 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Lavone Sandra Miller, Thief River Falls, 53, issue dishonored check, $142.50, $40 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Monica Lynn Prickett, Thief River Falls, 27, issuance of worthless checks, $152.50, $37.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Dale Jeffrey Shumway, Middle River, 18, minor consumption, 45 days; Jon Peter Anderson, Isle, 41, 68/55, $76.

Dairy Achievement Award was presented to Kelsey Carlson of the Satellite 4-H club at the annual Pennington county 4-H awards program Sunday, October 22, at the Eagles Hall in Thief River Falls.

Halloween decorations vandalized or stolen reported to enforcement

Law enforcement officials received a few reports of criminal damage and theft regarding Halloween decorations last week. They also investigated cases involving alcohol violations, thefts, and accidents.

Alcohol. On October 19 at 12:39 a.m. police responded to a complaint of some criminal damage to property. While there, they detected the smell of alcohol on a juvenile of Thief River Falls. The 16-year-old male faces a charge of consumption under age. No damage to property was discovered.

Theft. On October 18 at 8:30 p.m. an 18-year-old male of Thief River Falls was caught shoplifting at Kmart.

On October 18 at 1:39 p.m. Kezar Music reported two Camcorders missing from the store. The total theft loss was estimated at $1,600.

Pennington county sheriff's department has charged the following for issuance of worthless checks: LouAnn Beito, 34, St. Hilaire, $94.37; Colleen Michelle Fesko, 25, Thief River Falls, $128.33; Mark Edward Rozowski, 29, Thief River Falls, $374.80; Jadon Dennis Skjerven, 19, Newfolden, $1,045.55.

Accidents. On October 18 at 11:43 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the intersection of Highway 59 and a frontage road. Carol Faye Peterson, Newfolden, was driving a car north on Highway 59. Kevin Mark Jenkins, Thief River Falls, was driving a car and leaving the Kmart parking lot. Jenkins pulled out into traffic and vehicles collided. Damages were estimated $2,000 to the Peterson vehicle and $1,000 to the Jenkins vehicle. Peterson received a bump on her forehead. Charges are pending.

On October 20 at 7:59 a.m. police received a report of an accident at Greenwood and Highway 59. A car driven by Wendy Thrane, Thief River Falls, was southbound on Highway 59 and making a left turn from the turning lane, and was stopped. A car driven by Mavis Paulson of Goodridge was northbound on Highway 59. An unknown vehicle pulled out of Greenwood causing Paulson to step on her brakes and her vehicle to slid into the Thrane vehicle. Damages were estimated at $1,200 to the Thrane vehicle, and $300 to the Paulson vehicle.

Assault. On October 20 at 2:45 a.m. Thief River Falls police officers received a call from a woman about a domestic incident. Arrested for fifth degree assault was Todde Duane Aubol, 26, Thief River Falls.

On October 20 at 1:04 a.m. police received a report of a disturbance at a local bar on Main Avenue. A man received a cut to his lower lip in a disturbance. Charged with fifth degree assault was Brock Damon Newlond, 28, Thief River Falls. Also charged, following another complaint shortly after, was Paul Michael Czapiewski, 22, Thief River Falls, for criminal damage to property. The charge was a result of a broken window. Charges in both instances were the result of citizen arrest complaints.

Community forum on public policy here November 1

Small business employers in the Thief River Falls area will have an opportunity to learn how to impact public policy at a community forum featuring former U.S. Representative Tim Penny Wednesday, November 1, from noon to 1:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

"Finding Your Voice: A Community Business Forum" will include a behind-the-scenes look at Congress as well as advice on how businesses can be effective in shaping the issues that affect their bottom line.

Presented by Dakota Community Health Network and co-sponsored by Dakota Clinic—Thief River Falls, the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce and Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota, the forum will also include a discussion on "how local employers, health care providers and consumers are working together to shape a health care plan tailored to the needs of the Thief River Falls area," according to the forum sponsors.

Tim Penny was a U.S. Congressman from southern Minnesota for six terms before retiring last year. He had a reputation for emphasis on controlling federal spending and making government more efficient.

Penny is author of the book *Common Cents: A Retiring Six-Term Congressman Reveals How Congress Really Works—and What We Must Do to Fix It.*

All small business owners in the Thief River Falls area are invited to attend the forum. Reservations should be made by calling the northwestern Minnesota office of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota in Moorhead at 1-800-605-7013.

Domestic Violence Month proclaimed

October has been declared Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Violence Intervention Project of Thief River Falls has released the following information in order to help explain the dynamics of domestic violence.

Anyone who is a survivor of battering, sexual assault, or emotional abuse and would like to talk to someone is encouraged to contact Violence Intervention Project at 681-5557.

Who is a battered woman?

Physical abuse occurs in all ages, income levels, races and educational levels. It can happen to women who are legally married, separated, living with a man or another woman.

How many women are battered?

Battering is a hidden crime. Statistics say that 25 to 50 per cent of all women are battered. Many may also be victims of domestic violence, although statistics indicate that 95 to 98 per cent of all victims of domestic violence are women abused by men.

What is abuse?

Abuse is any behavior that physically and/or emotionally hurts another person that is not an accident. This includes physical abuse, threats, sexual abuse, and emotional abuse.

What is battering?

Battering, or the use of physical force, is a part of a system of behaviors used to establish and maintain power and control over another person. Battering includes the following:

Using coercion and threats - making and/or carrying out threats to do something to hurt her; threatening to leave her, to commit suicide, to report her to welfare; making her drop charges; making her do illegal things.

Minimizing, denying and blaming - Making light of the abuse and not taking her concerns about it seriously; saying the abuse didn't happen, shifting responsibility for abusive behavior; saying she caused it.

Emotional abuse - Putting her down; making her feel bad about herself; calling her names; making her think she's crazy; playing mind games; humiliating her; making her feel guilty.

Intimidation - Making her afraid by using looks, actions, gestures; smashing things; destroying her property; abusing pets; displaying weapons.

Children - Threatening to take children away if she leaves; saying she is an unfit mother; threatening to hurt the children; making her feel guilty about the children; using the children to relay messages; using visitation to harass her; threatening to take the children away.

Isolation - Controlling what she does, who she sees and talks to, what she reads, where she goes; limiting her outside involvement; using jealousy to justify actions.

Sexual Abuse - Two-thirds of battered women are sexually abused by their partners; rape; treat woman as sex object; insist dress in sexual way; making demeaning remarks about woman's body; berate women about their sexual history; criticize woman sexually; insist on touching woman sexually when unwanted; call woman a whore or a slut; have affairs with other women; force woman to have sex with others; force woman to watch others having sex; force unwanted sexual acts; force or coerce woman to have sex after battering; force sex when woman is sick; commit sadistic sexual acts.

Economic abuse - Preventing her from getting or keeping a job; making her ask for money; giving her an allowance; taking her money; not letting her know about or having access to family income.

Male privilege - Treating her like a servant; making all the big decisions; acting like the "master of the castle"; being the one to define men's and women's roles.

These behaviors are more powerful because they are reinforced by the threat or use of physical abuse.

What is physical abuse?

Physical abuse can take many different forms. The following are some of them. The abuser has: pushed and shoved you; held you down and kept you from leaving or getting up; bitten you; kicked you; choked you; hit or punched you once, twice and/or repeatedly which may or may not have resulted in visible physical injury; tied or otherwise physically restrained you; thrown objects at you which may or may not have hit you; locked you out of your house.

Who is "to Blame" for the abuse in the relationship?

The batterer is always responsible for the violence. Seventy-seven per cent of the women in a survey reported that their husband's assault upon them was not preceded by a verbal argument. There is no support for the idea that the wife who nags caused the battering. It is the batterer's own attitudes and problems that cause him to be abusive. Battering is a learned and chosen behavior. Battering is not simply a problem of "anger control", but is a system of destructive behaviors targeted at one individual.

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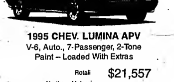

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The Second Section

Grindley earns Ten Bears Award for ultramarathons

The Cheetah Herders Athletic Club has conferred upon Jim Grindley of Thief River Falls the district honor of Ten Bears. The award represents the completion of 10 of the race's 50-mile marathons.

Le Grizz, a 50-mile ultra-marathon for runners, recently completed its 14th marathon and among the finishers was Grindley. The 60-year-old Grindley joins a very select group of runners. Grindley was only the fifth ultra-marathoner to complete 10 of the race's marathons. Only one individual has run all 14.

A member of the Thief River Falls Fleet Feet runnin' and walking club, Grindley has been running in marathons and ultra-marathons for many years. Consider the fact that he began running Le Grizz at the age of 48.

He has slowed over the years, but only to enjoy scenery and friendship along the long miles. This year he ran with a slower friend. In addition, he ran the race just one week after running the Twin Cities Marathon. Grindley said excellent weather blessed the event. Aspen and tamarack was at its peak fall foliage. At times he said snow-covered mountain tops were framed by the fall colors.

It takes a special kind of person to run an ultra-marathon. Some would say — crazy. A good sense of humor, however, helps. On the back of t-shirts awarded to runners is a saying "Run with the Bear or Run with a Bear behind".

The award, a large wooden plaque with a clock on it and metal plate, is at least three-inches thick. After running 50 miles over gravel roads and highways in 10 hours and 41 minutes, Grindley said the award was special, but not something he could carry. He had his wife and another friend carry it to the car for him.

Jim Grindley of Thief River Falls was recently awarded the Ten Bears award. The award represents the completion of 10 Le Grizz ultra-marathon 50-mile races.

Hospice seeks to alleviate some of the fears of terminal illnesses

(Editor's Note: The following was submitted as a letter to the editor but is being used in the following format due to its general public interest.)

by Ashok Patel, M.D.
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Thief River Falls

All humans face death and most fear it, not just when mortality is imminent but throughout life. Our fear of death and dying has unfortunately guided our methods of treating the terminally ill in this country.

In the past we coped with a terminally ill loved one in one of two ways—we shied away from confronting it by shutting the sick and dying away in an institution, or we sought bizarre and expensive means of delaying or avoiding death.

Recently, a new approach has surfaced that has received a large amount of media attention—assisted suicide, which Jack Kevorkian has brought to the public's attention.

We at Hospice of the Red River Valley-Northland Community Hospice would like to offer a more humane and cost-effective approach that avoids the high cost associated with traditional methods of care and the high-tech associated with new and unproven procedures. The type of care we are speaking about seeks to manage pain, providing relief for those who are so desperate that they turn toward Kevorkian's euthanasia method. The type of care we are referring to is hospice care.

Hospice seeks to alleviate the fears most commonly associated with the prognosis of a terminal illness—the fear of pain related to the illness, the fear of becoming a burden to the family, and the fear of financing the cost of a terminal illness.

The primary goal of a hospice is to control pain. To do so, hospices rely on the combined knowledge and skills of a team of professionals— physicians, pharmacists, nurses, home care aides, social worker, bereavement counselors and spiritual counselors—and volunteers who coordinate a personalized plan of care designed to help the patient live his or her final days as comfortable and pain-free as possible. The care often includes medication, equipment and supplies related to the terminal illness.

The fear of becoming a burden on the family is of great concern for many terminally ill patients. Hospice addresses this concern. The hospice team of professionals works with the family, providing skilled nursing, psychological and spiritual care as well as everyday support such as shopping, cleaning and running errands. When needed, hospice provides respite care as well. In addition, hospice staff can be reached 24 hours a day and will visit, when needed, day or night.

On the financial end, hospice is efficient and cost-effective. More than 90 per cent of the care is provided in the comfort of home. Care provided in the home has proven time and time again to be less costly than care in a hospital or other institutional type setting.

In 1994 the charges per hospital day were estimated at $1,756. Care in a skilled nursing facility cost $284. That same year the Medicare base reimbursement rate for hospice routine home care was $91 per day.

Hospice services are covered under Medicare, most private insurance groups, and HMOs. Hospice is also a covered benefit under Medicaid in 37 states. In addition, through community contributions, memorial donations and foundation gifts, many hospices are able to provide service regardless of patients' insurance or ability to pay.

There is no age limit for hospice care. Children as well as adults can receive the support of the hospice program during their final stages of life. Usually a family member or a friend becomes the primary caregiver and is assisted by the hospice team so that the patient can remain in the home.

As a result, hospice care is one of the fastest growing health care industries. Currently more than 2,000 hospice programs employ more than 33,500 full-time professionals and approximately 11,000 volunteers who together serve close to 280,000 terminally ill patients and their families each year. The need for hospices will continue to rise due to the growing aging population, the increase in AIDS cases and the rise in health care costs.

Hospice is a concept of care whose time has come. It is a program that treats the person, not the disease; focuses on the family, not the individual; and and emphasizes the quality of life, not the duration. It is care that accepts death as a natural part of life and seeks neither to hasten nor postpone it.

As we celebrate National Hospice Month in November, we encourage all to take this opportunity to learn more about the advantages of hospice. If you would like more information about hospice services in Thief River Falls, call Hospice of the Red River Valley-Northland Community Hospice at 218-681-6189.

Passing faith to next generation topic of series

"Building Our Homes on the Solid Foundation" is the theme for a series of meetings to be conducted Friday through Sunday, October 27-29, at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Dr. Francis Monseth

Speaker at the series which begins at 7 p.m. Friday will be Dr. Francis Monseth, Dean of the Association Free Lutheran Theological Seminary in Minneapolis.

Saturday's events include a men's breakfast at 8 a.m. and another evening service at 7 p.m. Dr. Monseth will speak at the Sunday morning worship service at 9:30 a.m., show slides and speak about the work in eastern Europe at a potluck supper at 5:30 p.m., and bring the evening message at 7 p.m. All of the events are open to the public.

Dr. Monseth's theme is directed toward how to pass the values, morals and spiritual Christian life on to the next generation. He and his wife Ellen have six children and six grandchildren.

From 1967 to 1971 Dr. Monseth served churches in Everett and Lake Stevens, WA. He joined the faculty of the Association Free Lutheran Theological Seminary in August of 1971 as professor of systematic theology. In June of 1981 he was elected Dean of the seminary and he also teaches in the Biblical theology department of the Association Free Lutheran Bible School, located on the same campus.

Dr. Monseth has had the opportunity to teach theology in Brazil during the summer of 1990 as well as in eastern Europe (Russia, Estonia and Latvia) during the 1993-94 school year when he taught in theological schools in St. Petersburg, Tartu and Riga during a sabbatical leave from his position at AFLC schools.

While in eastern Europe, he also visited Lutheran "house" churches in Siberia. He continues to assist Lutheran theological education in eastern Europe through regular short-term trips to Estonia and Latvia.

In 1964 Monseth received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Valley City (ND) State University and in 1967 earned a Master of Divinity degree from the Association Free Lutheran Seminary. After being ordained into the ministry in 1968, he did further post-graduate work at Seattle Pacific University graduate school, receiving a Master of Arts degree in Biblical Studies in July of 1972. He attended Concordia Seminary Graduate School in St. Louis, MO, and was awarded a Master of Sacred Theology degree in systematic and historical theology in 1978 and the Doctor of Theology degree in systematic theology in 1986.

Spartz ballad wins country music award in Nashville

Doug Spartz of Hackensack received the award for Country Single of the Year September 30 in Nashville, TN, at the annual Independent Artists Gala.

The winning song was "Colors and Numbers," written by Bruce Theien and Jack Franzen of Brainerd which went to the No. 1 spot on the national charts in June. In January of 1995 Spartz' own song "Breakaway" was a chart topper. Theien received an award for "Most Played Song of the Year" and Carol Spartz was given a Radio Promoter of the Year award.

Spartz is known locally for his Sparky and the Time Pirates band.

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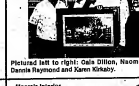
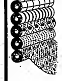


Pictured left to right: Oala Dillon, Naomi and Paslor Dannis Raymond and Karen Kirkaby.



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November's Birthdays and Anniversaries

November Birthdays: 1 - Pastor Eveland; 2 - Beverly Folden; 4 - Ryan Olson, Michael Olson; 5 - Carvel Gillund; 7 - Jerod Olson (Jerry); 8 - Mike Johnson; 10 - Arnold Skjerven; 11 - Grace Anderson, Cindy L. Berg; 12 - Natalie Nelson, Sharon Gustafson; 13 - Darlene Chapman, Jeff Ueland; 14 - Jerod Olson (Chuck); 15 - Greg Hestekind, Greg Carlson; 16 - Mark Knutson, Marge Bengtson; 17 - Lorne Carrier, Loretta Berggren, Emory Fladen; 18 - Laura Roppe, Ray Turnheim, Judith Hagenbeck; 19 - Don Larson, Vernon Gunderson; 20 - Kandy Moose, Irene Holmstrom; 21 - Scott Nelson; 23 - Mike Underdahl; 24 - Hanna Moen; 26 - Joni Swenson, Gary Osnarski; 27 - Steve Larson, Beth Johnson; 29 - Sherman Lysne; 30 - Sybil Cerkle, Tom Dondelinger.

November Anniversaries: 15 - Ken and Donna Graham; 17 - Roger and Bridgin Mathsen; 19 - Arnold and Evelyn Skjerven; 22 - Curt and Elaine Thompson; 27 - Steve and Lori Waterworth; 28 - Tom and Wendy Bierschwale; 29 - Vernon and Sheila Nelson, DeVere and Jackie Chapman.

Thursday forenoon Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Hanna Moen.

Harvey Seyberg was a Friday evening October 6 visitor and coffee guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson.

Saturday evening visitors and supper guests at the Gerald Moen home were Hanna Moen, Harriet Anderson and Wally, Darcene Moen and her boyfriend, Harvey and Muriel Underdahl. They also celebrated Darcene's birthday.

Sunday evening Roy and Laura Roppe visited with Bert and Adeline Roppe.

Charles and Phyllis Thrane of Anoka spent Sunday night with her mom Alice Ellingson.

Saturday Aaron and Blanche Waterworth went to Fargo, ND to visit at the Richard Waterworth home. They also celebrated Taylor's second birthday. They also visited at the Gene Waterworth home. They returned home on Monday.

Saturday evening visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Jerry and Gerry Gillund, Dean and Mary Anderson and Jill, Luke and Cassie Johnson.

Thursday Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Sue Dondelinger, Joey and Evan and Carol Ness in Thief River Falls.

Last Thursday evening, October 12 Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Gib Tronlvet enjoyed supper together at a cafe in Thief River Falls after shopping and spent a nice evening visiting while enjoying our meal.

Friday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Sybil Peterson.

Wednesday afternoon, Bernice Westman visited with Hanna Moen.

Saturday, those who visited and helped Don Larson fix on his shop which blew down on Friday evening also enjoyed lunch and supper were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Kenny and Sybil Cerkle, Tom and Sue Dondelinger, Shane, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Kari Jeame and Collin, Stanley Larson and Richard Larson.

Mark Thompson of Moorhead drove up to spend Saturday evening and Sunday, October 14 and 15 with his mom and dad, Curt and Elaine Thompson and his sisters Lisa and her children, Robbin and Roger and their children and also took in the special dedication services of the new Westaker church with social hour at 9 a.m., worship service at 10 a.m., dinner following. Floyd and Adeline Nelson were also our invited guests. In the afternoon they all came over to the house for awhile and then back for 2:30 dedication services. God blessed us with a lovely day and the services were very uplifting. Afterwards, they served cake and coffee. Many pictures were taken also. Lisa and children were also supper guests of Grandpa and Grandma.

Sunday visitors and supper guests at the Don Larson home were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Todd and Kari Jeame and Collin, Sybil Cerkle, Richard Larson and Ruby Swenson.

Alice Ellingson was a Sunday visitor at the Chuck Ellingson home and also attended the baby shower there.

A week ago Sunday evening, Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Kenneth Erickson home in Strathcona.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson and Dave Thompson and Beverly Henson reminded Olga Thompson of her birthday with gifts and wishes also had a birthday cake and coffee. Birthday blessings Olga.

Monday evening, those that brought birthday wishes to Stanley Larson were Scott Larson of Red Lake Falls, Shirley Lafrooth, Arnold and Vernice Larson, Richard Larson, Don and Gail Larson, Andy and Josh and Bud Thompson.

Sunday evening, those that brought birthday wishes to Jane Schaumberg were Milton and Beverly Erickson, Dean and Mary Anderson and Jill, Jason Erickson, Shelly Staebler and Ashley.

Tuesday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed supper with Todd and Kari Jeame and Collin.

Thursday, Beverly Erickson, Matt Schaumberg and Ashley Staebler visited at the Gary Leader's.

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Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m., Sunday school is followed by worship service.

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681-5462
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School Lunch Menu

Thief River Falls

Breakfast: Served daily in all schools from 7:45-8:22 a.m.

Breakfast Prices: Elementary, Middle school and Lincoln 75¢/Student, $1.20/Adult.

Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25, Middle school/$1.40, Lincoln High/$1.40, Adult/$2.20, 25¢ Extra milk.

LINCOLN

Toppings for Potato Bar: Chili, sour cream, shredded cheese, bacon bits, chopped ham.

"Taco Thursday" - Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2 tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.

In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes, and snack items.

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: 1-Chicken stir fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Pita taco fixings, fruit choice, dirt pudding. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: 1-Chicken nuggets, dipping sauce, hot biscuits, assorted fresh vegetables and dip, kiwi fruit. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: 1-Pita taco fixings, fruit choice, dirt pudding. 2-Polish sausage on a bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice, pudding. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: Unbreaded chicken pattie on a bun, golden corn, fresh fruit.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, fruit shape-up, dirt pudding.

• Menu subject to change.
• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50; 2 cartons per day is $9.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Cereal choice, toast, jelly, granola mix, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Free breakfast for anyone. Come join us today! Cereal choices, muffins or rolls, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: Crispy fried chicken, fries, green beans, pear sauce, bread, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: "Halloween Special."

Marshall County

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Blueberry muffin, Cocoa puffs, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Toast, Lucky Charms, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Cinnamon roll, Corn Flakes, fruit, milk.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Toast, oatmeal, juice, milk.
Friday, Nov. 3: Egg and cheese omelet, donut, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: Hot ham and cheese on a bun, chips, green beans, pineapple, bread and milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Italian spaghetti, meat sauce, vegetable sticks, apple and caramel dip, bread and milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Barbequed beef on a bun, pickles, whole kernel corn, oranges, bread and milk.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Mashed potatoes, Swiss steak in gravy, seasoned peas, cherry cutie pie, bread and milk.
Friday, Nov. 3: Turkey deli on whole wheat bun, seasoned potato wedges, gelatin with fruit, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: French toast, butter, syrup, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Assorted rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Friday, Nov. 3: Carmel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: Chicken burgers, tossed salad, peaches, P.B & Plain bread, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Barbeques, chips, pickles, corn, mixed fruit, milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Polish sausages, potato skins with cheese, fresh fruit, milk.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Turkey gravy over mashed potatoes, fruit salad, chocolate milk.
Friday, Nov. 3: Tacos with lettuce, cheese, applesauce, milk.

Plummer

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Lemon muffin, Cheerios, Orange juice, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Berry berry Kix, Frosted flakes, apple juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: Chicken pattie on a bun, savory fries, corn on the cob, applesauce, pineapple, chocolate chip cookie.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, peas and carrots, dinner roll, apple turnovers.

Rodney Knutson and Roger Evenson showed members of the Thief River Falls chamber of commerce around their Sears store in Thief River Falls last week during a Business After 5 activity. Business After 5 is a chamber of commerce activity for local chamber members. It allows them an opportunity to learn how other businesses in the conduct business in the community. Pictured from left are: Rodney Knutson, Mike Barry, Trevor Swanson, Bob Bergan, Shirley Swenson, Ron Kelinoski, Bill Das and Roger Evenson.

LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:
Monday, Oct. 30: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, muffins.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Milk, apple juice, Kix, peanut butter toast.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Milk, orange juice, Rice Krispies, cinnamon toast.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Milk, applesauce, Cream of wheat, toast.
Friday, Nov. 3: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast, jelly.

Lunch:
Monday, Oct. 30: Chili with beans, crackers, cheese sandwiches, pear halves, milk.
Tuesday, Oct. 31: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad with dressing, chocolate pudding, milk.
Wednesday, Nov. 1: Chicken with rice hotdish, whole corn, bread and butter, sliced peaches, milk.
Thursday, Nov. 2: Meatballs in gravy, mashed potato, green beans, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.
Friday, Nov. 3: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, coleslaw, applesauce, milk.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday evening, Oct. 30: Roast beef, whipped potatoes, stewed tomatoes, roll, cheesecake, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 31: Cooks choice. Meat, potatoes, vegetables, roll, dessert, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Senior Meals: Newfolden

Monday, Oct. 30: Lasagna, wax beans, lettuce salad, dressing, dessert, milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 31: Meat loaf, scalloped potatoes, vegetable, bread and margarine, dessert, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 1: Cook's choice.

Thursday, Nov. 2: Tator tot hotdish, peas, French bread, dessert, milk.

Friday evening, Nov. 3: Roast pork, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, rice pudding, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Oct. 30: Baked fish almandine, steamed rice, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with French dressing, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Oct. 31: Roast pork with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 1: Stewed chicken with dumpling, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine.

Thursday, Nov. 2: Beef stroganoff, egg noodles with gravy, sliced carrots, pineapple marshmallow coleslaw, sugar cookie, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Nov. 3: Salmon loaf with cream pea sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, cherry crisp with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Agder

Victor Nebben and Adeline Moe were Tuesday luncheon guests at the home of Florence Nabben. Victor was an overnight guest at the Moe home. On Wednesday, Adeline and Victor were luncheon guests at the LeRoy Nabben home. They also visited at the Harold Nabben home both days.

Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Trochmann were business callers in Grand Forks, ND on Tuesday and Wednesday.

River Valley

Congratulations King Brian!

Brian Lundeen, son of Connie and Kelly Lundeen was crowned 1995 Homecoming King in Oklee last Tuesday. Congratulations to all of the students that were on the Court. Robbie Hofstad, son of Linda and Glen Hofstad, Paul Peterson, son of Karen and Andy Peterson from our area were also on the court. It was a fun filled week for all of the students.

Rivervalley Homemakers Meet!

The Rivervalley Homemakers Study Group met at the Therese Redniecki home on Monday with six members present. Therese and Barb Chervestad gave a wonderful lesson on "Paste Principles". They were also the hostesses and served a delicious lunch featuring many different paste dishes. The market basket was won by Barb Chervested.

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Manufacturing Has An Important Role In Minnesota's Economy

Too often we take for granted some of the things that should be most important to us. We take for granted the support of close friends until they move away. We don't think about our good health until we are incapacitated or someone close to us has a severe health problem. We take for granted the privilege of having a satisfying job until something happens and we are left without one. We expect good roads, good schools and top law enforcement and fire protection because that's the way it has always been.

The same can be said about our dependence on a strong manufacturing economy in Minnesota. We take for granted the many things that manufacturing provides for us. Fortunately, for now, Minnesota's manufacturing economy is reasonably healthy and growing.

Our area of Minnesota has a long history of being a producer of agricultural products and we still consider ourselves to have an agricultural economy. But agriculture hasn't been especially kind to a lot of farmers for the past decade or more, and in a number of cases the added income from manufacturing employment of one type or another has supplemented family farm income.

We are fortunate in several areas of northwestern Minnesota, including Thief River Falls, to have manufacturing entities which have helped to take up the slack when the agricultural economy has sagged. In those communities which are fortunate enough to have jobs provided by manufacturing enterprises—and in the smaller communities surrounding them—the outside income brought into the area is vital to community development.

Last week was officially observed in Minnesota as Manufacturers Week. It was proclaimed in Thief River Falls by Mayor Bob Reeve and recognized by community organizations such as the Chamber of Commerce. Open houses and tours were held in Red Lake Falls and recognition was given in manufacturing centers to the north of us as well. Here are some points made by the Minnesota Department of Jobs and Training:

Manufacturers employ nearly one in every five off-farm workers in Minnesota, or about 405,000 people. The average manufacturing employee in Minnesota earns more than $33,000 a year—30 per cent higher than the average wage for all Minnesota employees. In fact, according to the most recent figures available, manufacturing has the largest total payroll of any industry in Minnesota.

Average annual wage per employee in manufacturing in Minnesota in 1993 was $33,314. This compared with $37,911 in mining, $32,576 in transportation, communication and public utilities, $30,944 in construction, $34,923 in finance/insurance/real estate, $28,041 in government, $22,091 in services and $18,216 in wholesale/retail trade.

Manufacturing impacts Minnesota's economy more than any other industry. It produces $22.9 billion worth of goods for our state's economy, contributing 21 per cent—the largest single share—of our gross state product. Manufacturing exports brought $7.3 billion into Minnesota in 1994, far outstripping any other state industry.

In corporate income taxes alone, manufacturing companies contribute more than $141 million to the state's coffers, nearly one-third of Minnesota's total corporate income tax revenues. When things are going well for Minnesota manufacturers, everyone in the state benefits.

Two-fifth of all manufacturing facilities in Minnesota are located outside the seven-county Twin Cities metropolitan area. From 1987 to 1992 the Twin Cities metro area actually lost about 3,100 manufacturing jobs while greater Minnesota gained over 15,000 new manufacturing jobs.

In 1992, according to the U.S. Census Bureau, Pennington county had 1,233 people employed in 26 manufacturing plants and earning $27.6 million. In Marshall county 202 were employed in 18 plants earning $4.1 million. In Roseau county 4,176 were employed in 25 plants and earning $102.6 million. In Red Lake county 96 were employed in eight plants earning $1.5 million. And in Polk, 1,244 were employed in 51 manufacturing plants and earned $30.3 million.

If the importance of manufacturing has not been recognized nor understood by the average Minnesotan, it is time for that lack of recognition and understanding to be corrected.

Good Luck, Prowlers, In Football Playoffs!

Lincoln high school Prowler football fortunes have taken a turn for the better of late and this year's especially successful 7-1 season has been a joy for local high school football fans.

As this is being written late Sunday night, the first round of the play-offs is two days away. When *The Times* is printed on Tuesday, October 24, despite its Wednesday dateline, the game still will not have been played. It is scheduled for 7 p.m. on Tuesday at Prowler field against Long Prairie-Grey Eagle.

Our best wishes to Coach Jeff Mumm, his assistant coaches and this Prowler team. A victory Tuesday night would put them into the semi-finals on Saturday and give them a shot at earning their way to the play-off finals at the Fargo Dome.

Fan support has been good again this season and enthusiasm is high. We would expect a large and enthusiastic crowd in attendance Tuesday night, and the players and coaches would be most appreciative of a continued strong following.

Since a season-opening loss the Prowlers have won seven straight. Six more wins would make them state champions. Wishful thinking? Perhaps, but not impossible. In high school sports, anything is possible and effort is primary. Teams that play their hardest usually succeed, and the Prowlers play hard.

To move on, however, it is necessary to win the next game. Right now, that next game is Tuesday night against the Long Prairie-Grey Eagle Thunder.

Go Prowlers!

Kent Ehrenstrom (right), Worthy President of the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Thief River Falls presented Mayor Bob Reeve with a check from the Eagles in the amount of $500. The donation was made to the city's gazebo project in Floyd B. Olson Park. The gazebo project fund is now up to $15,000. It is expected to cost around $27,000 when completed. Workers from Yoder Construction in Arthur, IL, are expected to complete it near the end of October.

Trail News

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Torkelson of South Milwaukee, WI visited with Howard and Sylvia Flateland on Saturday evening. They were leaving for their home on Sunday. They also visited with relatives around Plummer.

Sylvia Flateland attended the circuit women's guild meeting at Our Savior's church at Lengby on Saturday, October 14. The Bethany college choir sang at 1 p.m.; dinner was served at noon.

Delores Healy of San Mateo, CA left for her home after spending a few weeks with her sisters, Adeline Prevost of Oklee, Lillian Tenam and Vi Radniecke of Oklee and Rose Aaknes of Trail and with other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Torkelson of Milwaukee, WI visited at the Knute Flateland and Ernie Larson homes last Wednesday.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Ernest Huot who passed away as the result of a car accident on September 28th at the age of 69 years. Our thoughts and prayers are with his wife, Hazel and family and friends. Blessed be his memory.

LETTERS

To The Editor:

On November 7 voters in our school district will decide whether or not to pass a levy referendum. Voting yes on this ballot will result in reduction of class sizes and provision of up-to-date materials for our classrooms.

While we believe that our school district is doing a great job with the money it has, our district is well below the state average spent per pupil. Passage of this levy will bring us much closer to the state average.

Of the money raised by this levy, only 20 per cent will come from local taxpayers. The state will contribute the other 80 per cent because of debt equalization laws. What a bargain for the local taxpayer! We urge you to vote yes for education on November 7.

Sincerely,
Challenger PTSP
Shelly Steva, President

To The Editor:

Funding our education system is a complex process. Let me try to explain one part of this funding system called the referendum or local property tax share. Hopefully this information will be helpful for you as you decide how you will vote on this issue in School District 564 November 7.

Because state revenues are scarce, the state has decided to target more of its education dollars to those school districts in greatest need. This is called "levy equalization." When wealthy districts pass a levy referendum, the greatest share of the dollars come from their local property owners. In a district where there is less property value, more of the dollars come from the state. This funding policy helps to create educational equity across Minnesota.

In School District 564, for every dollar that is levied, 20 cents are from local property taxes and 80 cents come from state revenues. As you can see, the Thief River Falls school district is not a wealthy district and that is why the state pays for 80 per cent of the levy.

From the above information, you might think poorer districts could easily pass a referendum because the state will pay a large portion of the cost. Not so. On the ballot it doesn't say anything about the state picking up a portion of the levy. It only says, if you vote for the referendum you are voting for a tax increase and states the amount of the levy.

As districts need additional funding to carry out their educational programs, I support the equalization of these levies. This helps offset the impact of increased property taxes in poorer districts. Visit Challenger elementary and Lincoln high school and talk to your school board members about the referendum and the school funding needs. This will give you the information to make an informed decision on election day.

Sincerely,
LeRoy Stumpf
State Senator

To The Editor:

The tools of education have changed dramatically since we went to school. We both graduated from college never hearing about a personal computer or a video player. Calculators were not permitted during our physics and chemistry exams as they were felt to give an unfair advantage to those who could afford them.

Today not only are computers, videos and calculators almost ubiquitous but so are CD-ROMs, modems and the information superhighway. We live in a multi-media society in which the dissemination of information is both instantaneous and highly technological.

The challenge to our schools is to provide these expensive technologies and educate our children in their use so that they can succeed and compete in the job markets of the future. We are proud of Challenger Elementary and Preschool and all our school facilities as having the capacity to properly teach in this multi-media society.

We are concerned that the State of Minnesota has not increased aid to our schools in four years. Despite the savings achieved by opening Challenger our district has still had to cut $637,800 out of its budget the past four years. This jeopardizes the education of our children.

The levy referendum on November 7 is an excellent opportunity for our district to obtain additional state funding. Local taxpayers only have to pay 20 per cent of the $701,714 that will be available. The additional 80 per cent will be paid by the state as we lack a strong property tax base. This money will help avoid further budget cuts, reduce class sizes and help our children receive preparation to succeed in an increasingly technology-dependent society. Vote yes on November 7.

Sincerely,
Jim Langland, M.D.
Penny Langland, M.D.

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

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Reiner Community News
Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Gary Miller visited at the Kenny Coan home and brought Kenny belated birthday wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller visited Thursday evening at the Kenny Coan home.

Kenny Coan enjoyed a trip to Duluth with Kenneth Parsley of Brooks one day last week.

Gene Miller of Hallock spent the weekend at the Signe Miller home. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Miller and Alice of Grafton, ND and Virginia Carriere of Thief River Falls visited at the Signe Miller home on Sunday. Edgar Miller visited with his mother, Signe Miller one day last week.

Mrs Bob Halvorson and Amy were dinner guests at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sigerud visited at the Steve and Julie Olson home at Grygla one day last week.

Happy Birthday!

"Happy Birthday" to Gloria Rustan who celebrated her birthday! Otto and Hulda Sigerud were among those who brought Gloria greetings along with her family and friends.

Sincere Sympathy

Sincere sympathy to the family of James Teigland who passed away at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on October 12th. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Sincere sympathy to the family of Alroy Jenes who passed away on October 1st at the age of 25 years at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Our thoughts and prayers are with his wife, parents and brothers and other family and friends during this sad time.

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES
Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—The high winds and low water have greatly retarded steamboat operations the past week.

—An epidemic of typhoid fever is raging in the city.

—Teachers and pupils appreciate the services of the efficient janitor, Mrs. Kjos. These cold autumn mornings, we find our school rooms warm and pleasant.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—James Meehan purchased the Coleman House and is building an addition to the hotel.

—The ladies of Thief River Falls have circulated a petition to place on the city election ballot the question of purchase of the local library by the city.

—Attorney General E. T. Young has commenced proceedings in Red Lake county district court to restrain the Great Northern railroad from tearing up its track between Shirley and St. Hilaire.

—The state drainage league has proposed a 75-mile-long drainage ditch to run through the Red Lake reservation into Thief lake.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Peter Neste bought the grocery store on Main avenue from Carl Rossman.

—Lester Gesell will be president and Thomas H. Smith cashier of a new bank opening shortly at Mavie.

—Superintendent J. H. Hay addressed a meeting of the Woman's club.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—As a result of frequent rains, the diesel units in the local power plant are getting little exercise, Superintendent Ole Legvold reported.

—Woman's club launched a project to raise funds for a swimming pool in this city.

—Local merchants are holding a fall festival October 26-31.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—W. G. Claffy was elected vice president of the Northern Minnesota Education association at its convention in this city.

—City council awarded to Tom Nesland the contract to build four cabins for the use of poor relief recipients.

—The two local banks now have combined deposits of more than $1,000,000.

—Rev. E. A. Cooke of the Thief River Falls M.E. church will speak on "How We Kept Pennington County from Going Wet" to the Minnesota Temperance Movement in St. Paul.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—City council sold a $250,000 issue of water treatment plant bonds at a net interest rate of 1.16 per cent.

—Minneapolis Bridge company, on its low bid of $123,840, was awarded the contract to rebuild the city power dam.

—Judges O. R. Knutson and Graham Torrance ruled that the old drainage and conservancy district organized in 1920 is still in existence as a corporate entity.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Dr. Orion D. Belch filed for election as mayor and will oppose incumbent Agnes Israelson in the November 8 election.

—At an area power conference in Grand Forks, it was concluded that Garrison Dam power will reduce power costs in this city of $100,000 annually.

—Ralph Luhman, chamber of commerce president and Dr. W. F. Mercil, president of the Crookston chamber, have bet a hat on the result of Friday's Prowler-Pirate football game.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—"A Distant Bell," the Lincoln high school junior class play, will be presented Monday and Tuesday.

—Installation of pipe for natural gas service to Thief River Falls is now underway.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bushaw, operators of Johnnie's Hamburger shop the past 13 years, sold their business to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Noreen.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Annual fall concert of the Franklin middle school instrumental music department will be presented Tuesday.

—The mayor's salary was raised by the city council from $150 to $200 per month.

—The Lions club will host two children's Halloween parties again this year.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—A plan to use tranquilizer darts to immobilize elk for removal from the Grygla-Gatzke area was abandoned after the first animal tranquilized went down in about 18 inches of water and drowned.

—In an effort to put pressure on the state department of natural resources for removal of elk from the Grygla-Gatzke area, area farmers have announced a concentrated effort to post private land against hunting.

—Opening performance of the Top Hat Revue, a musical variety show featuring the talents of about 70 local performers, will be presented Friday at 8 p.m.

Agder News
Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Silver Creek Homemakers Meet

The Silver Creek Homemakers met at the home of Carmen Gustafson on Thursday morning with Ruth Hanson and Carmen as hostesses. The lesson on, "Pasta Principles" was presented by Ruth and Carmen. Margaret Rupprecht won the door prize. Others present were: Esther Fuller, Ethel Nelson; Irene Nelson, Jean Nelson, Lorraine Sannes, Bernice Trochmann, Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Knutson.

Joel Berg from Fertile was a visitor and supper guest at the Bernice and Ray Barth home on Wednesday.

Bernice Knutson was a visitor at the Bill Stack home on Sunday afternoon.

Howard Nelson was a Sunday evening visitor at the Ethel Nelson home.

Martha Torgerson spent three weeks at the home of Lisa and Mike Parent in Otsego. She made the acquaintance of her new grandson, Reed Michael, born to Lisa and Mike Parent on September 20. Congratulations to the parents!

Sybil Heath, Duluth, Pam Johnson, Minneapolis and Jarvis Torgerson were among those who attended the Sonja Torgerson/Kim Kneack wedding at Trinity Lutheran church on September 23.

Ida Rupprecht returned home on Tuesday after spending three weeks with her daughter, Sharon Gatica, in Albert Lea. On Monday she enjoyed having dinner with an old friend, Alma Shurb and her daughter Carol, in Madison, WI. She had supper at the Wendy and Robert Blue home and was an overnight guest at the Jean and Larry Doeden home.

Adeline Moe returned home on Monday after visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Lorna and Daniel Larson, for a week. They live in Rio Rico, AZ.

Bernice Knutson attended the Campanula Garden club meeting at the Ruth Holmes home on Friday afternoon.

Margaret Rupprecht, Lorraine Sannes, Bernice Knutson and Jean Nelson attended the cooking class, presented by a home economist at the St. Hilaire elevator. The lesson topics were: "Fast Track Cooking" and "Easy Cooking for 1 or 2."

Ray and Bernice Barth were visitors and overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Langenwalter at Pickerel Lake. On Sunday, they were all dinner guests at the Ronald Barth home at Battle Lake. They helped other friends and relatives in celebrating Ronald's 80th birthday. On Sunday evening, Ray and Bernice went to Breckenridge and spent the night at the Clifford Barth home. They returned home on Monday.

Ida Rupprecht was a Tuesday afternoon caller at the Bernice Knutson home.

Martha Torgerson visited her cousin, Gerald Landowski in Anoka one day last week.

Ray and Bernice Barth visited at the Marge and Henry Panek home on Thursday evening.

Martha Torgerson and Lisa Parent and infant son Reed visited with aunt Pam Johnson in Minneapolis.

Bernice Knutson and Nell Bergh were Monday afternoon coffee guests at the home of Carmen Anderson.

Bernice and Ray Barth visited with Walter Nolte and Earl Moshar at the United hospital in Grand Forks, ND on Friday.

Marlene Beedy was a visitor at the Bernice Knutson home one day last week.

Martha Torgerson, accompanied by her aunt, Luverne Wagner from Argyle, and Sally Swanson from Grafton, ND, attended the funeral for Aunt Hazel Gerent at the nursing home chapel in Grafton, ND. They also visited with Gertie Landowski at the home.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES
Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota October 25, 1945
From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: November 1, 1945

An announcement will be made about two new Boy Scout camps being organized, one north of Thief River Falls and one south of the city. What were the locations of these two camps?

Advanced question: Who was reelected chairman of the Thief River Falls Boy Scout district at the annual meeting on October 26?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Nearly One-fourth of County Draftees Have Been Released To Date

"Nearly one-fourth of the Pennington county selective service registrants inducted into military service during the war had received their discharges up to the first of the week, it was announced by Arthur Berg, chief clerk of the local board. A total of 1,330 men, more than 10 percent of the population was drafted from this community, in addition to which a smaller number of enlistments were not reported to the draft board. Of this number, 312 men had been discharged up to Monday of this week."

Community Halloween Festival October 31st

"Spooks and goblins will be rampant in Thief River Falls next Wednesday, October 31, when approximately 1,500 local children will participate in the annual community Halloween festival sponsored by the Lions club in cooperation with the city recreation board. Classes including the kindergarten through the fourth grade will be dismissed at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon to permit the youngsters to attend a party in the auditorium at 3 o'clock. A costume parade to be directed by W. G. Claffy will form at the arena at 7:15 and will proceed through the business district and back to the arena where a committee will award prizes for the best costume. Climaxing the festival will be a teenage dance in the auditorium starting at 9 o'clock under the supervision of Fleming Gibson. Noisemakers and prizes will be awarded."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
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Auditorium To Be Scene Of Airport Dance Friday

"As a feature of the airport dance in the municipal auditorium Friday evening, October 26, under the sponsorship of the local chapter of the National Aeronautics association, a free round trip airplane ride to Chicago or the alternative of a free course of flying instructions will be awarded. Music for dancing will be supplied by Bob Sjulestad and his orchestra."

Mpls. Bridge Co. Awarded Job Of Rebuilding Dam

"At an adjourned session of the city council Friday evening, the Minneapolis Bridge company, lower of two bidders, was awarded the contract for the reconstruction of the municipal power dam on its base bid of $123,840. The second bid entered by the Industrial Contracting company of Minneapolis, was in the base amount of $135,800. The bidders both stipulated that a time limit of completion of the work be eliminated owing to uncertainties in the supply of available materials and labor."

First Lutheran Harvest Festival Is Big Success

"The annual harvest festival held at the First Lutheran church, Wednesday, October 17, was a great success, Rev. Carl F. Johnson, pastor, said this week. He added that the spirit of thanksgiving was evidenced not only by the spirit of the program, but also by the thanks offering, which was over $400.00."

Topics of The Times
Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Holen, former Times Editor

—A New Orleans paper nominates Secretary of State Mike Holm for the job of teaching candidates to be elected without making political speeches.

—Add to the list of poor guessors the name of France's Pierre Laval.

—General George C. Marshall carried a gun last week. He was shooting pheasants in North Dakota.

—If you happen to be in New York in the near future you will have the privilege of hearing Eleanor Roosevelt and Minnesota's Elmer A. Benson speak from the same platform at a CIO-PAC political rally.

—We don't envy Mr. Symington his job of disposing of 100 billion dollars worth of surplus war goods.

—If you want to recover your lost youth, turn out for the Lincoln high school homecoming exercises today and tomorrow.

—Admirers of the last president no doubt will go in a big way for that $200 series E Roosevelt memorial bond.

—With that big community party coming up Wednesday, the police shouldn't be overworked on Halloween.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR
St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota October 23, 1895
From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"Six new threshing machines from Dakota arrived in the past two weeks to help our local machine men pound out the big crop. There is plenty of work for all as about half of the grain in this vicinity is still in the shock.

"In spite of the fact that there are a great many more rigs at work in this vicinity than ever before, several of our threshers report having on hand over a month's work yet.

"The engine of the 'Accomodation' train of this branch was derailed at Red Lake Falls last Monday and remained in that condition until about noon yesterday when at last a work train was sent to their relief. About 30 passengers were here waiting to take the train south and were compelled to wait over a day until the company got good and ready to take them away when a train might have been sent and the matter remedied in a few hours."

Little Oak
Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Callers and visitors recently at the Willie Good home were Lorraine Mostrom, Karen Good, Orben Good and Clifford Arveson.

Linda Homme and Ida Haugen were coffee guests at the Gary Johnson home Tuesday afternoon.

Ardith Kloth of Thief River Falls visited on Tuesday with Rose and Dorothy Juneau in Red Lake Falls.

Jared Haugen was a luncheon guest at the Ida Haugen home on Wednesday.

Ardith Kloth came to the Ida Haugen home on Thursday. They were in and took their Flu shot. Then Ardith took her mother out for supper.

Linda Homme and Ida Haugen visited at the Robert Bursta home in town on Thursday forenoon.

Pastor Dan and Julie Faugstad and children visited at the Ida Haugen home Friday afternoon.

Ida Haugen enjoyed a telephone call Thursday evening from her daughter Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA and also a call from her son Orrin.

Scott, Linda and Troy Goderstad left on Friday, September 20th for their home in Bear Lake near Perham. They spent four months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burrack.

Stacy and Tyler Blaser were overnight guests with the Burracks.

Jana Good was to Fargo, ND on Wednesday. She was to the Dakota Clinic for a checkup.

Dinner guests at the Henry Burrack home on Thursday were Galen Anderson, Lonny Burrack and Stacy and Tyler Blaser.

Thursday afternoon, Henry and Betty Burrack motored to the Stromme home at Perham and they were overnight guests there. On Friday morning they went to the Goderstad home and visited with them in their new home.

Sally and Paula Stromme came home with them. Their mother Donna came for them Sunday afternoon. They stopped in Fosston to see the new baby boy of David and Ruth Olson.

Company on Sunday afternoon at the Ida Haugen home were Lois Bursted, Ella Englund, Sharron Johnson and Bud and Linda Homme.

Company at the Bud Homme home on Sunday evening were Chet and Marlene Nessen, Dave and Mishawn Shaslo and Ida Haugen.

Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen visited at the Anne Arveson and Ella Mostrom homes in Gonvick on Monday. On their way home they stopped by the Clara Peterson home and enjoyed coffee with her.

Renae Marquis and children visited at the Clara Peterson home late Sunday afternoon.

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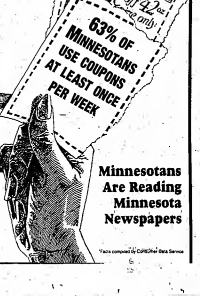

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Pastor Bob Waterbury

Bob Waterbury named pastor of Baptist church

Bob Waterbury has been named pastor of Precious Seed Baptist Church, 1007 East County road 62, Thief River Falls.

For five years prior to moving to Thief River Falls Pastor Waterbury was pastor of Victory Baptist church, a church he founded in Fairmont, MN. Pastor Waterbury is a graduate of Hyles-Anderson Bible College in Crown Point, IN. Following his graduation he served in St. James, and then Granite Falls, before founding a church in Fairmount.

Pastor Waterbury and his wife Chris moved to Thief River Falls last week, bringing with them their two dachshunds.

OUR ADVERTISERS SAVE YOU MONEY!

Karen Tvadt (left) of Red Lake Falls won the quilt raffled for 1995 by the TRF Quilters Guild. Making the presentation were Susy Dowers (right), member of the raffle quilt committee, and Sue Dupree, a member of the TRF Quilters Guild.

Strandquist News

F. Myrtle Vagle
438-2133

Northwest Minnesota awakened this morning to another perfect fall day. It is warm enough to be comfortable and cool enough to lift sugar beets. The truck traffic is heavy so we have to allow ourselves a few extra minutes when we have appointments in Grand Forks or Fargo.

Hunting season is in full swing, some hunters got their moose the first day. Many people got their bears this fall when they were hassling the neighborhood and many say they don't like to cook wild meat. If you think that the more you pay for something the better it is, remember no meat is more expensive than wild meat, license, time and all the extra that goes with it. So I thought I'd put in a recipe right from Montana which makes for a good meal: Beef pie with a cornmeal crust, (any wild meat including bear). 1lb. stew meat browned in 1 tablespoon of oil, remove meat and add to oil: 1 chopped green pepper, 1 small onion, 3 or 4 chopped carrots, Saute til tender and add: meat, 1 can whole kernel corn, 1/4 cup tomato paste or catsup, 1 tablespoon, chili powder, 1 teaspoon sugar. You may also put in 1 can of stewed tomatoes, cut up and 1 or 2 chopped jalapeno peppers, but go easy on the hot stuff. Simmer until all is tender and place in a cake pan. Make the cornmeal crust of 1 cup flour, 1/2 cup cornmeal, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup margarine or butter, 1/4 cup grated cheese. Cut all ingredients into flour until crumbly. Add 1/4 cup water 1 tablespoon at a time until a ball forms with hands. Roll out or form to fit the top of the casserole, cut slits for steam. Bake at 425 degrees 20 minutes or until brown. Ask your friends in and later ask their comments. Several had asked me for wild meat recipes and I hope they will try this one.

Senior Citizens met at the Center with 11 members and three guests, Clara Nelson, Elsie Lofrooth and Lillian Gormundson. They were busy tying rugs again, getting ready for their fall sale, and visiting with friends and neighbors. Lorraine Setten was the hostess and served a delicious meal. Helen Jacobson won the door prize.

Word was received by the relatives of Julius Setten of his passing away at a Nursing Home in St. Cloud. Funeral services were held on Monday. He was 96-years-old.

Ellen Stromberg visited Frank and Judy Klainvachter on Sunday. Later Juna and Brandon Kasprowicz and Claudia, Jessie and Kali Berggren visited them.

Pearl Thompson and Elsie Lofrooth accompanied Betsy Thompson to the Nursing Home in Karlstad and rendered a short program. Later they went to Myrtle Vagle's for a regular Women's Missionary Program.

Blanche Lofstrom visited with Lorraine Setten Tuesday afternoon.

Claudia Berggren brought birthday cake to Frank and Judy Klianvachter's to help celebrate Kali's birthday. Other guests there were Jessie Berggren, Kari Kasprowicz, Brittany and Matthew Nelson.

On Saturday Lorraine Setten was at Elsie Lofrooth's learning a new afghan stitch. On Sunday evening, Mary and Donna Ranstrom, Pearl Thompson, Marlys Lofrooth, Walter Thompson, and Isaac and Betsy visited Elsie Lofrooth and partook of her kind hospitality.

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Crookston Diocese Youth Rally was held in Thief River Falls October 19. Over 550 youth and advisors met at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls. It was the first time the youth rally has been held in Thief River Falls. This year's theme was "I Send You To Be Peacemakers and Apostles of Hope". Events during the day included a keynote speech by Bob Bartlett, and meetings. The day was concluded with a dance and closing prayer. Students pictured above were among the Thief River Falls students to attend the event.

Ron Konickson elected to MEA board

Ron Konickson, electronics instructor at Northland Community and Technical College was among 12 new members named to the Minnesota Education Association (MEA) Board of Directors last month. the 68-member board held its first meeting of the new school year September 29-30 in Bloomington.

The board helps guide the programs and efforts of MEA members and staff, with a goal of improving public education for Minnesota students of all ages.

One of those taking a seat, Carmen Peters of Sauk Rapids is the recently elected MEA secretary-treasurer. Peters gained election on a statewide ballot of the organization's members last summer. Other new board members include: Ron Konickson of Thief River Falls, Butch Otteson of Albert Lea, Dick Langlie of Brooklyn Park, Barb Simth of Cass Lake, Jeanne Brown of Faribault, Norma Malterer of Faribault, Jan Hubinger of Glenwood, Mark Chalupsky of Minnetonka, Dave Froehle of St. Cloud, Carolyn Garven of Sauk Rapids, Doug Conboy of Silver Bay.

Viking Community News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3662

The Rosewood Homemakers held their October meeting at the Adelle Skjerven home with Evelyn Skjerven as co-hostess. A lovely lunch was served and we finished off with showing the video of Gordon's 70th birthday party which we all enjoyed. Those attending were Pearl Johnson, Joyce Kron, Jill Hall, Irene Holmstrom, Clarice Rocker, Evelyn Lambert, Hazel Olson, Liz Swenson, Thelma Dahl and Evelyn and Adelle Skjerven.

Marion Halvorson called on Liz Swenson and Pearl Kleven on Tuesday afternoon.

On Thursday LaRoy and Ruth Sustad called on Dale Anderson who is a patient at the Warren hospital after which they visited at the Doug Groude home and at Max Otto's.

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Birthday for Megan

The fifth birthday of Megan Malwitz was celebrated on Sunday, October 8 at the home of her parents, Kevin and Gloria Malwitz. A birthday lunch including a special birthday cake was served to Megan, her brother Jacob, grandmother Doris Malwitz, Jim and Sharon Baron, Amy and Dan Dunnigan and Barb Culkins, Wayne and Mary Malwitz, Sherrie, Heather and Heidi Schefert.

Canada Trip

Lyndon, Mary and Sarah Leining of Austin arrived on Friday last week to visit mother Charlotte Leining, Jim and Carole Wright. They were houseguests of Carole's but on Saturday they took Charlotte along to Bemidji where she visited with old friend Edith Eckstein. On Sunday they took her and Carole to Hatton where they visited Herbert Leining at Buxton, Gladys Loing and Carl and Isabel Hanson in Hatton. On Tuesday Lyndon, Mary and Charlotte left for Kelvington, Sask., Canada to visit niece Emma Kingsley and son Stanley. Charlotte described Canada as a big country with grain fields reaching from horizon to horizon. They had stayed at Yorkton enroute as it is a long drive to Kelvington. They arrived home on Thursday and Lyndon's left on Friday, spending the day and night with Sarah who attends college at Bemidji and with Mary's brother. They went on to Wadena and spent the night at Frances Leining's before going on to their home in Austin.

Harold and Vi Wickstrom of Oak Creek, WI visited Tuesday night with Art and Gloria Fossum.

Joe and Emily Watje of Hacienda Heights, CA arrived on Wednesday last week at the home of her parents, Orval and Dorothy Roese. On Saturday they all went to Fargo, ND to visit Judy and Aaron Greer and girls, Ken and Diane Thomas and boys and watched grandson Jay Thomas play in a football game. Joe and Emily have been making an extensive trip visiting many relatives including Don Reese's Bed and Breakfast in Gatlinburg, TN. They left Plummer on Monday.

Frances Schiefert helped two of her great-grandchildren celebrate their birthdays recently. One-year-old Bree and two-year-old Amber are children of Tracy Swanson of Thief River Falls.

Brian Johnston of Mandan, ND visited his grandmother, Ruth Wilkens, last Thursday afternoon.

Ron and Kathy Juneau and Edna Hyde spent Friday in Fargo, ND with Edna's granddaughter, Stacy Swenson and Amy Beth. They were dinner guests and were joined by Colleen, Stacy's mother.

Sophie Anderson entertained Kathy Langstraat of White Bear Lake, Ardell Wells and Millie Baldwin of Thief River Falls at Third Base on Friday evening.

Iver Grove, former classmate of Howard Greenwald of Rantoul, IL, visited on Friday and Saturday at the Greenwald home.

Dea and Jon Egeland and baby Jorey of Billings, MT, Eric, Cindy, Taylor and Brett Nielsen of Westby, MT arrived at the home of their mother and grandmother, Lorna Huotari on Friday. They attended homecoming at Plummer high school with brother Bryce playing in the football game. Neil Huotari of Rochester also attended. They assisted with the Silver Anniversary party for uncle Milt and Jan Peterson on Saturday. They left on Monday after the baptism of Jorey on Sunday. A very full weekend!

Silver Anniversary

Milton and Janice Peterson were guests of honor on Saturday, October 14 at an open house 25th wedding anniversary held at the American Legion clubrooms in Plummer. The occasion was hosted by their sons Chad and Ryan, assisted by nieces and nephews Neil and Bryce Huotari, DeeAnn Egeland and Cindy Nielsen. Chad and his special friend Sheila Riendeau were at the punch bowl, and sisters Lorna Huotari and Janet Torkelson served the cake and coffee. A program was given at 2:30 p.m. with Neil serving as emcee. A history of their 25 years together was presented by the young people in story and song, bringing chuckles and lumps in the throats of all who attended. Special guests were parents, Eva Boutain of Thief River Falls, Leonard and Bernice Peterson of Plummer, sons Chad of Cambridge and Ryan of Bemidji, Lorna and Bryce Huotari of Plummer, Janet and Duane Torkelson of Milwaukee, WI, Allan and Scott Peterson of the Cities, DeeAnn, Jon and Jordy Egeland of Billings, MT, Cindy, Eric, Taylor and Brett Nielsen of Westby, MT, Neil Houtari of Rochester, Jens and Gertrude Sunsted of Plentywood, MT, Mike and Beth Stickler and Brent of Blaine, Julie and Chuck Tydlacka of Viking and daughter, Kari, and Sheila Riendeau of Cambridge. Many friends from Plummer and the surrounding area were there too. Milt and Jan were seated at a special table with their parents, and the hall was beautifully decorated. Milt and Jan went to express their deep appreciation to everyone who helped and attended to make this a very special occasion.

Dorothy Pederson was a houseguest last week at the Herb and Esther Walter home when Ernie was in Fargo, ND for his hip surgery. Lucille and Ervin Weiss of Red Lake Falls visited with her and the Walters on Saturday after attending the anniversary party for Milt and Jan Peterson.

Howard and Margaret Greenwald attended the wedding of Amy Jo Pittman and Wade Grindeland on Saturday evening at the Community church in Thief River Falls.

Burnel and Effie Byer, Harold and Marian Vatthauer attended the benefit supper for Rochelle Peterson on Saturday evening at the Newfolden elementary school. On the way home, the Byers visited Alice Hodne at Northwest Medical Center where her husband, Hardin, is a patient having suffered a massive stroke recently.

Jim and Jennifer Skjerven of the Cities, and Roger and Pollie Skjerven were guests Saturday evening at the home of Kermit and Peggy Genereux of Thief River Falls. They had all attended the benefit supper for Rochelle Peterson in Newfolden and later celebrated Peggy's birthday with cake and coffee at the Genereux home. Kyle and Lucas, children of Peggy and Kermit were there, too! Jim and Jennifer were overnight guests there and returned to the Cities on Sunday.

John and Clara Holley attended the homecoming festivities of Bemidji State University last weekend. John had an alumni board meeting and both of them were in the parade and took in the football game to see Bemidji win. Way to go!

Janet and Duane Torkelson of Milwaukee, WI, Allan and Scott Peterson of Coon Rapids, Mike and Beth Stickler and Brent of Blaine, Chad Peterson and Sheila Riendeau of Cambridge and Ryan Peterson of Bemidji were guests at the home of Milt and Jan Peterson for the weekend.

Holy Baptism

Jorey Russell Egeland, son of DeeAnn and Jon Egeland of Billings, MT received the rite of Holy Baptism on Sunday afternoon at Immanuel Lutheran church with Pastor Gary Graff of Bethany Lutheran church of Red Lake Falls officiating in the absence of Pastor Johnson. Sponsors for little Jorey were Eric and Cindy Nielsen of Westby, MT. A celebration meal was served at the home of Lorna and Bryce Huotari following the service. Attending were grandparents, Lorne Huotari, Jens and Gertrude Sundsted of Plentywood, MT, great-grandparents Leonard and Bernice Peterson, Tom and Wilma Huotari, Neil Huotari of Rochester, Bryce Huotari, Milt and Jan Peterson and Ryan, Mike, Beth and Brent Stickler of Blaine, Jon and Dee Egeland and Jorey, Cindy and Eric Nielsen and boys of Westby, Mt. Afternoon callers were Lillie Halvorson, Bunny and Deb Ouchamp. Rick and Lorraine Lorenson came in the evening.

Margaret Greenwald accompanied Harvey and Mary Ann Gagner to the church dinner in Mentor on Sunday.

Walter and Katie Luxenburg of Warren and Sharon Iverson of Thief River Falls were Sunday visitors at the home of George and Hazel Ollie.

Auction

A large crowd attended the auction sale of Don and Gail Brekke on Sunday. The Brekkes have moved into Thief River Falls and Mark and Sue Lee have purchased their farm and have moved to their country home. The sixth grade class of Plummer high school, assisted by a few mothers, provided the lunch for the sale at the auction in preparation for their trip to the Cities next spring.

Harold and Marian Vatthauer and Lorena Westerlund enjoyed a drive on Sunday exploring a lot of areas close to home.

Charlotte Leining was a Monday supper guest of Jim and Carole Wright.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson visited on Monday with Otto and Ethel Johnson of Oklee at the Rehab unit of United hospital in Grand Forks, ND where Otto is a patient.

Herb Walter drove to Fargo, ND on Monday to bring Ernie Pederson home from the hospital following hip surgery. Ernie's daughters, Beverly Waldat and Donna Wisniewski of Milwaukee, WI, had come by bus to Fargo and returned to Plummer with their father, who is doing quite well, but has to have a lot of therapy. They will be staying for a week or so. Ernie would like to give special thanks to the Boy Scouts of Plummer who took care of his lawn in his absence, to Herb and Esther Walter for their care of Dorothy, and to everyone for their thoughts and prayers. They love company and hope many friends will come and visit. We're all glad your surgery was a success and that you're home again, Ernie. Best wishes!

Community Club Meets

The Plummer Community club met at the town hall on Monday evening with Vice President Rick Lorenson presiding in the absence of President Fred DeHate. Main business was the election of officers for the coming year. The nominating committee consisting of Lorna Huotari, Art Frolland, Clayton Larson and Ruth Wilkens presented the following slate: President – Rick Lorenson; Vice President – Kathy Juneau; and Secretary-Treasurer – Fern Whitney. Motion was made and carried to accept these officers. There will be the annual drawings for thanksgiving turkeys in all business places.

Rick Hicks and Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce members participate in a Business After 5 activity got into the spirit of the activity at Champs, a downtown sporting goods store that opened this year. Business After 5 is an activity of the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce, which allows chamber of commerce members an opportunity to see how other businesses in their community operate. Pictured from left are: Rick Hicks, Ron Kalinoski, Bob Bergan, Shirley Swanson, Bill Dee, Rodney Knutson, Mike Barry, and Roger Evenson.

Star Community News

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Saturday afternoon, Don Moen and Beverley Emmenson were visitors and coffee guests at the Gene Marquis home.

Adeline Hanson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Eddy and Laurette Stucy home on Saturday.

Jean Johnson brought supper over and had supper Tuesday evening with her mother, Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Saturday morning, Dick Marquis of Oklee was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gene Marquis home.

Late Monday night, Jim Johnson was a caller at his parent's home, the Clarence Johnsons.

Those attending a product party at the Eddy and Laurette Stucy home on Sunday were Elva Fiedler, Terese Metnensky, Josh Njos of Wanneska, Mrs. Tim Kasse, Mrs. Doug Cullen, Andrea, Charlette and Temmi, Mrs. Norman Adams, Mrs. Merlin Kotrba, Mrs. Oery Johnson, June Johnson, Arlette Metnensky and Mrs. Warren Seaverson of Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea were visitors at the Clara Petersen home.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Eddy Stucy attended the wedding reception at the Community Center in Goodridge for Amie Pittman and Wade Grindeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis, Corey, Megan and Andrea were visitors at the Dick Marquis home in Oklee on Saturday evening. Mrs. Dick Marquis made a birthday cake for Gene that day, so they all enjoyed birthday cake together.

Mrs. Tony Rubischko and Joey were visitors on Monday night at the Eddy Stucy home.

Sunday, Elva Fiedler was among others that attended a product party at the Eddy Stucy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa were visitors on Saturday at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Allrod Iverson were visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home.

Elva Fiedler attended homemakers on Monday at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Monday, Ron Stucy was a visitor and dinner guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors on Wednesday forenoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Wednesday forenoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson made a business trip to Oklee. Then later the Johnson's enjoyed dinner at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the funeral on Wednesday for Walter Skreland at the Salem Lutheran church of rural Oklee. Our sympathy to the Skreland family. May his memory be blessed.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nelson, Racheal and Timothy and Ron Stucy were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went on Bergan Travel to Minot, ND on Friday to the Norsk Hostfest. The Johnsrud's returned home on Sunday afternoon.

Jean Johnson was a visitor and supper guest on Thursday at the Merle Naeseth home.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest on Monday at her grandparents home the Clarence Johnson's.

Saturday night, those who called and visited by phone with Betty Zavoral of Butler, PA were Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Solberg were visiting at the Bruce Solberg home on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon were visitors at the Dayton Silk home in Thief River Falls. They also celebrated Louelle Lundeen's birthday that day. Happy Birthday Louella!

Elva Fiedler, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud and Irene Lovly were among others that attended Bible study at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge on Thursday night.

Friday, Gary Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Wednesday night visitors and lunch guests at the Jean Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Mrs. Vernon Iverson was a shopper in Thief River Falls on Thursday. Mrs. Iverson also enjoyed coffee with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls that day.

Thursday later afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls. The Johnson's also enjoyed coffee with Gladys Langwost in Thief River Falls that same day.

Shoppers in Thief River Falls on Saturday morning were Mrs. Merle Naeseth, JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Wellmen of Motley, Jean Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson. Then later they all enjoyed breakfast at Handy Farms.

Jeanna Violet of Crookston is spending a few days visiting with June Johnson.

Friday night, Nina Smith was an overnight guest of Joyce's at the Bruce Solberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sorenson of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henford Rolsland home.

Bob Johnson of Andover called and visited by phone with his mother Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hanson of Trail and Lorraine Wetne attended confirmation for Denise Wetne in Gonvick on Sunday. Then after confirmation Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hanson and Lorraine Wetne were among others that attended the reception for Denise at the Darrell Erickson home in Gonvick. Congratulations Denise on your great day!

Sunday late afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud visited by phone with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lind and family of Litchfield.

Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson visited on Sunday night at the Gary Johnson home with Joanna and Kyle. Jessica was also an overnight guest of Joanna's that night.

Sunday afternoon, Jean Johnson, Michelle and Monica were visitors at the Merle Naeseth home.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Kory Chervestad and Aaron of rural Oklee and Danny Nelson were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Tim Lundeen and Shannon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lundeen in Crookston on Saturday.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wikert of Thorhult were visitors at the Leonard Johnson home.

Visitor and dinner guests on Monday at the Tim Lundeen home were Kory Chervestad and Aaron and Danny Nelson.

Monday, Tony Rubischko was a coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Saturday, Leslie Iverson was a brief caller at the Dale Anderson home.

Steven Weber and Shirley Johnsrud were visitors on Monday night at the Tim Lundeen home.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and luncheon guests at the Norman Kriel home.

Adelina Hanson was a visitor and coffee guest on Thursday morning at the Leonard Johnson home.

Thursday, Elva Fiedler and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went to the Pat Syzmansky home for a sewing group.

Those who enjoyed dinner on Sunday at the Terry Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie, Ruby Anderson of Thief River Falls, Harold Uglem, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Nelson of San Francisco, CA, along with the Terry Anderson home.

JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Wellmen left for their home in Motley on Sunday evening after spending the weekend visiting at the Merle Naeseth home.

Sunday night, Shirley Johnsrud and Angie Chervestad of rural Oklee were visitors at the Tim Lundeen home.

Agnes Eidelbes, Mrs. Norman Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Eidelbes and Michelle and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Troska attended the Fall Bazaar and Barbeque turkey, polish sausage and sauerkraut supper served at the church in Florian.

Joanna Johnson and Tiara Kotrba visited with Jessica at the Jean Johnson home on Sunday evening.

Dava Naeseth was a visitor and lunch guest at his grandparents home the Clarence Johnson's on Monday evening.

Ruby Anderson and Todd Anderson were visitors and supper guests at the Dale Anderson home late Monday afternoon.

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LPN- Hillcrest Nursing Home has a full time position available for an LPN. Rotating shifts which includes working every other weekend. Benefit package available. If interested apply at Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750. 218-253-2157. E.O.E. 1t86c

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Help Wanted

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WANTED- Salesman for small local custom sportswear and graphic design company, call Bryce, 218-222-3831. 80tfc

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FOR SALE- Mosberg 835 Ultra Mag 3-1/2" 12 gauge, 681-6054. Pst86p

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Vernon Johnston wishes to thank everyone who helped in any way when Vernon was taken ill, especially the ambulance crew, emergency room personnel, Dr. Sanjay Patel, ICU personnel. Also, Green Funeral Home and Erling and Eric for their kind and caring help. Special thanks to Pastor Wollenzien for his visits and beautiful service. Also Mike Coppock and Vi Barr for their beautiful music and song. The Ladies of Trinity for serving the meal. We wish to also thank all who gave cards and memorials, flowers and food brought to the home.

God bless you all
Family of Vernon Johnston
1t85p

THANK YOU

Thank you to Dr. James Langland and his staff, the nurses on second floor for excellent care given Oscar while he was a patient at Northwest Medical Center. Also, to the Trinity Ladies for the lunch, VFW and American Legion Color Guards, Oscar's brother-in-law, Al Reesnes for his beautiful singing, and organist Ida Nordvall and special thank you to Rev. Tim Bauer for his visits with Oscar while he was at the hospital and visit with our family and his comforting words at the funeral, pallbearers, Green Funeral Home staff who helped us during our recent bereavement, to all the friends and relatives who sent cards, gifts, flowers, food and visits. Thank you all and may God bless you.

The family of Oscar Olson
1t85p

THANK YOU

I just want to thank all those who sent cards and came to help me celebrate my 75th birthday Oct. 8. It was a wonderful day. A special thanks to my children and their family for making it possible.

May God bless all of you
Edna Curtiss
1t85p

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FOUND- Keys by Lincoln High School and St. Bernard's, call Tunberg's to claim, 681-2660, ask for Russell. 4t87f

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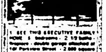

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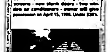

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FOR RENT- Quiet 1-bedroom apartments in well-maintained building, heat and water paid, available Nov. 1st, call 681-8276 between 10 a.m. and 0:00 p.m. 83tfc

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FOR RENT- 483 tillable acres of farmland, 3 miles west of Goodridge, phone 306-662-5800. P12t89p

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FOR RENT- Sleeping room with kitchen, private entrance and car plug-in available, 681-7630. 80tfc

2-BEDROOM MOBILE home with entry, deposit, references, lease, non-HUD, 681-2863. P4t86p

2-BEDROOM TRAILER in TRF, security deposit required, HUD applicants accepted, call 449-4331 and leave message. P4t86p

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1994 580 ZR, low miles, $3,200.00, 449-3671. P4t86p

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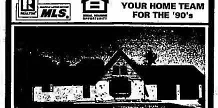

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Legal Notices

October 11, 18, 25, 1995
NOTICE OF BIDS

Bids for Fire and Liability Insurance for Oakland Park Nursing Home will be received by the Home's administrator on or before November 8, 1995. Coverage to be effective January 1, 1996.

Specifications may be obtained in the business office at Oakland Park Nursing Home, 123 Baken Street, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, (218) 681-1675.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids.

Equal Opportunity Employer
Sharon Hoglo, Administrator

Legal Notices

October 11, 18, 25, 1995
NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the general election has been called and will be held in and for Independent School District #564, Thief River Falls, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1995, for the purpose of electing three school board members for three year terms. The ballot shall provide as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
GENERAL ELECTION
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA
NOVEMBER 7, 1995
SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER
VOTE FOR UP TO THREE

Put an (X) in the square opposite the name of each candidate you wish to vote for

☐ CARLA CLARK
☐ DENNIS D. KIESOW
☐ CARLA TWOMEY
☐ ______ (Write-in Candidate)
☐ ______ (Write-in Candidate)
☐ ______ (Write-in Candidate)

The precincts and polling places for this election will be as follows:

Precinct—Polling Place, Polling Hours. TRF Ward 1—Heritage Center, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 2—Zion Church, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 3—Skylite Apartments, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 4—Seventh Day Adventist School, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 pm.; TRF Ward 5—Redeemer Church, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.

Precinct—Polling Place, Polling Hours. Precinct 6—St. Hilaire Library, 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(encompasses all territory in Independent School District No. 564 located as follows:)

Pennington County: City of St. Hilaire, Black River Twp., Bray Twp., Mayfield Twp., Polk Centre Twp., River Falls Twp., Sanders Twp., Wyandotte Twp.

Red Lake County: Browns Creek Twp., Gervais Twp., River Twp.

Precinct 7—Franklin Middle School, 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(encompasses all territory in Independent School District No. 564 located as follows:)

Pennington County: Cloverleaf Twp., Kratka Twp., Norden Twp., North Twp., Numedal Twp., Rocksbury Twp., Silverton Twp., Smiley Twp.

Marshall County: New Solum Twp., Excel Twp., Agdar Twp., Grand Plains Twp., East Valley Twp.

Any eligible voter residing in the School District may vote at said election at the polling place designated above for the precinct in which he or she resides. The polls for said election will be opened as noted above on the date of said election.

A voter must be registered to vote to be eligible to vote in this election. An unregistered individual may register to vote at the polling place on election day.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1995
BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
-s- Darla Twomey
School District Clerk
Independent School District No. 564
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

October 18, 25, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No.

In Re: Estate of Walterine M. Gilbert, aka Walterine C. Gilbert, Deceased.

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of November, 1995, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of an instrument purporting to be the will of the above named decedent, dated December 7, 1990, and for the appointment of Edward L. Gilbert, whose address is 325 N. Maple Ave., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the Court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: October 12, 1995
James R. Wilson, Judge
-s- Barbara Bello
Court Administrator

Paul Ihle
IHLE & SPARBY, P.A.
312 N. Main Ave.
P.O. Box 574
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-7373

October 25, November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1995
Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage:

DATE OF MORTGAGE: February 7, 1992

ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: $24,375.00

MORTGAGOR: Elaine M. Borsholm, husband and wife

MORTGAGEE: Norwest Mortgage, Inc.

DATE AND PLACE OF RECORDING: Recorded February 13, 1992, in Book 229, Page 622, as Document No. 136710, Pennington County, Minnesota

ASSIGNMENT(S) OF MORTGAGE: Assigned to Norwest Bank Minnesota West, National Association by assignment dated and recorded February 14, 1992 in Book 220, Page 676, Pennington County, Minnesota

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Lot 9, Block 2, Highland Addition to Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota

COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Pennington

AMOUNT DUE AND CLAIMED TO BE DUE AS OF DATE OF NOTICE INCLUDING TAXES, IF ANY, PAID BY MORTGAGEE: $24,564.82

THAT prior to the commencement of this mortgage foreclosure proceeding Mortgagee complied with all notice requirements as required by statute.

THAT no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

THAT no mortgagor has been released from financial obligation on the mortgage.

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the sheriff of the county as follows:

DATE AND TIME OF SALE: December 12, 1995, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE OF SALE: Lobby, Law Enforcement Center, Thief River Falls, MN to pay the debt secured by the mortgage and taxes, if any on the premises and the costs and disbursements, including attorneys fees allowed by law, subject to redemption within six (6) months from the date of sale by the mortgagor, her personal representatives or assigns.

THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES SECTION 582.032 DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF FEWER THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED.

Dated: October 18, 1995
NORWEST BANK MINNESOTA WEST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee
Paul M. Hubbard
For COMMY, FESTE, BOSSART, HUBBARD & CORWIN, LTD
400 Norwest Center
Fargo, North Dakota 58126
Telephone: (701) 293-9911
MN Attorney ID #163181
ATTORNEYS FOR MORTGAGEE

October 18, 25, 1995
NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the regular election of the City of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minnesota, will be conducted on Tuesday, November 7, 1995, between the hours of 12:00 p.m. (noon) and 8:00 p.m. The following places have been designated:

First Ward—Heritage Community Center, 301 4th Street East; Second Ward—Zion Lutheran Church, 505 Main Avenue North; Third Ward—Skylite Apartments, 415 South Arnold Avenue; Fourth Ward—Seventh Day Adventist School, 1004 Tindolph Avenue South; Fifth Ward—Redeemer Lutheran Church, 1300 Nora Street East.

The following offices are to be filled: Mayor - 2 year term to expire December 31, 1997; First Ward Council Member - 4 year term to expire December 31, 1999; Third Ward Council Member - 4 year term to expire December 31, 1999; Fifth Ward Council Member - 4 year term to expire December 31, 1999; Council Member At-Large - 4 year term to expire December 31, 1999.

In addition the City residents will vote for School District No. 564 candidates and a levy question. For names of candidates, terms of office, and levy question, see notice provided by school.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Thief River Falls, MN this 12th day of October 1995.

-s- Roger DeLap, City Administrator

October 25, 1995
Public Notice

Pursuant to MN Statute Section 206.83, the City Clerk's Office will have the automatic tabulating equipment tested to ascertain that the equipment will correctly count the votes cast for all offices and on all measures. This test will be held in the County Commissioner's Board Room of the Pennington County Courthouse on Thursday, November 2, 1995, at 4 p.m.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1995
/s/ Roger DeLap
City Administrator

October 11, 18, 25, 1995
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564
THIEF RIVER FALLS
STATE OF MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special election has been called and will be held in conjunction with the city general election in and for Independent School District No. 564, Thief River Falls, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1995, for the purpose of voting on the following question.

THE BOARD OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564, THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, HAS PROPOSED TO INCREASE ITS GENERAL EDUCATION REVENUE BY $281.24 PER ACTUAL PUPIL UNIT. THE ADDITIONAL REVENUE WILL BE USED TO FINANCE SCHOOL OPERATIONS AND THE PROPERTY TAX PORTION THEREOF WILL REQUIRE AN ESTIMATED REFERENDUM TAX RATE OF APPROXIMATELY 0.0546% OF THE REFERENDUM MARKET VALUE OF ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT FOR TAXES PAYABLE IN 1996, THE FIRST YEAR IT IS TO BE LEVIED. THE REFERENDUM REVENUE AUTHORIZATION WOULD BE APPLICABLE FOR 10 YEARS UNLESS OTHERWISE REVOKED OR REDUCED AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

☐ YES

SHALL THE INCREASE IN THE REVENUE PROPOSED BY THE BOARD OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 564 BE APPROVED?

☐ NO

BY VOTING "YES" ON THIS BALLOT QUESTION, YOU ARE VOTING FOR A PROPERTY TAX INCREASE.

Passage of this referendum will result in an increase in your property taxes.

The property tax portion of the revenue authorized will require an estimated referendum tax rate of approximately 0.0546% of the referendum market value of all classes of taxable property within the district. The annual dollar increases for typical residential homesteads, apartments, commercial-industrial properties, and other classes of property within the district, other than certain agricultural and disabled homestead properties, are as follows:

TAX IMPACT
RESIDENTIAL HOMESTEADS, APARTMENTS, COMMERCIAL INDUSTRIAL PROPERTIES

Market Value*	Dollar Increase
$20,000	$11
$25,000	$14
$30,000	$16
$40,000	$22
$50,000	$27
$60,000	$33
$70,000	$38
$75,000	$41
$80,000	$44
$90,000	$49
$100,000	$55
$125,000	$68
$150,000	$82
$200,000	$109
$250,000	$137
$500,000	$273
$1,000,000	$546

FARMLAND

Assuming that the market value of an average farmhouse, garage and surrounding one acre of land is $61,000, the annual dollar increases for typical agricultural properties in the district are as follows:

Market Value*	Referendum Market Value	Dollar Increase
$75,000	$61,800	$34
$100,000	$73,090	$40
$200,000	$136,790	$75
$300,000	$236,790	$129
$400,000	$336,790	$184
$500,000	$436,790	$238
$600,000	$536,790	$293
$700,000	$636,790	$348
$800,000	$736,790	$402

*Information regarding the market value of your property can be obtained from the County Assessor's Office.

The precincts and polling places for this election will be as follows:

Precinct—Polling Place, Polling Hours. TRF Ward 1—Heritage Center, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 2—Zion Church, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 3—Skylite Apartments, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 4—Seventh Day Adventist School, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; TRF Ward 5—Redeemer Church, 12:00 Noon - 8:00 p.m.; Precinct 6—St. Hilaire Library, 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(encompasses all territory in Independent School District No. 564 located as follows:)

Pennington County: City of St. Hilaire, Black River Twp., Bray Twp., Mayfield Twp., Polk Center Twp., River Falls Twp., Sanders Twp., Wyandotte Twp.

Red Lake County: Browns Creek Twp., Gervais Twp., River Twp.

Precinct 7—Franklin Middle School, 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

(encompasses all territory in Independent School District No. 564 located as follows.)

Pennington County: Cloverleaf Twp., Kratka Twp., Norden Twp., North Twp., Numedal Twp., Rocksbury Twp., Silverton Twp., Smiley Twp.

Marshall County: New Solum Twp., Excel Twp., Agdar Twp., Grand Plains Twp., East Valley Twp.

Any eligible voter residing in the School District may vote at said election at the polling place designated above for the precinct in which he or she resides. The polls for said election will be opened as noted above on the date of said election.

A voter must be registered to vote to be eligible to vote in this election. An unregistered individual may register to vote at the polling place on election day.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1995
BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
-s- Darla Twomey
School District Clerk
Independent School District No. 564
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Star News

Mrs. Marie Naeseth and Jean Johnson enjoyed dinner on Monday at the Lantern in Thief River Falls.

Sunday, Andrea Marquis came over to the Dale Anderson home after church to spend the visiting with Katie. Then later that evening Mrs. Gena Marquis and Megan were callers at the Dale Anderson home and Andrea returned home.

Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud and Mrs. Ron Fulton of Roseau were shoppers and a business trip to Grand Forks on Monday. Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud also visited with Alice Reay in Grand Forks that day.

Visitors and supper guests on Saturday evening at the Clarence Johnson home were Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica.

Sunday afternoon, Tiara Kotrba visited with Joanna at the Gary Johnson home.

David Watne of Grygla spent Friday and Saturday with his Grandmother Lorraine Watne and his Uncle Lonnie Watne.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marquis of Oklee were visitors during the week at the June Johnson home.

Fr. Joe DeCrans of Thief River Falls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel left on Friday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Darcey Moses in Rush City. The Kriel's returned home on Monday night.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eldalbes and Michelle and Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kotrba and Tiara were visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Adams home.

Shirley Johnsrud and Mrs. Tim Lundeen enjoyed dinner with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Tuesday, Mrs. Vernon Iverson and Elva Fiedler visited and had coffee with Harry and Mable Paulson.

Jean Johnson and Jessica and Joanna Johnson were visitors at the Clarence Johnson home on Thursday night.

River Valley

The Oak Park Lutheran church LYS group enjoyed a hayride on Sunday afternoon. The young people who enjoyed a beautiful fall day were Paul Polarson, Robbie Holstad, Brian and Nate Lundeen, Quentin, Tyler, Chris, and Brent Nelson, Nick and Julie Gamm, Sylvie and Francis Hilgeman, Angie Chervestad, Becky Rainbold, and Melanie Olson. After the hayride the young people had hotdogs, chips, and pickles around the bonfire.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Dawn and Eldon Neuschwander on their new baby girl, born October 9, 1995. Also congratulations to Juell and Annabelle Charvestad on their new granddaughter, Whitney.

Shirley Lundeen, Muriel Mandt and Glena Rustan attended the Lutheran Women's Guild of Our Savior's church in Bagley on Saturday. The Bethany Choir from Bethany Lutheran College of Mankato entertained the group with a beautiful concert in the afternoon.

Paternity can now be established in one of two ways

Under Minnesota law, a father who is not married to a child's mother is not legally the father of the child until legal paternity is established. State legislation effective in 1994 eased that process by creating the Recognition of Parentage form.

As a result, paternity can now be established in one of two ways in Minnesota—by court order or by signing a form known as a Recognition of Parentage (ROP).

Although there are some important differences, a ROP form signed by both the mother and the father in most ways is the same as a court order establishing paternity, according to the Community Legal Education Program of the Legal Aid Society of Minneapolis.

Anyone who signs a ROP should understand that although the process is easy and fast, it has profound legal effects. By signing it, the signer signs away several important rights which could be exercised if paternity were established *through the court*.

"If you have any questions as to how signing a ROP will affect your legal rights, don't sign it and seek legal advice first," the Legal Aid Society suggests.

The ROP process simplifies establishment of child support. Minnesota provides an economic incentive to encourage its use by giving each hospital $25 for every signed ROP. This, however, should never lead to pressure on anyone to sign a ROP.

Signing the ROP is supposed to be completely voluntary. Unfortunately, most people sign ROPs at the hospital shortly after their child is born, at a time when parents, especially mothers, may be exhausted and may not have thought about all of the implications of establishing a legal parent-child relationship.

This may be especially true in cases where abuse is present. If you or your children have ever been hurt or threatened by the person claiming to be the child's father, don't sign the ROP without getting legal advice, not even if you are absolutely certain that the other person is the child's parent. Instead, contact a domestic abuse program and seek legal advice. A ROP does not provide any protection from abuse and may actually increase the likelihood of abuse. To obtain protection from abuse, you need to get an Order for Protection through a separate court proceeding.

For mothers, signing a ROP may make it more difficult to obtain assistance from law enforcement if the father takes the child. Even though the mother has sole custody, until a new custody arrangement is court ordered, many law enforcement officers treat the ROP like a court order for paternity and refuse to retrieve the child from the father.

If you were to go to court to establish paternity, under state law, you have the right to have a judge or jury decide who is the biological parent of the child. You have the right to a free attorney if you are low income. You have the right to blood or genetic testing to prove that the man is the biological father of the child. By signing a ROP, you sign away all of these important rights.

Under state law, the mother has *sole custody* of a child born to parents who are not married. If you go to court to have a judge decide paternity, the judge must also decide who has permanent custody of the child and what sort of visitation rights the non-custodial parent has with the child.

Unlike a court order for paternity, a ROP does not have any effect on custody and does not establish a visitation schedule. Signing a ROP basically confirms that the mother keeps custody until a court decides differently. Fathers who have questions about doing this should not sign the ROP until they get advice from an attorney.

If you have a low income, by signing a ROP you are signing away your right to have a free attorney represent you in the establishment of custody and visitation. If the other parent can afford an attorney and you cannot, signing the ROP can be especially dangerous. Contested custody cases can be expensive and complicated.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Mike Berry, owner of Pennington on Main, showed interest chamber of commerce members around the store last week during a Business After 5 event. Business After 5 is an activity of the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce. Chamber of Commerce members participate in the activity which introduces local business people to how other stores in their community operate. Pictured from left are: Mike Barry, Shirley Swanson, Rick Hicks, Ron Kalinoski, Rodney Knutson, Bill Dee, Cliff Swanson, Bob Bergan, and Roger Evenson.

Gatzke Community News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Wednesday morning, Mrs. Bill Bernstein visited at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Timothy Tesarsk of Roseau spent several days with his grandparents, the Clifford Klamars.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Oane Peterson attended the Gold Wedding Anniversary of Emmett and Lillian Wagner.

Saturday, Pastor and Mrs. Arlen Lloyd and Kylene, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ruud and Menice of Karlstad attended a potato dumpling supper at the Lutheran church in Greenbush. Later, the Lloyds and Chselis and Arlena visited at the Wayne Ruud home at Karlstad.

Senior News

The Saniers met on Wednesday afternoon at the center. Arlena Ruud won the door prize and Anna Westberg was hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Aune of Grygla and Mr. and Mrs. Just Aune spent Monday until Saturday at Minot, ND enjoying the Hostfest.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Engevik visited at the Hjelmer Nelson home at Alvarado.

Keryl Larson visited with her aunt, Vienna Grondahl, at Holt on Monday.

Mrs. Dale Rogers has been a recent patient in the hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Dwight Hasslar of Lynvilla, IA spent the weekend at the Alan Severts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were coffee guests at the Lyle Blahauviotz home at Thief River Falls on Tuesday and later visited with Vivian Ruud.

Ryan Beachy of Staples was a Friday overnight guest at his grandparents, the Rueben Engeviks. They all attended the Hawley-Middle River football game at Middle River and Ryan is one of the coaches.

Tuesday, Mrs. Craig Swenson and Corey of Oslo visited at the Oane Peterson home and later Ann and Joni helped Ashley celebrate her third birthday at the Tami Bratang home in Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Dahl spent a week at the Hostfest at Minot, ND. Enroute home, they visited at the Erling Lian home in Thief River Falls.

Gene Enga visited at the Alan Severts home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ronald Beachy of Staples, Mrs. Dean Anderson of Newfolden and Nathan Engevik of Roseau visited on Saturday at the Rueben Engevik home. Naomi was an overnight guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were coffee guests on Wednesday at the Russell Franzman home near Grygla.

Wednesday Gary Peterson of Middle River and Mrs. Bob Olfan of Hallock visited at the Gene Peterson home.

Monday visitors at the Arvin Dahl home were Halver and Ragnhild Haugland of Telemark, Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Boet of Minneapolis, and Paul Billberg of Wannaska.

Karen and Katie Engevik of Roseau visited on Sunday at the Rueben Engevik home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Mr. and Mrs. Rennie Peterson were coffee guests at the Alan Severts home.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home during the week were David Arveson on Saturday, Oliver Holstad and Lester Hanson also called there.

Supper guests at the Bud Homme home on Friday evening were Ida Haugen, Mishawn and Dave Skaske.

Orrin and Janice Haugan came to the Haugen farm Friday evening. On Saturday, Orrin did some farm work. Saturday night they went to the Ida Haugan's home and were supper guests, there also was Linda and Bud Homme. Later in the evening Sharon Johnsen and Brian came to visit. On Sunday Orrin and Bud did some winterizing on the Haugen farm and they left for their home later.

Sharron Johnson and Ida Haugen attended the fancy work and bake sale at the Nazareth Dining Hall Wednesday evening.

Willis Oood went to Fargo, ND on Friday. He went to the Veterans Hospital for a checkup.

MDA asks Fed to ease grain storage rules

Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA) has asked the USDA's Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) to ease restrictions on facilities which can be approved for the storage of grain. In a separate action, the MDA also offered to work with grain elevators on creative ways to deal with the large volumes of grain that are expected in this year's harvest.

In a letter to the CCC, MDA Commissioner Gene Hugoson explained that Minnesota farmers are facing a grain storage crisis. Local storage elevators are full from last year's crops and the transportation system has been unable to handle the large volume of grain that needs to be moved to make way for this year's harvest.

Hugoson wrote, "Alternatives to piles of grain on the ground must be found; alternatives that still allow farmers to take advantage of all their storage and marketing options." Hugoson noted that while CCC-owned and CCC-loaned grain can currently be stored in approved temporary storage, it cannot be housed by grain elevators in any on-farm storage sites. Hugoson asked the CCC to ease this restriction by allowing grain storage elevators to store CCC-owned and collateral grain in farm site and other alternative structures.

Country elevator operators predict millions of bushels of corn might have to be stored on the ground. Such storage creates the potential for expensive losses from adverse weather.

In a separate letter, Commissioner Hugoson advised all grain elevator operators that the MDA's grain licensing and auditing division will approve most types of temporary structures, and some types of farm storage facilities, for receipted storage. The MDA is also willing to look at alternatives to conventional grain storage structures to determine if they are suitable for housing grain. The Commissioner encouraged elevator operators to work with local emergency management coordinators to try to identify structures in their communities that may be available and suited for grain storage.

Elevator operators with questions about grain storage are encouraged to call the MDA's grain licensing and auditing division at 612-341-7537.

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Woman of the Year Page 9
Jeanette Calderwood of Crary, ND, has been named Agri-business Woman of the Year. A Pennington county woman has been singled out for recognition.

Science Fair Page 11
Our Saviour's Christian Academy held its annual science fair on Tuesday, October 24. Vanessa DeHaan was the grand prize winner.

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• Becky Mooney qualified for state cross-country meet
• TRF Volleyball team loses to Bemidji

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All-encumbent election to be held Tuesday

School District 564 special levy referendum provides the greatest interest as voters prepare to go to the polls next week

Robert Reeve

Jean Heinrichs

Milt Burstad

Dale Wennberg

Frank Hamerlinck

Residents of Thief River Falls and School District 564 will have an opportunity to vote on candidates for office and a special levy referendum.

In this edition of The Times, candidates discuss the reasons they are running for office, and in many cases, they discuss the levy referendum. Each candidate was asked by The Times to prepare a two page letter to voters explaining their background, reasons for running for election, and any pertinent issues they saw fit to discuss. As a free service to the candidates, it is hoped that the letters will provide voters the information they need to make informed decisions at the ballot box.

The polls on Tuesday, November 7, will be open from noon to 8 p.m. There have been some changes in polling places, however. The polling place for fourth ward has changed due to the demolition of Knox elementary school. Fourth ward residents will now be able to cast their votes at a polling place located at Seventh-day Adventist church.

All polling places will be identified with signs. Other polling places in the city include: First ward at Heritage Community Center, Second ward at Zion Lutheran church, Third ward at Skylite apartments, Fourth ward at Seventh-day Adventist Church; and Fifth ward at Redeemer Lutheran church.

Polling times for the school district 564 school board election will be the same, except for the polling places and times for rural districts. Rural voters can vote in St. Hilaire and at Franklin Middle school from 5 to 8 p.m.

Voter turnout might have been low, were it not for the special levy referendum. All candidates running for office are incumbents running unopposed.

The notice of special election reads: "The Board of Independent School District 564, Thief River Falls, has proposed to increase its general education revenue by $281.24 per actual pupil unit. The additional revenue will be used to finance school operations and the property tax portion thereof will require an estimated referendum tax rate of approximately 0.0546 per cent of the referendum market value of all taxable property in the district for taxes payable in 1996, the first year it is to be levied. The referendum revenue authorization would be applicable for 10 years unless otherwise revoked or reduced as provided by law."

The issue presented to voters will include boxes for yes and no, and will simply read, "Shall the increase in the revenue proposed by the board of Independent school district 564 be approved?" "By voting 'yes' on this ballot question, you are voting for a property tax increase."

In Thief River Falls, there will be five positions on the ballot, including Mayor, first ward alderman, third ward alderman, fifth ward alderman, and one alderman at large position. All positions will be for four year terms, except the Mayor's term, which is for two years.

Individuals currently holding those positions include: Robert Reeve as Mayor, Milt Burstad as the first ward alderman, Dale Wennberg as the third ward alderman, Frank Hamerlinck as the fifth ward alderman, and Jean Heinrichs in the alderman at large position.

Three positions on the board for School District 564 will be on the ballot. Each term will be for three years each. The positions are currently held by Darla Twomey, Carl Clark, and Dennis Kiesow.

Voters are encouraged to get out and vote on Tuesday, November 7.

Polling places and schedule are listed in the story above

Five city officers are seeking reelection

Robert Reeve
for Mayor

For the past four years I have been privileged to serve as Mayor of the City of Thief River Falls. Those years have been a challenging and for the most part an enjoyable experience. This has been aided in great measure by the continued support evidenced by most segments of the community. It is for those reasons, as well as a strong desire to see through to completion a number of important activities and projects, that I am seeking re-election.

Thief River Falls has been home to my family, which consists of my wife JoAnn, daughter Linda and son David, since the summer of 1963. Linda is married and lives with her family in Bismarck, ND, and is employed as a medical technologist at a Bismarck hospital. David is married and lives with his family in Papillion, NE. He is presently employed by a brokerage firm in Omaha, NE.

From July 1963 until July 1983, I was employed by Independent School District 564 serving first as a counselor at Lincoln high school and from 1970 until 1983 as counselor and coordinator of student services at the local technical college.

Jean Heinrichs
Alderman at Large

I have enjoyed the four and one-half years that I have served on the city council and look forward to the challenges of the future.

Thank you to The Times for providing this opportunity to communicate to the residents of Thief River Falls my determination to do the best job possible for our city.

Currently I serve on the utilities committee and the administrative services committee. I have chaired the labor sub-committee in negotiating contracts with the unions for 1995 and 1996. As chair of the city's strategic planning steering committee, I see consensus from city staff and community members in the goals set for the direction of city operations in services, transportation, communication, infrastructure, recreational/educational opportunities, and business development.

My appointment to the executive committee of the Coalition of Greater Minnesota Cities will enable me to address tax, environmental and annexation issues for cities outside the metro area. Communication of all viewpoints on issues is welcome.

My educational qualifications include a B.A. (Bachelor of Arts)

Milt Burstad
First Ward Alderman

My name is Milt Burstad; I live at 1210 Centennial Drive. I am your Ward I Alderman, having served in this capacity on the city council for two terms of four years each.

I am a lifelong resident of the area, retired from MNDOT with 38 years of work experience in all phases of state highway systems, covering design, state and city splits of construction, sewer, bridge, asphalt, grading, labor negotiations and financial review.

My agenda when first elected was improvement of streets in the Rustad addition, street lighting, sidewalk replacement, river improvements and general involvement in city decision making.

My decision to seek election to another term was arrived at after much discussion with my family, after reviewing the new projects coming up in the city and the Centennial plans for 1996, the depot

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Dale Wennberg
Third Ward Alderman

My name is Dale Wennberg and I am a candidate for the Third Ward alderman. Although I am running unopposed, I encourage everyone to exercise their privilege and vote. I want to thank The Times for the opportunity to express my views to the voters of the third ward.

My wife Linda and I have lived on Oakland Park road since 1965 and we both graduated from Lincoln high school. Linda is employed by Northwest Medical Center and I am president of Wennbergs, Inc. We have two grown children. Paul and his wife Julie and son, Erik Carl, who live in Rochester, and Karin and her husband Randy Sykes and their son, Adam Wennberg, who live in Decatur, IL.

I have been on the city council for 11 years and have served on utilities, park and recreation, public safety and public works committees. I am presently chairman of

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Frank Hamerlinck
Fifth Ward Alderman

I appreciate this opportunity afforded me by The Times to express to you some of my thoughts and reasons for running for re-election as Fifth Ward Alderman to the city council.

My wife Jeanette and I have lived in this community for 37 years and in the fifth ward for 24 years. Over this period of time we have been active in many community organizations and functions. I retired from the school district after 31 years as a teacher and administrator.

I have served on the city council for four years and am currently chair of the utilities committee, a member of the administrative services committee and its labor subcommittee. I am also the council liaison to the Chamber of Commerce executive board and the Thief River Falls library board. I am a past member of the public works committee. This involve-

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Three seek school posts

Three-year-old Donny Burns Jr., son of Donny and Tommy Burns of rural Red Lake Falls, plays with his mom at the Family School which recently began at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls. The school allows parents to work on their own education while their children learn in the ECFE or Head Start areas of the building.

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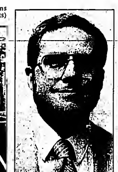

Carl Clark
S.D. 564 Board Member

I'm Carl Clark, a candidate for School District 564 board of education. My wife Jamie and I reside in rural Thief River Falls with our four children, Joshua, Amanda, Melissa, and Benjamin. I'm employed by Brodin Sheet Metal, Inc.

I'm currently serving my sixth year on the school board. My areas of involvement have included, community education committee, finance committee, negotiating committees, board treasurer, and currently vice-chairman.

I have stated before and firmly believe that we have the best school district in the state. Our students have many opportunities to receive the very best education and I encourage them to take advantage of it. Advanced placement classes, Tech-Prep, Magnet Arts, are enhancements to a very solid core curriculum offered at Lincoln high school. The exploratory programs

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Dennis O. Kiesow
S.D. 564 Board Member

I thank The Times for the opportunity to address the public and talk a little about myself. I have served on the school board for nine years and am currently the chairman of the board. It is enjoyable being part of the improvements that have taken place in the education in the Thief River Falls school district over the years.

I have been married to Sue for 27 years and have raised three children in the Thief River Falls school system. Sue works at Twice But Nice as a retail sales clerk. I am the investigator for the Thief River Falls police department and have worked there for 24 years.

The last nine years on the school board have been rewarding because of the improvements made in the education for our children. The Magnet Arts Program was started to serve the congressional district by educating talented students in the arts. Tech Prep has been imple-

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Darla Twomey
S.D. 564 School Board

Serving on the Thief River Falls School board these past six years has been an enlightening and challenging learning experience for me. It reinforces my belief that education is a lifetime process and doesn't occur only when you're enrolled in formal schooling.

The development and expansion of programs that has happened these past years has been very exciting, rewarding, and sometimes overwhelming. First of all, the bond issue that allowed us to economize on operations, also gave us the facilities to enhance the opportunities for learning that our children have. Computer labs, resource centers, state-of-the-art libraries, as well as learning environments where classes can be divided evenly and learning can occur with peers and teachers working and sharing together, are excellent examples of how education is moving in today's world.

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Applying anhydrous ammonia in the fall always creates questions

It's always a struggle in the fall to determine how soon to begin applying anhydrous ammonia. Start too early and the anhydrous will convert to leachable nitrates and you could lose some. Wait too long and you may not get it on at all, depending on what the weather does. To understand the problem one needs to understand soil chemistry just a bit.

When soil particles are both positively and negatively charged, they tend to have many more negative charges. When anhydrous ammonia is applied to the soil it's applied as NH_3, a gas under pressure. When it hits the soil it immediately draws the hydrogen molecules off the water in the soil and becomes NH_4. This NH_4 or ammonium has a positive charge and since opposites attract, the soil holds it in place and it will not leach or denitrify.

But when temperatures are too warm (that is about 50 degree for extended periods of time) soil microorganisms begin to grow and feed on the ammonia, converting it to NO_3 or nitrate nitrogen. This is not bad in itself, since plants prefer to take nitrogen up in this form. However NO_3 has a negative charge and since like charges repel each other now the soil that was holding nitrogen in place has let it go. Excessive rain can now leach nitrogen down in the soil below the root zone, or, if the soil becomes too saturated, it may result in denitrification. De-nitrification is caused by anaerobic soil organisms that don't need air to breath. Instead they can oxygen molecules right off the NO_3, leaving just NO_2. NO_2 exists as a gas and escapes the soil. Nitrogen just floats off into the air and is lost.

The trick to all this is to apply anhydrous after the soil temperatures are below 50 degrees when all the soil organisms are too cold to reproduce. Under these conditions, the NH_4 stays as ammonium and won't move in the soil. The other trick is the get the anhydrous on the field before the weather is poor.

As a general rule, the last half of October is pretty safe. If there are a lot of acres to cover and time is critical take a chance and put it on early if needed. The warmer the soil the faster the conversion to nitrate nitrogen. However, remember that soil [illegible] to an average [illegible]. Soil temperature may go over 50 degrees for a short time during the day but quickly falls again as evening approaches. While there may be some conversion under these conditions it's going to be minimal and diminish further as the days get shorter and cooler still.

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Family School for parents, children

Family School at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls is an effort to prove that it is never too early nor too late to benefit from formal education.

The venture is a cooperative exercise of Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE), Head Start program operated through Inter-County Community Council and Northwest Service Cooperative Adult Basic Education.

Family School is for parents who meet the following requirements:

• Have not yet completed high school;
• Wish to improve their reading, writing or math skills;
• Live in the Thief River Falls area;
• Have children from birth to kindergarten age;
•Wish to work toward a GED (high school equivalency) certificate; and
• Wish to participate in their children's education.

Individual tutoring and transportation may be available if arrangements can be made.

The program involves weekly classes on Tuesdays from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Challenger Elementary and Preschool. It offers a noon lunch for participating parents and children, a time for interactive play and parenting instruction with parents and children together, then a study time for parents while children participate with other groups and classes.

All services are provided free of charge to the participants and there is room for more to take advantage of the study time in Adult Basic Education while children are learning in the preschool setting. So far classes have been in session for about a month and additional participants can be added at any time.

"The parents who come to Family School are very concerned about their ability to support growing children through the homework and academics that are required as part of their children's elementary and secondary education," states Joyce Froschheiser, coordinator of the ECFE program at Challenger.

"Some parents in Family School do not have a high school diploma themselves and they clearly want something better for their children."

"We start with parent and child activities," notes Lyn Turenne, an instructor in Adult Basic Education with the Northwest Service Cooperative (formerly NWECSU).

"As the children continue with educational activities, parents begin an adult education group session and then receive individual help and instruction. Parents study to achieve improved reading, writing and math skills and work on personal goals which can eventually include a GED certificate."

Mrs. Froschheiser emphasizes that the services are available free of charge.

Working on their studies toward a high school equivalency (GED) certificate are these parents enrolled in the Family School at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls. With instructor Lyn Turenne (standing) are (left to right) Marilyn Bradshaw, rural Thief River Falls; Traci Devitt, Thief River Falls; and Tammy Burns, Red Lake Falls.

Traci Devitt and her three-year-old daughter Ronnie-Rosa participate in family activities in the Family School program now being offered at Challenger Elementary and Preschool.

"If we can improve the literacy and parenting skills of parents," she said, "we will directly affect the quality of life for their children. Family School opens new doors and new opportunities, and that is what National Family Literacy Day, being observed Wednesday, November 1, is all about."

For more information about Family School, visit the Early Childhood Family Education area at Challenger school or call 681-8670.

Travis Bradshaw, age three, shows his mother Merlyn how well he knows his colors in the pre-school area at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls.

Pennington board meets with Attorney General Humphrey

Public safety should be first, not dollars and cents, according to Minnesota Attorney General Hubert H. Humphrey, III.

Humphrey met with Pennington county commissioners Friday morning during a special session called by the board to address issues specifically with Attorney General Humphrey.

Commissioner Skip Swanson explained that five months ago the county had one public defender, they recently got a second defender and they just learned that a third public defender had been hired in the district. Swanson also explained that spending that kind of money on one side of the equation was unfair.

The result of hiring a third public defender has been to force the county to consider hiring a third prosecutor.

Commissioner Bob Carlson wanted to know how many public defenders there are per county in Minnesota. He asked whether the fact that Pennington county is one of the smaller counties, reflects badly on the county?

County Prosecutor Allen Rogalla said the public has been putting pressure on the county to get tougher with crime. Hiring a third public defender makes it much more difficult to prosecute because suddenly the public defender's office is more willing to take every case to trial.

As a result of nearly every case going to court, Police Chief Ken Froschheiser said he now has to have officers going to court everyday, which means lots of overtime.

Humphrey said that we're at the tail end of the problem when it reaches the courtroom. He said he sees what they're saying and explained that the state and federal government heard what the people were saying. Both responded resulting in a doubling up. In a sense, adding a public defender means an unfunded mandate.

The real question, he said, is to help resolve the problem of violence. If a case goes to court it will mean more dollars being spent and not necessarily solve the problem.

Commissioner Carlson asked what Humphrey's position was on curfew.

Humphrey said it has to be strong to be effective, but you have to have the manpower to enforce it. He said he believes it sends the right message.

Commissioner Bud Comstock said they he had recently moved to a new home and five months later learned that a convicted sex offender was living just down the street. He wanted to know whether the public has a right to know?

Humphrey said it was a very complex issue. He said New Jersey had experimented with a law requiring notification, and as a result they were not able to place any convicted sex offenders anywhere even though they had completed their sentence. "Right to know" depends when and under what circumstances.

Commissioner Carlson said survey after survey shows a public willing to spend money on prisons, what can't the state spend money for bricks and mortar?

Senator LeRoy Stumpf pointed the finger at a governor unwilling to allow the legislature to raise taxes. He explained that the legislature did pass a bonding bill that includes up to $60 million for prison facilities.

Humphrey said 42 of 52 states were under some form of federal court order relating to prison capacity, requiring early release for some prisoners. Minnesota is still not under such a court order. He also said that he had never heard one person say "we're spending too much money on prisons." But, he said, we're still not solving the problem.

Humphrey said "we need to speak bluntly. We need to do the right thing." He asked the county board to write a letter that specifically addresses their concerns. He said it will help him when he brings it to legislators.

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Community Focus

Blood Drive p.7
The VFW and Auxiliary are sponsoring a blood drive on November 21 and 22.

On Saturday, October 21, the Red River Valley Horse Breeders, Inc. honored Anita Cardinal, of Thief River Falls, with Horsewoman of the Year at the 31st Great Midwest International Horse Show. Horseman of the Year is Mack McEwen of Emerado, ND, a man Anita has respected for many years.

Anita Cardinal honored as Horsewoman of the Year

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

Anita Cardinal loves horses. When she is not working at Inter-County Nursing Services where she is a public nurse, she can usually be found working with horses or reading about horses or organizing a horse show. In recognition for her contributions to the sport of horse showing, Anita was recently named Horsewoman of the Year at the Great Midwest International Horse Show in Crookston. Anita said the award is such a thrill in part because of the people who have received the award in the past. Former recipients of the award have been judges and other people she has admired in the world of horse showing.

Anita's love of horses started when she was young. Both of her parents were horse lovers too. They bought her first horse in 1959. Two years later, in 1961 they bought four-month-old Bridget, who became very special to Anita. Anita and Bridget spent a lot of time together, and to this day, Anita's childhood neighbors say they remember watching Anita ride Bridget in the family's field.

Anita's parents also had a team of ponies, Buck and Buttons. Some of Anita's fondest memories are of the parades in which she would ride Bridget and her father would drive the pony team.

"I have so many good memories of horses. And sad ones," said Anita. "They don't live forever. You want them to stay with you forever, but they can't."

As Anita grew older, she started showing her horses at 4-H and open shows. In the early 1970's, she aquired a horse that was born in 1972. She showed the horse as both a yearling and a two year old, and both years she won a trip to the State Fair. In 1973 she also served as the Thief River Falls Saddle Club Queen. When Anita was younger, she was gone almost every weekend at a horse show. Luckily, her parents were very supportive of her interest in horses and showing.

When Anita graduated from 4-H, she decided to give something back to the organization that had given her so much. So Anita began judging at shows. She says she learned so much from 4-H that she wanted a chance to share what she learned with the younger generation.

In 1985 Terry Courneya nominated Anita to represent the state of Minnesota at the National 4-H Horse Forum. There Anita met people from all over the country who share her passion for horses. That was 10 years ago. Today Anita still keeps in touch with friends she met at the forum.

Friendships are another special part of horse shows. When the horse owners get together at the fair, they love to sit and talk about the horses they have now, and the ones they had as children, and what their dreams are for the future.

Since 1991 Anita has been superintendent of horses for the Pennington County Fair Association. As superintendent, she asked the board to support construction of a new horse building and played an active role in the design and construction process of the new building. The number of horse entries has almost doubled since Anita became superintendent of horses. In 1991 there were 56 horses entered at the fair. This year there were 101 entries. As superintendent Anita has come to know many of the families and horses at Penninton county's fair. Some participants have already made reservations for next year. When Anita asked the participants why they come to the fair in Thief River Falls, they replied, "Because it's fun." Anyone who has ever been by the horse building during the fair has probably seen the participants and their families sitting on lawn chairs and sharing horse stories. She points out that participants are eager to answer any questions that fair goers may have.

A dream of Anita's for many years has been to bring back the open shows that were such a source of fun and learning when Anita was younger. Although when she was in 4-H, there were shows nearly every weekend, the number of show in the area has decrease over the years. With the support of the fair association, Anita has worked to increase the number of open shows to include three shows in Thief River Falls and an end of the year circuit high point award system.

No one can run a show by herself and Anita credits her husband Bob and her friends for helping her. They help with the announcing and handing out ribbons and whatever else they can. Although Bob is not much of a horse person himself, Anita says he is the greatest worker when it comes to the horse shows she organizes.

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Giddyup! Andrew Cardinal is all smiles as his mom and dad, Anita and Bob Cardinal, hand him the reigns. Andrew's mom was recently named Horsewoman of the Year and it seems that the love of horses runs in the family.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.
Library Storytime at 11:15 at the TRF Library.
All Saints' Day service at the United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome.
Academic Boosters to meet at Evergreen Eating Emporium. Everyone welcome.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club, Rick Nelson, NCTC Athletic Director and Jim Sims, LHS Activity Director.
Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m.
Senior High Concert at Greenbush.
Storytelling program at the TRF Public Library at 7 p.m. Free admission and open to the public.

Friday

Crookston Squareuaders dance at Lincolo School in Crookston at 8 p.m.

Saturday

St. Joseph's Hunter's Supper at the American Legion from 5-8 p.m.

Sunday

Benefit Fish Supper for Joshua Johnson at Grygla Community Center at 4 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.
MCC Boosters Fall Potluck and Awards Night.
Senior Meal at the Heritage Center is roast pork dinner at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
American Legion Auxiliary meeting at 7:30 p.m.
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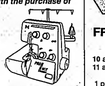

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Cardinal named Horsewoman of the Year

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Although Anita has not shown any horses in the last few years, she still enjoys them. She still has the pony she took to the fair in the early 1970's and Beau, an 18-year-old horse Anita describes as "a kindly old gentleman." She also has a young horse she is training named Doll.

Anita is also working a team of ponies. A ride in the buggy is something the family can do together, and Anita and Bob are building a sleigh for winter rides.

Their son Andrew, age three, has been around horses all his life. He was first set on a horse when he was about a year old, and he loves to ride, especially old Beau. He also loves to "help" bale hay and feed the horses. Anita plans to nurture and support his love of horses, but says if his interest in horses does not continue she will have to accept it.

"I hope," says Anita, "he can have as much enjoyment out of horses as I have."

Zion Leisure Fellowship to meet

Zion Leisure Fellowship will meet at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 1. The program will be by Heidi Hoks.

Fall birthdays celebrated at Riverside Terrace

September and October birthdays were celebrated at a party on October 25 at the Riverside Terrace.

September birthdays were Ryan Olson, 13, Esther Rollinger 15, Thelma Driscoll, 16, Maurice Reopelle, 21.

October birthdays were Milly Matheson, 3, Berniee Vatsaas, 4, Aloise Smith, 5, Elizabeth Nelson, 8, Mae Alby, 14, Kathryn Nelson, 22, Evelyn Hovet, 23, Oladys Offerdahl, 31.

Entertainment was provided by Charles Josephson.

Gottsman to wed Smith

Janelle Gottsman and Richard Smith are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Barry and DeAnn Gottsman of Detroit Lakes. She is a 1990 graduate of Detroit Lakes Senior High School and a 1994 graduate of St. Cloud State University. She is employed at Carlson Companies Inc., Plymouth.

Her fiance is the son of Faye Emmons of Thief River Falls and Richard Armstrong of Bagley. He is a 1987 graduate of Lincoln High School, a 1991 graduate of Northland College and a 1995 graduate of St. Cloud St. University. He is employed at Washburn Child Guidance Center, Maple Grove.

A December 9 wedding is planned for Trinity Lutheran Church, Detroit Lakes, at 6:30 p.m. All friends and family are invited to attend.

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...Halloween Treats

It is Monday night and I've just spent most of my evening making treats for Halloween. Tomorrow night I will offer the little trick or treaters who stop at my house their choice of a home-made goodie or a little bitty boughten candy bar.

Do you know which treat most of the ghosts and goblins will choose? Yes, the candy bar, and all because some people have chosen to make Halloween a night of real danger instead of the fun it is supposed to be.

It has certainly taken all the fun out of it for me.

I used to love to make things for Halloween. Back in the olden days, when my older children were small (before the danger came) I would often bake and decorate cupcakes, make frosted pumpkin face cookies or fudge, or make krispie bars to give for treats. I think I did it because those were the things I enjoyed most when I was a kid.

I had an aunt who would always make home-made fudge for treats and it was delicious. She cut her pieces in at least three-inch squares and it was wonderful stuff. I always went to that aunt's house at Halloween and I think she inspired me to try to make something as good for the kids who come to my house at Halloween.

When I was of trick or treater age, we would go from house to house carrying a full-sized, clean pillowcase, up and down the blocks, as far as we could go until we got too tired to travel any more. It didn't matter if we stayed in our own neighborhood or not because there was always someone older with us and there wasn't any danger. We almost always came home with our pillowcases filled with good things.

Most of the treats were home-made back then. There were home- baked cookies and cakes, home-made fudge, popcorn balls, bags of popcorn, fresh fruits, caramel apples, little bags of peanuts, and all sorts of things. Some people didn't want to give out candy and would give us money, which was almost as good as a sweet treat.

But no one was afraid to take a treat because it wasn't wrapped, even from those people who we considered "crabby." The really crabby people would just turn off their lights and pretend they weren't home so the trick or treaters wouldn't come to their doors. Other crabby people would decide not to be so crabby that night and actually enjoy giving out treats and seeing all of the little ghosties come to their door.

Now Halloween has changed. No child dares even to taste a treat until he or she gets home and has it looked over by Mom or Dad. I remember looking over bags of candy when my youngest children were trick or treating, and discarding any candy that had an open wrapper or any home-made treat that they couldn't identify. What a shame!

One year I and my daughter really wanted to bake and decorate cupcakes for the kids. We tried to figure out a way that we could give the treats to the kids without the children or parents having to worry, so my daughter made up little paper tags that we gave with each cupcake. The tags gave our name, address and telephone number so that the parents would know just exactly where the cupcakes came from and not have to worry about them.

More recently, I have found that offering the children their choice of a home-made treat or a boughten one is easiest. If they choose the home-made treat, I make sure to tell them that they should remember where they got it so that when they get home they can explain to their parents that this treat isn't dangerous because it is just from that big grey house down the block where the lady with the cute little dog and all the big kids lives.

I just hope that not too many of my cookies or bars get thrown away this year.

Doggone I am mad that someone spoiled Halloween for me.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On October 25, a baby boy was born to Darren and Kim Panek of Thief River Falls. He has been named Blair Darren.

• On October 26, a baby girl was born to Mark and Kelly Koland of Karlstad. She has been named Morgan Joyce.

• On October 26, a baby boy was born to LeRoy Busse and Nicole Grove of Goodridge. He has been named Preston James Busse.

• On October 28, a baby boy was born to Chad and Jennifer Merrill of Middle River. He has been named Brody Robert.

• On October 28, a baby boy was born to Wade and Amy Grindeland. He has been named Chandler Alan.

Chris Beaucage receives Jack C. Wright Award

Chris Beaucage, a UND senior majoring in aerohautical studies, received the Jack C. Wright Award this fall.

This award was established by John S. Wright in recognition of his father's entrepreneurial spirit, and to reward innovation, creativity and initiative displayed by UND students in their pursuit of higher education.

Beaucage, Thief River Falls, is working toward becoming a professional pilot. He developed and runs a traveling summer gymnastics camp in northwestern Minnesota. The son of Adeline Beaucage of Woodville, OH, he is also serving as an apartment resident manager for the UND Housing Office.

Erickson to wed Hinrichs

Lisa Erickson and Rod Hinrichs are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Kathryn and Roger Erickson of Thief River Falls. She is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln High School and attended Bemidji State University. She is employed at Digi-Key.

The groom-to-be is the son of Darlene and Art Hinrichs of Thief River Falls. He is a 1987 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1990 graduate of Devry Institute of Technology with a degree in electronics. He is employed at Digi-Key.

A November 25 wedding is planned for the Evangelical Free Church at 6:30 p.m. with a reception to follow at the Eagle's Club. Friends and family are welcome to attend.

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Crossroads board of directors hold annual meeting

The Board of Directors of Crossroads Displaced Homemakers Program met for the annual meeting at noon on Thursday, September 7 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. Outgoing board members Karen Pietras, Rocky Ammerman, Eldonna Holte and Carol Borchert were recognized for their three years of service to the program. Incoming board members Trell Kelsch, Jill Fremling, Gayle Borchert, Alan Rogalla and Dennis Kuestrer were recognized and welcomed.

New officers were elected for fiscal year 1995-1996 and include: Chairperson, Terri Staples, Vice Chairperson Wayne Johaneson, Secretary Leann Stolaas and Treasurer Danica Robson.

Crossroads serves persons in transition seeking to become economically independent in northwestern Minnesota. This is the eleventh year that Crossroads has been in existence. Crossroads staff of three include Director Sue Dupree, Outreach Program coordinator June Gjovik and Bookkeeper/Program Coordinator Margaret Nelson.

Dr. Karen Pietras, right, outgoing chairperson of the Board of Directors of Crossroads Displaced Homemakers Program, hands the gavel to incoming chairperson Terri Staples, left, at the annual board meeting on September 7.

Tom and Kate Noel have a new baby boy

Tom and Kate Noel of Havre, MT are the parents of Trent Alan Noel born October 6.

Trent's grandparents are Mrs. Marjorie Carlson of Arizona, formerly of St. Hilaire and Mrs. Rose Noel of Montana.

Trent is welcomed home by his big brother Andy, age eight.

All Saints' Day service at United Methodist

There will be a special All Saints' Day service held at the United Methodist Church at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, November 1. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Open art room scheduled in Newfolden in November

Newfolden School District Community Education will sponsor an open art room Tuesdays, beginning November 14, from 7-9 p.m. in the MCC High School Art Room for individuals to work on art projects of their choice. The Open Art Room will continue for up to six evening meetings, depending on the project. Participants will be able to work on various art projects including drawing, watercolor, acrylic painting, ceramic sculpture, wheel work, printmaking, wood carving, folk art signs or sculpture, computer art work, black and white photography, etc. Instructor/facilitator for the sessions will be Pat Dunning. Costs to participants, including registration fee of $10 and a fee for materials used, are payable to MCC Community Education. Individuals interested in participating should pre-register by stopping at or calling the Newfolden Elementary School at 874-8805.

Hospital Auxiliary donates equipment, receives gifts

Two gifts were given from the auxiliary to the Physical Therapy Department at the hospital in memory of Ron Novak, a Cybex Rotary Torso and Plyo-Press Unit. Both pieces of equipment will be of great benefit to the Orthopedic and Sports Medicine caseloads.

A closeout of a checking account resulted in a check given to the auxiliary. A memorial check from Mrs. Lull was given to the auxiliary also.

The Teddy Bear Project had 13 auxiliary members turn out on October 9 to make teddy bears to be given out at the hospital.

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Rude and Wojchowski united in marriage on September 23

Karen Lynn Rude and Kris Gene Wojchowski were wed on September 23 at 6 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls with Pastor Gary Johnson presiding at the double ring ceremony.

Karen is the daughter of Rudy and Helen Rude of Thief River Falls. Kris is the son of Gene and Twyla Wojchowski of Greenbush.

Music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall, vocalist/guitarist Joel Rude and vocalist Candy Storhaug. Solos were "I Cross My Heart," "Keeper of the Stars," and "When You Say Nothing At All." Processionals were "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" and "The Bridal Chorus." Recessional was "Wedding March."

Readers were Kelsy Rude of Tucson, AZ and Todd Peterson of Thief River Falls. Candle lighters were Amanda Holtan of Newfolden and Kelsy Rude of Tucson, AZ. Program attendants were Tori and Brian Schindler of Thief River Falls. Gift Carriers were Aaron Holtan of Newfolden and Travis Johnson of Thief River Falls.

The church was decorated with pew candelabrum with purple ribbon, white and gold wedding banners, purple metallic pew bows and candelabrum with purple and white tapers and lily of the valley.

The bride wore a satin dress with v-neck, lace overlay bodice, fitted satin skirt, sleeves with satin at the top and fitted lace from the elbow to the wrist, a v-back and back bow. The dress, made by the mother of the bride, was accented with scalloped lace and sequins. It had a detachable train accented with scalloped lace and sequins. The bride's headpiece was made of white roses with white lily of the valley cascading down the sides.

The bride's cascading bouquet consisted of purple and white roses with lily of the valley and purple and white ribbon.

Serving as matrons of honor were Deb Holtan of Newfolden and Teresa Rude of Thief River Falls. Bridesmaids were Sue Rude, Stacy Hartman, Tracy Boman, all of Thief River Falls, and Amber Holtan of Newfolden.

The bride's attendants wore black chiffon, tea length dresses with butterfly sleeves, V-neck with purple accent and black rose at the base of the neckline. They carried globe candle holders with six inch purple taper candles and purple and white ribbons.

The miniature bride was Brittney Holter of Thief River Falls. She carried a bouquet to match the bride's and wore a dress of white satin with sequins, pearls and lace, a back bow and a train. The flower girls was Stephanie Erickson of East Grand Forks. She wore a pink and white and green flowered dress with lace collar. She carried a white basket with purple rose petals.

The bride's personal attendant was Sandee Dierrsen of Tucson, AZ.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with tails, a white vest and tie. His boutonniere was a purple rose with two white sweetheart roses.

The best men were Kurt Wojchowski of Greenbush and Joel Rude of Thief River Falls. Groomsmen were Jim Rude and Fred Hartman of Thief River Falls, Dale Holtan of Newfolden and Ryan Rude of Thief River Falls.

The men wore black tuxedos with tails and black and purple paisley vests and ties. Their boutonnieres consisted of a purple rose and two white sweetheart roses.

The miniature grooms were Tyler Rude of Thief River Falls and TeJay Wojchowski of Greenbush. They wore black tuxedos with black cummerbunds and ties. Their boutonnieres had a purple rose and one white sweetheart rose.

The groom's personal attendant was Aaron Holtan of Newfolden.

Ushers were Mark Amundson, Kent Wagner, Travis Swanson and Dan Olson, all of Thief River Falls. They wore black tuxedos with tails and black and silver paisley vests and ties. They wore boutonnieres with one purple rose and two white sweetheart roses.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride chose a two piece purple suit with a purple satin blouse. The mother of the groom wore a purple satin dress with purple and gold lace overlay. The mothers wore corsages with a purple rose, white sweetheart rose, lily of the valley and purple and white ribbon.

The father of the bride wore a western suit with waist length jacket, pinstriped with embroidered front and back yoke. The father of the groom wore a black tuxedo with tails and black and silver paisley vest and tie. The fathers wore boutonnieres with a purple rose and two white sweetheart roses.

Grandparents of the couple are Inga Hendrickson of Thief River Falls, grandmother of the bride, Selma Melby of Greenbush and Rose and Walter Wojchowski, all grandparents of the groom. Godparents of the couple are Gordy and Sandy Hendrickson of Goodridge, godparents of the bride and Ken Wojciehowski of Roseau and Mary Secor of Fridley, godparents of the groom.

Honored guests were Sandee Dierssen of Tucson, AZ, Kelsy Rude of Tucson, AZ, Chuck and Clarice Olson of Renton, WA and Joe Rude of Billings, MT.

The reception was held at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls. Hosts and hostesses of the reception were Lisa and Loren Pittman and Shari and Darren Holter. Guest book attendant was Krissy Johnson.

The cake had three-tiered heart-shaped cakes with lily of the valley, purple votive candles and clear white lights accenting bride and groom bear center pieces. Cake cutters were Esther Collins and Vivian Kees of Thief River Falls and Joyce Nelson of Wannaska. Punch servers were Tara, Tanya and Trisha Nelson of Wannaska.

After a wedding trip to Duluth, the couple is at home in Thief River Falls. The bride is a 1988 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1990 graduate of Northwest Technical College. She is employed at Arctco, Inc. and Evergreen Eating Emporium. The groom is a 1987 graduate of Greenbush High School and a 1995 graduate of Northwest Technical College. He is employed at Arctco, Inc.

Legion Auxiliary to meet

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet November 7 at 7:30 p.m. Members are encouraged to please attend and help support the program.

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Library program to explore the cultures of Minnesota

"Minnesota's Roots In Tale: Bridging the Distance Between Cultures," a storytelling program featuring folklore of the various ethnic groups that have moved to Minnesota, will be presented by Dr. Mary Helen Pelton on November 2 at 7 p.m. at the TRF Public Library. There is no admission for the program and everyone is invited to attend. Funding for the program has been provided by the National Endowment for the Humanities through the Minnesota Center for the Book. The TRF Friends of the Library are co-sponsoring this event and will be providing refreshments.

A general follow-up discussion group will be held at the library on November 9 at 7 p.m. to discuss the broader issue of cultural uprootedness in Minnesota. Similar discussion circles within existing groups have already formed, but this group will be open to anyone who would like to participate in the discussion.

Dr. Mary Helen Pelton is a nationally known storyteller who has performed and presented workshops on storytelling and teaching throughout the country. She has written four books — Reading Is Not a Spectator Sport, Adult Learners on Campus, Tlingit Tale: Stories of the Indians of Southeast Alaska and Every Child a Storyteller — and has recorded two tapes and has authored journal articles. She has been a national keynote speaker on such issues as reading and storytelling, and has been a state keynote speaker on such issues as leadership, storytelling and teaching. Dr. Pelton's background includes being an elementary and title teacher, superintendent of schools and assistant director of the Center of Rural Health at the University of North Dakota medical Center. Currently, Dr. Pelton wears many hats: she is one of three academic coordinators for the North Dakota Statewide Distance Education Technology System; she is an assistant adjunct professor in Educational Administration at the University of North Dakota; she is also Assistant Dean of Continuing Education and Co-director of Academic Programs at the University of North Dakota. Her education includes a bachelor's degree from Emory University, a Master's degree from Denver University, a doctorate from Denver University and post doctoral studies at Harvard University.

This program is part of a series called "Minnesota Community Conversations" which is sponsored by the Minnesota Center for the Book in seven Minnesota communities, Thief River Falls, Madelia, Maple Grove, Minneapolis, Red Wing, St. Paul and Winona. Over the next nine months, residents in these communities will have the opportunity to attend four different forums and then smaller discussion groups (or conversation/study groups). All of these will be free and open to the public. This process seeks to connect the broad themes of uprooted communities /cultural uprootedness, learning communities and vocal communities to personal and community experiences in Minnesota. The conversations will draw on historical, literary and biographical works by and about Minnesotans, as well as presentations by scholars. This project is made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities as part of the "National Conversations on American Pluralism and Identity." The Minnesota Center of the Book was one of just six organizations nationwide to receive funding in the first round of grants awarded by the NEH for this new program, which seeks to bring a diverse range of people together for "conversation, informed by scholarship, about the nature of American pluralism and identity."

For more information, please contact the Thief River Falls Public Library at 101 East First Street, Thief River Falls (681-4325); TRF-CIRC@northernlights.lib.mn.us.

Holt Keenagers will meet November 10

The Holt Keenagers will meet Friday, November 10 at the Holt Community Center with a potluck Thanksgiving dinner at noon.

November birthdays will be celebrated with cake and ice cream.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

The Short Of It

My two sisters and I share the same affliction. The diagnosis is apparent, if you've seen my parents and their parents and their parents' parents. We're all vertically challenged. We're short. We have short ankles. Our knees are too close to the ground.

Our family gatherings could be mistaken for the Society of Short People Convention.

Not one of us, in a long line of Chadwicks and Aanaloras and various other names, has ever become a professional basketball player or has even been able to say they've topped 5 feet 11 inches. But all of us can safely say that we've heard every short joke in every short joke book.

For those of you who aren't familiar with this affliction, there are many drawbacks to being vertically challenged.

School can be a very difficult place if you're vertically challenged. A teacher asks you to stand, but you're already standing. You need to carry a portable stool so you can reach the top shelf of your locker and the drinking fountain. And you always have to sit in the front row so you're able to see the teacher and the chalkboard.

Sports always presented my sisters and I with problems. In track, the only event we qualified for was long-distance running – for our sturdy, but squat legs. Hurdles were definitely out of the question. In basketball, we might have been able to be the water girl, but certainly not the center. The same applied in volleyball. I suppose if our school offered wrestling to girls, we would have excelled at it.

Clothes shopping can be interesting if you're vertically challenged. If an item needs to be hemmed, there's almost enough material left over to make another pair of pants. And those pedal pusher pants, meant to reach others just below the knee, fit people like us perfectly.

We face all sorts of challenges. My sister was told she was too short to be a smoke jumper and I was too short to be a flight attendant (stewardess at that time).

My family was always visible in the front row at church. (That means we couldn't goof around.) Mom had to be able to see. And when taking a group photograph, the short people always have to stand in front.

I could go on about the dilemmas that vertically challenged people weather. But here's how you can tell if you're vertically challenged.

You could be vertically challenged if:

- Men and tall women mistake you for a pedestal or something similar and think it's funny when they use your head for an arm rest.
- You answer to shorty, peewee, short stuff, squirt, pint, smurf, sprout and a variety of other misnomers instead of your God-given name.
- You need to sit on a pillow or the Minneapolis Yellow Pages to see over the steering wheel while you're driving.
- Your child is taller than you, and he's only 7 years old.
- You don't meet the height requirements on carnival rides.
- You can get into a movie for child admission rates.
- Your Christmas list each year contains a wish for longer limbs.
- When walking with a tall person, you have to jog alongside just to keep up.
- You get a neckache dancing with a longer legged individual.
- You can sleep stretched out in two bus seats and still have space to spare.

My sisters and I, and a host of other vertically challenged people, will deal with being short every day for the rest of our lives. But at least we can sit in the backseat of a car and not have to eat our knees.

Westrups have a new baby girl

Joe and Cindy (Altepeter) Westrup of Roseville are the parents of a baby girl. Veronica Lee Westrup was born October 10 at 2:35 a.m. weighing six pounds, six ounces and measuring 19 and one half inches.

ON THE OTHER HAND

Tauscha Nyland
Lincoln High School

It is time once again to drag out Halloween paint and costumes. Witch's night has finally arrived. Little kids are ready to drag their parents out into the cool autumn night.

Halloween is one of my favorite times of the year. It's the one night we can dress-up as anything we want and people won't wonder if we've escaped from a mental institution.

As a kid, it was not just a time to throw on a mask but get FREE CANDY. I would always imagine how big my pumpkin head would get with candy. It was also a time to listen to mom preaching about not accepting apples or cookies. That always blew my mind hearing the words "Remember, no apples or cookies" coming from my mom's mouth. I mean, just about all of us have grown up knowing that we are supposed to eat apples because they're healthy. But Halloween always threw in the twist of having our parents tell us not to accept them. I asked my mom one time, and she said, "There might be razor blades or pins in them." I still think that's pretty low for someone to do that to kids.

When eight o'clock rolled around, I would pester my mom telling her it was time to go. After bugging her for a good half hour, she would finally give in. We would pile into the car and head out into the dark, scary night. Armed with my Glo-Stix in one hand and my mom's hand in the other, we would trudge through the leaves up to every doorstep and ring the doorbell.

Every Halloween I would hear kids say the same Trick-O-Treat verse around school: "Trick or Treat, smell my feet, give me something good to eat, if you don't, I don't care, I'll pull down your underwear!" But, I never heard one kid actually do that. I could never even say it because I thought the person would get mad at me and take all my candy. Now that I think about it, that was a pretty stupid thought.

Every year I would go to the same haunted house, and I loved it because it scared me. It would be pitch black inside and out, but there would be a single Jack-o-Lantern glowing. After I would ring the doorbell, the door would slowly open up, and I could hear wolves howling, moaning, and a witch's cackle. Spider webs were hanging from the ceiling. The person that lived there would come out dressed like a wolf. When I was a little kid, listening to those sounds and then seeing a wolf pretty much sacred the pants off me.

I remember dressing up as a whole bunch of different things. My costumes went from vampiress to Smurfette to punk. The one thing that I hated about the vampiress costume were the fangs. When I would wear them, there always seemed to be a piece of plastic that jabbed the inside of my mouth. That was not the only thing about them that drove me nuts. Every time I would try and say anything, they would fall out. Then I would hate to put them in again because they were always full of spit. When you would wear those fangs, you could never control your saliva.

Halloween still puts the same excitement in my veins. Come Halloween, I may not be wearing a mask, but I'll be having as much fun as I can.

Benefit supper for boy with cancer

Aldon and Audrey Johnson, the grandparents of Joshua Johnson, are organizing a fish supper at the Grygla Community Center on Sunday, November 5 at 4 p.m.

The funds raised will help Joshua, a thirteen-year-old cancer patient, fulfill his dream of going to Disney World.

Rebecca Aamot of Apple Valley and Bruce Brown of Savage were united in marriage on July 29 at Murphy's Landing Church in Shakopee. Parents of the couple are Lloyd and Joyce Olson of Lakeville, formerly of Thief River Falls. The groom is the son of Arliene Brown of Thief River Falls and the late Frank Brown. The bride teaches high school at Eden Prairie and the groom is a production planner for Northwest Airlines. Both are graduates of Lincoln High School. The couple is at home in Apple Valley.

Alvin Rondorf, treasurer and secretary of AAL Branch 9813, presented a donation of $1,400 to Martha Wissmann from Northland Community Hospice. These funds along with $500 from the Black River Church provide the matching funds raised at the Fifth Annual Spaghetti Dinner held at Redeemer Lutheran church on October 2, and a $700 match from AAL Branch 9813. The funds benefit the non-profit hospice care agency and will be used to cover care not reimbursed by insurance. Colleen Holen is District Representative of AAL Branch 9813.

First Aid class offered in Newfolden on November 28

A class in First Aid will be presented at the Newfolden Elementary School in Newfolden from 6-10 p.m. on Tuesday, November 28. The Red Cross First-Aid Class, sponsored by ISD #441 Community Education, will cover minor injuries, treatment of shock and treatment of breaks and bruises. CPR will not be covered. The class, which will be taught by John Wetterlund will have a maximum number of 15 participants. Cost of registration is $15 payable to MCC Community Education. Individuals interested in taking the class should pre-register by stopping by or calling the Newfolden Elementary School at 874-8805.

Cancer Society holds Reach-to-Recovery seminar

The American Cancer Society conducted a Reach-to-Recovery Training and Recertification Seminar at Northwest Medical Center on October 16 with Mary Theurer of Staples as the State Trainer.

Attending for certification were Vern Larson, Darlene Morken and Elaine Kobbervig of Climax, Janet Larson, Nielsville and Doris Davis of Crookston. Attending for recertification were Kelsey Brauer and Marlys Oien of Fertile, Sue Lisell of Roseau, Geri Nicnow of Bagley and Marie Engen and Vivian Brekke of Pennington County.

Baby shower for Connie Wold Stinar & Michaela

A baby shower for Connie Wold Stinar and Michaela will be held at the Goodridge Senior Center, Saturday, November 4 at 2 p.m. No invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives invited.

VFW Post, Auxiliary plans for blood drive

Post 2793 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliary will sponsor a blood drive November 21 from 1 to 7 p.m. and November 22 from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

This drive is considered special because it comes right before the Thanksgiving holiday.

"Blood drives held around holidays are especially important," notes Rhonda Ellefson of United Blood Services in Fargo, ND. "Because United Blood services' blood drive schedule is often reduced over a major holiday, an additional supply of blood is needed to meet patient demand.

Platelets are a special blood component that enables blood to clot, which are needed each day by area cancer patients and traumatic surgeries. But platelets can only be kept for five days, so they can't be made in advance and saved for a holiday. That's another reason the VFW drive is so important—to help ensure an adequate platelet supply."

"Many people think someone else will donate so they don't need to give blood," notes Lorraine Morken who is handling registration for the November 21 and 22 drive. "But all donors are needed and I encourage everyone to call 681-2829 and schedule an appointment."

Donors must bring identification which includes their legal name plus one of the following: Date of birth, social security number, United Blood services assigned donor number or photo.

Chess tournament in Crookston

A chess tournament to celebrate Jose Capablanca's birthday will be held at the Northland Inn, Highway 75 North, Crookston on Saturday and Sunday, November 3 and 4. The entry fee is $20 with $600 in prizes guaranteed.

To register call John Winters at 1-800-568-4476. The entry fee for early registration is only $15. Registration on Saturday ($20) immediately before the tournament starts is at the Northland Inn from 9:15 to 9:30 a.m. The first round starts at 9:45 a.m. The tournament is sponsored by the Elm Street Inn, RBJ's Restaurant and Lutheran Brotherhood's West Polk County Branch 8679.

Aakhus ends training at army school

Army National Guard Pfc. Jeffrey Aakhus, son of Paul and Beverly Aakhus of Brooks and a 1995 graduate of Pershing high school in Plummer, has completed training at the U.S. Army Infantry School at Fort Benning near Columbus, GA.

During the course, students received training which qualified them as light-weapons infantrymen and as indirect-fire crewmen in a rifle or mortar squad.

Instruction included weapons qualifications, tactics, patrolling, land mine warfare, field communications and combat operations.

THANK YOU

Thanks to my friends and family for cards, letters, flowers, gifts, and especially your prayers during my recent illness. All your acts of kindness were greatly appreciated.

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Raymond W. Becklund, 61
Alice Tangquist Swanson, 82
Diana Amiot Landecena, 94

Daniel Bruggeman, 48

Thief River Falls — Daniel Bruggeman, 48, died on Saturday, October 28 upon arrival at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mass of Christian burial will be on Wednesday, November 1 at 1:30 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church with Fathers Joe DeCrans, Tim Bushy and Duane Pribula officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to services. Special music will be provided by organist Carol Amundson, cantors Greg Pribula and Darryl Tveitbakk and the Resurrection Choir.

Casketbearers will be James Hulteen, Anton Rader, Robert Rausch, Ray Paulson, John Wolbeck, Roger Amundson, Scott Rand. Honorary casketbearers are all of Dan's friends and family. Interment will be in St. Josephs Cemetery, rural Brooks with arrangements by Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls.

Daniel Bruggeman was born on January 3, 1947 in Thief River Falls, the son of Lloyde and Ruby (Kortum) Bruggeman. He was baptized ad confirmed in the Catholic faith and attended school in Brooks and Plummer, graduating in 1965.

After graduation he enlisted in the United States Air Force and served for three and one half years. Daniel was honorably discharged in December of 1968. Following military service, he worked for the State of Minnesota in Duluth and transferred to Thief River Falls as a radio technician.

Daniel was united in marriage to Mary Vollmer on August 4, 1978 in Bayport at St. Charles Catholic Church. The couple made their home in Thief River Falls.

Daniel was a member of the St. Bernard's Catholic Church where he was active in many activities including the Knights of Columbus having served as a past Grand Knight and as an usher. He was a member of the American Legion, Blue Line Club and Sportsman's Club. Dan enjoyed football, hockey, hunting, reading and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his wife Mary; children, Robert, Los Angeles, CA, Christopher, Paul, Joanna, Therese, Laura, Rachel, Eva, April, all of Thief River Falls; mother Ruby Bruggeman, Brooks; brother Steve Bruggeman of Fargo, ND and sisters Margo Thiede of Lancaster, WI, Nancy Ericson of Guthrie and Becky Tranby of West Fargo, ND; many relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father Lloyde; sister Peggy; aunt Dorothy Olson; grandparents, Frank and Zoe Bruggeman and August and Anna Kortum.

Carol Konickson, 51

Thief River Falls — Carol Konickson, 51, died on Tuesday, October 24 at her home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, October 28 at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls with Reverend Marica Sylvester officiating. Special music was provided by organist Joyce Halbasch and vocalists Joel Kezar and Jerol Gilbert. Selections were "On Eagle's Wings," "Tears in Heaven" and "Rest High on That Mountain." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "Will the Circle Be Unbroken."

Casketbearers were John Houske, David Houske, Dr. Richard Heinrichs, Arden Arlt, Wallace Holthusen, Lonnie Norberg. Interment was in Clearwater Cemetery, Wyandotte township, Pennington county. Arrangements were with Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls.

Carol Arnold was born on November 21, 1943 in Wyandotte township, Pennington county, to Earl and Wilma (Johnson) Arnold. She attended Plummer Elementary School and Pershing High School, graduating in 1961.

She graduated from Nursing School in Thief River Falls and worked in Minneapolis for one year and Denver, Co for two years before returning to the area. Carol served the medical community of Thief River Falls as a nurse for 28 years at the Northwestern hospital and Falls Clinic and as a nurse for Dr. R. W. Heinrich's patients for 22 of those years.

She was united in marriage to Wayne Konickson on January 27, 1962 at Plummer. The couple made their home in Minneapolis and in the Denver, CO. area and returned to her childhood home where they raised their family. The couple moved into Thief River Falls in 1988 where they have since resided.

Carol loved, cherished and lived for her family. Together, they built their log recreational and retirement home near Fourtown. She enjoyed many special times with local friends, enjoyed snowmobiling, ATV trail riding and many home crafts.

She is survived by her husband Wayne; children, Vicki Stokke, Mike Konickson, Janelle Nelson, all of Thief River Falls; three grandchildren; her father Earl Arnold; brother Ron of Carson City; sister Linda Arnold of Thief River Falls; several nieces and nephews and o very special friend, Tammy Houske.

She was preceded in death by her mother Wilma Arnold in 1983.

Don Thompson, 60

Warroad — Don Thompson, 60, died on October 23 ot Brownsville, TX.

Memorial services were held Mondsy, October 30 at 10:30 a.m. at the Zion Lutheran Church, Warroad with Reverends Michael and Karen Holmberg-Smith officiating. Helgeson Funeral Home of Warroad was in charge of arrangements.

Don Thompson was bom July 21, 1935 at Wadena, the son of Pearl (Harren) and William Thompson. At the age of three he moved to Thief River Falls where he grew up and anended school.

He loter attended the Brown Institute for Broadeasting and worked for a radio station in St. Petersburg, FL with Paul Harvey. In 1964 he moved back to Thief River Falls where he was employed by Peterson Biddick for two years.

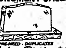
On November 21, 1966, he married Barbara Brenhaug Hanson at Thief River Folls. They lived in Thief River Falls where Don was employed by Lystads Pest Control (presently Ecolab) until his retirement in 1986.

He was a Life Member of the VFW Club and a 30 year member of the Eagles Club, both of Thief River Falls. He was also a member of the American Legion of Warroad.

Don is survived by his wife, Barbara Thompson of Springsteel Island and Brownsville, TX; sons Mark and Dean of Vancouver, BC, Canada; one stepdaughter, Kathryn Rustad of Rochester; one sfepson David Hanson of Thief River Falls and two brothers, Gary and Robert of Minneapolis.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

THIEF RIVER MARKER & MONUMENT SALES



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Knowledge of what to do when there is a death away from home can be helpful to any family. Regardless of where or when the death occurs, an immediate phone call should be placed to your local funeral director. He will represent you from that moment on and make all the necessary arrangements to have your loved one returned home. Calling your family funeral director avoids unnecessary delay and added expense and eliminates many problems that occur through long-distance arrangements.
Respectfully,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Sophie Helgeland, 81

Thief River Falls — Sophie Helgeland, 81, died on Wednesday, October 25 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, October 28 at St. Pauls Lutheran Church with Reverend Tom Jo Skildum officiating. Music was provided by organist and soloist Grace Hammer. Selections were "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art." Congregational hymns were "Children of the Heavenly Father" and "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory."

Casketbearers were Vince Hesse, Jr., Scott Hesse, Kyle Boman, Richard Hanson, Scott Bjorgo and Nathan Hesse. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery with Green Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Sophie Marie Torkelson was born on March 18, 1914, the daughter of Anfin and Anetta (Loken) Torkelson. She was baptized and confirmed in St. Pauls Church and attended rural school in Smiley township Pennington county.

Sophie worked at local cafes and at Land O' Lake and Arctic Enterprises in Thief River Falls.

She was united in marriage to Arnold Helgeland in Thief River Falls on November 6, 1943 and the couple lived and farmed in Smiley township, Pennington county.

Sophie is survived by daughters, Gloria Hesse and Dianne Gilbertson, both of Thief River Falls and Donna Kakowski of Viking; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; brothers, Ludvig Johnson of Crookston and Oscar Torkelson, Walker; sisters Ragna Terry, Bemidji, Agnes Hanson and Mabel Torkelson of Thief River Falls; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband Arnold; granddaughter Sheri Boman; brother Torvold and sister Rosie.

Rene Reopelle, 71

Red Lake Falls — Rene Reopelle, 71, died Saturday, October 28 at the Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Monday, October 30 at St. Anthony Catholic Church in Terrebonne with Father Gerry Noeson presiding. Special music was provided by organist Val Gagnon and the St. Anthony Church Choir.

Casketbearers were Robert Reopelle, Jason Reopelle, Edward Reopelle, Gary DeRuiter. Honorary casketbearers were all of Rene's friends and family.

Rene John Reopelle was born on April 27, 1924 in Red Lake Falls, the son of Ildage and Alma (Fournier) Reopelle. He was raised and attended school in the Red Lake Falls area.

On July 22, 1944, he entered the US Army and served over seas. He was wounded in France and discharged on September 10, 1945, receiving a Purple Heart and a Bronze Star.

Rene was married to Rosalie Rindeau on June 26, 1976 in Plummer. The couple settled on a farm in Terrebonne township, Red Lake county. They farmed there until 1991 when they moved into Red Lake Falls. Rosalie passed away on July 5, 1994.

Rene was a member of the St. Anthony Catholic Church in Terrebonne, a life time member of the VFW and the American Legion in Red Lake Falls.

He is survived by his sister Clara Bruggeman of Thief River Falls; four brothers Robert of Sacremento, Ca, Andrew of Moorhead, Marcel of Gresham, WI and Vern of Minot, ND and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, parents, one sister Teresa Tischert.

Johnnie Anderson, 91

Greenbush — Johnnie Anderson, 91, died Monday, October 23 at the Greenbush Nursing Home where he had been a resident for the past 15 years.

Funeral services were Thursday, October 26 at the Bethel Lutheran Church, Greenbush with Rev. Cheryl Berg officiating.

Casketbearers were Arnold Anderson, Mike Kilen, Alvin Bertilrud, Maurice Bertilrud, Jeff Everson, Odeen Anderson. Interment wos at the Bethel Lutheran Cemetery with arrangements by Gieseke Funeral Chapel, Greenbush.

Johnnie was born on January 20, 1904 at Ellendale, to Ole J. and Mary (Ellingson) Anderson. Johnnie came to the Greenbush area as a young man.

He married Margaret DeRaad on July 28, 1926 at Greenbush. They farmed for many years south of Greenbush in Hereim township.

He is survived by his wife Margaret Anderson of Greenbush; son Marvin Anderson of Greenbush; daughter Delphine Jensen of Middleton, WI; three grandchildren, David Jensen of Middleton, WI, Susan Gray of Chicago, IL ond Nancy Jensen of Middleton, WI; two great-grandchildren, Ryan Gray and Maggie Jensen and one brother, Oel Anderson of Greenbush.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers and six sisters.

Alice Tangquist Swanson, 82

Warren — Alice (Tangquist) Swanson, 82, died at her home in Warren on Tuesday, October 24.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, October 28 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Warren. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Warren.

Alice Kilfoyl was born on December 13, 1912 at Angus, the doughter of Patrick and Clara Kilfoyl. She spent her early years in the Angus-Euclid area.

On November 29, 1932, she was united in morriage to Oscar Swanson. They made their home in Warren until 1973.

She married Clarence Tangquist on September 29, 1979 at Viking. They moved to Thief River Folls. Clarence died in 1988. Alice moved to Warren in 1989.

She was a great cook and she loved baking lefsa and donuts.

She is survived by three daughters, Connie Moen of Alvorado, Bonnie Glass of Brandon, SD and Cherry Ann Iverson of Alvarado; one son, Van of Thief River Falls; 15 grondchildren and 22 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her hosbands, Oscor and Clarence; grandson, Lee Glass; great-grandson, Chris Iverson; three brothers, John, Percy and Richard ond two sisters, Bernice and Florence.

Edward R. Keefe, 93

Detroit Lakes — Edward R. Keefe, 93, died on Friday, October 27 ot St. Mary's Nursing Home, Detroit Lakes.

Funeral services were Monday, October 30 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Red Lake Falls with Fother Jerry Rogers officiating. Special music was provided by soloist Bob Norton and accompanist Arlene Norton.

Casketbearers were Joseph Stadstad, Jonathan Stadstad, Edword Brown, Nicholas LaCoursiere, Bill Keefe, Michael Keefe, John C. Keefe and T.J. LaPlante. Interment was at St. Anthony's Cemetery, Terrebonne, with David-Donehower Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Edward was bom on December 16, 1901 at Alma, IA, where he was raised and educated.

On April 14, 1925, he married Kothleen Norton ot Wolker. They lived in Wolker until moving to North Dakota in 1927.

They later lived in East Grand Forks, Thief River Folls and Red Lake Falls. He retired from farming in 1975 and moved to Detroit Lakes in 1989. Kathleen died in April of 1994.

He is survived by sons Daniel of Thief River Falls, Bernard of North Glen, CO, David of Fort Morgon, CO, Richard of Richfield; daughters, Elsie Boteman and Sister Gertrude Keefe, R.S.M., both of Detroit Lakes ond Veronica LaCoursiere of Eveleth; sisters, Sr. Mary Sebastian, R.S.M., Sr. Mary Clorice, R.S.M. ond Gertrude McGourty, all of Cedar Rapids, IA; 34 grandchildren; 47 great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

Diana Amiot Landecena, 94

Ontario, CA — Diana "Amiot" Landecena, 94, formerly of Gentilly and Crookston, died October 14 in Brea California Hospital.

The wake was held at Richardson Peterson Mortuory. Mass ond Rosary were held at St. George Catholic Church, Ontario, CA. Jean (Mrs. Ed) Schindler attended the funeral.

Diana was bom in Terrebonne and lived in Ontario, CA for 48 years.

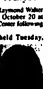
She was a member of the St. George Church, Ontario.

She is survived by seven daughters, Lorraine LaPlante of Ontario, CA, Jean Schindler ond Patricia Schindler, both of Red Lake Falls, Marcella Roman of Alta Loma, CA, Darline Schenke of Chino, CA, Madonna Hamett of Fresno, CA and Georgian Marsh of Upland, CA; a son Jerome Amiot of Calton, CA; 35 grandchildren; mony great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband Isidore in 1964.

Raymond Walter Becklund, 61

Casper, WY — Raymond Walter Becklund, 61, died October 20 at Wyoming Medical Center following a long illness.



Services were held Tuesday, October 24 at the Chapel of the Oregon Trail Veteran's Cemetery with Rev. Nathan Doerr of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church officiating. The Bustard Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Raymond was born March 17, 1934 in Newfolden, the son of Walter and Hilda (Skadsem) Becklund. He was raised and educated in Newfolden. He enlisted in the United States Navy in 1955.

He married Wilma Jean Stone in 1958 in Newfolden. Following his discharge from the Navy in 1959, he returned to Minnesota where he helped his father on the family farm.

He moved the Casper, WY in 1965 and worked for various construction companies in the area as a heavy equipment operator.

On October 8, 1968, Raymond married Donna Wilkes Morgan Watkins in Casper. He continued to work as a heavy equipment operator in the Casper area after his marriage. Ill health forced him to retire in 1981.

Raymond is survived by three sons, Terry of Livingston, MT, Justin of Norfolk, VA and Leonard of Casper, WY; four daughters, LaJean Becklund of Rock Springs, WY, Bobbi Luitjens of Casper, WY, Lori Wilhelm of Sheridan, WY and Patricia Becklund of Casper, WY; two stepsons, Benjamin Morgan of Casper, WY and David Watkins II of St. Johns, AZ; stepdaughter, Debbie Herbert of Casper; a brother, Eugene Becklund of Redwood Falls; a sister, Donna Odberg of Thief River Falls and 18 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife Donna, in 1994 and two grandsons.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Toasted Pumpkin Seeds

The following is a way to make all those pumpkin seeds from your jack-o-lonterns into a delicious snack.

You will need:
pumpkin seeds
margarine
salt
Worcestershire sauce and
a shallow pan.

Carve the pumpkin and remove the seeds. Clean seeds and dry on a paper towel. If desired, the seeds can be soaked in salted water overnight (1 1/2 teaspoons salt per 2/3 cup water). Place dry seeds in shallow baking pan. Dot with margarine. Sprinkle with salt if seeds were not soaked overnight. Bake at 350 degrees for 20-30 minutes until brown. Stir occasionally. Variation: Combine 1 1/2 tablespoons melted margarine and 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce. Pour this mixture over two cups of seeds. Mix well and bake in shallow pon at 250 degrees for one hour. Stir occasionally.

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need your time.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Folls public library invites you to browse through its "spooky" selection of books just right for Holloween including the following:

Cuyler, Margery. Sir William aod the Pumpkin Monster. Sir William, the Neville fomily's favorite pet ghost, tries to scare the wits out of them but encounters o scary Halloween surprise along the way.

Prager, Annabelle. The Spooky Halloween Party. A super special spooky night is in store for Nicky and Albert when the "right" party and the "wrong" party end up in o double Halloween treat.

VIDEO VARIETY

How to Carve Great Faces for Halloween. Gordy Falk, the Pumpkin Man, will show you everything you need to know to carve the most spectacular pumpkin faces on your block.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

PARENTING TIPS

Self-Esteem for Parents

Strong self-esteem is an important part of healthy parenting. Parents with healty self-esteem have a vitality, energy and confidence which enables them to fulfill goals, overcome hardships and problems and experince fulfillment in life.

One way parents can build up their self-esteem is by writing down a list of accomplishments at the end of each day.

That daily list becomes written proof thot every day, despite any controversies or hordships you foced, you mode something good happen.

It is also important to do at least one thing each day for your own personal pleasure.

This can be something as simple as making yourself fresh-brewed coffee in the morning or reading o chapter in a book at lunchtime.

The objective in such an exercise is to remind yourself thot it is worthwhile to do things you enjoy regardless of whot anyone else thinks.

If you feel good obout yourself, you'll feel better about your role as o parent.

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Hove o conversation with your child obout something thot you enjoy. Parents sometimes forget to discuss the obvious with young children. You may be surprised at how much you and your child will enjoy this conversation.

Highlanding 4-H club meeting highlights

The Highlanding 4-H Club met on Soturdoy, October 7 ot Highlonding Holl. The meeting was colled to order by Dawn Hanson. Roll call was taken to the response of favorite dog breed or name. The county 4-H Carnivol was held on October 6. Thanks to the five families from the club that participated, to the Goodridge Lioness for the use of their portable basketball game and to Marcella Hanson for making the door prizes. Awards Banquet was held October 22 at the Eagles Club room, Thief River Falls. Meal was served from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. with the program beginning at 2 p.m.

Yellow project enrollment cards must be turned in as soon as possible.

A bowling party is tentatively set for November 19. Due to low attendance ot the meeting, the club election will be held at the November 9 meeting.

Parent talk was given by Dave Fredrick who discussed St. Jude's Bike-o-thon and showed the 10 speed bike ond roller blades that have been donated by several businesses and will be given to the two people who get the most pledges.

The bike-o-thon on Soturday, October 14 storted ot 9 o.m. ot Highlanding Holl. The route was 18 miles long. Parents were asked to help with the bike-o-thon ond members are to get pledges for this worthwhile event.

For recreotion, the group sang "How Much is That Doggie in the Window?" in recognition of National Dog Month. There were eight members, two leaders, five parents and four visitors present. Lunch was served by Dawn Hanson.

Crookston Squarenaders to dance Friday

The Crookston Squarenaders will dance ot the Lincoln School Gym, Crookston, Fridsy, November 3 at 8 p.m. Wayne Erickson will be calling squares and Doris Muir cueing the rounds.

Lunch will be served.

Pennington County Farm Woman of the Year, Linda Hanson (middle), was recognized for her outstanding contribution to agri-business Friday night at the Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year Banquet in Grand Forks. Also pictured: Virgie Ziegler, Otter Tail County Farm Woman of the Year (left), and Jeanette Calderwood, 1995 Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year.

Agri-business Woman of Year named at banquet

Pennington Co. woman recognized

Jeanette Calderwood, an agri-business woman from Crary, ND, has been named Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year. Calderwood was honored Friday, October 27, by American Agri-Women chapters in North Dakota and Minnesota at the close of the Harvest of Knowledge Agri-Women Conference in Grand Forks.

Also given special recognition, Linda Hanson, Pennington County Farm Woman of the Year, from Goodridge, and Virgie Ziegler, Otter Tail County Farm Woman of the Year, from Perham.

Calderwood was named Ramsey County Farm Woman of the Year in August.

Calderwood and her husband, Donald, farm over 2,000 acres near Crary in Ramsey county, ND. They raise alfalfa, corn, wheat, barley, oats, and sunflowers, along with a Holstein dairy herd. Jeanette holds an elementary teaching degree from Valley City State University and has been fully involved in agri-business for more than 40 years. The Calderwoods have progressively updated their dairy operation. They were recognized as North Dakota's Outstanding Dairy Farm Family in 1982. Jeanette is a strong advocate for dairy issues, opening their farm to elementary dairy tours and V.I.P. events, including Governor Allen Olson's State Dairy Tour in 1981. She is an avid square and round dancer, an activity Jeanette and her husband enjoy together. "In the past 42 years, I have been a wife, mother, nurse, the kids number 1 sports fan and now the grand-kids - and I can truly say I love every minute of it."

As Red River Valley Farm Woman of the Year, Calderwood will receive a trip to the 1996 National American Agri-Women Convention in Kansas next November. Pennington County Farm Woman of the Year, Linda Hanson, and Otter Tail county Farm Woman of the Year, Virgie Ziegler, were also recognized for their outstanding contributions to agri-business. Each will receive a trip to the National Farm Women's Forum in June in Washington, D.C.

Agri-Women public relations coordinator, Rae Desautel, says county designees were also recognized for their individual achievements and each was presented with an engraved watch. "Each of these women has done a wonderful job representing their county ond the business of agriculture. Each has played an important role in their community and it is an honor to be able to acknowledge their accomplishments."

In all, 14 women from Minnesota and North Dakota were honored Friday night ot the Red River Valley Farm Women of the Year Banquet, which closed a day of activities associated with the annual Harvest of Knowledge.

Local author fights to protect her story

Mary Schofield, author of a book entitled "River of Champions" o true story obout o group of Minnesota boys who overcome oll obstacles to win the state high school hockey tournament, is now in the midst of a fight to protect her story.

Schofield, a public school teacher in Edina, has leorned thot o group of individuals are promoting o concept very similar to her story. This story features five young men in their senior year from a small town in Minnesoto who win the 1966 Minnesoto Stote High School Hockey Tournoment. The film focuses on hockey in Minnesoto ond young people overcoming obstacles and succeeding.

Schofield believes it sounds too fomiliar, too much like the 1956 team from Thief River Folls and her story.

In o letter to the Star Tribune, Schofield wrote: "The bottom line is that my Minnesota script, based on o true Minnesoto story, embracing many Minnesota hockey towns and real Minnesota people, ond shows o Minnesota miracle that is o result of dedicotion and hard work, was conceived, written and registered first. This script has too many connections to me; too many people involved who have prior knowledge of my script.

"River of Champions may not have the backers or the money yet, but we have the original story, the original script and the original registration and will continue to work until we get backing. 'My Left Foot' took upwards of 15 years to get made."

Schofield noted that the fictional story called "The Boys From Minnesota" has received support of Governor Arne Carlson and the Minnesota Film Board. Schofield said several people involved in her early attempts to get her idea promoted to the film screen are now involved in promotion of the fictional story. Schofield found this frustrating and has written to Governor Arne Carlson a couple of times, so far with no response.

Schofield said the prospectus that went out to several potential investors describes the film as having o strong morol value, and o story which Minnesotans con be proud of. Schofield asked how can Minnesotans be proud of o fictional story? How, she asked, can it be moral to take someone else's concept?

Schofield's story began as a screen play. She eventually registered the story with the Writers Guild ond published the book. About 4,000 copies were printed. Neorly all of those copies have been sold.

Glenda Gousen, formerly of Thief River Folls, soid there are actually two stories which are similar to Schofield's story. They aren't identical, but she feels they used her concept.

According to o story in the Star Tribune, "River of Chompions", "Fire ond Ice", and "The Boys From Minnesoto", are registered with the Writers Guild.

Gousen believes it boils down to the "Good Ol' Boys" network. Gousen soid Schofield's friends believe that they aren't using her story because Mary is a woman and she wrote about a man's sport.

According to the Star Tribune article, written by Doug Grow, the gloves are off ond both sides are threatening to sue.

Schofield is concerned thot unwary investors might not be aware of pending litigation. Schofield said that she intends to sue to protect her concept.

Schofield can be reached at P.O. Box 24334, Edina, MN 55424; or, 612-975-0838.

MnDOT taking applications for enhancement

Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) is taking applications for transportation-related enhancement projects with funding administered under the federal Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA) of 1991. Funding covers up to 80 per cent of a project's cost.

Types of projects that would qualify are grouped in the following categories: (1) Pedestrian/bicycle; (2) Historic; and (3) Scenic/Environmental. Applications must be for at least $50,000 and be sponsored by a city over 5,000 population, a county, state agency or Indian reservation.

Applications taken at this time are for projects which can be implemented in 1998, 1999 and 2000.

Decisions regarding ranking projects and distribution of funds are made by the Area Transportation Partnership which is comprised of local community representatives from throughout the northwest district. MnDOT estimates that approximately $500,000 is available each year for enhancement projects in the northwest district.

Organizations or groups interested in submitting a project for funding can contact Craig Collison, Planning Engineer, MnDOT District 2, 401 Paul Bunyan Drive, P. O. Box 490, Bemidji, MN 56601 or call 218-755-3813. Deadline for completed applications is Dec. 15, 1995.

Young Authors conference for students slated

Northwest Service Cooperative is planning its first Young Authors Conference for students in grades four through six for March 7, 1996, at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls.

Purpose of the event is to celebrate writing and to inspire and encourage students to become even more effective writers. The student-centered conference will give children an opportunity to work with recognized authors, writers, illustrators and storytellers to support and develop their interest in writing.

The conference will begin with a keynote address followed by three 50-minute, hands-on breakout sessions and a short closing session for all students. During the lunch hour students will be able to purchase the authors' books and outhors will be present for an autographing session.

Participoting outhors include Mory Cosonova, Ronier; Gory Harbo, Inver Grove Heights; Jane Kurtz ond Mory Helen Pelton, Grand Forks, ND; Rick Ponzio and Jone Resh Thomas, Minneapolis; Morsha Quoley, Cloquet; Holly Ristou, Mohnomen; Faythe Dyrud Thureen, East Grand Forks; ond Will Weaver, Bemidji.

School districts in Regions 1 and 2 have been invited to participate in this event. Registration will be limited to 250 students for this pilot year. For more information, coll the Northwest Service Cooperative ot 218-681-8005.

River Valley

Visitors this last week ot the Fred Lundeen home were Oliver Hefstad, Lori Reinbold ond Harry Henson. Breakfast guests were Shirley and Darrow Lundeen and Martin Johnsen of Minneapolis.

Alison, Jona, Trisha and Jacob Bemler entertained on Sunday in their new home. Guests included Shirley and Darrow Lundeen, Doris Nelson of Oklee, Mark, Cindy and Krista Nelson of Erskine, Connie, Kelly, and Kyla Lundeen and Emily, Bob and Colo Bemler of Oklee. Congratulations Jona and Alison on your new home.

The Lost River Ramblers met last week at the Oklee Community Hall. Congratulations to the new officers for the upcoming year, President Brent Nelson, Vice-president Jenny Touges, Secretary Cindy Lambert, Treasure Chris Nelson and Historian Kyla Lundeen. They are guided by their Key leader, Mary Ann Lambert.

MARKETS

as of Monday, October 30

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.95
Spring Wheat #2	4.70
Winter Wheat	4.50
Durum	6.00
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.65
Top Milling Oats	1.75
Ordinary Oats	1.60
Oil Sunflowers	10.65
Corn	2.80
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.15
Soybeans	6.00
Buckwheat	12.50
Confectionery Sunflowers	13.00
Danota	11.25

Karen Odegaard, in her pre-school classroom at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls. Odegaard is the instructor for the new LAUNCH program, funded with parent tuition and the state Learning Readiness fund.

Karen Odegaard is instructor for new LAUNCH program

It's up, up and away for Karen Odegaard, the instructor for the LAUNCH program at the Early Childhood Resource Center ot Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls.

Odegaard, who taught Head Start in Thief River Falls last year, is the first instructor for the new pre-school program, which is financed through parent tuition and the state Learning Readiness Fund. LAUNCH replaces PALS and the Thief River Falls Nursery school, a private, parent directed organization which had served pre-schoolers for many years.

Community Education Director Jane Mattson says Odegaard is the perfect instructor to work with the program as part of the school district. "She is so talented. She is a wonderful teacher with a lot of enthusiasm and a lot to offer. She connects very well with these little ones as we introduce them to some of the skills they're going to need as they enter kindergarten." Odegaard is assisted by educational assistant, Holly Steinhauer, and Foster Grandparent, Theresa "Nanny" Mutnansky of Goodridge.

The LAUNCH program is for children age three and four. Odegaard says the focus of the curriculum is on social skills. "Developing a positive attitude, positive self image, and creativity in all areas of self, as well as intellectual and motor skills." Odegaard says her goal is to "create a positive first school experience," and she says she likes working with young children. "It's something new every-day."

Odegaard is a native of Crookston with o degree in Early Childhood Special Education from Moorhead State University. During the summer months she is an instructor for the Tri-Valley Opportunity Council Summer Head Start Program, working with young children from migrant families in the Red River Valley.

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Our Saviour's holds annual science fair

Our Saviour's Christian Academy held its annual science fair on Tuesday, October 24. Students from kindergarten through grade 12 exhibited project which they had made. Parents, family members and friends visited the school gym Tuesday evening to view the exhibits. The visitors enjoyed ice cream sundaes as they looked over the exhibits.

The judges for the science fair were Dr. Bryce Bray, Marv Kading, and Iola Rokke.

Vanessa DeHaan won a grand champion ribbon for her project. Vanessa received nearly perfect scores from each of the judges. In addition, 12 students received blue ribbons for their individual exhibits. The kindergarten class did a class project on "Acids and Bases". They also received a blue ribbon for their efforts.

Students in grades 8 through 12 are eligible to advance their projects to the State Accelerated Christian Education convention which will be held in April at Big Lake. Winners there can go on to the international convention in Arizona at the end of the school year.

Winners included grand prize winner Vanessa DeHaan, eighth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Eckstein. Her project was entitled "What are the Effects of Microwave Radiation and Heat on the Germination and Growth of Seeds?"

The blue ribbon winners were:

• Christine Anderson, the third grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Anderson, who prepared a project called How Do Crystals Grow?"

• Stacey Anderson, the first grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Anderson, who prepared a project called "Ups and Downs of Plants: stems always grow up and roots always grow down".

• Daren Asp, the eighth grade son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Asp, who prepared a project called "Why Does a Plant Need all its Parts?"

• Michaela Beaudoin, the third grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Beaudoin, who prepared a project called "What Laundry Detergent Works Best?".

• Tresan Beaudoin, the sixth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Beaudoin, who prepared a project called "What Kind of Apple Works Best for Dehydration?"

• John Deppa, the eighth grade son of Rev. and Mrs. Deppa, who prepared a project called "How Does Air Work?"

• Bethany Gullman, the third grade daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Ron Gullman, who prepared a project called "Does Air Have Weight?"

• Jason Hicks, the fourth grade son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hicks, who prepared a project called "What is the Hydrologic Cycle?"

• Natasha Hicks, the fifth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hicks, who prepared a project called "How Does Bacteria Make Yogurt?"

• Becca Palmer, the 12th grade daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Del Palmer, who prepared a project called "What are the Best Insulators?"

• Esther Palmer, the ninth grade daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Del Palmer, who prepared a project called "What are the Differences between Acids and Bases?"

• Nathan Palmer, the third grade son of Rev. and Mrs. Del Palmer, who prepared a project called "What is Newton's Third Law of Motion?"

The kindergarten class consist of Daniel Gullman, son of Rev. and Mrs. Ron Gullman, Josiah Hicks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hicks, Ian Mereil, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mereil, and Marie Moe, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Moe. Their project was on "Acids and Bases."

Blue ribbon winners at Our Saviour's Christian Academy annual science fair included the students pictured above: (from left, front row) Stacey Anderson, Michaela Beaudoin, Bethany Gullman, Christina Anderson; (back row) Nathan Palmer, Jason Hicks, John Deppa, Tresse Beaudoin, Nathasha Hicks, Esther Palmer. Not pictured were Daren Asp and Becca Palmer.

Our Saviour's Christian Academy held its annual science fair on October 24. Among the kindergarten class blue ribbon winners were, from left: Ian Mercil, Daniel Gullman, and Merle Moe. Not pictured is Josiah Hicks.

TRF Walking Program starts November 13

Monday, November 13, the Thief River Falls Walking program will official start another season at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center in Thief River Falls. This program, which began in 1986, has shown continued success each year. It was begun to encourage people to walk on a regular basis as part of their exercise and fitness program. During the 1994-95 walking season, over 200 people participated in the Arena Walking Program. The program is sponsored by the Dakota Clinic-Thief River Falls and Northwest Medical Center and is available to the community through cooperation with the City of Thief River Falls.

Interested persons may register at the front desk of Northwest Medical Center beginning November 6. Registration is $3. At registration, participants will receive a book for logging miles. Walkers reaching goals of 25, 100, 200, 300, 400 and 500 miles are asked to bring the log book to the front desk of Northwest Medical Center to collect their prize.

The Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center is available for walking seven days a week but certain time restrictions must be imposed to allow for other activities. Walkers are invited to use the facility daily, from 7:30 a.m. to closing. Participants are discouraged from walking during hockey games, recreational skating and while other activities are taking place. No walking will be allowed from 7:30 to noon on days after hockey games, which allows staff to clean the facility. Walkers are asked to keep safety in mind at all times when walking. Thief River Falls Park and Recreation department is asking that all walkers treat skaters with courtesy - even if it means slowing down your walk in that area. Better yet, when recreational skating is in session - walk forward and back, avoiding the front area altogether.

For more information about the program, contact Gail Holland, public relations coordinator at Northwest Medical Center, 218-681-4240, ext. 210.

Kinnard reports increase

Regan Rohl of John G. Kinnard and Company in Thief River Falls, announced that Kinnard Investments, Inc., the parent company reported a 58 per cent increase in revenues for the quarter ended September 30, 1995. Revenues for the quarter were $21.7 million compared to $13.7 million a year ago. Net income was $1.1 million, or $.18 per share, versus a net loss of $830,000 or $.14 per share in the 1994 third quarter.

The Company said that favorable equity markets contributed to the continued success of its core business of underwriting, trading and researching emerging growth stocks, as well as significant gains in the firm's investment portfolio.

Revenues for the first nine months increased 30 per cent to $58 million from $44.5 million. Year-to-date income was $2.7 million, or $.44 per share, compared to a net loss of $1.9 million, or $.32 for the same period in 1994. The company's book value per share increased to $3.94 as of September 30, 1995 from $3.58 as of December 31, 1994.

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Trail News

The Trail VFW Auxiliary met Friday, October 6 with 11 members and one guest present. Our guest was the Ninth District Senior Vice President who inspected the work of our Auxiliary and found everything in good order. Donations were made: Health and Happiness Christmas Cheer at the National home in Eaton Rapids, MI, $12.50; Legislative Day, $1.00; Marcella Arnold Nursing Scholarship, $10.00; Transitional Housing for Vets, $10.00; and P.A.C., $1.00. Plans were made for our Veteran's Day auction and supper which will be held Sunday, November 12. The auction will begin at 3 p.m. with supper at 5 p.m. All auction money will go to the VA hospital at Fargo, ND. Membership pickup transmittals will be held October 23-29. Audit will be held at Perry Loiland's on October 11.

Adalina Provost of Oklee and Doris Evja of Gully were brief callers on Rose Aaknes on Wednesday afternoon.

Denise Peterson, Angie and Dustin of Oklee, Helen Sordahl and Marilyn Halvorson attended a volleyball game at Goodridge last Wednesday evening. Goodridge won over Marshall County Central. Marilyn's granddaughter, Kristen, played on the Goodridge team. Congratulations girls on a good job.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller 378-4289

Helen and Selmar Holan were coffee guests at the Edgar Miller home Tuesday evening.

Sincere Sympathy

Sincere sympathy to the family of Clarice (Rolandson) Auld who passed away on October 19th in Minneapolis at the age of 57 years. Our thoughts and prayers are with her husband, Don and sons and families and mother, Ida Manderud and Richard and Robert Manderud and their families and other family and many friends. Blessed be her memory.

Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to Emma Erickson who celebrated her birthday on Friday, October 27th at her home at Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Plummer

Birthday

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended a birthday party on Wednesday evening for Dalaina Hammer at the Eagles Hall, put on by the Sons of Norway. Others in attendance were Wavell's sister, Renae Accardo of Eau Claire, WI, Eugene and Willie Prestegaard, and John and Maran Hammer.

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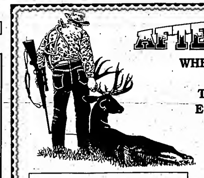

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Newfolden Class of 1940 held its 55-year class reunion at the Best Western in Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 8. Sixteen class members were able to attend. Pictured above are members of the class: (front row, from left) Doris Rokke Dahl, Minerva Shern Butt, Maxine Hjelle Prickett, Eleonora Gudim Nelson, Avis Engelsrud Hoium, Clare Gudim Jacobson, Senora Tunhelm Elseth, and Mary Keogh Tandberg; (back row) Dr. Raymond Anderson, James Gusa, Carmen Lokken Stratmoen, Francis Johnson, Lowell Gustafson, Rev. Dennis Anderson, Eleanore Anderson Becken, Eunice Elseth Sahlberg, and Doris Mae Anderson Gloude.

Newfolden class of '40 holds 55-year reunion

Newfolden Class of 1940 held a 55-year reunion of the class at the Best Western in Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 8. Members gathered at 5 p.m. for registration and a social hour, followed by a dinner at 7 p.m.

Each class member received a "55th Class Reunion" booklet prepared by the committee consisting of Raymond Anderson, Senora Elseth, Avis Hoium, and Maxine Prickett.

Dr. Raymond Anderson of River Falls, WI, was master of ceremonies. Rev. Dennis Anderson, Wolverton, gave the invocation, and Avis Hoium of Thief River Falls gave the welcome.

A duet was sung by Doris Mae Anderson Gloude of Warren, and Eunice Elseth Sahlberg of Winthrop. The accompanist was Eleonore Gudim Nelson of Belmond, IA.

Rev. Anderson offered a prayer for the nine deceased classmates and a moment of silence was held. Deceased members include: Addlaine (Pederson) Sweeting, Irene Julin, Violet (Holmos) Lee, Lavern Peterson, Vivian (Johnson) Doppler, Kenneth Elseth, Thelma (Anderson) Anderson, Peter Bauer, Marceline (Halvorson) Gatchell.

A special guest, former teacher, Mary (Keogh) Tandberg, Mesa, AZ, conducted the roll call.

Dr. Anderson read "The Class of 1940 - Were We Born Too Soon?", and also read a letter from Mr. E.W. Solyst, Kerkhoven, who was unable to attend. Mr. Solyst was a former teacher/principal.

The 16 class members who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Anderson of Wolverton; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gloude (Doris Mae Anderson), Warren; Mrs. Warren Becken (Eleanore Anderson), Coon Rapids; Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Anderson, River Falls, WI; Mrs. Harry Sahlberg (Eunice Elseth), Winthrop; Mrs. Edward Holum (Avis Engelsrud), Thief River Falls; Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Jacobson (Clara Gudim), Beatrice, NE; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Nelson (Eleonore Gudim), Belmond, IA; Mr. and Mrs. James Gusa, Blaine; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Gustafson, Warren; Mrs. Robert Prickett (Maxine Hjelle), Middle River; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Johnson, Newfolden; Mrs. Ralph Stratmoen (Carmen Lokken), Cloverdale, CA; Mrs. Norman Dahl (Doris Rokke), Auburn, WA; Mr. and Mrs. James Butt (Minerva Shern), St. Cloud; Mrs. Lester Elseth (Senora Tunheim), Newfolden.

Individuals unable to attend were: Mrs. Lawrence Hams (Lucille Horien), International Falls; Mrs. Alvin Burnett (Lyla Kolden), Federal Way, WA; Mrs. Barton Olson (Elaine Wallin), Westchester, CA; Mrs. Doris Mae (Sorenson) Kelley, Scappoose, OR.

Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Rose Aaknes and Eugene and Eva Asselin of Oklee returned home after spending two weeks in South Milwaukee, WI. They visited with Glen and Judy Aaknes and Cheri Rehak and Ryan. The Asselins also visited with their son, Kenny Asselin and family. On Friday, September 29, Kenny Asselin had back surgery. He is getting along just fine. Rose Aaknes also visited with her daughter, Paulette Aaknes and family. Darwin and Pauline Tanem of Oak Creek called on Rose Aaknes at the home of Paulette. They also took in a football game on Saturday forenoon. Rawson school played Cudahay. Rawson won 26-3. They won every game so far. Good luck, boys.

Adeline Pravost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes visited with Kathy Bakke at Gonvick on Wednesday forenoon.

Sylvia Flatoland and Adeline Prevost of Oklee were brief callers on Rose Aaknes on Friday forenoon.

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Reception for Northland community and Technical College students who are recipients of the Marge and Lowell Swenson Endowment Scholarships was held Thursday afternoon at the Swenson home in Thief River Falls. Students enjoyed meeting the scholarship donors and touring their home. Swenson Endowment Scholarships recognize top academic students in the area. Recipients told the Swensons a little about themselves and Lowell provided the personal advice that liberal arts give a student a good, well-rounded start and that students should not be afraid to change majors or interests areas. "If you want to be successful, find something you like and do it." Recipients of the Endowment Scholarships are pictured above with Marge and Lowell Swenson. Left to right the students include: TOP PHOTO: Jenny Larson, Newfolden; Stephanie Berg, Middle River; Philip Nelson, Thief River Falls, Carly Dee, Thief River Falls; and Stacy Lomen, Longby; SECOND PHOTO: Amy Schmalz, Greenbush; Tony Halsa, Chris Fossum and Brian Schoon, Thief River Falls; THIRD PHOTO: Matt Gustafson, Hallock, Michelle Audette, Red Lake Falls; Shannon Bugge and Alecia Bernier, St. Hilaire; BOTTOM PHOTO: Renae Bernard, Warroad; Lisa Stoneouse, Oklee; Alyssa Johnson, Thief River Falls; and Michael Pladson, Red Lake Falls. Not pictured are Robert Carlson, Erskine; Terrance Nefzger, Bejou; Jeramy Hanson, Thief River Falls; Dana Hendrickson and Millissa Skarsten, East Grand Forks; and Reed Vasend, McIntosh.

Strandquist News

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

There was a touch of frost early this morning in Northwest Minnesota, at about 6:00 a.m. Last week 6:00 o'clock was 7:00 and this week 6:00 is 5:00?? The time clock in old folks systems takes awhile to get used to all those changes and we may be acting sleepy for a few days. So if drivers see any of us just idling across the street, blow your horn and awaken us and we can shift into a higher gear. We may be sleep walking.

We have a squirrel near our house that we call the Daring Wallenda, as he often does his tight rope act on the tv cable outside the house and across to the neighbors. Today he got on the electrical line and when halfway across, saw his mistake and turned around. As he sat wondering what to do next, his long tail hung down and it touched another wire, we don't know but he went into a fit. His tail kept shaking and twisting and he ran back and forth and when he came back near the window he looked a Roy and me in the face as much as to blame us for his misery. He got on the cable and disappeared to the neighbors. Perhaps the time change got to him also, today.

The Strandquist seniors had their fall sale on all the labors of their hands this summer and it turned out great. The weather cooperated and they had lunch for everyone who came. I got some beautiful hand woven rugs and a lot of other things. They will have their regular meeting again on this Thursday.

Irene Nelson and Brenda Kasprowicz and family attended the birthday party and Halloween parties of Alex and Megan Borowicz of Strandquist on Sunday, October 29th. All had a good time.

Marie and Bud Steffen of Argyle brought anniversary greetings to Frank and Judy Kleinvachter on Saturday evening.

Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom and Kenneth and Audrey Lindgren of Kennedy were visitors at Morris and Marcelyn Lindstrom's on Friday.

Elaine Grovum of Thief River Falls visited her mother Elsie Lofrooth on Monday.

At Brian Nelson's on Sunday the 20th for Brittany Nelson's 10th birthday party were Gayhard and Irene Nelson, Claudia Berggren and children, Ben and Brenda Kasprowicz and family, Randy and Kathy Nelson and children, and Sherry Nelson and family.

Visitors this week at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's were Julius and Toni Kleinvachter, Ellen Stromberg, Brian Nelson, Karl Kasprowicz and Baby Marcus, Larina Berggren and Juno Kasprowicz.

Bessie Thompson and Elsie Lefrooth had supper at Otto and Doris Seng's on Monday.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Jennifer Grove of Thief River Falls receives the "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" from her driver, Darren Halvorson (left). In addition to being friendly and well-behaved, Halvorson says Jennifer has a tendency to "mother" the younger children on her bus. Jennifer rides Route 6.

Jennifer Groves receives school bus conduct award

Jennifer Grove, a third grader at Challenger elementary school in Thief River Falls, has received the District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award." The award was presented to Jennifer by her driver, Darren Halvorson, and Transportation Superintendent Fred Mykleby.

Mykleby says Jennifer, who rides Route 6, was chosen for the honor by her driver, Darren Halvorson. "Jennifer is very safety conscience and will behaved. She has a tendency to mother the younger children on her bus and look out for them."

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes in Thief River Falls/St. Hilaire School district.

Awards are offered to young wheat growers

Young Minnesota wheat farmers are eligible to enter an essay contest in which two $750 leadership development awards will be given away. A total of 40 grants will be awarded to participating NAWG state associations.

The programs, sponsored by the National Association of Wheat Growers and Monsanto Agricultural Products Company, is designed to acquaint young wheat farmers with the association's organizational structure, leadership development, policy development and the educational aspects of wheat organizational meetings.

The $750 awards will help defray the costs for winners to participate in their choice of either the national convention to be held in Reno, NV, February 7-10, 1996, or the NAWG summer leadership conference scheduled for July 28-31 in Sun Valley, ID.

Any Minnesota wheat farmer between the ages of 20 and 35, who has not previously won a trip to either of the meetings, is eligible to enter. Winners are selected on the basis of their essay answers to three questions.

For entry forms, call the MAWG office at 218-253-4311 or 1-800-242-6118.

Steve Soiney distributed some donations following his fund-raising wheel-chair ride from Thief River Falls to Warren. Soiney completed the trip on May 4 in 11 hours and 56-minutes. Soiney said many local business donated food for a picnic in Warren following the event, and many individuals pledged money for the project. Last week, Soiney donated $548.44 to the Chemical Awareness program, $25 to Roots and Wings, and $548.44 to the Little Brother/Little Sister program. He has also donated $548.44 to Options, and the MS Society. Individuals who have not turned in their pledges can do so by sending them to Steve at P.O. Box 834, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Soiney said he feels better about this than anything he has ever done. Pictured above are: (from left) Bev Rupprecht, representing Little Brother/Little Sister, Steve Soiney, and Jana Mattson, representing Roots and Wings, and Chemical Awareness.

Soiney awards $2,218.76 to five charities

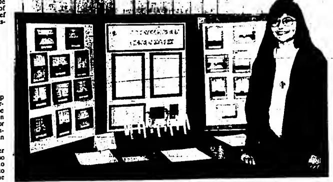
Steve Soiney of Thief River Falls has arranged for distribution of the funds he raised in pledges for his electric cart ride from Thief River Falls to Warren last May 4.

Receiving $548.44 each are Options, Multiple Sclerosis Society, Little Brother/Little Sister and the Chemical Awareness Task Force. A $25 donation is also being made to the Roots & Wings program.

Soiney, who has multiple sclerosis and uses his battery powered cart for local mobility, attempted the trip to Warren as a special challenge. The approximately 28-mile trip took 11 hours and 56 minutes and concluded with a picnic held in his honor.

Bank money orders were made out October 24 and are being mailed or delivered in person. Steve was invited to the annual meeting of Options in Grand Forks, ND, to make the presentation there.

Soiney said he has been thinking about another cart trip next spring for an even greater distance than the Warren trip. He thanked Jeff Drouse for painting his cart and Evie at Northern State Bank for assisting with the bank money orders.



Grand prize winner in the annual science fair at Our Saviour's Christian Academy was Vanesse DeHaan. Vanesse's project was entitled "What are the Effects of Microwave Radiation and Heat on the Germination and Growth of Seeds?" She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Eckstein.

Help For Your Car series is offered

A three-part training series entitled "Help For Your Car" will be offered by Crossroads Displaced Homemaker Program November 7, December 4 and January 10.

Session 1 will be Minimal Car Maintenance from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 7 in the auto technology shop at Northland Community and Technical College.

Session 2 will be Winter Safety in Your Car from 3 to 5 p.m. Monday, December 4, at the Crossroads office, 403 LaBree Avenue North.

Session 3 will be Smart Used Car Shopping from 3 to 5 p.m. Wednesday, January 10, 1996, at the Crossroads office.

The series is limited to 10 participants. Call 681-8158 or 1-800-450-8158 to register. Child care and transportation are provided for eligible participants. Those who attend at least four of the six hours of the series will receive a winter survival kit and blanket for the trunk of their car.

Lack of resources and unfunded mandates hinder law enforcement

Panelists and members of an audience at a Northwestern Minnesota Law Enforcement meeting agreed that the major problems facing law enforcement in northwestern Minnesota were a lack of resources and unfunded mandates.

Panelists included U.S. Attorney for the District of Minnesota David Lillehaug, Linda Miller, director of the new Minnesota Community Policing Institute, Robert L. Tell, director of Public Safety for the City of Bemidji, Jennifer Anderson, director of Marshall County Social Services, Ken Froschheiser, Chief of Police in Thief River Falls, and Ninth District Court Judge Russell A. Anderson. Each of the panelists explained some of the their successful programs.

David Lillehaug
U.S. Attorney for Dist. of MN

Hubert H. Humphrey III
MN Attorney General

Tell, director of Public Safety for the City of Bemidji, dwelled on the successes of the Paul Bunyan Task Force. The task force which is supported by several counties and cities, including Thief River Falls, is involved in undercover investigations of drug operations. Tell explained that despite the fact that northwestern Minnesota is in a rural location, drugs have been brought into the region. Over the years, he said, the task force has arrested as many as 800 individuals on drug charges, and confiscated drugs with a street value of approximately $30 million. Efforts in rural Minnesota have also led to major arrests in other parts of the country. Tell referred to one incident which began in Thief River Falls and resulted in the closing down of a methamphetamine lab in California.

Police Chief Ken Froschheiser discussed the activation of a juvenile liaison officer and task force in Thief River Falls. The task force is a result of cooperation between the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington county, and School District 564. Froschheiser explained that a get-tough stance on juvenile crime has led to figures which seem to indicate that Thief River Falls has a bad juvenile problem. Froschheiser said law enforcement is writing tickets for truancy, consumption, smoking and minor offenses so that kids will get to the service agency they need to get help from. Froschheiser said this kind of effort is not an option anymore, but a necessity.

Judge Russell Anderson commented on the stark contrasts between domestic violence solutions in the United States and Russia. Judge Anderson had recently returned from Russia where he was working with individuals on issues of domestic violence.

Anderson was involved in the formation of a task force to look into domestic violence. He explained that the task force examined the problem by following specific cases through the system. Members of the task force then asked such questions as, "Are we responding appropriately? Are officers communicating and sharing information? Do they have all the information they need?"

He said they also discovered that many of the law enforcement people in attendance at the meeting were so focused on the case in front of them that they didn't have time to focus on the greater policy issues which might help solve the problem.

Jennifer Anderson, director of Marshall County Social Services, who has been instrumental in developing an outpatient chemical-dependency treatment facility in Karlstad, and an eight-bed facility for troubled teens, explored the concept that greater collaboration between service agencies and law enforcement is needed. Anderson diagrammed traditional concepts of law enforcement and social service providers. The diagram underscored the reality of how similar their work is when compared.

Linda Miller, director of the new Minnesota Community Policing Institute, explained that community policing is not a program, but a shift in the way law enforcement does its job. She said it will rely on greater cooperation and collaboration among service providers, law enforcement and the public.

Minnesota Attorney General Hubert H. Humphrey, III, stepped outside partisan politics to say that the best thing this congress has done is to put a few more cops on the street.

Humphrey was referring to the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994. Through the law, programs such as Community Policing provides communities with funds to hire additional officers.

Humphrey noted however, that congress was threatening to cut funds available for additional officers or change the program.

Reiner News

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Happy Birthday!

Otto Sigerud celebrated his birthday on October 22nd. Those who brought Otto birthday wishes on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Walls, Eddie Sjulestad and Harold Uglem. Otto received many cards and gifts and Hulda served lunch featuring birthday cake. Friday, Mrs. Steve Olson and girls brought Otto birthday wishes and cake and ice cream.

Otto received greetings by phone and mail from his family, Beverly and Steve Hinrichs and family, Great-granddaughter Brianna Gunderson, and Virgil Sigerud and family, also from Gray Mikkelson and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Horning.

Earl Halvorson visited at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home on Friday. Happy Birthday to you, Otto!

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Holen and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller attended special services at the Telemarken Lutheran church on Tuesday evening.

The Reiner Ladies Aid held their meeting and Bible study at the church on Tuesday. Those who attended were Judy Miller, Hulda Sigerud, Dorothy Miller, Virgie Wells, Helen Holen and Iva Wells. The November meeting will be held at the church on Tuesday, November 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller, Mr and Mrs. Raymond Coan, James Coan, Robert Parnow and Kenny Coan were among those who visited with Inga Coan at her home at Valley Home during the week.

Mari Lou Anderson, Garrett and Laura and Jaclyn and Kari Miller of Ada visited last week at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home.

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Prowlers and Lakers in high school football playoff finals at Fargodome Thursday...

Section 8A title game: it's TRF vs. Detroit Lakes, again

Another Detroit Lakes vs. Thief River Falls Section 8A high school football playoff championship game match-up will unfold Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Fargodome.

The two teams will be meeting in the finals for the third time in the last four years, with the Lakers winning the two previous title match-ups – 48-13 in the snow and cold at Detroit Lakes in 1992 and 28-13 last year at the Fargodome.

Detroit Lakes has won five straight Section 8A titles. The 10-0 Lakers, who are making their seventh title game appearance in the past eight years, are gunning for their third unbeaten season in the past four years. They won back-to-back Class A state titles in 1992 and 1993.

The 1995 Lakers have only trailed once all year – against Thief River Falls before Steve Skarie scored on an 88-yard punt return in the final moments of the first half to put Detroit Lakes ahead 18-13. The Lakers then put together two long time-consuming touchdown drives to take control in the second half of what wound up being a 34-13 win.

It was the only loss of the year for the Prowlers.

"After that loss, our kids were determined to meet them (Lakers) again ...in the finals," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "They set a goal, and they met it. But give them credit, they never looked past anybody. The ultimate goal was to meet Detroit Lakes again, but they came out focused ready to play each game."

Mumm figures his team matches up well with Detroit Lakes. "The two best teams in the section are playing for the title," he said. "It should be a heck of a football game."

Dome experience should be a plus, acknowledged Mumm. The Prowlers were caught up with the idea of playing in a dome for the first time ever heading into last year's title game. The Lakers, on the other hand, had played in the Fargodome and Metrodome in the past.

Add a regular season Fargodome match-up with Woodbury this year with last year's playoff appearance, noted Mumm, and the game, not the site, becomes the primary focus of the players, coaches and fans.

A key, said Mumm, is not to give up the big play, especially late in the half. The Lakers connected on a 34-yard touchdown pass on the final play of the first half for a 21-13 lead at the break in the 1994 title game, and Skarie's punt return in this year's opener took the wind out of the Prowlers' sails.

"In our last three games against them, they've burned us with huge plays in the last two minutes of the half," pointed out Mumm. "We can't afford to give up the big plays in those situations – long passes or kick returns. If they're going to score on us, we have to make them earn it on long drives."

Both teams have plenty of offensive potential, but it could turn out to be a defensive battle. The Prowlers have given up just one touchdown – on a fumble recovery/return – in two playoff games, and the Lakers out-scored opponents 180-20 in the first half during the regular season. Thief River Falls was one of only two teams to score on the Lakers in the first half. With Detroit Lakes customarily playing reserves a good portion of the second half of their games – often against other team's starters – the final scores were sometimes deceiving close.

After beating Thief River Falls in the opener, the Lakers added regular season wins over Brooklyn Center 27-6, Fergus Falls 32-14, Crookston 40-15, East Grand Forks 35-8, Park Rapids Area 28-13, Wadena-Deer Creek 35-20, and Staples-Motley 39-6. The Lakers reached the Section 8A final with wins over East Grand Forks 41-14 and Fergus Falls 28-6.

Thief River Falls bounced back from the first-game loss with wins over Fergus Falls 12-7, Wadena-Deer Creek 19-6, Staples-Motley 44-13, Park Rapids Area 34-14, Crookston 28-6, Woodbury 34-18, and East Grand Forks 22-12. The Prowlers added playoff wins over Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 41-0 and Park Rapids Area 25-7.

Offensively the Prowlers start senior Robby Farbo (6-4, 205) at center, seniors Peter Johnson (5-10, 235) and Kyle Miller (6-2, 210) at the guards, where seniors Justin Brunkhorst (6-2, 185) and Nick Dee (6-2, 189) rotate in throughout the game; and senior Matt Lawrence (6-1, 265), along with a combination of juniors Jeremy Jensen (6-5, 250) and Courtney Skjerven (6-4, 212) at the tackles. Senior Steve Rambeck (6-2, 170) and junior Kyle Nelson (6-3, 174) are the starters in the double-tight end set, with senior Adam Fulton (6-0, 165) also playing there.

Senior quarterback Keith Anderson (6-1, 187) has returned from injuries suffered in the win over Woodbury that put him on the sidelines for the regular season finale against East Grand Forks and limited his work against Long Prairie-Grey Eagle, but senior runningback Nick Chiodo (5-10, 158) is listed as questionable after leaving the Park Rapids Area game with an ankle injury.

Junior Paul Kopari (5-9, 163) and senior Aaron Ehrenstrom (6-4, 190) round out the backfield.

Defensively, the front line includes senior Justin Stevenson (5-6, 162) and junior Rick Donarski (5-11, 160) rotating at nose guard, junior Jared Brandt (6-5, 195) and Johnson at the tackles, with help from Dee; while Rambeck and senior Rob Steck (6-2, 170) man the ends. Ehrenstrom, senior Paul Gonsorowski (5-10, 158) and junior Luke Davis (5-10, 172), who is playing for Anderson, start at linebacker; with Chiodo, senior Josh Harris (5-8, 150) and senior Jason Breiland (5-9, 162) scheduled to be the starters in the secondary. Chiodo's ankle, however, and an injury that kept Breiland out of the Park Rapids game, may give more playing time to juniors Karl Anderson (6-2, 170) and Curt Edwards (5-11, 143).

Section 8A Football

■ Quarterfinals Tuesday, Oct. 24 - Park Rapids Area 29, Perham 18, Detroit Lakes 41, East Grand Forks 18, Fergus Falls 21, Crookston 2, Thief River Falls 41, Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 0

● Semifinals Saturday, Oct. 28 - Detroit Lakes 28, Fergus Falls 6, Thief River Falls 25, Park Rapids Area 7

■ Championship Thursday, Nov. 2 - (at the Fargodome) Detroit Lakes vs. Thief River Falls, 8 p.m.

Lumberjacks stop Prowlers 3-0

Bemidji eliminated Thief River Falls in surprisingly easy 3-0 fashion Friday to start the 1995 North Sub-Section 8AA high school volleyball tournament.

There was no home court edge as the No. 5-seeded Lumberjacks beat the fourth-seeded Prowlers 15-1, 15-10, 15-9.

Thief River Falls owned two regular season wins over Bemidji – 3-2 on the road back on Sept. 14 and 2-1 in the Prowlers' Sept. 30 Northern Lites Invitational.

The lopsided Game 1 score set the tone for the night. "Nothing seemed to work," said Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson in describing the Prowlers' poor start.

"We did some good things in the second game, but not enough," noted Anderson. "We started to click in the third game, and I thought it would be a five-game match for sure..."

But the Lumberjacks prevailed, ending a 15-11 season for the Prowlers.

"I really felt bad for the girls when it was over in three like that," offered Anderson.

TRF Statistics

■ Kills - Michelle Mathson 3, Maren Thorson 3, Carrie Rud 2, Lindsay Drury 2, Desree Alberg 1, Kim Hook 1

■ Last touch - Alberg 10, Thorson 3, Drury 3, Rud 1, Erica Owen 1

■ Assists - Kendra Dimich 4, Hook 4

North Sub-Section 8AA

● First round Friday, Oct. 27 - Bemidji def. Thief River Falls 15-1, 15-10, 15-9; Detroit Lakes def. Fergus Falls 15-8, 5-15, 15-3, 15-5

■ Semifinals Tuesday, Oct. 31 - Bemidji at Alexandria, Detroit Lakes at Moorhead

● Championship Saturday, Nov. 4 - at highest seed.

8A champs to host state playoff game

Winner of Thursday's Thief River Falls vs. Detroit Lakes Section 8A high school football championship game at the Fargodome will play host to a first round Class A state playoff game against either Glencoe-Silver Lake or Delano.

The Section 4A final matching the 6-2 Panthers and 6-4 Tigers will be played Friday at 7 p.m. at Glencoe-Silver Lake.

State playoff quarterfinals will be played Nov. 9 or 10. Semifinals and finals in all classes will be played at the Metrodome. The Section 8A/4A survivor will play a 5 p.m. semifinal game Friday, Nov. 18. Prep Bowl finals will be Friday, Nov. 24, with the Class A title game scheduled for 5 p.m.

While the Section 8A final matches the top two seeds in Detroit Lakes and Thief River Falls, the Section 4A championship match-up is a surprise with Glencoe-Silver Lake upsetting top-seeded Dassel-Cokato 14-3 and Delano knocking off Hutchinson, the title winner three of the past four years, 33-3 in last week's semifinals.

Five of the top 10 teams in the final Class A state poll failed to make the section finals stateside, including No. 3 Mahtomedi, No. 4 Albany, No. 5 Dassel-Cokato, No. 7 Foley, and No. 9 Proctor. Advancing to title games were No. 1 Totino-Grace in Section 3A, No. 2 Detroit Lakes in Section 8A, No. 6 Prior Lake in Section 1A, No. 8 International Falls in Section 7A, and No. 10 St. Peter in Section 2A.

The Fargodome will be the site of seven Minnesota State High School League sectional finals Thursday and Friday.

On Thursday, its Section 4 Nine-Man (Argyle vs. Stephen) at 3 p.m.; Section 2 Nine-Man (Underwood vs. Wheaton) at 5:30 p.m.; and Section 8A (Detroit Lakes vs. Thief River Falls) at 8 p.m.

Friday's Fargodome schedule includes Section 5C (Brandon-Evansville vs. Browerville) at 12:30 p.m.; Section 8C (Fosston vs. Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail) at 3 p.m.; Section 6C (Bertha-Hewitt vs. Hawley) at 5:30 p.m.; and Section 8B (Pelican Rapids vs. Breckenridge) at 8 p.m.

There will 25 minutes between games – 20 minutes for warm-ups and 5 minutes for introductions.

All-day admission prices are $2.50 for students and $5 for adults. There is a $2 parking fee at the Fargodome. There is no advance ticket sales for the Fargodome playoff games in Thief River Falls.

Class A Section Finals

1A - Northfield (8-2) at Prior Lake (9-1); 2A - Blue Earth Area (9-1) at St. Peter (9-1); 3A - Hill-Murray (6-4) at Totino-Grace (10-0); 4A - Delano (6-4) at Glencoe-Silver Lake (6-2); 5A - Spring Lake Park (7-3) at Mora (8-2); 6A - Sartell (6-4) at Melrose (8-2); 7A - Virginia (7-3) at International Falls (8-2); 8A - Detroit Lakes (10-0) vs. Thief River Falls (9-1) at the Fargodome

Class A State Playoffs

■ Quarterfinals Nov. 9 or 10 - (Upper Bracket) 7A at 1A; 4A at 8A; (Lower Bracket) 6A at 3A, 2A at 6A.

■ Semifinals - (at Metrodome) Upper Bracket winners, 5 p.m. Nov. 17; Lower Bracket winners, 5 p.m. Nov. 18.

■ Prep Bowl finals - (at Metrodome) 5 p.m. Nov. 24

Community pep fest scheduled Thursday

A community pep fest will be held Thursday at 2:15 p.m. in the Lincoln High School gym.

Thief River Falls will meet Detroit Lakes at 8 that night in the Section 8A football playoffs championship game at the Fargodome.

Recognition will also be given to other Thief River Falls fall sports programs.

Fan buses planned for Fargodome trip

Fan bus sign-up for Thursday's Thief River Falls vs. Detroit Lakes Section 8A high school football playoff championship game is being accepted until 12-noon Thursday at the Lincoln High School activities office.

Buses will leave Lincoln by 5 p.m. en route to the Fargodome for the scheduled 8 p.m. kickoff.

Cost of the bus trip – being offered to adults and students – is $5.

Section 4 Nine-Man title game features rival Tigers, Eagles

Unbeaten Stephen and once-beaten Argyle (a loser only to the Tigers during the regular season), will meet again Thursday at 3 p.m. in the Section 4 Nine-Man high school football playoff finals at the Fargodome.

Stephen handled Kittson County North 30-14 and Argyle stopped defending state champion Kittson Central 26-6 in the Saturday semifinals.

Lincoln High School cross country coach Caara Holmstrom (left) will accompany Becky Mooney to the 1995 state cross country meet Saturday at St. Olaf College in Northfield. Mooney earned a state meet trip with a fifth place finish in the Section 8AA race.

Mooney will run in state meet

Thief River Falls sophomore Becky Mooney is headed for St. Olaf College in Northfield Saturday to compete in the girls 1995 Class AA state high school cross country meet.

Mooney finished fifth in Friday's Section 8AA race at St. Cloud to earn the state meet berth.

With the top five sectional runners advancing to state, Mooney edged the No. 6 finisher by four seconds – a fact that Thief River Falls coach Caara Holmstrom was unaware of until minutes later.

Instead of standing at the finish line, Holmstrom had elected to go several hundred yards out on the course to shout finishing-kick encouragement to her runner. "She was battling with a couple of other girls for the No. 5 spot," explained Holmstrom, "and from where I was standing, it looked like they had beaten her. I didn't find out until about five minutes later she had made it. It was pretty exciting. She's worked hard for this moment, and that dedication has paid off."

The state meet features a combination of Class AA and Class A boys and girls races – the boys covering 5,000 meters and the girls 4,000 meters. The Class AA boys will run at 10 a.m.; Class AA girls at 11 a.m.; Class A boys at 1 p.m. and Class A girls at 2 p.m.

Alexandria won both the boys and girls Section 8AA team titles. Thief River Falls girls, with Lisa Swanson's 12th place finish complementing Mooney's showing, wound up seventh. The Thief River Falls boys trailed the field at 15th. Eighth grader Brady Anderson was the top runner for the Thief River Falls boys, finishing 80th.

"All of the kids ran well," said Holmstrom. "They did a nice job."

Mandy Dockendorf of Rocori and Kori Kuhn of Brainerd were the individual Section 8AA winners.

Section 8AA Girls

■ Team totals - Alexandria 44, Rocori 58, Bemidji 81, Moorhead 132, Brainerd 168, Detroit Lakes 192, Thief River Falls 196, Little Falls 216, Sauk Rapids 232, St. Cloud Apollo 234, St. Cloud Tech 278, Pine River-Backus 280, Princeton 286, Elk River 376, Fergus Falls 426.

■ State qualifiers - 1. Mandy Dockendorf, Rocori, 15:35; 2. Tanya Prince, Bemidji, 15:41; 3. Kari Breitkruetz, Alexandria, 15:53; 4. Kelli Howell, Alexandria, 15:54; 5. Becky Mooney, Thief River Falls, 16:01. Other TRF places - 12. Lisa Swanson, 16:21; 23. Kate Ihle, 16:44; 67. Emily Mugaas, 18:10; 69. Angie Klinker, 19:30; 97. Laurel Ronchetti, 21:01.

Section 8AA Boys

■ Team totals - Alexandria 43, Brainerd 100, Rocori 122, Little Falls 126, Elk River 128, Moorhead 149, Detroit Lakes 174, Sauk Rapids 210, St. Cloud Tech 220, Bemidji 223, St. Cloud Apollo 273, Fergus Falls 285, Pine River-Backus 337, Princeton 464, Thief River Falls 467.

■ State qualifiers - 1. Kori Kuhn, Brainerd, 16:24; 2. Steve Lalim, Little Falls, 16:36; 3. Chris Rogers, Moorhead, 16:37; 4. Andy Kavers, Alexandria, 16:38; 5. Eric Quam, Alexandria, 16:42. TRF places - 80. Brady Anderson, 19:16; 87. Ronnie Lund, 19:39; 99. Dewey Worker, 21:02; 100. Seth Harlow, 21:35; 101. Brendon Gerardy, 22:40; 102. Ryan Hendrickson, 23:15; 103. Hamilton Keele, 26:03.

Prowlers beat Panthers second time

■ Thief River Falls wins Section 8A football semifinal game 25-7

A second quarter injury suffered by halfback Nick Chiodo, a muddy track and continued success through the middle by fullback Aaron Ehrenstrom simplified the Thief River Falls offense Saturday. But it didn't slow the Prowlers down. Ehrenstrom carried 26 times for 180 yards in a 25-7 Section 8A high school football playoff semifinal decision over Park Rapids Area.

It was the Prowlers' second win over the Panthers this fall, and their ninth straight victory since a season-opening 34-15 loss to Detroit Lakes – their Thursday night sectional title game opponent at the Fargodome.

A fumble recovery and return for a touchdown by the Panthers' James Schafer in the second quarter was the only blemish on what otherwise would have been the second straight post-season shutout for the Prowlers, who blanked Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 41-0 in the opening round quarterfinals the previous Tuesday.

"Defensively we played well all year, and it seems in the first two playoff games we've stepped it up even a notch higher," said Thief River Falls coach Jeff Mumm. "I thought the kids did a tremendous job defensively."

Prowler Field, chopped up and muddied by heavy regular season use, was doctored into pretty good shape for the playoff game against Long Prairie-Grey Eagle, but a day-long rain Saturday found the two teams quickly turning it into a sea of mud. "It was terrible," acknowledged Mumm.

However, the Prowlers, especially Ehrenstrom, proved to be good mudders. "Ernie ran hard and the offensive line was unbelievable," said Mumm. "They dominated up front."

A first-possession touchdown gave Thief River Falls an early 7-0 lead on a 10-yard run by Paul Kopari and a conversion kick by Chane Keefe.

Keith Anderson and Kyle Nelson hooked up on an 8-yard touchdown pass for a 13-0 lead before Schafer's 56-yard jaunt cut the gap to 13-7.

The Prowlers answered, however, with a 3-yard touchdown run by Ehrenstrom for a 19-7 halftime lead, and Ehrenstrom closed out the scoring with a 4-yard touchdown run in the third quarter.

Chiodo had 45 yards on 7 carries before leaving with an ankle sprain. Chiodo is also a defensive back, and with the secondary already missing starter Jason Breiland, Kurt Edwards, Karl Anderson and Josh Harris were called on to form the final line of the Thief River Falls defense. And they met the challenge, according to Mumm, who said the makeshift secondary "did a great job."

Park Rapids Area finished the 1995 season 7-3, losing only to Section 8A finalists Detroit Lakes and Thief River Falls. The Panthers' regular season appearance at Prowler Field resulted in a 34-14 setback.

Statistics

	TRF	PR
First Downs	17	6
Rushing attempts-yards	49-318	31-98
Pass att-comp-int	7-1-0	9-3-1
Yards passing	8	10
Total offensive yards	326	108
Fumbles-fumbles lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties-yards	5-55	5-31
Punts-average	4-39.3	5-23.4

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Park Rapids Area	0	7	0	0	7
Thief River Falls	13	6	6	0	25

TRF - Paul Kopari, 10-yard run; Chane Keefe kick.

TRF - Kyle Nelson, 8-yard pass from Keith Anderson; run failed.

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Pioneers play well, but lose to division champ

Northland Community and Technical College volleyball team ended its 1995 season with a strong effort – but a loss – Thursday against Minnesota Community College Conference Northern Division leader Central Lakes.

The Brainerd-based Raiders held off the upset-minded Pioneers 13-15, 15-13, 15-7, 9-15, 15-9. The match, played in Thief River Falls, featured a Game 5 rally-point finish.

"It was a tremendous team effort," said Northland coach Shari Olson. "The team executed every aspect of the game. It was a great way to end the season with a team of all freshmen. We look forward to next year's season."

Central Lakes, in addition to being one of the top teams in the MCCC, is ranked No. 3 in the NJCAA Region 13 polls.

Northland finished the year 6-13 overall, 4-10 in the Northern Division.

NCTC Statistics

■ Kills - Jenny Smith 17, Jenny Steen 9, Stacy Stanwick 6, Ali Hietala 7, Carrie Lawrence 7, LaVonne Nelson 4, Erika Halvorson 2

■ Assists - Hietala 16, Stanwick 12, Smith 5, Steen 4, Halvorson 4, Nelson 3, Lawrence 2, Sugden 1

■ Service aces - Stanwick 2, Halvorson 2, Sugden 2, Lawrence 1, Smith 1, Steen 1.

■ Blocks - Steen 4, Nelson 3, Lawrence 2, Hietala 1

■ Digs - Hietala 8

Mumm, Sims to be Boosters speakers

Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club will meet Thursday at 12-noon at the Elks.

Guest speakers will be Lincoln High School head football coach Jeff Mumm and Jim Sims, Director of Student Activities for School District 564.

Northland football team has 2-6 year

Central Lakes' Sam Standard rushed for 275 yards and scored three touchdowns Saturday to lead the Raiders past Northland 26-6 in a Minnesota Community College Conference football game played at Staples.

The game wrapped up a 2-6 season for both teams, with both also going 2-3 in the MCCC Northern Division.

Behind Standard, Central Lakes out-gained Northland 323-56 on the ground and finished with a 385-132 edge in total yards.

The loss snapped a brief two-game, late-season winning streak for the Pioneers, who began the year with five straight losses.

Northland trailed only 12-6 through three quarters, but watched Standard break away for a 62-yard touchdown run in the final period.

It was a disappointing finish, acknowledged Northland coach Gene Klinke. "I don't think we were ready to play a football game," he said. "We were geared for a possible playoff game, and we found out in mid-week we weren't going to be in it. It was a big mental letdown to know the game meant absolutely nothing. We weren't mentally ready to play, and that's my fault as the head coach – I didn't have my team ready to play."

MCCC state playoffs start Saturday with Southern Division runner-up Willmar playing Northern Division champion Vermilion in Ely and Northern Division runner-up Mesabi going on the road to take on Southern Division champion Rochester.

State playoff title game will be played Saturday, Nov. 11, at St. Cloud State University.

Vermilion and Mesabi both went 4-1 in the Northern Division, but the Ironmen gained the title because of the tie-breaking head-to-head results. Vermilion's only loss this year was at the hands of Northland. Itasca wound up third in the Northern Division at 3-2, followed by Central Lakes and Northland, and 0-5 Hibbing.

Statistics

	NCTC	CL
First Downs	7	15
Rushing attempts-yards	37-56	44-323
Pass att-comp-int	19-5-4	15-7-1
Yards passing	76	62
Total offensive yards	132	385
Fumbles-fumbles lost	5-3	2-1
Punts-average	7-28.5	5-39.5

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Northland	6	0	0	0	6
Central Lakes	12	0	0	14	26

CL - Sam Standard, 11-yard run; run failed

CL - Standard, 10-yard run; run failed

NCTC - Mason Thompson, 7-yard run, run failed

CL - Standard, 62-yard run, Mike Aho pass from Hans Albrecht

CL - Aho, 20-yard run, run failed

Top Individuals

● Rushing (NCTC) Brent Miller 24-66, Mason Thompson 4-12. (CL) Sam Standard 28-275

● Passing - (NCTC) Eddie Fluerant 5-for-11, 76 yards, 2 interceptions; (CL) Hans Albrecht 7-for-15, 62 yards, 1 interception

■ Receiving - (NCTC) Eric Hamre 3-67, Brent Miller 2-8; (CL) Lee Jackson 2-11, Kevin Resch 2-26, Mike Aho 1-25.

Bears, Greyhounds meet in Section 8C final at Fargodome

No. 1-seeded Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail and No. 4-seeded Fosston will meet Friday at 3 p.m. in the Section 8C high school football playoff finals at the Fargodome.

The Bears knocked off second-seeded Red Lake Falls 30-12 and the Greyhounds eliminated top-seeded Blackduck 8-6 in the semifinals Saturday.

Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail, a Nine-Man team during the regular season, is 10-0. Fosston is 8-2.

The winner will be on the road for the first round of the Class C state playoffs - facing the Section 5C winner, either Brandon-Evansville or Browerville.

Freshmen end '95 volleyball season

Thief River Falls freshmen finished their 1995 volleyball season Saturday by participating in the Crookston Invitational.

The format featured a four-team bracket for both A and B teams.

Thief River Falls won the B title and finished second in the A group.

A Results

■ Semifinals - Thief River Falls def. East Grand Forks 15-7, 15-8, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Crookston

■ Finals - (championship) Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Thief River Falls 18-16, 15-10, (third place) Crookston def. East Grand Forks 15-12, 13-15, 15-7.

B Results

■ Semifinals - Thief River Falls def. East Grand Forks 15-8, 15-7, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Crookston 15-7, 15-12.

■ Finals - (championship) Thief River Falls def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 18-16, 15-8; (third place) East Grand Forks def. Crookston 18-16, 15-6

City Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
[illegible]	5	0
[illegible]	5	0
[illegible]	2	0
[illegible]	3	1
[illegible]	3	1
[illegible]	2	2
[illegible]	1	1
[illegible]	1	3
[illegible]	0	5
[illegible]	0	8
[illegible]	0	8

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	12	0
Double D Bees	11	1
Budweiser	8	4
Thrifty White Drug	8	4
Clip-N Ten	7	5
Arctco	5	6
Tim Loeffler Agency	3	9
PCR Graphics	1	11
Diane's Daycare-Lavonne's	0	12

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	6	0
Bud Light	6	2
Universal Screenprint	6	2
Cellular 2000	6	2
Doc's Jocks	5	3
Unpredictables	4	4
Carvers	3	5
Tunberg Motor Co	2	4
500 Club	1	5
[illegible] Guard	1	5
Cactus Club	0	8

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Miller Lite	11	1
Northwest Medical Center	11	1
St. Hilaire Elevator	0	3
LaVonne's Grocery	9	3
Legion	6	6
St. Hilaire Supply	6	6
Evergreen Eating Emporium	4	8
Digi Key II	2	10
Digi Key I	1	11
Robson Honey	1	11

Results

■ Monday, Oct. 23 - results not reported

■ Tuesday, Oct. 24 - (6:30 p.m.) Budweiser def. Diane's Daycare-Lavonne's Cafe, Thrifty White Drug def. PCR Graphics. (7 p.m.) Double D Bees def. Budweiser, Thrifty White Drug def. Tim Loeffler Agency. (7:30 p.m.) Arctco def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe, Clip-N Ten def. PCR Graphics. (8 p.m.) Double D Bees def. Arctco, Narverud Cleaners def. Tim Loeffler Agency. (8:30 p.m.) Narverud Cleaners def. Clip-N Tan

■ Wednesday, Oct. 25 - (6 p.m.) Bud Light def. 500 Club, Primetime def. Carvers. (6:30 p.m.) Bud Light def. Universal Screenprint, Primetime def. Doc's Jocks. (7 p.m.) Unpredictables def. 500 Club, Carvers def. Cactus Club. (7:30 p.m.) Universal Screenprint def. Tunberg Motor Co., Cellular 2000 def. Doc's Jocks. (8 p.m.) Unpredictables def. Tunberg Motor Co., Cellular 2000 def. Cactus Club

■ Thursday, Oct. 26 - (6:30 p.m.) Miller Lite def. Digi Key I, LaVonne's Grocery def. Robson Honey. (7 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Digi Key I, LaVonne's Grocery def. Evergreen Eating Emporium. (7:30 p.m.) Miller Lite def. Legion, St. Hilaire Elevator def. Robson Honey. (8 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Digi Key II; Northwest Medical Center def. Evergreen Eating Emporium. (8:30 p.m.) Legion def. Digi-Key II, Northwest Medical Center def. St. Hilaire Elevator.

Ruffed Grouse Society contributes to projects

Ruffed Grouse Society recently contributed $600 toward forest wildlife habitat management efforts for the Thief Lake project in Marshall County.

The project is similar to more than 300 such public-land efforts in 24 states and five Canadian provinces that benefit from cooperative management between resource agencies and the Ruffed Grouse Society.

Marshall County project is part of the Ruffed Grouse Society Management Area Program, which began in 1985 with one site in north-central Wisconsin and now covers more than 400,000 acres – a means for the group to assist land managers who oversee public forests by providing technical and financial support for woodland wildlife habitat improvements. These management sites are located on federal, state and county lands.

The Thief Lake project is part of the Thief Lake Wildlife Management Area, but acreage for the Ruffed Grouse Society site has not yet been determined. Work at the site, which is administered by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, includes establishing a vegetative cover on existing timber access roads. This habitat improvement will help to maintain logging roads used by area sportsmen.

Often, the Ruffed Grouse Society financially assists land managers with the up-grade, construction and maintenance of logging roads. In turn, the land managers usually agree to apply sound forest wildlife habitat improvements, where applicable, along the roadways and in surrounding areas.

There are also three projects in the works in Beltrami County, four in Roseau County and one in Lake of the Woods County.

Ruffed Grouse Society's objective is to produce quality habitat for ruffed grouse and the many other wildlife species that also dwell in the young, dense forests preferred by grouse. These species include American woodcock, deer, rabbits and various types of songbirds.

A nonprofit organization, the Ruffed Grouse Society currently has a membership of approximately 23,000, primarily in the United States and Canada.

Middle School

Franklin Middle School eighth grade volleyball teams completed their 1995 season Saturday at the Warren Invitational.

The A team beat East Grand Forks 15-10, 3-15, 15-9, but lost to Crookston 15-12, 15-7 to finish second.

Franklin B team defeated Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 15-9, 15-9 and outlasted Crookston 16-14, 10-15, 15-9 for the title.

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8A volleyball field is set

Fisher/Climax will face Roseau at 6:30 p.m. and Cass Lake-Bena takes on Ada-Borup at 8 Friday in the opening round semifinals of the Section 8A high school volleyball tournament.

Saturday's finals include the third place match at 6:30 p.m. and championship match at 8.

The tournament takes place at the University of Minnesota-Crookston.

Cass Lake-Bena beat Walker-Hackensack-Akeley 15-6, 15-4, 15-5 in the Sub-Section 29A finals at Bemidji State University Friday.

Ada-Borup won the Sub-Section 30A title at UMC, sweeping Win-E-Mac 15-8, 15-5, 15-4 in the Friday finals.

Fisher/Climax stopped Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 15-3, 15-12, 15-1 in the Sub-Section 31A title match Saturday at UMC.

Sub-Section 32A was completed Monday at Northland Community and Technical College, where Roseau outlasted rival Warroad in the finals 15-5, 9-15, 15-13, 13-15, 15-8.

Takedown Club will meet Monday night

New head high school wrestling coach John Belyea will be introduced Monday, Nov. 6, at a Thief River Falls Takedown Club meeting, scheduled to be held at 7 p.m. in the Lincoln High School Cafeteria.

All parents of Prowler wrestlers are invited to attend the meeting.

Prowlers advance

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PR - James Schafer, 56-yard fumble recovery return, Mark Jacobson kick.

TRF - Aaron Ehrenstrom, 3-yard run, pass failed

TRF - Ehrenstrom, 4-yard run, run failed.

Top Individuals

■ Rushing (TRF) Aaron Ehrenstrom 26-180, Paul Kopari 6-60, Nick Chiodo 7-45, (PR) Corey Jendra 7-20, Ryan Breitbach 7-22

■ Passing - (TRF) Keith Anderson 1-for-7, 8 yards, 0 interceptions; (PR) Ben Gehrts 3-for-9, 10 yards, 1 interception.

■ Receiving - (TRF) Kyle Nelson 1-8, (PR) Isaac Hjermstad 2-8.

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High school volleyball...

Tournament losses end season for area squads

Marshall County Central wound up with a fourth place finish in the 1995 Sub-Section 32A high school volleyball tournament that wrapped up Monday at Thief River Falls' Northland Community and Technical College.

The Nordics advanced in post-season play with a 3-0 first round win over Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke and 3-1 quarterfinal victory over Tri-County before losing a 3-2 semifinal decision to Warroad. Lake of the Woods was a 3-2 winner over Marshall County Central in the third place match.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, a 3-1 first-round winner over Stephen, was eliminated by Roseau in the quarterfinals, 3-1.

In Sub-Section 31A, Red Lake County Central beat Crookston 3-0 in a first round match, lost to Warren-Alvarado 3-0 in the semifinals and fell to Red Lake Falls 2-0 in the third place match Saturday.

The Nordics finished the year 17-11, Mustangs 16-12-1, Gators 12-15, and Wolverines 4-15.

Sub-Section 32A

■ Quarterfinals Thursday, Oct. 26 - Roseau def. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 15-13, 14-16, 15-9, 15-4; Lake of the Woods def. Kittson Central 16-8, 15-6, 16-14; Marshall County Central def. Tri-County 9-15, 15-4, 15-8, 15-13; Warroad def. Kittson County North 15-5, 15-5, 15-2.

■ Semifinals Friday, Oct. 27 - Roseau def. Lake of the Woods 15-13, 15-2, 15-6, Warroad def. Marshall County Central 14-16, 15-14, 9-15, 15-13, 15-12.

■ Finals Monday, Oct. 30 - (championship) Roseau def. Warroad 15-5, 9-15, 15-13, 13-15, 15-8; (third place) Lake of the Woods def. Marshall County Central 13-16, 15-8, 15-2, 8-15, 15-13.

Sub-Section 32A

■ Semifinals Thursday, Oct. 26 - Fisher/Climax def. Red Lake Falls 17-15, 15-4, 14-16, 11-15, 15-10, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo def. Red Lake County Central 15-8, 15-13, 15-7.

■ Finals Saturday, Oct. 28 - (championship) Fisher/Climax def. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 15-3, 15-12, 15-1; (third place) Red Lake Falls def. Red Lake County Central 15-12, 15-2.

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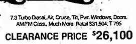

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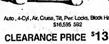

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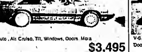

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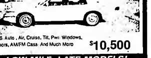

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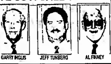

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Safety tips are listed for lever action guns

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources officials urge deer hunters using a lever action rifle that there are several ways the gun can accidently discharge.

■ When chambering: To chamber a round in a lever action rifle the lever is moved forward and then back. The movement of the lever also cocks the hammer. As the lever is moved the trigger is fully exposed. If the trigger is hit as the lever is moved the gun will fire.

■ When placing the hammer at half-cock: A round has been chambered but the hammer is fully cocked. Unless the gun is fitted or unloaded properly the hammer should be placed on the half-cock position. To do this the hammer is held in place with the thumb while trigger is pulled and the hammer is lowered to half-cock. If the hammer should slip from the thumb as the trigger is pulled, the gun will fire. This risk is greater for beginners with soft trigger and hammer pulls.

■ If the hammer is not at half-cock: A round has been chambered but the hammer is fully cocked. Unless the gun is fitted or unloaded properly the hammer should be placed on the half-cock position. To do this the hammer is held in place with the thumb while trigger is pulled and the hammer is lowered to half-cock. If the hammer should slip from the thumb as the trigger is pulled, the gun will fire. This risk is greater for beginners with soft trigger and hammer pulls.

The hammer on a lever action rifle is designed so that it can be fired cocked. But most of the time, gun safety is better if the hammer is left at half-cock. Some of the safety features of the lever action rifle are designed so that if the hammer of a lever action rifle is cocked and the trigger is pulled even when the hammer is at the half-cock position.

■ When unloading: The first step that is explained here is unloading the lever action rifle. The safety is engaged. The safety disengages when unloading the gun. That is, not only the safety engagement easily engaged by fingerprints and excessive oil, but also the safety is disengaged. Also, if the hammer is not at half-cock, the

Vandalism and accidents listed

Law enforcement officials received a number of reports of vandalism to Halloween decorations in the past week. Also during the past week, law enforcement officials investigated a number of accidents.

Vandalism. On October 24 at 8:35 p.m. police received a call to the 400 block of South Markley. Juveniles were damaging Halloween decorations. A witness was following the youth. They were later found and identified. Four juvenile males ages 16 and 17 face charges of criminal damage to property. Damage loss was estimated at about $30.

Accidents. On October 25 at 11:06 a.m. police received a report of an accident at County 22 and 64. Yvonne Elizabeth Philipp, Goodridge was driving a vehicle north on County road 22. Jarladine Kay Wallenberg, Goodridge, was driving a pickup east on County road 64. Wallenberg did not stop for the stop sign and the vehicles collided in the intersection. She will be cited for failure to stop for a stop sign and no proof of insurance. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to each vehicle.

On October 28 at 11:47 a.m. police received a report of an accident at Barzen and Highway 59. Jeffrey Paul Kazmierczak, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on Highway 1 and slowing to turn south, when a van driven by Wade Andrew Clisby, Winnipeg, west on Highway 59 attempted to pass on the left and the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Kazmierczak vehicle and $2,000 to the Clisby vehicle.

On October 30 at 6:44 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident on Highway 59 south of County road 59. Lone Ann Grove, Erskine, was driving a pickup north on Highway 59 swerved to miss a deer, lost control on icy roads, and the pickup rolled and came to rest facing south. The pickup was considered a total loss. Lone was not injured.

On October 30 at 7:04 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of First and Main. Roxanne Marie Zavoral, St. Hilaire, was driving a truck north on Highway 32 and was making a right turn and slid into a car driven by Robert Leroy Thompson, Richfield, who was driving west on First Street. Damages were estimated at $500 to the Zavoral vehicle, and $900 to the Thompson vehicle.

Trespassing. On October 25 at 10:55 p.m. police received a report of trespassing. Terri Jean Stengrim, 23, Thief River Falls, faces a charge of trespassing following an incident at a local bar.

Assault. On October 27 at 1:30 a.m. police learned that Gerald Joseph Needham, 26, Redlake, was being charged with fifth degree assault after he struck a male juvenile at a local residence in Greendale Manor. The juvenile did nat require medical attention. Needham was also wanted on a warrant.

On October 29 at 3:15 a.m. police were called to a residence in the 500 block of North Main. A woman was grabbed by the throat and pushed. Charged with fifth degree assault and trespass is Michael Roy Nelson, 25, Thief River Falls.

On October 29 at 4 a.m. police charged Michael Allen Gunnarson, 22, Thief River Falls, following an assault on a 17-year-old male. In the same incident Christopher Lee Green, 18, Thief River Falls, will also be charged with fifth degree assault. The incident took place at Greendale Manor.

Thefts. On October 27 at 7:37 a.m. police responded to a report of a theft at SuperValue where a 16 and 17-year-old male both of Thief River Falls were caught shoplifting. Both face charges of theft.

On October 27 at 9:25 a.m. police received a report of a shoplifting at Erl's Market. A 66-year-old male of Newfolden faces a charge of theft.

Pennington county sheriff's department is charging the following individuals with issuance of worthless checks: Jill Marie Nelson, 36, Perley, $112.12; Kyle Warren Syverson, 18, Thief River Falls, $189.38; Daniel Ray Johnson, 23, Grand Forks, ND, $35; Robert John Bruun, 19, Thief River Falls, $28.60;

Disorderly conduct. On October 27 at 11:36 a.m. a disorderly prisoner caused problems at the law enforcement center and Robert Scott Meeshennow, 23, Bemidji, was cited for disorderly conduct.

On October 30 at 2:25 a.m. sheriff's deputies responded to an alarm at Petro Pumper. There were three subjects there causing a disturbance. Cited for disorderly conduct was Shane Douglas Wahl, 27, Thief River Falls.

Alcohol. On October 29 at 12:31 a.m. the sheriff' department stopped at a vehicle parked on County road 22 one and one-half miles south of Highway 1. Charged with furnishing alcohol to minors was Tami Ann Inman, 23, Middle River. Cited for allowing open bottle was Dustin Eugene Eddleman, 18, Thief River Falls. Two passengers, a 17-year-old female from Newfolden and a 17-year-old male from Thief River Falls were cited for consumption under age.

On October 29 at 2:15 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on County road 62. Charged with possession of a small amount of marijuana and allowing open bottle was William Marvin Yonke, 21, Thief River Falls. Johnnie Joe Gonzalez, 20, Thief River Falls, was charged with open bottle. Charged with consumption by a minor was Dan Jay Klopp, 18, Thief River Falls. Donny Ramirez, 18, Thief River Falls was charged with consumption by a minor.

On October 27 at 11:52 p.m. police responded to a complaint of a loud noise in the 1300 block of Dale Street. A subject was observed behind the wheel of a vehicle. In custody is David Scott Eggerud, 26, Thief River Falls, on charges of aggravated driving while intoxicated.

On October 29 at 2:57 a.m. the sheriff's department stopped a vehicle on Highway 32 and Oakland Park road. Arrested for driving while intoxicated was Jason Travis Patterson, 20, Thief River Falls. Cited far consumption under age was Traci Ann Olson, 19, Newfolden, and Tricia Marie Winter, 18, Thief River Falls.

TRF Sears store owners complete special training

Roger Evenson, and Rodney Knutson of Thief River Falls, who own and operate the Thief River Falls Sears authorized retail dealer store, recently completed a three day advanced training course that further developed expertise for name brand products offered at the store. This specialized Sears training, known as "DealerFest", occurs twice per year and is available for Sears authorized retail dealers nationwide.

"DealerFest was designed to strengthen brand knowledge and business skills so that store owner operators can offer the best product solutions to customers and grow strong businesses in their communities," said Steve Titus, divisional vice president, Sears dealer stores.

Danae Dekkers is assistant at Dordt College

Danae Dekkers, a sophomore at Dordt College in Sioux Center, IA, has been selected as a resident assistant for the 1995-96 school year. She is the daughter of Willard Dekkers and Beverly Dekkers of Thief River Falls.

Resident assistants are members of the student services staff who are responsible for the direct supervision of students assigned to their residence hall floor. They counsel and assist students and disseminate information.

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Speeding violations listed in Pennington Co. court reports

Several speeding violations were listed among the citations in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the past week.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Justine Keith Otterly, Thief River Falls, 27, 50/40, $64.50; DeeAnn Louise Klassen, Oklee, 30, 40/30, $64.50; MaCalalad Nitanor, Winnipeg, Manitoba, 38, 43/30, $76; Jeffrey Mark Storhaug, 30, driving after cancellation, $352.50; Todde Duaine Aubol, Thief River Falls, 26, assault in the fifth degree, $47.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for one year; Brock Charles Kuchan, Crookston, 20, consumption/minor adult, $87.50; Heath Anton Larson, Thief River Falls, 17, 56/40, $99; Anthony Jamie McEnelly, Thief River Falls, 20, driving under the influence, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Patrick Jerome Myhrer, St. Hilaire, 22, 40/30, $76; Jeffery Andrew Redden, Thief River Falls, 28, leaving the scene of an accident, $249;

Alana Joy Dodge, Grand Forks, ND, 40, theft of services under $200, $237.50, $80.80 restitution; Stephanie Renae Gillespie, Thief River Falls, 24, disorderly conduct, $37.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Jason Mark Paggen, Thief River Falls, 23, 46/30, $87.50; Mitchell David Scramstad, Thief River Falls, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Howard Palmer Degerness, Roseau, 80, 60/45, $87.50; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, theft under $200, $137.50, $200 restitution, or 20 days in jail; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, trespassing, $37.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Lars Rolla Johnson, Crookston, 20, consumption under 21, $87.50; Lisa Michelle Phelps, Thief River Falls, 20, inattentive driving, $122.50; Scott Howard Rood, Thief River Falls, 36, drinking in public, $53.50; Rory Keith Anderson, Thief River Falls, 41, 48/15, expired driver's license, $129.50; Eric Lee Haller, Crookston, 19, consumption under 21, $87.50; Carlos Villegas, Thief River Falls, 18, window tint too dark, $76.

Pennington county sheriff department cases: Steven Gregory Panek, Goodridge, 32, obstructing legal process, $242.50, 180 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Robert James Beachard, Thief River Falls, 23, fifth degree assault, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Fred Belgarde, Grand Forks, ND, 76, open bottle/passenger, $82.50; Cynthia Marie Berg, Baudette, 37, issue worthless checks, $10, and $83.50 restitution, or 10 days in jail; Samuel Amos Deppa, Viking, 22, issuance of worthless checks, $5, and $41.65, or 10 days in jail; Joaquin Julis Lara, El Paso, TX, 25, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year;

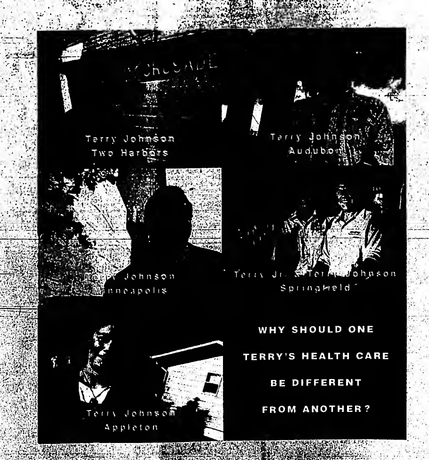
Candace Rae Lawrence, Grand Forks, ND, 37, no Minnesota driver's license, open bottle/driver, $252.50; Nicole Marie Shivers, Ada, 18, issue dishonred check, $167.50, $38 restitution; Mark Wade Stotts, Roseau, 22, issue worthless check, $5, $35.96 restitution, or 10 days in jail; Karen Lynn Griffin, Thief River Falls, 38, 65/55, $64.50; Truman Thomas Reed, Thief River Falls, 19, 69/55, $76; William Edward Nelson, Thief River Falls, 25, permitting public nuisance, $75.50.

Minnesota state highway department cases: Lori Kim Bollinger, Grand Forks, ND, 40, 69/55, $76; Duane Gerald Stoltman, Thief River Falls, 24, 68/55, no corrective lens, $141; Donald Raymond Erickson, Crookston, 58, driving under the influence, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years; Dallas Aaron Germundson, Thief River Falls, 16, 65/55, $64.50; Ronald Erick Kiesow, Goodridge, 29, 75/55, $87.50; Arlene Margaret Peterson, Plummer, 53, 65/55, $64.50; Jessica Ann Vandestreek, Thief River Falls, 21, seat belt, $47.25; Robert Mylo Burge Jr., Park Falls, WI, 43, 65/55, $64.50; Enterprize Rent-A-Car, Grand Forks, ND, no Minnesota registration, $65.50; Truxton Dean Anderson, Redlake, 38, 65/55, $64.50; Frederick F. Scheppler, III, Montreal, WI, 45, 65/55, $76.

Animals being held at TRF animal pound

Several animals are being held at the animal pound in Thief River Falls. Anyone who would like to adopt the pets or claim them should contact the law enforcement center at 681-6161.

Pets held at the animal pound include: a gray male cat picked up on South Crocker; a orange male cat picked up at a trailer court; a gray male cat picked up on South Crocker; a male yellow lab picked up on Kendall Avenue; and a female brown and white springer picked up in Goodridge.



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The Second Sectio

Lydia (Kristan Saustad, right), a student at the school, flirts with James (James Agnitsch) while Sarah watches. The scene is from the Northland Community College fall play "Children of a Lesser God," which will be presented for the public Thursday through Saturday, November 2-4, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, November 5, at 2 p.m. in the college theatre. Ticket information is available by calling Northland at 681-0717.

Minnesota business expansions surged to record level in 1994

Manufacturers undergoing expansion contributed to a record high level of manufacturing employment in the 12 months ending September 30, 1994, according to the Business Tracking System (BTS) report issued by the Minnesota Department of Trade and Economic Development. Start-up and expansion jobs in manufacturing increased 12 per cent over the previous year. Manufacturing job losses from both contractions and business closings dropped by 13 per cent. As a result, more than 14,000 net new manufacturing jobs in Minnesota were created in the 12-month period, nearly double the number created in the previous 12 months.

In total, Minnesota businesses created more than 69,000 jobs in the 12 months ending September 30, 1994, a 77 per cent jump from the previous 12 months. Fewer businesses failed during that period, also, improving the net number of people holding jobs in Minnesota.

The strong job growth resulted in historic low unemployment in some industries and even created spot labor shortages.

"We appear to have reached a point in the current economic recovery of heavy capital investment and job creation," said Jay Novak, Commissioner of Trade and Economic Development. "The pace of job creation in manufacturing is unusually strong."

The report also includes quarterly data for the fourth quarter of 1994. For that quarter, most Minnesota businesses experienced the expected seasonal slowdown, although retail trade picked up sharply over the holidays. Retail merchants nearly doubled the number of new hires from the previous quarter. Mailorder sales also picked up, resulting in 3,000 jobs statewide added by new and expanding telemarketing companies.

The Department of Trade and Economic Development publishes the quarterly Business Tracking System report with data on new business formation, business closings and expansions, and the number of jobs created or lost. For a copy of the current BTS report (combined 12-month/fourth quarter 1994), call 612-296-1778.

Polaris reports record sales but lower profits

Polaris Industries Inc. has announced record sales for the third quarter ended September 30, but earnings, as predicted, declined from last year's record third quarter. The company said the decline in third quarter earnings was expected and is principally the result of the devaluation of the dollar versus the Japanese yen. Sales increases are attributed to continued strong sales of its snowmobiles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), personal watercraft and related parts, garments and accessories.

Polaris reported third quarter net income of $18,544,000 on sales of $291,431,000, versus net income of $21,611,000 on sales of $258,370,000 for the same period one year ago. As anticipated, net income on a per share basis declined slightly from $1.18 per share of common stock pre-split, (split-adjusted to $0.78) to $1 per share of common stock pre-split (split-adjusted to $.67). As previously announced, a 3-for-2 stock split for shareholders of record on September 25 will be issued on October 17.

For the first three quarters of 1995, Polaris reported record sales of $831,581,000, an increase of 42 per cent over the same period in 1994. Net income for the nine month period was a record $44,019,000 or $2.38 per share of common stock pre-split, split-adjusted to $1.59, an increase of 25 per cent over the nine months 1994 pro-forma net income of $35,103,000, or $1.91 per share pre-split, split-adjusted to $1.27 per share.

Polaris Chairman and Chief Executive Officer W. Hall Wendel Jr., said fourth quarter sales are expected to be up over the fourth quarter of 1994, but fourth quarter earnings per share are expected to fall short of last year's record as a result of the dollar versus the yen. Both sales and earnings for the full year of 1995 are expected to exceed 1994's record levels, Wendel said.

Overall, year-to-date sales are up 42 per cent over 1994, and year-to-date earnings are u 25 per cent. Retail demand remains strong, Wendel said, with season-ending inventories for ATVs and PWC at typically low levels, and early-season snowmobile retail sales meeting expectations.

Wendel added, "At Polaris, our focus is on long-term sustainable growth and profitability, rather than comparing quarter-to-quarter numbers. With our new domestic engine manufacturing facility, we are well-positioned for that growth and better insulated against unfavorable exchange rates."

Earlier this month, Polaris announced it would begin manufacturing its own engines for some 1996 PWC models at its Osceola, WI, plant. Producing its own engines, combined with Polaris' joint venture with Fuji Heavy Industries to manufacture engines in Hudson, WI, is expected to measurably reduce the impact of dollar-to-yen fluctuations in future years, Wendel said.

At its recent dealer meetings, Polaris introduced five new ATV models and seven new PWC models for 1996. "Dealer response to the new models has been very enthusiastic," Wendel said.

The financial condition of the company remains strong. Before payment of approximately $34,975,000 for the last of the three special cash distributions on October 3, 1995, Polaris ended the quarter on September 30, 1995, with debt of $25,000,000. Management anticipates that all debt incurred for the special cash distributions will be retired within 18 months.

Solberg gains promotion to region manager

Rick Solberg, a native of the Warren area and a 1970 graduate of Warren high school, has been promoted from the Warren office to regional manager of the East Region of Farm Credit Services of Grand Forks, ND.

The region serves Marshall, Polk, Pennington, Red Lake, Kittson, Roseau, Beltrami, Clearwater, Lake of the Woods and Koochiching counties.

James pleads with Sarah to come back to him in this scene from "Children of a Lesser God," the Northland Community and Technical College fall play to be presented Thursday through Saturday, November 2-4, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, November 5, at 2 p.m. in the college theatre in Thief River Falls. James is played by James Agnitsch and Sarah by Mishelle Prior. At right is Darel Delage who plays the role of Mother.

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Plummer Community News

Effie Byer
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Kathy's note: My thanks go out to all the great people of Plummer who came to our Halloween meal. I hope this will be the start of a great fall and winter with good meals, friendship and lots of fun. Please let me know what your ideas are for after our meals. Our center has crafts, may have card games, movies, wood making and anything you may suggest. Call Kathy Juneau at 465-6248 for reservations. We also deliver meals at no extra cost. I hope we will be seeing more of our friends from both Plummer and Brooks.

After church brunch guests at the home of Fern and Marin Eskeli were Gloria and Art Fossum, Kathy and Ron Juneau, Rosemary and Melvin Eskeli.

New Arrival

Arlys and Roger Konickson proudly announce the arrival of a new granddaughter born on October 9th. Jennie Rae was born to Lena and Steve Fulkummer of Duluth who have an older son. Great grandparents in this area are Alyce Konickson of rural Red Lake Falls, Oscar and Edna Moeserdol of Thief River Falls.

New Arrival

Congratulations to Kim and Minette Carpenter on the birth of their first child! Nicholas Mark was born on October 17th weighing in at 7 pounds and 13 ounces. Grandparents are Jean Carpenter and the late Eugene Carpenter, John and Jackie McManus of Big Cormorant Lake.

Emilie Skjerven was a Thursday visitor of Wavell Sorenson.

Muriel and Vern Thomas of East Grand Forks, Marie Foster and Bill Swick of St. Paul, Arlene and Rick Froiland were last Sunday dinner guests of Art and Avis Froiland. Charles and Idelle Samuelson of Thief River Falls and Clarence Medchill of the Cities came to visit in the evening.

Norma Miller and daughters Sharon and Marlys of California were Tuesday dinner guests of Art and Avis Froiland.

Birthday

Sheila and Tony Gerardy hosted a surprise birthday party on Friday night for her grandmother Willie Prestegaard of Thief River Falls. Family members who gathered to celebrate were Eugene Prestegaard, Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Renee Accerbo of Eau Claire, WI, John, Maren and Delaine Hammer of rural Thief River Falls, Russell Sorenson of Roseau, Rebecca, Tom, Tricia and Todd Willett, Mallory Brett and Abigail Gerardy.

Steven Vigstol and sons Derek and Adam of St. Francis arrived on Friday evening at the Byer home to spend the weekend returning to their home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Skattel of Red Lake Falls were Friday evening visitors of George and Hazel Ollie.

Birthday!

Leonard and Margaret Johnson, Orrin, Phyllis and Ann Linder, John and Jane Kotaloe and family of rural Oklee helped Inga Linder celebrate her birthday over the weekend.

Karen Lowell and Nick Johnson of New York Mills were Saturday visitors of her mother Amelia Eskeli.

Guests at Bunny DuChamp's home on Saturday for a wild game dinner were Brent and Linda Hemley, Lindsey and Riley Byron and Sharon Rosten, Aaron, Catherine and Tracy, Randy and Chad Pahlen, Jim and Deb DuChamp, Chris and Marci and Robbi Berberich.

Eldon, Karen and Karl Vigstol spent the weekend touring the North Shore as far north as Grand Portage. They also visited the Glen Sheen Mansion on Duluth.

Dennis and Evelyn Warnes of Morris visited with Effie Byer on Saturday afternoon.

Vacation Trip

Pastor Clarence and Alice Johnson returned on Saturday night from a trip to Antioch, CA to visit their son David and his wife. They flew from Grand Forks to Oakland, CA where the young folks met them. While there they flew to Vancouver, British Columbia and saw the Capital at Victoria and the Buchart Gardens (55 acres of flowers in beautiful beds in an old quarry). They also saw the sights of Seattle, WA, including the Space Needle and coming back to California they enjoyed the Monterey Peninsula Drive and toured the Winchester House. They reported a wonderful trip! Welcome back, folks!

Funeral

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Evert Peterson whose funeral was held on Monday at the Brooks-Plummer Presbyterian church in Plummer with Reverend Bob Schurr officiating.

Church Directory

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
121 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Caryl Rothchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
Gaven & Marcia Sylvester, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Thursday, Nov. 2— Worship and music at 7 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 5— God's Child and Kings Kids at 2 p.m.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. Bible Camp Songfest (Redeemer) at 7 p.m. Installation of Pastors.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school is followed by worship service.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Gary Johnson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Richard Lundgren, Interim Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4718
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. - Joy 4 Kids Children's church; Sunday school (Ages 2-Adult) at 9:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Worship Services: Sundays (Lois Ball preaches, Orin Green leads in worship) at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9 a.m.

ST. BERNARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
105 Knight Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Father Joe DeCrans, Pastor
Father Tim Bushy, Associate Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-Noon, 12:30-5
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wollenzien, Pastor; Timothy M. Bauer, Pastor
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
211 Arnold Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Curtis D. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sich, Associate
Edsel Lindquist, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3855
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday Bible school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m.; Evening Bible Hour at 6:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Baptist General Conference
414 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Ron Gullman, Senior Pastor
681-2477
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.

ABUNDANT LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
1602 Pennington Avenue, Thief River Falls
Wesley Langaas, Pastor
Office Hours: Tues.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-2300
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

PRECIOUS SEED BAPTIST CHURCH
Independent
1007 County Road 62, Thief River Falls
Bob Waterbury, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-12 Noon • 681-3842
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Evening services at 7 p.m.

CHURCH ON THE MOVE
1563 Highway 59 Southeast, Thief River Falls
Cameron Stratton, Pastors
Peter and Greer Mevis, Children's Ministers
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move Children's church.

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Nondenominational
Highway 1 East, Rt. 4 Box 11A, Thief River Falls
Curtis Jacobson, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 9-3 • 681-2285
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

SILVERTON LUTHERAN CHURCH
Silverton Township, Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Office 681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
1024 Tindolph Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Robert Forbes, Pastor
681-7685 Office or 681-4606
Worship Services: Saturdays at 11:05 a.m.; Sabbath school at 9:15 a.m.

ST. PAULI LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
County Road 20 South of rural Thief River Falls
Terri Jo Sustrum, Pastor
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Water Street, St. Hilaire
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
401 South Saint Paul Avenue, Thief River Falls
Del Palmer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed.-Fri., 9-4:30 • 681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays—Morning Devotional hour at 8 a.m.—Service at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.

FAITH LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
601 North Dewey Ave., Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Phone: 681-7705 Church 681-5462 Office
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

CNC CHAPEL
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays (Communion is this Sunday) at 2:30 p.m.

IMMANUEL/EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Box 98, Plummer
Clarence J. Johnson, Pastor
465-4525
Worship Services – Immanuel: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Ebenezer: Sundays at 11 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
Brooks
Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
796-5844
Wednesday, Nov. 1— Feast of All Saints at 8 p.m. (evening).
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH
Oklee
Wednesday, Nov. 1— Feast of All Saints at 6:30 p.m. (Evening).
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.

ST. VINCENT dePAUL CHURCH
Plummer
Wednesday, Nov. 1— Feast of All Saints at 8:30 a.m. (Evening)
Worship Services: Saturdays at 10:30 p.m.

TELEMARKEN LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
Rural Goodridge
Raynard Huglen, Pastor
Pastor's 874-8465
Worship Services: Sundays (Holy Communion this Sunday) at 9:30 a.m.

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Box 157, Goodridge
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Office Hours: Tues., Thurs., Fri. 9-12 Noon
378-4191
Worship Services – Eklund: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Sunday school at 11 a.m.
Worship Services – Faith: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.
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CFU Banquet

Effie and Burnell Byer attended the 50th Anniversary of the Christian Fellowship Union (CFU) banquet on Sunday evening at the Best Western in Thief River Falls. Ray Vigstol gave the welcome and others on the program were John Ost and his wife Clara (Riverness) Ost who live in McAllen, TX, Rev. Carl Johnson of Warren, Steven Johnson of McAllen, TX, Rev. Robert Johnson (all brothers), Rev. Richard Lundgren and Rev. Gilberts Garay of McAllen who sang beautiful songs in English altho. he speaks mostly Spanish. There was Spanish Music by the CFU staff and short testimonies by Clara Ost, Janice Douville and Carol Sedgeman and a skit given by CFU players. The main thrust of the program was Mexican Missions which surprisingly had it's start in the Red River Valley, but now is centered in McAllen and Mexico. A large crowd attended the banquet and program.

Family Get Together

A family get together was held at the Annette Frederickson home on Sunday October 22nd. Her mother Corlan and Bob Kleinschmidt fixed a turkey and the rest brought potluck food. Gathering were Jason and Toni Magnell and two girls, Dennis Magnell and Danielle Stonehouse and four children as well as Annette and her family, Bob and Corlan. The young fry posed for a picture in Auntie Nettie's wagon, complete with Halloween pumpkin, just before they left.

Edna Hyde was a guest at the home of Dick and Grace Reck of Terrebonne on Sunday as they entertained her twin brother Gerald Burt and wife Fern of Cavalier and another brother Cameron Burt of Walhalla. The Recks will be leaving soon to winter in Texas.

Renee Accardo, Delane and Maren Hammer, Rebecca, Tricia and Todd Willett, Sheila Gerardy and children were lunch guests of Wavell Sorenson on Saturday.

Art and Avis Froiland visited on Monday at Hillcrest with Tilmar Johnson, Emma Waldal, Ernie and Dorothy Pederson.

Ernie and Dorothy Pederson entered Hillcrest Nursing Home on Monday and will stay until Ernie's recovery from hip surgery. Their daughters Beverly Waldal and Donna Wisniewski of Milwaukee have returned to their homes after spending a week with their parents.

Coffee guests of Ron and Kathy Juneau recently were Mary Beth Westlake, Edna Hyde, Jean Carpenter, Martin and Fern Eskeli.

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson visited on Tuesday with Murial and Vern Thomas of East Grand Forks.

Norm and June Varsdahl of Winger visited on Tuesday at her mother's home Bernice and Leonard Paterson and enjoyed dinner at the Senior Meal Site with them.

Meal Site Celebrates Halloween

The Senior meal, served each Tuesday and Thursday at the Plummer Hall served a special Halloween meal at 5 o'clock on Tuesday. Kathy Juneau, site manager, put a beautiful musical video on the VCR and we dined in style. The meal was roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, scalloped corn, apple jello salad and a pumpkin dessert. Thirty four people attended and four more meals were home delivered. She had four door prizes which went to George Ollie, June Veredahl, esther Walter and Margaret Greenwald. The invitation is out for all seniors to attend those meals with your neighbors for good food and fellowship.

The Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce recognized John G. Kinnard with a more progress award. The investment firm recently switched companies and is now locally owned.

The firm deals with individual and company retirement plans and related issues. Pictured are Dan Baumgartner, Judy Reeger, Julie Rohl, Regan Rohl and Gloria Wilson.

Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Dick and Grace Reck, Mayo and Diane Reck of St. Paul recently visited with their son and brother Milo and Marlee Reck and Shannon of Waseca. Dick and Grace also visited his aunt Mrs. Adeline Nyquist at Danube.

Tuesday guest of Mrs. Dorothy Myhre were Mrs. Bertha Hughes of Thief River Falls, Bunny DuChamp, Ruth Wilkens and Edna Hyde of Plummer.

Jeff Burthwick of Mentor, Rachelle Carlson and Evangeline Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday.

Wednesday guest of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Debbie Opdahl and Nathan Morinville, Martha Gagner, Mamie Riendeau, Vi Gagner, Joann Delage and Myrtle Hamrum.

Mrs. Diena Gagnar visited her daughter, Craig and Steph Koralewskie of Plymouth, Bill and Angie Stone of Champlein, Laurie and Moa Westerman of Kimball, Sunday to Wednesday, when she returned home with Clarence from St. Cloud.

Wesly and Carolyn Myhre visited with Mrs. Dorothy Myhre on Saturday evening.

On Tuesday, Mrs. George Burthwick of Oklee, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

On Saturday, Dick and Grace Reck met with their daughter, Doug and Georgena Corbett and son Grant of Minot, ND, spent the day at Devils Lake, ND.

Thursday evening, Aurel and Gloria Paranteau, Marc and Connie Paranteau, Dale and Nancy Parussa of Coble Lake were dinner guests of Mrs. Jeanne Gramer of Crookston.

Mrs. Betty Folsom of Pennington, Millie Schummer of Bemidji and Dorothy Myhre were Friday to Sunday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel.

Thursday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Lucille Christenson, Irene Hince of Oklee, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hince of Wisconsin, Russell and Shawn Hince and Evangeline Grove.

Dona and Joyce Rock attended the birthday party in honor of Mrs. Victoria Souve last Monday in Red Lake Falls at the Hillcrest Nursing Home.

Sunday guest of Mrs. Mayme Berberich were Sue and Eric Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolstad and Luke all of Fosston.

Mrs. Anita Capp and family of the Grand Forks Air force Base were Sunday dinner guests of Ray and Ann Capp and afternoon guests of Fred and Delores Berberich.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was a Sunday dinner guest of her son, Wesly and Carolyn Myhre.

Sunday guests of Dick and Grace Reck, were her brothers Gerald and Fern Burt of Cavalier, and Cameron Burt of Walhalla and aunt Edna Hyde of Plummer.

Renie Grove of Erskine, Russell Hince, Mrs. Diane Plenta and Mable Sabourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Joann Delage and Darcie were among those who attended the confirmation held at the St. Bernard Catholic church and reception in honor of Brock, son of Eddie and Mary Walseth of Thief River Falls on Saturday evening.

Loran Gagnor, Richard Gagnar, David and Mellisa all of Hamm Lake, Joann Gagner of Hugo and Dale Gagnor of Ogilvie were weekend guests of their parents Arthur and Marthe Gagnar. On Saturday evening they all attended the confirmation and reception of a nephew and grandson Kelly, son of Steve and Donna Josephson of Thief River Falls.

Dick and Grace Reck spent Saturday in Fargo visiting their daughters Claudia Rock and Michelle Gagnar and Ashley.

Mrs. Diane Westlake and daughter Amy of Moorhead arrived on Thursday and Louie Westlake and Mrs. Mary Christenson of Wisconsin arrived on Saturday to spend the weekend with their mothers Mrs. Nora Delage and Ruby Westlake.

On Saturday, Mrs. Lillian Hince, Sherlin and Evangeline Grove, Russell and Cheryll Hince and Shawn all attended the 40th Wedding renewal held at the St. Bernard Catholic church and reception held at the V.F.W. in Thief River Falls.

Walter and Monica Novak visited with their grandson Steve Novak of East Grand Forks and son Leonard Novak of Warren at the Beaver Cafe in Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Hince received word her great grandson Paul son of Jeff Burthwick was in a car accident with his mother in Fargo. Little Paul has both broken legs and had teeth knocked out. Our prayers go to you Paul to heal and be well.

Jason and Sherri Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guest of her parents, Walter and Willie Katschka.

Dale and Nancy Parussa of Cable Lake, host a football party on Sunday with Aurel and Gloria Parenteau, Marc Paranteau, Clare and Patti Thompson, Steve Paranteau of Grand Forks, Mrs. Jeanne Gramer of Crookston, David Kankel of Red Lake Falls, Dane and Marie Gagner as guest.

Sunday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Tammy Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zacharey of Oklee, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Christin of Croquet, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Russell and Charyll Hince and Diana Planta.

Thursday evening, Dick and Grace Rock, Theresa Vatthauer, Bob and Lorraine Miller all of Red Lake Falls were guests of Willard and Paulina Pursth.

Dona and Joyce Rock were among the dinner guests of their son David Rock and Bev Brockman of Fosston on Sunday.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Strande of Crookston, Tom Miller and Marlene Harbott of Thief River Falls visited Mrs. Mayme Berberich.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was a patient in the Riverview Hospital in Crookston Monday and Tuesday for Medical treatment and is doing well.

Mrs. Adeline Olson of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Doris Lejsmba of Oklee, Evangeline Grove and Mable Sabourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Monday.

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Departs Twin Valley at 8 a.m. with stops in Ada 8:30, Shelly 9:05, Halstad 9:15, Hendrum 9:30 and Perley 9:45. Arrives in Fargo at 10:30 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9:00 and Goodridge 9:20. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 10 a.m.

Tuesday, November 7

Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Halstad 9:00, Hendrum 9:15 and Perley 9:30. Arrives at East 10 Shopping Mall in Moorhead at 10:15 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 7:45 a.m. with stops in Holt 8:00, Thief River Falls 8:30 and St. Hilaire 9:00. Arrives at Grand Forks at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, November 8

Departs Crookston at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Beltrami 8:30, Fertile 8:45, Winger 9:10, Erskine 9:35, Brooks 10:00, Oklee 10:15 and Plummer 10:30. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 11 a.m.

Transportation city-wide Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Departs Ada at 8:30 a.m. with stops in Gary at 8:50, Twin Valley 9:05 and Flom 9:30. Arrives in Fargo at 10:45.

Thursday, November 9

Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Transportation city-wide in Twin Valley from 8:30 to 11 a.m.

Departs Middle River at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden at 8:15 and Holt 8:40. Arrives in Thief River Falls at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, November 10

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Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson 681-3852

Leonard Lerson enjoyed Sundey morning breekfeet et daughter Kay Lynn Maldmenis home end he elso called et the Bruce Leraon home on Sunday night.

Mr. end Mre. Glenn Odberg of Peyneville epent the weekend et the Bert Kron home. Karen is back teaching full-time efter having Cencer surgery last spring.

On Sunday evening the 50th Anniversary benquet of Christian Fellowship Union Mission wee held et Best Western dining room. Those from Viking who ettended were LeRoy and Ruth Sustad, Lloyd Ranum and Virgil Hjelle. Several missionaries from the Werren area hed a part in the program. Music guest was Gilberto Golrsy from Mexico.

Allen Swenson was a supper guest...

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Minnesota Committed To Clean Environment

GUEST EDITORIAL
by Gene Hugoson, Commissioner
Minnesota Department of Agriculture

Much recent attention in the agricultural and environmental communities has focused on potential problems that animal feedlots can pose to the environment. Both communities have expressed genuine concern over what role the government should play in protecting the environment and encouraging agricultural production.

While the appropriate role for environmental regulation of feedlots has been a topic of discussion for several years, the discharge in August from a Lincoln county hog-operation into Medary Creek, which killed thousands of fish, has heightened concern over this issue. With public attention focused on the issue of feedlot and manure management, we have an important opportunity to implement sound policy and dispel misinformation that has sometimes clouded the debate over this issue.

At the intersection of agricultural and environmental policy are two fundamental goals: a productive agricultural sector and a clean environment. Agriculture is vitally important to Minnesota. Nearly one in four Minnesota jobs is directly or indirectly related to agriculture. Animal production alone provided $3.8 billion in direct farm gate receipts in 1994—more revenue than many Fortune 500 companies reported. Yet we must be aware that the environment is our most precious resource. If we fail to protect it, we will ultimately lose the ability to feed ourselves and have clean water to drink.

It is, therefore, more than empty rhetoric to say that agriculture and the environment can complement and enhance one another. Recently, however, a few activists have embarked on a campaign to attempt to discredit Minnesota's efforts in responsible feedlot management. They assert that Minnesota's laws and regulations are not strict enough to prevent widespread discharge of manure into the streams, lakes and rivers of Minnesota. They claim it is only a matter of time before what happened in Lincoln county becomes commonplace.

These critics fail to note, however, that what happened in Lincoln county might not have been an accident. An investigation is currently underway to try to determine how this discharge occurred. If it is eventually determined that the discharge was intentional, then no law nor regulation could have prevented the environmental tragedy that took place in Lincoln county. We simply have no way to legislate against intentional misbehavior—we can only punish it.

This is not to imply that there are no environmental concerns over animal feedlots. Minnesota has consistently been a leader in innovative environmental and agricultural initiatives, and feedlot and manure management is no exception. Minnesota was one of the first states to recognize the potential environmental problems posed by feedlots and manure storage. In 1971, the Minnesota Pollution control Agency (MPCA) created the feedlot program to address water pollution problems from animal manure and the need to manage manure properly. Specific rules regarding the permitting of feedlots have been in place since 1979.

A permit is required for construction of any new feedlot of 10 animal units or more, modification of an existing feedlot, and certain other conditions. Moreover, larger facilities with greater capacity often fall under federal Clean Water Act requirements and are required to obtain a National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit.

The present guidelines have helped Minnesota deal effectively with what has been a growing problem in other large agricultural states such as North Carolina. Additionally, there has been a continuous effort to review and implement new and more effective policies. Toward this end, the Feedlot and Manure Management Advisory Committee (FMMAC) was established by the Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA) and MPCA in 1994. It has proven an effective forum to provide information and forthright discussion of all feedlot management issues. One of FMMAC's priorities is a comprehensive review of Minnesota Rule 7020 governing animal feedlots. Thanks to the broad diversity of views represented by FMMAC, important progress is being made on issuing new standards for feedlots which promote effective producer management and provide important protection for the environment.

It is also important to note that the agricultural community is not simply waiting for a regulatory regime to be dictated to them. Many farmers are adopting Best Management Practices ((BMPs) designed to minimize impacts on the environment while at the same time allowing a producer to earn a living. By voluntarily incorporating BMPs into their farming practices, many Minnesota farmers have found that they not only are benefiting the long-term health of the environment, but also are seeing profits go up due to new technologies. Farmers understand the importance of being stewards of the land, and with the assistance of the MDA and the county extension offices, more and more farmers will be able to access the economic and environmental gains that BMPs provide.

To assert that Minnesota is in some way placing its vitally important supply of clean water at risk by allowing underregulated and unsafe feedlots is simply wrong. Minnesota is firmly committed to providing a future which includes both productive agriculture and a clean environment, and we will not compromise either of these goals.

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School Lunch Menu

Thief River Falls

Breakfast: Served daily to all schools from 7:45-8:22 a.m.

Breakfast Prices: Elementary, Middle school and Lincoln: The Student $1.80-Adult.

Lunch Prices: Elementary $1.25, Middle school $1.40, Lincoln High $1.60, Adult $2.20, 25¢ Extra milk.

LINCOLN

Toppings for Potato Bar Chili, sour cream, shredded cheese, bacon bits, chopped ham.

"Taco Thursday" Try the Taco Bar every Thursday: 2 tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.

In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes, and snack items.

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 6: 1-Chicken Italiano on bun with special sauce, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: 1-Taco chips, fixings, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, tomato slices, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday, Nov. 9: 1-Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.

Friday, Nov. 10: 1-Italian dunkers with meat sauce, salad, fruit choice, graham cracker. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 6: 1-Chicken nuggets, hash brown pattie, bread, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, bread, salad, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Mini tacos, fixings, fruit choice, mini carrots and donuts. 2-Polish sausage on a bun, potato rounds, mini carrots, dip, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce and tomato slices, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Nov. 9: 1-Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, bread, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Friday, Nov. 10: 1-Italian dunkers with meat sauce, salad, fruit choice, graham cracker. 2-Polish sausage on a bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).

Thursday, Nov. 9: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Friday, Nov. 10: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 6: Chicken nuggets, golden corn, bread, grapes.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Mini tacos, cup of fixings, pineapple tidbits, mini carrots and mini donuts.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce, oven fries, banana.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Italian dunkers with meat sauce, golden corn, pear sauce, graham cracker.

Friday, Nov. 10: French toast with syrup, egg pattie and sausage, applesauce, orange smiles.

- Menu subject to change.
- Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50, 2 cartons per day is $9.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: Cereal choices, toast, jello fruit, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Fried egg omelet, bacon, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Muffins, cheese slices, pear sauce, juice, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Cook's choice.

Friday, Nov. 10: Cereal choices, toast, jello fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 6: Hamburger on a bun, potato rounds, peach sauce, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Italian dunkers, cheesy bread, golden corn, pear sauce, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Krispy fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, veggies, dessert, bread, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Sub sandwiches, chips, lettuce, cheese slices, fruited jello, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: Taco with meat sauce, lettuce salad, chips, tomato, shredded cheese, pear sauce, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: Long Johns, Cheerios, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: French toast sticks, syrup, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Caramel roll, Rice Krispies, juice, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Donuts, oatmeal, juice, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: No school.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 6: Chicken pattie on a bun, whole kernel corn, peach sauce, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Hamburger on a bun, French fries, pickles, gelatin with fruit, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Chili con Carne, cheese slice, carrot sticks, apple sauce, bread, crackers and milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Chicken nuggets, hash browns, peas and carrots, cookie, bread and milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: No School.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: No School.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Assorted rolls, granola bars, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: French toast, sausage, juice, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Breakfast pizza, juice, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: No School.

Lunch:

Monday, No School.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Pizza, corn, veggie sticks, whipped jello, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Hot ham and cheese, green beans, pineapple, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Chicken noodle soup, meat sandwiches, cheese, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: No School.

Senior Meals

Newfolden

Monday, Nov. 6: Baked pork chop, hashbrown bake, coleslaw, bread, margarine, brownie, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Swedish meatballs, boiled potatoes with gravy, scalloped corn, dinner roll, margarine, fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Lemon pepper pollock, baked potatoes, French style green beans, bread and margarine, Elaine's best cake, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Chicken casserole, cauliflower, cherry festival salad, bran muffin, margarine, ice cream sundae, milk.

Friday evening, Nov. 10: Lutefisk, mashed potatoes, gravy, dinner roll, margarine, pumpkin dessert, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Nov. 6: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned broccoli cuts, orange Ambrosia, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, corn O'Brien, creamy coleslaw, carrot cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Roast beef, oven browned potatoes, parslied carrots, three bean salad, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Sliced turkey with gravy, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, carrot raisin salad, apple crisp with topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: Baked fish almandine, O'Brien potatoes, tiny whole carrots, frosted Angel food cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 6: Milk, apple juice, muffins, Cheerios.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Milk, orange juice, toast, oatmeal.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Milk, apple juice, Corn Chex, toast with peanut butter.

Friday, Nov. 10: Milk, Orange juice, scrambled eggs, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

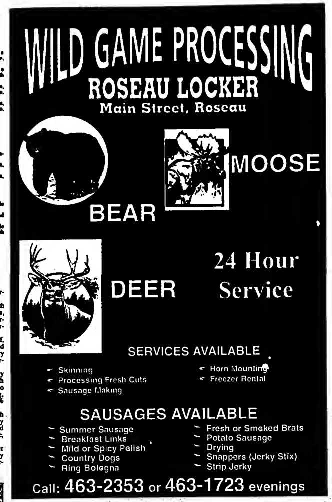
Monday, Nov. 6: Dakota hotdish, lettuce salad, broiled eggs, bread and butter, applesauce, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 7: Cream of chicken, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, jellied cranberry, lemon jello with vegetables, vanilla pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 8: Cream of tomato soup, grilled cheese, pickles, saltines, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 9: Tuna macaroni casserole, buttered peas, lime jello with pineapple, milk.

Friday, Nov. 10: Barbecued hamburgers, French fries, pickles, fruit cocktail, milk.



Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4238

Dick and Shirley Berg of Monticello, Denise Berg of Brooklyn Park and her fiance Mike Whitaker of Anoka were weekend visitors at the parental home, Floyd Bergs. We got to meet our future grandson, as Denise and Mike will exchange vows next summer there will be an announcement later.

Spc. Kevin Nybo is home on leave from Ft. Stewart, GA visiting his parents, Ken and Cheryl Nybo and family, grandparents and friends.

Bruce and Mary Brovold, Linda and Vernon Fossum from Duluth were guests at the Elmer Brovolds Sunday. Esther and Doris Rindahl, Audrey Syverson of Fosston, Arlie and Luverne Fore, Lloyd Brovold came to help Millie celebrate her birthday. Lunch was brought by the ladies including birthday cake. Everyone had a good time, good eats included.

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- 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 1/2 cups crushed chocolate sandwich cookies (approx. 12 cookies)

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2. Preheat oven to 350° F. In a large saucepan, melt Gold-n-Soft Margarine and chocolate over low heat. Remove from heat and cool slightly.
3. Beat remaining eggs and blend with the chocolate. Add remaining sugar and vanilla and mix well. Gradually stir in flour. Fold in crushed cookies. Spread evenly in greased 13"x9" baking pan. Spoon cream cheese mixture over chocolate mixture. Take a knife and lightly cut through mixture to create a marbled effect.
4. Bake for 30 minutes or until edges begin to pull away from sides of pan and center is set. Cool completely and cut into 2" squares.

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—The ladies aid society of the Thief River Falls Lutheran Congregational church will hold an auction and supper Friday evening.

—The old Thief River Falls cornet band has been abandoned and a new one organized with several new members.

—The Alice Meehan steamboat was laid up in winter quarters at the outlet of Red Lake on Monday.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—The steamboat Christina went to the bottom of Red lake with seven tons of freight after striking a dead-head log at the mouth of Shotley brook.

—Charles Lindquist of Thief River Falls was robbed while staying at a Crookston hotel.

—The Minnesota state attorney general has announced that Thief River Falls ladies will be allowed to vote on the issue of whether the library should be owned by the city.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Dr. F. H. Gambell was elected mayor, defeating Fred Roth.

—R. H. Rosa of Grand Rapids took over as publisher of the Thief River Falls Times.

—L. J. Ackerman opened a grocery store on St. Paul avenue south.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Nearly 700 farmers attended a meeting at which the Goodridge Co-op creamery celebrated the retirement of its debt.

—Mrs. Della Zeh was named regional vice president at a library conference in Sioux City, Iowa.

—The local American Legion post has set aside $400 for starting a drum and bugle corps.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—"The Brownie Band," an operetta, will be presented Sunday evening by pupils of St. Bernard's school.

—H. A. Baumann and W. F. Johnson of Bemidji purchased the Lambert Drug store.

—Bluebill ducks, brought to earth by sleety weather, were caught in this city by local residents.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—The Lincoln high school junior class play, to be presented November 9, will be "Don't Take My Penny."

—J. M. Roche, formerly of Greenbush, is the new proprietor of the Rex cafe.

—Arlene Robinson was crowned Lincoln high school homecoming queen.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Well over 2,000 votes are expected to be cast in Tuesday's city election, with contests for four offices.

—A snowfall on Halloween night cancelled the traditional parade, but other festivities went off without a hitch.

—Jaycees will conduct a drive to secure 1,000 new members for the Northern Blood Bank association.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Turning out in much larger numbers than expected, Thief River Falls voters gave a proposed $200,000 bond issue for swimming pool construction a resounding defeat by a margin of nearly 2-to-1.

—Marlan Augustine, president of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association, was reelected to the board of directors of the group.

—Redeemer Lutheran church voted in favor of a $201,550 project to construct a new building adjoining the church building for Sunday school and kitchen and fellowship hall.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Arctic Enterprises, Inc. of Thief River Falls, earned a profit of $980,000 or 32 cents per share on continuing snowmobile and boat operations for the quarter ended September 30, 1975, as compared to a loss of $749,000 or 24 cents per share for the same quarter a year ago.

—Sixty-one girls and women took part in the District 1 Make-It-Yourself-With-Wool contest held Saturday at Northland community college.

—Judy Giese was elected president of the Newcomers club of Thief River Falls.

—Older adults in Thief River Falls and surrounding area will be able to obtain low-cost nutritious hot meals at Northwestern hospital, beginning next week under the new senior meals and activity program.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Susanne Johnson and Collette Thune, both of Thief River Falls, were junior and senior division winners respectively in the Make-It-Yourself-With-Wool contest Saturday at the Best Western Inn.

—Sunday liquor sales issue in the general election failed by a 2-to-1 margin.

—Northland community college theatre department will present "The Rivals" November 15-17 at the college theatre.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Tuesday guest of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Ione Berry, Joan Bronken, Eva Mae Bergeron and daughter Renie, Rose Mendt, Doris Henson and Shirley Christenson all of Gklee and Audrey Bechend.

Fred and Tammy Paradis and boys were weekend guests of their parents Joann Dolege and Mark and Donna Paradis of Terrebonne.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Mable Sebourin, Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Mammie Riendeau, Vi Gagner, Myrtle Hamrum, Debbie Gpdahl, Mary Jane Paradis, Joann Dolege and Fr. Duane Pribule.

Mrs. Audrey Carpenter of Aurora spent Thursday to Sunday with her mother Mrs. Dorothy Myhra.

Harvey and Rose Dolege of Thief River Falls, Sheldon and Shirley Dolege of Erskine were Sunday afternoon and evening dinner guests of Mrs. Nora Dolege.

Renie Grove of Erskine, Cheryl Hince and Evangeline Grove visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday.

Arthur and Martha Gagner accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Donna Josephson of Thief River Falls to Hugo where they attended the wedding reception of their daughter, Richard and Gloria Ophus's 30th Anniversary.

Karl Magers of Plummer visited his parents Walter and Willie Katschko on Saturday.

On Friday, Courtney Gustafson, Mrs. Eve Asslion of Oklee, Evangeline Grove and Mable Sebourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Arthur and Martha Gagner visited her sister Mrs. Frances Klein of Fosston on Wednesday.

Jason and Cheryl Engen of Thief River Falls hosted a birthday party dinner in honor of their son Jordon's 5th birthday with grandparents Walter and Willie Katschko, Chelsey and Ethan Paradis of Brooks, Grandfather Geno Engen of Gatzke, Tami Engen of Erskine, Dana Berry of California, Donte Steele of Thief River Falls, and friend Christi and Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Klesow of Goodridge, Kayloni and son Justin, Karl and Joyce Magers and Kim, Lowell and Cindy Arlt, Ami and Ross all of Plummer, Mike and Ann Tuura, Justin and Jena Rewertz of Greenbush and Alex Engen were among those to help Jordon celebrate. "Happy Birthday Jordon!"

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Ardean Lundeen, Judy Champagne and Darrin Grove all of Gklee, Renie Grove and Ralph Kombro of Erskine, Shorlin and Evangeline Grove, Shawn Hince, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls.

Congratulations goes to Marc and Connie Perenteau for winning the Blue Ribbon Award for food quality and presentation of their Oof-Da Tacos served at the Norsk Hostfest in Minot, ND last week.

Harvey and Mamie Riendeau visited Mrs. Vi Payment a resident Pioneer Memorial Care Center in Erskine on Sunday.

Mrs. Dianne Gagner and Pearl Laniel accompanied Mrs. Barb Melby and Ardes Holsted of Gklee to Brooklyn Park where they attended the American Cancer Society Fall round up held at the Northwestern Inn Friday evening to Sunday.

Reiner . . . .

Edgar Miller visited with Inge Coan at her home at Valley Home in Thief River Falls on Thursday afternoon. Kenny Coan visited with his mother, Inge Coan at Valley Home during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller enjoyed the Volleyball Tournaments at Gary where their granddaughter played on the Ada team. Karl's team won 1st place. Congratulations!

Cindy Parnham spent a week at the home of her Grandparents Jim and Iva Wells. Andy Wells of Bemidji visited at the Jim and Iva Wells home on Tuesday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — November 1, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: November 8, 1945

An announcement will be made about the results of the local mayoral election. Who was the winner of that election in 1945 by 98 votes?

Advanced question: Who lost that election?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Fjelsted Again Heads Boy Scouts In District

"Philip L. Fjelsted was reelected chairman of the Thief River Falls Boy Scout district at a well-attended annual meeting last Thursday evening in the Civic and Commerce room.

"Dave Miller of Grand Forks, camping chairman of the Lake Agassiz council, announced that a plan for several summer camps had been accepted at a meeting in Grafton October 16. It is proposed to purchase a site on Oak Island in Lake of the Woods for an advanced camp, also to develop a council camp on White Earth lake and to purchase a mobile unit to take camping to boys in outlying corners of the district."

Meter Readers To Make One Call In Future

"As means of conserving manpower, only one call each month will be made by meter readers for the water and light department, City Clerk P. G. Pederson announced today. In the event the customer is not at home, a government postcard bearing a simplified form will be left so that he can read the meter himself and mail the card to the city clerk's office."

Cigaret Starts Awning Fire

"Fire, apparently resulting from a deliberately thrown lighted cigaret, Monday evening damaged awnings on the west side of Oen's store. Roy Oen, manager of the store, announced today that the company would pay a $100 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty party."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Jon Hall
Maria Montez
Turhan Bey
"Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves"
Falls Theatre

Urgent Appeal Issued For Added Workers In Sewing Room

"Officer of the local Red Cross chapter today issued an urgent appeal for additional workers on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Red Cross sewing room on the second floor of the Northern State bank building. Only two or three workers have participated on recent Fridays in the project, of which Mrs. Lars Hylden is chairman. It was announced, and many more are needed, as the chapter has been assigned a quota of 100 layettes for war victims."

OPA Ends Rationing Of Shoes Effective Oct. 31

"The end of shoe rationing was ordered Tuesday, effective at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, terminating a program which began February 8, 1943. OPA Administrator Chester Bowles said rationing can be lifted because shoe production has increased substantially since V-J Day. Some trouble spots can be expected for a while, Bowles said, adding that customers may not always be able to buy the styles they want. But both the war production board and the OPA have agreed that no general hardship should result from the discontinuance of shoe rationing."

—Sign of returning normalcy: new models of automobiles are now being displayed.

—One of the biggest problems currently is where to get the soap with which to do the family's washing.

—One's mind, they tell us, is like a parachute. It works best when open.

—Add to Things We Didn't Know Until Now: Part of Florida extends as far west as Chicago.

—It must be discouraging to Captain Harold Stassen and others who worked hard to achieve the United Nations setup to note how far the world is from attaining that goal.

—Crookston voters will decide Tuesday whether or not to have a municipal power plant. If they come to Thief River Falls, they could get some affirmative testimony.

—About the only benefit from the open season on pheasants this year is that accruing to the filling stations and state department of conservation treasury.

—The landscape has been pockmarked lately with excavations for new homes.

—Be a good citizen and vote next Tuesday for your favorite candidates.

—As Adman Bruce Bartoo puts it, the closest thing to eating your cake and having it too is investing in a Victory bond.

—Another advantage in not owning a Chic Sale edifice is that it wasn't tipped over on Halloween night.

—Criticisms are beginning to be heard of President Truman for his failure to act on pressing issues. The honeymoon, it seems, is over.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — October 30, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"The sociable last Saturday evening was not well attended owing to the disagreeable weather. All report spending a very pleasant evening.

"The village is filled with farmers bringing in wheat and purchasing their winter supplies.

"The citizens of the village are busy these days putting on storm windows and doors to shut out Jack Frost.

"Owing to the storm last Sunday Rev. Kenniston did not come down from Thief River Falls and there was no service at the M.E. church.

"The village of Thief River Falls is suffering from an epidemic of typhoid fever, there being over 50 cases there at present and a number of prominent citizens have already died. It is caused by using river water for drinking and domestic purposes."

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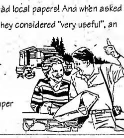
Reading Between The Lines

Retirement years are truly golden years - a chance to enjoy grandchildren, travel more, and just relax from the hustle and bustle. It's also a chance to follow the community, as senior citizens prove. According to a recent survey, Minnesota seniors are among the most faithful consumers of community newspapers - nearly 80% read local papers! And when asked which media they considered "very useful", an overwhelming majority of respondents over age 55 chose newspaper advertising.



Minnesota Newspaper Association

Newfolden Community News

Mrs. Arnold Larson 874-4321

Beverly Erickson and Matt Schaumberg visited at the Kevin Bjornrud home in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Thursday, Carol Ness visited and had dinner with Arnold and Vernice Larson. Don Larson, Andy and Josh also had dinner with them.

Friday, October 6th, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud left for Embarrass to spend a few days at their son Martin's home. [illegible]

Tea with Clara Hanson one day last week.

Walter and Lois Bruber of Big Lake and Clifford and Jeanette Reierson and Doyle Martin were visitors at the Lloyd and Harriet Larson home on Friday, September 29th.

Friday and Saturday, Milton and Beverly Erickson helped Mark and Jane Schaumberg move.

Friday forenoon, Gordon Berggren visited and had coffee with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

Merle Bjornrud visited at the Ernest Hanson home Friday morning.

Monday afternoon, Gladys Stromberg visited with Hanna Moen.

Sunday afternoon, Roy and Laura Roppe and Frank and Harriet Kujava visited with Melvin and Hilma Lee.

Donald Larson and Delores Rudy treated Lloyd and Harriet Larson to supper at a local cafe on Friday, September 29th.

Sunday noon, Beverly Erickson visited at the Jason Erickson home also with Shelly, brother Brian from Morris and her sister Brenda from Clarkfield.

Saturday those that enjoyed dinner and supper at the Don Larson home were Arnold and Vernice Larson, Scott Larson and Kenny and Sybil Cwikla.

Sunday afternoon, October 15th, Merle and Beulah Bjornrud enjoyed the dedication service at the Wastaker church after which Dale Larson from Argyle was a supper guest in their home.

Last Friday morning, October 17th, Grandpa Curt Thompson drove to Thief River Falls and picked up his two grandsons Jeremy and Jayme Wilson who spent the two days of MEA with their Grandpa and Grandma Thompson. [illegible]

Ronald Martin and Doris Augustine, Clara Reierson, Clifford and Jeanette Reierson of Holt, Lester and Patty Sorenson, Jerry and Lynette Swanson, Lenora Harstad all of Newfolden, Lou Fussy of Duluth, Jeremy Coykendall and Keith Solberg. Lloyd had a large decorated cake and received many nice cards and gifts.

Sunday afternoon, Beverly Erickson visited at the John Hirst home.

Sunday visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Sybil Cwikla, Sue Dondelinger, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Kari Jeanne and Collin.

Linda Glanzer, Joseph, Benjamin and Nathan from Blackduck were visitors and houseguests at the Merle Bjornruds from Friday until Sunday afternoon.

Lloyd Larson went up to his trailer house on Tuesday, October 24th to spend a few days.

Violet Hanson of Norwick, ND was a dinner guest at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson home on Friday. Other recent visitors were Jerry Muzzy, Clifford and Jeanette Reierson, Janet Garthus and Orville and Leonard Harstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson took in the delicious dinner at the New Hope church last Sunday, October 19th after we had attended worship services and Sunday school at Wastaker. In the afternoon we went over to the Free church for their Harvest Festival and enjoyed the slide presentation, music and lunch, then in the evening Marvin and Rose Nelson were supper guests of Curt and Elaine Thompson enjoying a full day.

Wednesday evening, Brad and Mona Olson and Lillie Olson helped [illegible]

[illegible]

Betty Paterson visited with Hanna Moen on Friday October 20th.

Friday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren and went with Frank and Harriet Kujava to Grand Forks to do some shopping.

Tuesday, Lillie Olson visited with Eunice Hanson and Tillie Amundson at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Ruth Totrup visited and enjoyed col-

[illegible] and Harryet Larson home, he left again on Tuesday.

Sunday, October 1st, those that came to help Lloyd Larson celebrate his 75th birthday were Lenca and Madeline Solberg, Garinda Nelson, Helen Sorenson, Ervin and Gladys Larson, Mario Solberg and Lynette, Harry Kling all of Thief River Falls, Julia Kleinvachter and Stacey and Kent of Strandquist, Rogar and Ronda Nelson and Heather of Fargo, Donald Larson, Delores Rudy, Reuben and Delores

[illegible] Burns and wife Hedy from New York, Orian and Alberta Bjornrud of Minneapolis, also Carol Klaven and Beverly Swanson from Minneapolis were houseguests of the Merle Bjornruds from Monday, October 16th until Wednesday, October 18th. Merle and Beulah had a birthday party for Elmer who is 90 years old Tuesday night. Wayne and Carol Bjornrud from Thief River Falls, Calvin Harstad and Melvin Mattson joined the other Bjornruds for the birthday party of pizza and cake

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson 681-3862

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad took advantage of the nice weather and made a trip southeast by passing Itasca State Park, but the area still showed its destruction left from various tornados passing through there in July. [illegible] ... than went out to her brother, Harry Paterson, near Badoura State nursery. They had just returned the previous day from a trip to Wisconsin. Before heading back to Viking, they made a stop at her home place on Steel Lake, southeast of Akeley – lots of memories and reminiscing. Didn't see any wild animals or birds who think its best to fly south for the winter.

Legal Notices

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National Association by assignment dated and recorded February 14, 1992 in Book 220, Page 878, Pennington County, Minnesota

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Lot 9, Block 2, Highland Addition to Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota

COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Pennington

AMOUNT DUE AND CLAIMED TO BE DUE AS OF DATE OF NOTICE INCLUDING TAXES, IF ANY, PAID BY MORTGAGEE: $24,564.62

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-s- Brian Paul Arlo, Owner 218-681-5173

Date: 9-15-95

GIVE EDUCATION THE GREEN LIGHT

On Tuesday, November 7, you'll be asked to approve an education referendum. If the referendum fails, the district will be forced to cut another $400,000. This will mean that teaching positions will be reduced, class sizes increased and services to students cut.

If the referendum passes, class sizes will be restored to levels closer to state guidelines. Students will receive more one-on-one contact. We can improve services for at-risk students and provide additional help to students who need it.

The cost to voters to support this levy referendum is modest. The table below shows the proposed tax increase.

Market Value of property	Proposed Increase	Market Value of property	Propoeed Increase
$10,000	$6	$70,000	$38
$20,000	$11	$80,000	$44
$30,000	$16	$90,000	$49
$40,000	$22	$100,000	$55
$50,000	$27	$125,000	$68
$60,000	$33	$150,000	$82

To obtain an absentee ballot, city voters contact the city clerk and rural voters contact the school district personnel office.

REMEMBER: YOUR VOTE COUNTS!

FOR EDUCATION ✓ YES

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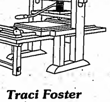
EMPLOYEE
PROFILE:
Thief River Falls Times, Northern Watch and Print Shop



Traci Foster

Traci Foster
Typesetter

Traci is another rather new member of the staff at the *Times* and *Northern Watch*. She has been here for seven months. She does the layout and design of job work and advertising and typesetting too. If you need a resume printed, talk to Traci. She has lots of ideas and styles to help your resume look just right. She also helps with layout. She pastes up the legals (that stuff in tiny print) and want ads.

Traci is the mother of three children, Heather, age eight, Amber, age six, and Jesse, age five. Her fiance is Noel Joppru. Traci was born and raised in Roseau. Her parents, Wayne and Joanne Roseen, continue to reside in the Roseau community.

Traci graduated from Roseau High School, and later attended Northland Community College where she earned her Associate of Arts degree. Prior to college, she worked at the Greenbush Tribune.

When Traci's not working, or busy chasing three kids, she enjoys working on crafts.

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Miscellaneous

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CLINICAL DIETITIAN- Flex-time clinical dietitian for Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls and Riverview Nursing Home/Hospital in Crookston, 4-20 hrs./week. RD required. If interested send resume/application by Nov. 3, 1995 to: Riverview Healthcare Association, 323 S. Minnesota, Crookston, MN 56716, 218-281-4682, E.O.E. 2t87c

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Help Wanted

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Help Wanted

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SALES REP- Northwest Manufacturing Inc. Red Lake Falls, MN is now taking applications for a Sales Representative position. Experience required, must be willing to travel. Please call 218-253-4329 between 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. 4t85c

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POSITIONS AVAILABLE- Part time positions available in Housekeeping, Laundry and Food Service Departments. Rotating weekends. Eligible for vacation, sick pay and group health plan benefits. Apply to Human Resources Dept., Northwest Medical Center, 120 LaBree Avenue S., Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 218-681-4240 X407. Equal Opportunity Employer. 2t88c

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EFFECTIVE: Immediately

DUTIES: Drive regular a.m. and p.m. bus route on days school is in session.

REQUIREMENTS: Must have a valid Minnesota Certified Drivers License with School Bus and Air Brake Endorsement and a good driving record.

SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 1st, 1995.

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, MN:

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LOCATION: To be assigned

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HOURS PER DAY: 8

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ACCOUNTANT

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

6TH GRADE SCIENCE TEACHER
(Long-Term Substitute)

LOCATION: Franklin Middle School

EFFECTIVE: Immediately with ending date to be determined

REQUIREMENTS: Minnesota Teaching Certificate - preferably in Middle School Science.

SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 7th, 1995.

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UNITED PARCEL SERVICE
DRIVER HELPER

United Parcel Service in Thief River Falls is looking for a helper to assist their driver in Thief River Falls, Hallock, Fosston and Warroad, during the busy Christmas season. The position will run mid November through December 24. These driver helpers will work daytime hours, but the hours may vary from day to day. All applicants must be able to work at a very rapid pace, and endure the extreme temperatures of winter in Minnesota. Wage will be $8.98 per hour, uniform will be furnished. If you are at least 18 years old and interested in this position, please contact the Thief River Falls Job Service before November 2nd at 218-681-0909 to set up an interview.

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LPN- Hillcrest Nursing Home has a part time position available for an LPN. Rotating shifts which includes working every other weekend. Benefit package available. If interested apply at Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2157. E.O.E.

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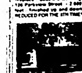
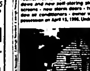


2. IDEAL RETIREMENT HOME - 2 bedrooms, nice family room - all new windows and new self-storing storms & screens - new storm doors - two window air conditioners - owner will give possession on April 15, 1996. Under $30's.



3. SEE THIS ONE-BEDROOM, 3-ROOM HOUSE AND UTILITY ROOM!! On 50' x 150' lot - with all street improvements in and paid - Priced in Teens!!

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Lost And Found

FOUND- Keys by Lincoln High School and St. Bernard's, call Tunberg's to claim, 681-2660, ask for Russell. 41871

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Mobile Homes

3-BEDROOM, FULL 2-bath 1200 square ft. living area, newer washer, dryer, all appliances, new carpet, 24x50 Detroiter, clean, set up in TRF. $18,900.00, for appointment call 218-681-4736. P4t88p

1979 DETROITER doublewide 24x56 to be moved. 4-bedroom, 1 1/2 bath and 1/2 bath, 12x14 porch, 14x18 deck, (new), 218-681-6477. P4t87p

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APARTMENT FOR rent above Ace Hardware, have apartment for quiet single person, efficiency apartment and 1-bedroom apartments, no smokers or pets, call Ron at 681-3664 or 681-6572. 87tfc

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2-BEDROOM MOBILE home with entry, deposit, references, lease, non-HUD, 681-2863. P4t90p

For Rent

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT
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FOR RENT- Alot of storage space for cars, boats, snowmobiles, for more information 681-1278 or 681-7566 after 5:00 p.m. P4t88p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom trailer in TRF, available Nov. 1, call 449-4331 and leave message. P4t90p

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STORAGE- Boats, cars, RV's, ect. Reasonable rates, you insure! 681-8603, leave message. P8t87p

FOR RENT- Small 2-bedroom house, close to downtown, $230.00 plus deposit, 681-7630. 87tfc

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom mobile home, deposit, lease, references required, no pets. 681-1858. P4t90p

COUNTRY ESTATES mobile home park, located 3-1/2 miles from city limits. Rental lots available. Trailer must be in good condition, 1875 or newer, $65.00 a month, $100.00 deposit required, water and sewer included, references required. Contact Brian & Annette Bruggeman after 5 p.m., 681-5226. 2t88p

ONE-BEDROOM BASEMENT apartment in quiet, adult, close-in building, above grade windows, carpeted, private entry, garage w/auto door, no pets, available now, $280.00 plus electricity, 681-7440. P4t89p

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AVAILABLE NOV. 18- 3-bedroom mobile home, previously HUD approved, 681-7536. 2t87p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom apartment, must qualify for rental assistance, no pets, call 681-4478. 70tfc

FOR RENT- 453 tillable acres of farmland, 3 miles west of Goodridge, phone 309-682-5500. P12t88p

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FOR SALE- Straw bales for banking, call Tim, 218-378-4118. P4t89p

FOR SALE- Big round bales of Barley straw, wrapped with plastic twine, phone 449-3945. P4t90p

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FOR SALE- Vermeer big bale shredder, 7800 Ford tractor and loader, White Gold Farm, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2207. P4t89p

FOR SALE- Allis Chalmers H-D-5 cat with Drotts dozer hydraulic, has not been used for several years. John Deere model 700 grinder mixer, hydraulic, 4 screens, factory 3 pt. circle saw, call after 7 p.m., 218-687-5124. P4t89p

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FOR SALE- Holstein cattle. Pregnant and open cows, we're cutting numbers, steer calves, 500 lbs. and down, winter vaccinated, White Gold Farm, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2207. P4t89p

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R A J Horse Sales - Friday, Nov. 3rd. Tack, 8:00 pm - Horses, 8:00 p.m. Held 6-1/2 miles east of Wadena on Hwy. 10. Call for early horse numbers - Ron Sundby, 218-445-5849. T2t87c

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Snowmobiles

FOR SALE- 95 EXT 580 Z, must extras, 681-5662 evenings. P4t88p

1994 580ZR, low miles, good shape, $3,200.00, 1994 580ZR, $3,800.00, call 681-2731. P4t87p

FOR SALE- 1993 EXT EFI, excellent condition, 218-294-6267. P4t89p

'94 COUGAR, 1,300 miles, good shape, asking $3,600.00/b.o. 218-466-4264. 10t89p

FOR SALE- 1995 Polaris XLT SKS, 430 miles, $4,900.00, 681-7080. P4t89p

1994 580 ZR, low miles, $3,200.00, 449-3671. P4t89p

1995 ARCTIC Cat Wildcat snowmobile, 700 EFI, 2,700 miles, many extras, must sell, cheap, call 681-9972 or leave message. 2t87p

FOR SALE- 1990 Arctic Cougar, 2,700 miles, excellent condition, $2,900.00, 253-2509 after 8:00 p.m. P4t89p

1995 580 ZR Arctic Cat snowmobile, cover, extra windshield, old skins, 1,000 miles, 681-2389 or 523-4661, best offer, must sell. P4t89p

'81 PANTERA, runs good, $725.00/o.b.o., 523-4045. P4t87p

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NORTHLAND SHOE REPAIR 607 East 8th St. (TRF). Open Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m. P12t92p

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SPECIALS OF THE WEEK

1995 28X67 LIBERTY, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, CEDER SIDING, FIREPLACE, vinyl windows, family room WAS $51,900.. *CLEARANCE*-**$47,900**

1995 28X52 LIBERTY, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, morning room, vinyl siding, vinyl windows, Glamour Bath WAS $44,900.. *CLEARANCE*-**$39,500**

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Public Notices

ROCKSBURY TOWN board will hold their November meeting at Valhall on Mon., Nov. 13 instead of Nov. 7.
James Engelstad, Clerk. 7t86c

30 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat N Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood oil and masonry. Mahnomen, 1-800-446-4043. 21tfc

CARD OF THANKS
We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks for all the kindness and sympathy shown us by neighbors, relatives and friends in the death of our beloved mother and grandmother. Your kindness will always be held in grateful remembrance.
Delayne Zepeda
Doreen Harpest
Henry Hested Jr.
Helen B. Carlson
Sharon I. Wayne
Wayne Jarshaw
1t87p

THANK YOU
We would like to thank all our family and friends for helping us celebrate our 25th wedding anniversary. Thank you for the cards and gifts, but most of all, thanks for caring.
Love to all
Milt & Janice Peterson
2t87p

Business Opportunities

ATOP QUALITY letterheads and envelopes for your business, home or organization. Stop in at The Times. We can do it all! 681-4450. 1t87a

BUSINESSPERSON OR builder, become steel building dealer. Potential big profits from sales and construction. Beat high lumber costs, buy factory direct from national manufacturer. Some areas taken. 303-759-3200, ext. 2100. T2t89p

Campers

FOR SALE- 1976 22-ft. Nomad camper, sleeps 8, nice condition, $4,000.00, phone 523-4465. P4t90p

TOPPER FOR mid-size pickup, maroon in color, excellent shape, call 449-4811 after 4:30 p.m. P4t87p

Sporting Goods

FOR SALE- 2 deer rifles, Marlin Glenfield model 30 30 caliber with scope, 303 British Bishop rifle. Also 12 gauge Marlin shotgun model 55, 218-681-4261. P4t89p

12-GAUGE MOSSBERG 500, 24-inch barrel, extras, $160.00, 745-4165. P4t89p

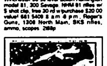
FOR SALE- 1986 14-ft. Fisher fishing boat, 25 h.p. Evinrude, trailer, absolutley loaded with extras. 796-5477. 80tfc

NORTHERN GUN & Pawn pays cash for guns. 811 N. Main, 681-6611. 86tfc

FOR SALE- Winchester model 94 30 30, like new with 4 power scope, new cost $290.00, sell for $200.00, call 681-1146. 2t87p

QUICK SILVER MX- Ultralight airplane, great flier, good condition, Rotax 377, cheap sale, fun flying, no license needed. $3,200.00/o.b.o., call 681-5456 after 5:00 p.m. P4t88p

7MM MAGNUM w/scope, sling, Winchester 30-30 lever action Remington model 81, 300 Savage, NHM 91 rifles w/ 5 shot clip, free 30 rd w/purchase $20.00 value! 681-5409, 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Roger's Guns, 1306 North Main, SKS rifles, ammo, scopes. 2t88p



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The bids must be received by the County Auditor's Office by 4:30 p.m. November 13th, 1995 and will be reviewed at the County Board meeting on November 14th, 1995. Pennington County reserves the right to reject all bids received.

Kenneth Olson, Pennington County Auditor
P.O. Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

Sincerely,
Kenneth Olson / by
Valerie ...
Kenneth Olson
Pennington County Auditor

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY- Wheels for Toyota 1/2 ton, tires 215-225 or 235, must be on good shape. 681-1402. 4t90a

WANTED TO BUY- 350 or 305 motor for Chev pickup, call after 6 p.m., 874-6241. 2t87e

CONE-TOP BEER and soda cans. Up to $300.00 paid, call mornings or late evenings. Erik, 612-871-6304. P8t90p

WANTED TO BUY- Clip for a 6mm Remington model number 788, call after 8 p.m., 874-6241. 2t87e

WANTED TO BUY- Deer hides, trade for gloves, mittens or pay cash. Also, buying raw furs starting Nov. 4. Johnson Hide and Fur, Erskine, phone 687-3600, or residence 687-3956. 86tfc

Pets

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FOR SALE- AKC yellow lab puppies, have had their first shots, call 681-7599. P4t87p

FOR SALE- AKC registered Keeshound, male, 5-months-old, $30.00, 449-4471. P4t90p

FOR SALE- AKC Golden Retriever pups, females, family raised, great disposition, like to hunt, born Aug. 2, phone 436-8712. P4t90p

AKC DALMATION pups, 8-weeks-old, very well spotted! Great looking pups, $119.00, call 253-2562. 2t88p

FOR SALE- Purebred Beagle pups, 4 male and 4 females, $200.00 each, ready to go Nov. 14, $25.00 to reserve one, call 218-425-7641. P4t89p

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1979 Ford Conversion van, good for ice fishing, has two factory holes inside van for ice holes, 796-5477. 80tfc

FOR SALE- '93 Plymouth Acclaim, very good inside and outside, many extras, salesman car, high miles, $6,000.00; '87 Buick Century, very good, $2,700.00, call 218-681-5697. P4t88p

FOR SALE- 1992 Ford F150 4x4, XLT, supercab, long box, 302 with automatic, 44,000 actual miles, red in color, mint condition, original owner, 218-449-4645 evenings. 8t93p

1988 PLYMOUTH Voyager, 7-passenger, air, cruise, AM/FM cassette, $8,500.00, call 782-2230 after 6.00 p.m. P8t91p

'92 BUICK LaSabre Limited, 4-door, 37,000 miles, AZ car, just beautiful; '93 Dodge Spirit, 17,000 miles; '92 Olds. Delta 88, 4-door, like new; '90 Buick LaSabre Limited, high miles, but excellent condition, all highway miles; '92 GEO Metro, gopher car, good mileage; '88 Buick Skyhawk, 4-door, sharp. Gene's Machines, Erskine, 687-5226. P4t89p

1979 CHEV. van, 350 motor, auto., good body condition, 218-681-6477. P4t87p

FOR SALE- 1968 Ford Waldoch, top line conversion van, captains chairs, V-8 engine, all power, air, cassette, very low mileage, 38,000 miles, one owner, call 681-3834 or leave message. 87tfc

FOR SALE- 1963 Pontiac Bonneville, good work or second car, $625.00 or best offer, 681-7284. 1t87p

BUS-1987 FORD bus, fixed up like camper, good shape, burns no oil, $1,200.00/o.b.o., call after 6:00 p.m., 681-5455. P4t88p

1992 GEO Storm, sharp, like new with 45,000 miles, e.L, cruise, etc. 681-5134 or 681-1856. P4t89p

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1987 Chev Suburban Silverado, loaded, 681-2772 or 681-5317. P4t89p

1979 F150 4x4, new tires, e.c., bed liner, toolbox, $1,700.00/o.b.o., 681-7311. P4t87p

1984 CHEVY Blazer, needs work, $3,000.00 or best offer. 1979 Plymouth Horizon, $400.00 or best offer, 449-2011. P4t87p

1985 FORD extended cab pickup, 2x2, excellent shape, 681-4717 after 5 p.m. 2t87p

'81 SUNBIRD LE, great condition, 98,000 miles, cruise, tilt, V-6, call after 2:00 p.m. or 5:00 p.m., 681-3649. P4t90p

1989 BUICK LeSabre LTD, 4-door, air, p.s., p.b., tilt, cruise, electric locks, windows and seats, excellent condition, 100M maintenance records, $4,900.00, 218-681-2311. 4t871

1984 RANGER, 4 WD, V-6, 4 speed, dual tanks, long box with liner, topper, mechanically sound, body has rust, high mileage, runs great, $2,000.00/o.b.o., 681-2767. P4t89p

1957 CHEV., 2-door, post, w/o motor, 396ss (fresh), auto., ready go drive, 218-681-6477. P4t87p

FOR SALE- 1987 Olds. Regency 98 Brougham, $3,695.00/o.b.o., 681-3797. P4t88p

FOR SALE- 1981 Monte Carlo body, rusty, good for race car, make offer, 681-4427 or 681-6344. 72tfc

FOR SALE- 1994 Chev S-10 Blazer, 4-door, call 681-4683, days. 74tfc

FOR SALE- 1985 Buick Park Avenue, 2-door, 28-m.p.g., light blue, 681-8580. P4t88p

1994 FORD 1/2-ton Lariat XL, 4x4, 6-cylinder, 5-speed, $5000.00, 681-2303 (11-5, M-F). P4t88p

FOR SALE- 1987 Ford Escort Station Wagon with 120,000 miles, good condition, will be sold by sealed bids. Submit to NW Service Coop, 114 West First St., TRF, MN 56701, Attn: Krista. Deadline November 3. 4t88c

1987 BUICK Rivera, 3.8 V-6, with all the options, excellent condition, only $3,895.00, 681-5134 or 681-4716. P4t89p

1994 CHEVY Cavalier, 21,000 miles, 4-cylinder, 5-speed, many extras, must sell, cheap, 681-8972 or leave message. 2t87p

FOR SALE- 1993 Cavalier, teal green, sharp, 27,000 miles, 681-1178. 4t88c

1986 S-10 Blazer, Tahoe package, 4x4, air, tilt, cruise, AM/FM cassette, V-6, auto., luggage rack, running boards, good tires, excellent shape, must see, call 523-3951. P4t89p

Legal Notices

November 1, 8, 15, 1995
BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, GRADING, AGGREGATE BASE AND ASPHALTIC CONCRETE WITH ASSOCIATED WORKS
BIDS CLOSE 10:00 AM
NOVEMBER 28, 1995
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MN 56701

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS: Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 AM Tuesday, November 28, 1995 by the Pennington County Auditor at the Courthouse in Thief River Falls, MN on behalf of the Pennington County Board of Commissioners for the following:

SAP 57-598-26

1) The major quantities of work are (Bridge): Remove old bridge. Concrete Bridge — 9,750 Square Feet; Reinforcing Bars — 110,190 Pounds; Steel H Piling — 1,860 Lineal Feet; Random Riprap — 600 Cubic Yards.

2) Bridge Approach Roadway: Common Excavation — 8,875 Cubic Yards; Muck Excavation — 3,060 Cubic Yards; Common Borrow — 8,144 Cubic Yards; Aggregate Base Class 3 — 3,940 Cubic Yards; Aggregate Base Class 5 — 2,327 Cubic Yards; Aggregate Shouldering, Class 5M — 408 Cubic Yards; Type 31 Wearing Course Mixture — 562 Ton; Type 31 Base Course Mixture — 749 Ton; 18" C.S. Pipe Culvert — 412 L.F.; 18" R.C. Pipe Culvert — 88 L.F.; Geotextile Fabric Type I — 5,068 Sq. yd.

Proposal, plans and specifications may be examined and obtained at the Office of the County Highway Engineer, 101 N. Main, or by mail PO Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.

The Counter price for a complete set of all required contract documents is $20.00 (non-refundable). Add $2.50 for shipping and handling, if requested to be mailed.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check or bidders bond made payable to the Pennington County Treasurer for not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any defects.

Kenneth Olson
County Auditor

FOR SALE ON BIDS:
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Written bids will be excepted until 11-10-95 and should be dropped off at First National Bank or sent to the Bank at P.O. Box 599, Thief River Falls, MN. We reserve the right to reject all bids.

Call for Bids:
Bids are requested by the close of the business day, November 20, 1995 for the cabling of the Tri-County School's local area network to allow for voice and data transmission to individual classrooms, laboratories and offices. An additional specification exists to permit cable TV or video transmission into these classrooms. Specifications available on request. A pre-bid meeting will be held on November 6 at 3:45 p.m. at the Tri-County School in Karlstad.

Legal Notices

November 1, 1995
OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PENNINGTON COUNTY
August 22nd, 1995 - 5:00 p.m.

Pursuant to adjournment the Pennington County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners room in the courthouse in Thief River Falls, Minnesota on Tuesday, August 22nd, 1995 at 5:00 p.m. Members present: Carlson, Comstock, Neplin & Swenson. Members absent: Jensen.

Meeting with the County Board was Wally Dornfeld, Springsted Public Finance Advisors, presented recommendations for Pennington County $805,000 General Obligation Capital Improvement Bonds Series 1995A. The bonds will be sold to pay for the ADA Elevator/restroom project on the Pennington County Courthouse and parts of the Longs Bridge project. Mr. Dornfeld's recommendations included receiving bids for the bond sale on September 26th, 1995.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Swenson, seconded by Commissioner Comstock and upon vote unanimously carried:

RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF $805,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN BONDS SERIES 1995A

(Complete document on file in the Pennington County Auditor's Office.)

The County Engineer then requested that he be allowed to advertise for construction of C.S.A.H. #18 (Hwy #58 Connector Road). The County Board discussed the fact that not all of the right of way has been acquired. The request to advertise for construction was denied at this time.

Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Swenson to instruct the County Attorney to start condemnation proceedings on the lands that have not yet been acquired for the C.S.A.H. #18 project. Motion carried with Commissioner Carlson voting against.

WHEREAS, Pennington County proposes to construct County State Aid Highway 18 from the intersection of State Trunk Highway #1 West and Trunk Highway #59 North, southerly to a point just west of the present intersection of County Road #61 and State Trunk Highway #32.

WHEREAS, Pennington County has the authority to acquire right of way for said County State Aid Highway #18C by Eminent Domain pursuant to Minn. Stat. Sec. 163.02 Subd. 2, and

WHEREAS, Pennington County has a right to acquire the right of way prior to the filing of an award by the court appointed commissioners, pursuant to Minn. Stat. Secs. 117.011 and 117.042, and

WHEREAS, a portion of said lands required for easement purposes are owned by Ken and Connie Mehrkens and Pete and Debra Carlson, and

WHEREAS, 1st American Bank of Warren has a mortgage on the Carlson land, and thus has an interest in said property, and

WHEREAS, Joseph R. Johnson has a mortgage on the Mehrkens land and thus has an interest in said property, and

WHEREAS, Pennington County has been unable to successfully negotiate the acquisition of a required easement;

Commissioner Swenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to suspend Edward Swentek with pay and give notice of intent to discharge pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 197.46 known as the Veterans Preference Act. Upon call for a roll call vote the following votes were heard. Jensen-aye, Carlson-aye, Swenson-aye, Comstock-aye, and Neplin-aye. Motion unanimously carried.

The required letter of intent to discharge will be sent to Mr. Swentek.

Commissioner Swenson then left the meeting to attend the meeting of the Northwest Regional Development Commission.

Gary Lane and Barb Molskness representing the Pennington County Soil & Water Conservation District, presented the district budget for 1996. Their request is for an appropriation of $59,239.00 from the County. This request was referred to the budget.

District Judge Dennis Murphy then met with the County Board to request approval to purchase software and the necessary wiring for the District Court room that will allow the court reporter to use a real-time system. Cost of the software and cable is approximately $715.00. Wiring the system would be an additional charge. The County Board authorized the purchase from the District Court Budget and also authorized the County Auditor to write an Auditor's warrant for the software and cables.

Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Jenson to set the County Truth in Taxation hearing for 5:00 p.m., December 12th, 1995. Motion unanimously carried.

Commissioner Jenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to contact the Sentenced to Serve coordinator to take down two elm trees at Oakland Park that have been marked by the Thief River Falls City Forester as having Dutch Elm Disease. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Board was informed that we have received a check from the insurance company for repair of the 1993 Hydro-Mac. Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Jenson to approve the repair of the 1993 Hydra-Mac skid steer loader damaged by fire. Motion unanimously carried.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Jensen, seconded by Commissioner Comstock and upon vote was unanimously carried.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 462C (the "Act"), the Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority (the "Issuer") proposes to issue either mortgage credit certificates (the "MCCs") or single family mortgage revenue bonds either alone or jointly with certain other issuers, using its allocation of approximately $1,701,881 bonding authority from the housing pool (the "Bonds") to finance the acquisition by low and moderate income first time home buyers of single family homes, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1974 (4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code") the issuance of the MCCs or the Bonds must be approved by the "applicable elected representative" of the issuer, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1974 (4) (E) of the Internal Revenue Code the Pennington County Board of Commissioners is the "applicable elected representative" for the issuance of tax-exempt bonds by the issuer.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Pennington County Board of Commissioners, that the issuance of MCCs or Bonds by the issuer or by the issuer and other governmental units pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 471.59 is hereby approved.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Pennington County Board of Commissioners hereby authorized and acquisition of said land by Eminent Domain and to take title and possession of that property prior to the filing of an award by the court appointed commissioner, pursuant to Minn. Stat. secs. 163.02, Subd. 2, 117.011, and 117.042, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Pennington County Attorney has been requested to file the necessary petition therefore, and to prosecute such action to successful conclusion or until it is abandoned, dismissed, or terminated by the County or the Court.

Commissioner Swenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to authorize the County Engineer and County Auditor to advertise for bids for replacement of Bridge #575111 located on County Road #84 in Silverton Township. Motion unanimously carried. The date of the bid will be coordinated with the Minnesota Department of Transportation. Status of the eminent domain proceeds for Long's Bridge and construction of C.S.A.H. #25 & C.S.A.H. #2 was heard. Both are moving forward.

Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Swenson to authorize the purchase and payment of the following Right of Way for construction of C.S.A.H. #18 (Hwy #58 connector road) and site for Highway Department shop. Motion unanimously carried.

Parcel No.—Description, Owner, Amount: # —100 ft. tract across Section 32 Twp. 154 N, Range 43 West, Digi-Key, $4,830.00; -

3 —100 ft. tract across Govt. Lot 2 Section 5, Twp. 153 N, Range 43 W, Walterne & Edward Gilbert, $2,930.00;

A —11.75 acres in NE 1/4, Section 32 Twp. 154 N, Range 43 W, Noper McEnelly Harding Farms, $35,250.00;

5 —100 ft. tract across E. 1/2, Section 32, Twp. 154 N, Range 43 W (Highway Shop), Noper McEnelly Herding Farms, $5,570.00;

8 —65 ft. tract across NE 1/4, Section 32, Twp. 154 N, Range 43 W, Westside Motors, $28,550.00;

10 —120 ft. tract across W 1/2, Section 32, Twp. 154 N, Range 43 W, Marland and Sharon Johnson, $30,540.00.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Comstock, seconded by Commissioner Swenson and upon vote was unanimously carried.

WHEREAS, Contract No. 95004 has in all things been completed and the County Board being fully advised in the premises,

NOW THEN BE IT RESOLVED: that we do hereby accept said completed project for and in behalf of the County of Pennington and authorize final payment as specified herein.

Joining the meeting at this time was Godfred Svir and Ed Swantek.

At this time the County Engineer asked to discuss a personnel issue. As per request of Edward Swentek Commissioner Swenson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to close the County Board meeting to discuss a personnel issue. Motion carried.

The Chairman then called the County Board meeting back to order.

Commissioner Jensen joined the meeting at this time.

The County Engineer made a recommendation that Edward Swentek be given his notice of intent to discharge.

The following resolution was introduced by Commissioner Jensen, seconded by Commissioner Comstock and upon vote was unanimously carried.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board Chairman and County Auditor be authorized to sign the following:

RATIFICATION STATEMENT

The Board of Commissioners of Pennington County has ratified the "Property Tax System Maintenance and Support Agreement between Minnesota Counties Computer Cooperative and Business Records Corporation" effective December 1, 1995, with an execution date of June 8, 1995. Ratification of this agreement commits this county to participation in the Minnesota Counties Computer Cooperative Tax User Group and to purchase support for the Property Tax System from Business Records Corporation through December 31, 2000.

SOFTWARE ACQUISITION COMMITMENT

The Board of Commissioners of Pennington County has agreed to acquire the Business Records Corporation (BRC) CAMA-USA software product, to participate in the Minnesota Counties Computer Cooperative Tax User Group, and to purchase training service through the Minnesota Counties Computer Cooperative (MCCC) for the CAMA-USA product.

Pennington County agrees to be billed $750.00 for the training and optional conversion in 1996 and agrees to be billed the $1,500 license fee in 1995.

Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to approve the minutes of July 25, 1995 as written. Motion carried.

Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to approve the minutes of July 25th, 1995 and August 8th, 1995 as written. Motion carried.

The County Board then spent a considerable amount of time going over the budgets and proposed levy that would be required to meet the budgets as submitted. The County Board stated that each of the departments, Revenue, Road & Bridge and Welfare were to reduce their proposed levy by $30,000 and that further consideration would be made at the next County Board meeting.

Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to adjourn to September 12, 1995 at 9:30 a.m. Motion carried.

ATTEST: Kenneth Olson, Auditor, Pennington County
Charles Neplin, Chairman, Board of Commissioners

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Jobless rate for NW Minnesota shrinks to 3.5%

August unemployment in Economic Development Region 1 in August shrank to 3.5 per cent from five per cent in July of 1995 and August of 1994, according to the monthly report of the Minnesota Department of Economic Security.

Roseau county had the lowest unemployment rate of 1.9 per cent, down from 3.5 per cent in July and 3.2 per cent in August a year ago.

Pennington county had the next lowest mark of 3.0 per cent, down from 4.7 per cent in July and 4.4 per cent in August of 1994.

Red Lake county continued to have the highest unemployment rate in the region, but it has plummeted to 6.4 per cent from 8.9 per cent in July and 9.9 per cent last August. Despite the drop it ranks third in the state behind 7.9 per cent in Cottonwood county and 7.7 per cent in Clearwater county.

Other counties in the region had the following unemployment rates with August of 1995, July of 1995 and August of 1994 listed respectively: Kittson, 4.0, 5.6 and 5.5; Marshall, 5.5, 7.1 and 8.0; Norman, 4.4, 5.7 and 5.7; and Polk, 3.6, 4.8 and 4.8.

The monthly report showed there were 49,774 people employed in the region in August, compared with 49,002 in July and 47,412 in August of 1994—an increase of 2,362 jobs from a year ago. People unemployed totaled 1,828 in August, down from 2,593 in July and 2,520 in August of 1994.

Employment for August of 1995 included 2,477 workers in Kittson county, 4,630 in Marshall, 3,102 in Norman, 7,757 in Pennington, 20,606 in Polk, 1,819 in Red Lake and 9,383 in Roseau.

Chamber members Gloria Wilson and Dan Baumgartner presented Kathy Lofgren, owner of Fells Book Co., with her first dollar of profit. Pictured in the front row are Fells Book Co. employees Judy Johnson, Janet Johnson and Sue Tuthill. The book store specializes in Christian and children's books and music. They will special order books for customers, too.

WPA research team looks for early photos

A team of researchers and writers now in the process of interpreting the Works Progress Administration (WPA) era of the late 1930s and early 1940s in particularly interested in obtaining old photos of workmen constructing park buildings at Lake Bronson State Park in Kittson county.

Photos of horse teams in use, men splitting rock, the old saw mill in operation or putting roofs on buildings are among those wanted.

Also sought are pictures of men who were involved with the project, such as George Nelson, project engineer; Bill Stone, project foreman; Harold Anderson, area WPA engineer; Art Antonson, first park manager; or any other men who can be identified with development of the early park.

Photos will be copied and returned to the owner. Items may be sent to Research Team, Box 9, Lake Bronson, MN 56734.

For further information call 218-754-2200.

Blankenfeld completes ROTC camp

Christopher Blankenfeld, son of Billie and Beth Blankenfeld of rural Grygla, has completed a U.S. Air Force ROTC field training encampment at Lackland AFB near San Antonio, TX.

Blankenfeld received an associate degree in 1987 from Northland Community College in Thief River Falls and is a student at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The summer curriculum consists of orientation on jet aircraft, career opportunities, human relations education and equal opportunity training. Physical fitness and survival training are also emphasized. The field training is normally attended by cadets between their second and third year of college.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Sharron Johnson, Robyn Myers, Meghann and Banji visited at the Ida Haugen home on Saturday late afternoon. Linda and Bud Homme also called there to visit with them.

Gene, Renae and Meghan Marquis, Mike and Darren Arveson were brief callers at the Ida Haugen home Sunday afternoon.

Lorraine Mostrom left for St. Paul on Friday to visit a few days with her daughter, Phyllis Mostrom.

Ida Haugen called Janice Haugen of Hibbing on Saturday and Janice said they were having a snow storm.

Edna Hawk called her mom by phone Saturday evening. The weather in Seattle, WA, was nice there then.

Callers recently at the Willie Good home were Richard Barratt and Ernest Mostrom.

Jane Good visited at the Karen Good home on Sunday. Yvonne Good also was there.

Ernest Mostrom and Jane Good called at the Clara Peterson home on Sunday after church.

Oliver Hofstad visited at the Willie Good home on Saturday.

Jane and Willie Good called at the Lester Hanson home on Friday.

Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen were coffee guests at the Gary Johnson home on Wednesday.

Ardith Kloth and Pastor Dan Faugstad were brief callers at the Ida Haugen home on Wednesday.

Willie and Jane Good called at the Orben Good home Friday evening.

Robyn Meyers, Meghann and Banji of Richfield arrived at the Gary Johnson home on Friday. They returned to their home on Sunday.

Greg and Janell Fast, Derrik and Melissa of Monticello spent from Wednesday till Saturday visiting relatives at Warroad and at the Clara Peterson home. They left for there home on Saturday.

Janell Fast, Derrik and Melissa, Lucas and Emily Bjerklie visit at the Gene Marquis home on Friday. They also were supper guests there.

Linda Homme and Ida Haugen were brief callers at the Ernest Mostrom home on Sunday afternoon.

Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Visitors at the home of Mabel and Eddie Anderson during the last week were Greg Norum from Bemidji, Ginny and Steve Anderson from Roseau, Leola Dyrud Furman from Grand Forks, and Pastor Nancy Werner of Holt.

Ruth Henson and Jean Maldment were visitors at the Muriel Steinhaur home on Thursday afternoon.

Judy and Casey Jones were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Ida Rupprecht home.

Bernice and Ray Barth spent Tuesday at the David Barth home in Warroad and had dinner with him.

Sunday afternoon visitors with Peter Klungness at the Oakland Park Nursing Home were Jennie Isaacson from Minneapolis, Arlane Forsberg from St. Paul, Bernice Knutson and Sam Rasmussen.

Jean Nelson and Ardella Ostgaarden were among those who attended a "Christmas Around the World" party at the home of Sandy Sunsdahl.

Ruth Hanson and Ida Rupprecht attended the home council meeting at the courthouse on Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson from Bellevue, WA and Vivian Sagstuan from Newfolden visited briefly at the Art Moe home and also at the Adeline Moe home on Friday. In the afternoon they were all visitors and luncheon guests at the home of Mabel and Eddie Anderson.

Don Barth from Glyndon was a supper guest at the Bernice and Ray Barth home on Wednesday. Later in the evening Ray and Bernice went to Grand Forks to visit Walter Nolte at the United Hospital.

JoDee and Ron Reierson, Brianna and Christopher and Chris's friend were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Irene Nelson.

Pearl Nelson and Angie Larson were Wednesday afternoon visitors at the home of Ruth Hanson.

Tony Gustafson and Brad Blazek from Grand Forks spent the weekend at the Carmen and Larry Gustafson home.

Those enjoying a pizza party at the Margaret and Donald Rupprecht home on Saturday evening were Daryl and Teresa Rupprecht from Fargo, Cole and Chase Rupprecht from Hastings, Dale and Sherri Rupprecht and Reese, Malodee Rupprecht and Shara Guidry.

Mike Torgerson, Mike Parent, Bruce Williams, Chris and Murray Jorde and Todd Collins spent the weekend pheasant hunting near Aberdeen, SD. Martha and Jarvis Torgerson enjoyed a pheasant supper with the Mike Torgerson family on Monday.

Johanna Green of Grafton, Carol and Ralph Tucker from St. Thomas, ND, Florence Nabben and Adeline Moe visited with Harold and Edith Nebben on Sunday afternoon.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Friday, Mrs. Eddy Stucy visited with her mother Leole Cullan at the Good Samaritan home in Warren.

Jean Johnson had supper with her parents, Clarence and Mayme Johnson on Wednesday night.

Thursday morning visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson.

Saturday afternoon, Glen Jonson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Leonard Johnson home.

Elva Fiedlar and Eloda Knutson attended the retired teachers meeting on Wednesday at the Evergreen Eating Emporium in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Howard Hanson and Lorraine Waine went to Fosston on Saturday.

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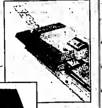

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Franklin bands in concert on Tuesday, November 14

Sixth, seventh and eighth grade bands and the "Morning Darkness" jazz band at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls will present their annual fall concert on Tuesday, November 14, at 8 p.m. in the Franklin school multipurpose room. The bands are under the direction of Bruce Felt and Mike Lehrer.

"Our newest group, the sixth grade band, began its band experience about the middle of September," director Lehrer said. "After just eight weeks of class they are ready to demonstrate what they have learned. Every year our beginners amaze us, and this year is no exception. We believe they will also amaze those who attend the concert."

Lehrer added that the seventh and eighth grade "experienced" musicians are also developing well as they increase their levels of accomplishment in teamwork, responsibility, hard work and musicianship.

The jazz band has already performed for the Band Boosters Burger Dinner and demonstrated a high level of accomplishment, Lehrer added. He said the instrumental music students and the directors are looking forward to sharing an evening of music with the public.

Persons who have not yet toured the new music facilities at Franklin are encouraged to take a few minutes following the concert to walk through and become acquainted as the student musicians put away their instruments and equipment.

Admission to the concert is $2 for adults and students in grades 9-12 and $1 for students in grades K-8. Preschool children and senior citizens are admitted free of charge.

Lehrer and Felt refer to their groups as sixth, seventh and eighth "great" (rather than grade) bands.

Sixth great band will open the program with *In the Beginning*, followed by *London Bridge*, *Old MacDonald Had a Band*, *William Tell*, *Ode to Joy*, *Sakura Sakura (Song of the Blooming Cherry Tree)*, *Variations on a Familiar Theme*, *Bandissimo* and *Dry Bones*.

Seventh great band will play *Free Spirit Overture*, *Colors of the Wind* and *March Esprit*.

Eighth great band will present *Old Comrades*, *Shaker Variants* and *Dorian Rhapsody*.

The Morning Darkness jazz band program has not been announced.

Sixth Grade Band

Flute—Jessica Perez, Rebecce Rothchild, Emily Tweet, Alicia Vigness, Kotrina Johnson and Rachel Halvorson;

Clarinet—Jill Stenseth, Koy Steiger, Jacki Mooney, Bethony Brown, Heather Fellman, Kelly Winjum, Chris Leach, Alicia Borneman, Allisa Holmaas, Naomi Kenner and Mandi Johnson;

Alto Saxophone—Cody Knutson, Meghen Nelson, Naomi Lawrence, Beth Padilla, Amber Drury, Ashleigh Anderson and Kelly Bendickson;

Tenor Saxophone—Nathaniel Muzzy and Nick Mattila;

French Horn—Nate Cota;

Trumpet—Trevor Christensen, Allan Benson, Sarah Lofgren, Danny Piche, Mike Drees, Lydya Sollom, Justin Rondorf and Joseph Haj;

Trombone—John Mickelson, Jason Swenson, Jonathan Fomey and Sarah Willis;

Baritone—Jenny Black and Matthew Dimich;

Bass Horn—Crissy Wegner;

Percussion—Brent Fulton, Josh Stenseth, Sarah Altepeter, Jason Blakely and Abbie Houske;

Seventh Grade Band

Flute—Heidi Young, Ashlyn Stratton, Amy Rominski, Tiffany McAnnany and Neel Patel;

Clarinet—Katy Hook, Amy Christenson, Lisa Joppru, Teckla Paraventi, Tiffeny Frank, Ryan Peoples, Teresa Swick and Desire Achlert;

Alto Saxophone—Chris Judd, Carissa Ptacek, Kristin Muzzy and

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Several people were taken to Northwest Medical Center following this accident. According to the accident report, the two vehicles pictured above collided head-on at about 6 a.m. on Highway 59 three miles north of Plummer. In the top picture, the jeep is several feet beyond the trailer, which contains several dead deer and deer hunting equipment. There was one other vehicle which was directly involved in the accident. Following the head-on collision it slid into one of the vehicles. There were two other vehicles in the ditch at the location. One vehicle had slid into the ditch the previous night. The other vehicle slid into the ditch after observing the head-on collision. Slippery roads were a contributing factor to the accidents.

'Remember When' show November 12 at Lincoln

"Remember When," a 1930s and 1940s big band song and dance show prepared by the Lincoln high school music department, will be presented Sunday, November 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the new gymnasium at Lincoln.

The site has been dubbed "Helen's Full Moon Ballroom" for the evening and most of the participants have been given fictitious names for the program to add to the atmosphere.

"It will be a night of soft lights, enchanting melodies, memories from the World War II era and serenading vocal and instrumental soloists who will change a regular school gymnasium into an enchanted ballroom filled with the wonderful sounds of the 1930s and 1940s," says Darcy Reese, vocal music instructor at Lincoln who is producer of the show.

"Those attending will hear tunes like *Satin Doll*, *Woodchopper's Ball*, *In The Mood*, *Moonglow*, *Gal from Kalamazoo*, *Paper Moon* and much, much more."

Suave and debonair host for the evening will be Mr. Doyle Lonigen (English instructor Loiell Dyrud) and the conductor will be Biff Velvet (instrumental music instructor Bruce Felt. Reese's participation has been named Dophaney Royce Productions.

Performers for the evening will be from the Swingsations jazz choir (to be known as the Swingtones) and the Lincoln jazz band (which will become the Prowlaires).

Some of the featured performers include the Smoothtones (Brian Unbehaun, Paul Dehnert and Matt Bitzegaio); soprano soloists Denise Doen (Danielle Goulet), Patty Hughes (Vicki Bitzegaio) and Judy Star (Lisa Swanson); tenor soloists Fredrick Smythe (Chris Tsukichi) and Brent Washington (Brian Unbehaun); and bass soloist Huey Lowtone (Kyle Rokke).

Other Swingtone members include sopranos Lisa Ostby, Michelle Mathson, Katie Christensen and Megan Browning, altos Anne Padilla, Kamie Twomey, Jackie Flynn, Heidi Johnson and Carrie Rud; tenors Tony Bromen and Jordan Goldesberry; and basses Ryan Swanson, Robby Farbo, Keith Anderson and Sam Adams.

Prowlaire soloists include Guns Bivano (Jill Dekkers) and Larry Teal (Laura Williams) on alto saxophone; Dudley Rufoe (Keily Newton) on tenor saxophone; Trevor Bax (Brad Dekkers), Steve Lockkerl (Stocy Nerlock), Doc Witherspoon (Rob Stock) and Fred Miles (Luke Torgerson) on trumpet; and Ronnie "Slide" Dwyer (Reid Froiland) on trombone;

Also Kenny Thomas (Kendra Dimich) and Oliver E. Deetz (Elizabeth Odette) on piano; Mork Alexander (Alex Morken) on bass; Honk Mickelson (Mike Hahne) and Sal Fronzella (Nathan LaRoque) on drums.

Other Prowlaire members include Jennifer Olin, tenor saxophone; Chris Bjerken, baritone saxophone; Joni Larson, trumpet; Cameron Carlson, Jim Lehrer and Justin Walseth, trombone; and Collin Browning, bass.

Tickets are available from Lincoln high school jazz band or choir members or at Kezar Music or Budget Electronics. Tickets may also be purchased at the door if any remain after the advance sale. They are priced at $8 each and must be presented at the door that evening.

"Dress in your ballroom clothes and make sure you have your dancing shoes on," Reese said.

Swingsations jazz choir at Lincoln high school will become the "Swingtones" for the "Remember When" song and dance show Sunday, November 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the new gymnasium at Lincoln. Pictured (left to right) are, front row, Danielle Goulet, Jordan Goldesberry, Robert Ferbo (seated), Jackie Flynn, Anne Padille, Heidi Johnson, Paul Dehnert, Katie Christensen, Matt Bitzegalo and Vicki Bitzegalo; second row, Lisa Swenson, Ben Schmitz, Kyla Rokke, Lisa Ostby, Chris Tsukichi, Kamie Twomey, Sam Adams and Carrie Rud; back row, Ryan Swenson, Marisse Toren, Keith Anderson, Michelle Methson, Tony Bromen, Brien Unbeheun and Lane Rodehl.

Five people injured in three-car accident Mon.

Five people were injured in a three-vehicle accident that included a head-on collision between two vehicles Monday, November 6. Icy roads were considered a contributing factor for the accident.

Minnesota State patrol received a report of the accident about three miles north of Plummer on Highway 59 at about 6 a.m. According to the accident report, Robert Behnard Gundershaug of New Hope, was driving south in a 1995 Chevrolet Blazer and pulling a trailer. Paul David Weber of Detroit Lakes was driving north in a 1984 Cadillac Deville when the vehicles collided head on at a curve in the road. Following the collision, a 1983 Buick Century, driven by Jennifer Adeline Mack, 20, Plummer, came upon the accident and slid into the Weber vehicle. The accident is still under investigation.

Gundershaug, 59, and passengers Blaine Robert Gundershaug, 31, Ronald Mitchell Gundershaug, 28, and Robert Michael Fields, 31, were all taken to Northwest Medical Center. Robert Gundershaug, and Robert Fields were then transferred to United Hospital in Grand Forks. Both were listed in serious condition.

Paul Weber was taken to Northwest Medical Center and then transferred to United Hospital in Grand Forks. He was listed in serious condition.

Jennifer Mack was not injured.

The Gundershaug vehicle and the trailer it was pulling were considered total losses. The Weber vehicle was also considered a total loss. The Mack vehicle sustained moderate damage.

Two other vehicles were in the ditch near the accident scene. One vehicle slid into the ditch the previous night. The second vehicle was several feet from the accident when it slid into the ditch. There were no reported injuries or damages.

TRF Calendar parking begins on November 15

Calendar parking in Thief River Falls will begin on November 15 and continue through March 15, according to Police Chief Ken Froschheiser.

Beginning at 6 a.m. on November 15, the police department will begin issuing citations for vehicles found in violation of the ordinance. One warning will be issued for each vehicle. After the first warning citation, a parking citation will be issued.

On snow removal days, vehicles found in violation of the ordinance will be towed away.

Residents are asked to tell guests and visitors to their home of the ordinance.

The ordinance provides that there will be no parking Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays on avenues (north and south) from 6 to 9 a.m. There will be no parking allowed on streets (east and west) between 6 and 9 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

Gas price war?

A gas price war appears to have started in Thief River Falls with the 7-Eleven station cutting to $1.05.9 and the Farmers Union Eighth Street station at $1.07.9 for regular unleaded. Other stations have also reportedly cut pump prices.

Officers of the Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA) chapter at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls were elected early this fall and will serve throughout the current school year. Pictured (left to right) are, front row, Jeanene Stenseth, secretary; Shelby Grinde, vice president; and Jamie Elleson, treasurer; back row, Dave Clausen, sales and marketing teacher at Lincoln and DECA chapter advisor; Lydia Balmer, vice president; and Katie Toren, president.

Foundations of Chemistry class at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls observed National Mole Day the week of October 23. The day celebrates a special chemistry number used to count large numbers of very small particles, such as molecules or ions. Class members pictured (left to right) are, front row, Camilla Pharemond, Gay Voytilla and Melissa Moliter; middle row, Shari Timm, Brian Schoon, Sarah Engelsrud, Julie Solle, Kristi Jene Wolff, Renee Bernard, Tenya Henke, Instructor Sonja Siewert and Carly Dee; back row, Anthony Kesse, Philip Nelson and Joel Anderson.

Chemistry class notes Mole Day

Foundations of Chemistry class at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls celebrated National Mole Day the week of October 23.

According to NCTC chemistry instructor Dr. Sonja Siewert, National Mole Day celebrates a special chemistry number determined by Amedeo Avogadro in the 18th century in Italy which provides a convenient method of counting large numbers of very small particles, such as molecules and ions. One mole equals 6.02 times 10 to the 23rd power.

"One mole of any element contains the same number of atoms as a mole of any other element in the periodic table, or specifically 602,300,000,000,000,000,000,000," Siewert said.

"National Mole Day is celebrated October 23 from 6:02 a.m. to 6:02 p.m. In high schools, colleges and universities throughout the country, October 23 is recognized as an appreciation of the rôle of the mole in chemistry and in people's lives."

Dr. Siewert believes that learning chemistry can be fun and her students apparently agree. Students in her class celebrated with a cake and played chemistry mole games and chem Bingo. The instructor provided some "mole facts" to illustrate the size of numbers involved in the study of chemistry and how use of the mole reduces them to usable figures.

- One mole of moles, placed head to tail, would stretch 11 million light years and weigh 9/10 as much as the moon;
- One mole of marbles, each 2.0 centimeters in diameter, would form a mountain 116 times the height of Mount Everest and the base would be slightly larger than the area of the United States;
- If an Avogadro number of pennies were distributed evenly among the 4.9 times 10 to the ninth power human inhabitants of the earth, each man, woman and child would have enough money to spend one million dollars every hour—day and night —and still have over half of it unspent at death;
- One mole of marshmallows would cover the United States to a depth of 1,050 kilometers (650 miles);
- Suppose that the Greek god Zeus, after observing the Big Bang 15 billion years ago, became bored and decided to count a mole of atoms. Because he is omnipotent, he can count very fast (one million atoms per second) and, of course, never sleeps. Today he has completed over three-fourths of the task but won't be finished for another four billion years.

Legion Dist. Commander to be guest

Post 117 of the American Legion and Auxiliary will conduct its annual Veterans Day membership dinner Saturday, November 11, at the club rooms in Thief River Falls. Social hour will be from 6 to 7 p.m. and the dinner served at 7 p.m. with the program to follow.

The dinner is free to all members of the post and auxiliary who have paid their membership dues for the coming year.

Guest speaker will be Ninth District Commander Tom Matejka of Breckenridge, who also serves as Wilkin county sheriff. He is a Vietnam Era veteran, serving in the U.S. Army as a military policeman and tank crewman on the Germany-Czechoslovakia border.

Commander Matejka has served as commander, first vice commander, sergeant-at-arms, historian, adjutant and baseball chairman of Alfred Lockman Post 53 at Breckenridge. He has also served the Ninth District as Area IV vice commander and vice commander at large.

Presiding at the banquet program will be Commander Larry Molstad of Post 117. His wife Sharon is president of the Unit 117 Auxiliary. The program will include a memorial tribute to members who have died the past year. Lincoln high school choir will provide table servers and musical entertainment for the program.

The club dining room will be closed to the public that evening.

Winter Storm Awareness Week is noted

"Winter Storm Awareness Week" in Minnesota has been proclaimed for November 13-17 by Governor Arne Carlson.

"Citizens need to prepare their homes, cars and families now to ensure a safe winter season," says Phil Stephan, natural disaster planner for the Department of Public Safety Division of Emergency Management.

"Make sure your furnace is in good working condition, a working carbon monoxide detector is in the house, your car is tuned up and a winter survival kit is in the trunk. In addition, all family members need to know about the dangers of frostbite, hypothermia and thin ice. They should also know the meaning of winter weather watches and warnings issued by the weather service."

Citizens interested in obtaining more information about preparing for winter storms, winter safety and putting together a winter survival kit for their car should contact their local emergency manager or the Division of Emergency Management at 612-296-2233.

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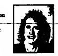

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Nicole Kopari, ninth grade health student of Helen Anderson at Lincoln high school, presented a blue ribbon to Al Krause, a sixth grade science teacher at Franklin Middle School. The class project was to tell someone in the community why they had made a difference in the student's life and present him or her with two blue ribbons—one to be retained and one to be passed on to someone who had made a difference in the recipient's life.

TAD project at Newfolden will observe Chemical Health Week

Tobacco, Alcohol and Drug Use Prevention (TAD) project operated by Quin County Community health Services is inviting the public to join in celebrating Minnesota Chemical Health Week November 13-19. Theme for the week is "Alcohol: Tobacco and Other Drug Abuse Costs.....Prevention Saves."

Chemical Health Week is structured to bring all parts of a community into the celebration. Each day of the week has a specific program or theme to be observed.

Monday, November 13, is MADD Monday—red ribbon day. Drivers are encouraged to display red ribbons provided by Mothers Against Drunk Driving on their automobile antennas.

Tuesday, November 14, is Ghost Out Day—a day devoted to demonstrating the statistic that 55 people die in the United States every 24 hours due to alcohol-related motor vehicle crashes. Students act out in their schools the tragic effects of drinking and driving.

Wednesday, November 15, has been designated as Wear Red Day, when people are encouraged to wear red to show support for good chemical health.

Thursday, November 16, is the annual D-Day (Don't Smoke Day) when individuals make a commitment not to smoke for at least the day and perhaps begin kicking the habit forever.

Friday, November 17, will be Harmony Day when students, parents, teachers and community members discuss, celebrate and develop ways to create harmony within our communities to bolster choices for chemical health.

Saturday and Sunday, November 18 and 19, have been combined into Spirituality Weekend—a time for the religious community to emphasize chemical health and people to strengthen their individual spiritual commitments in order to achieve healthier families and communities.

The TAD project is coordinated by a task force including Mary Anderson, Lacey Hirst and Doug Haven of Newfolden, Al Anton of Stephen, Scott Barstad, DeeAnn Leines and Dr. Owen Nelson of Red Lake Falls, Jodi Eboff and Jan Peterson of Warren, Nancy Maurstad of Argyle, Deb Swanson of Thief River Falls and Patti Swanson and Terry Thoreson of Hallock.

The task force has been active in the Quin County Community Health Services area of Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Roseau counties since 1989. Recently the task force held its seventh TAD camp with 28 campers and their teachers from nine school spending two days learning how to teach their classmates about chemical health.

Support for the camp came from Express Mart, Newfolden; PKM Electric Cooperative, Warren; Grand Central Graphics, Middle River; Red Lake Electric Cooperative, Red Lake Falls; Rob Pasley (Vernon Company), Grand Forks, ND; Polaris Industries, Roseau; Pizza Hut, McDonald's, Quick Print Center and Arctco, Inc., Thief River Falls.

LHS health project honors those who make a difference

Helen Anderson's ninth grade health students from Lincoln high school have taken on a project which recognizes people who have made a difference in the lives of others.

Each of the students made five blue ribbons and was instructed to go out and spread the acknowledgement to two people who had made a difference in his or her life. One of the five ribbons was retained by the student.

Two of the ribbons were given to each of the two people contacted by the students who told the recipients why they have made a difference in the givers' lives. One of the ribbons was to be retained by the person receiving it and the other passed on to another person who had made a difference in the recipient's life.

This week the students were following up the experiment to see who had been given ribbons by the persons recognized by the students.

Anderson said the project was developed by Helice Bridges of Del Mar, CA.

"When I read about this project I thought it would be a great idea to do with my students," Anderson said. "We wanted to find out how it affects people. Everyone likes praise, and the response has been great. A total of 500 ribbons are now circulating in the community."

Host families still needed for foreign students in this area

Host families continue to be needed for students from 35 different countries for a three-month or five-month stay in the United States beginning in January.

International Education Forum (IEF) students are carefully screened, speak English, are fully insured and have personal spending money. Local representatives provide orientation and supervision to ensure the homestay is a success.

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Help children beat sick bed boredom with art and learning activities

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[illegible] organization that creates learning opportunities through the arts for people with disabilities, especially children and youth. "Parents also worry because a child is missing school when they are sick. With fun arts projects that can be done at home, parents can help keep their child engaged in learning activities."

Very Special Arts recommends the following activities for bed-bound children with and without disabilities.

Be a square! Making a quilt of patterns, colors or shapes: Help your child cut white paper into squares and provide crayons or washable markers and glue. Show your child examples of patterns, such as those in quilts, wallpaper or curtains in his or her room. Encourage your child to design the squares by repeating shapes, lines and colors to create an overall pattern, which can reinforce basic counting and math skills. Then arrange and glue the finished squares on a large sheet of paper or fabric to form a quilt.

A stitch in time! Creating a picture with stitchery: Gather burlap squares, a plastic large-eye needle, colored yarn and safety scissors for your child's stitchery creation. Check your local craft store for these supplies. Then show your child how to thread the needle and use simple in-and-out stitches on the burlap to create different designs. Experiment using several yarn colors and stitch patterns, even spelling out simple words with the needle and thread to practice language skills. Hang your child's stitchery picture when completed.

Shape up! Bringing clay to life. Create a work station for your child using a smooth, easy-to-clean surface such as a bed tray or chopping board. Provide enough non-toxic, plastic clay to make a variety of imaginary figures. Demonstrate how to roll, coil and pull the piece of clay and then pinch the ends together to join pieces. Join your child in making imaginative clay forms by using these techniques to create different shapes such as animals, faces or toys. To further shape clay and add interesting textures, use a tongue depressor or a plastic knife or spoon. When it's finished, your child can create a story about his or her clay creation.

Take note! Listening to music: Listen to different types of music with your child, such as lullabies and verse and counting songs. Listening skills, which are critical to learning, can help develop children's memory, counting and ordering abilities. Have your child listen to music after reading a story and match the music's mood to the overall theme of the book.

For children with more serious illnesses that may require a hospital stay, Very Special Arts has developed a special "Tips for Parents." For a copy, or information on other Very Special Arts programs in the community, call 1-800-933-8721.

Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Library Storytime from 11:15 to 11:45 at the TRF Library

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club This week's speakers are Bruce Felt, LHS Band, Darcey Reese, LHS Choir, and Connie Stock, LHS Theatre

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is "Time Management."

Senior Citizen Dance at Heritage Center from 7 to 10 p.m. with music by Vernon Rogalla.

Friday

Falls Squares square dance at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium.

Veteran's Day Observed at LHS with program from 10:10 a.m. to 11:35 a.m.

Saturday

Fall Carnival at United Methodist Church on Saturday, November 11 from 2 to 5 p.m.

Remember When concert/dance at LHS new gym at 7 p.m.

Sunday

Senior Meal chicken dinner at the Heritage Center at noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Church Dedication at 2 p.m. at Evangelical Free Church. Open house begins at 3:30 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

AAUW meets at the Evergreen Eating Emporium at 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:3-7:30 in Thief River Falls. Call 681-5557 or 1-800-660-6667 for questions and to register.

Franklin Middle School Band Concert at 7:30 p.m.

Christian Women's Club meets at noon at the Legion. Theme is "Home for the Holidays."

Christian Business and Professional Women's After 5 Club meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western. Theme is "The Big Feast."

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Spiering and Poole to marry November 18

Lisa Spiering and Jeff Poole are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of the late Patsy Spiering of Thief River Falls. She is a 1989 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed at Arctco, Inc.

Her fiance is the son of Munro and Joney Poole of Thief River Falls. He is a graduate of 1981 and is employed at Arctco, Inc.

A November 18 wedding is planned for Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with a reception to follow at the Elks Club. All friends and family are invited to attend.

Leslie and Helen Kulseth
1935

Kulseths to celebrate 60 years of marriage

There will be an open house at the Heritage Center on Saturday, November 12 from 2 to 4 p.m. honoring Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kulseth. Helen (Elofson) and Leslie were married November 10, 1935 at Augustana Lutheran church parsonage.

The open house is sponsored by their daughters, Elody Olson and Shirley Carlson, and their families. All friends and family are invited to attend. The couple requests no gifts, please.

Jones and Dahlin plan December 23rd wedding

Molly Ann Jones and Blaine Alan Dahlin wish to announce their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Molly is the daughter of Jim and the late Beverly Fisher of Thief River Falls. Blaine is the son of Eleanor Dahlin of Karlstad and Dean Dahlin of Grand Forks, ND.

Molly is a 1983 graduate of Lincoln High School and 1984 graduate of Northwest Technical College. She is employed at Digi-Key Corporation. Blaine is a 1984 graduate of Tri-County High School in Karlstad and a 1986 graduate of Northwest Technical College. He is also employed at Digi-Key Corporation.

A December 23 wedding is being planned for 2 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church in Karlstad.

THE TIMES' WEDDING POLICY

The Times wishes to publish wedding stories as soon as possible following the event. We have forms that can help you prepare information for these stories. Following is The Times' policy on publishing wedding stories.

- Full story with photo will be published if material is received at The Times within one month after wedding.
- Short story with photo but no description of gowns, flowers, etc, if material is received one to three months after wedding.
- Photo only with caption listing names of couple, parents, date and place of wedding and where couple is residing if material is received three to six months after wedding.

JeCinda Merle Fimrite and Scott Joseph Degelder were united in marriage July 15 at 2:30 p.m. at St. Bernard's Church in Thief River Falls. Parents of the couple are David Fimrite of St. Cloud, Kathy Brenne of Thief River Falls and Oscar and Connie Degelder of Pembina, ND. Following a honeymoon to Maui, HI, the couple is at home in Bemidji.

Huotaris celebrate 60th anniversary

Tom and Wilma Huotari of Plummer will celebrate their 60th anniversary on November 9.

Coffee and cake will be served Sunday November 12 after church at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Plummer at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. No gifts please.

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Jungers and Mathson exchange wedding vows September 16 at Calvary Lutheran Church

Laurie Ann Jungers and Brian Peter Mathson were united in marriage on September 16 at Calvary Lutheran Church with Pastor Terri Jo Muldam officiating. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mathson. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pickthorn of Watertown, SD.

Special music was provided by organist Michelle Mathson and soloists, Brenda Nielsen, sister of the groom, Leah Nielsen, niece of the groom, and Rachel Nielsen, niece of the groom.

Serving as maid of honor was Chris Cartor, sister of the groom. Bridesmaids were Sherri Pickthorn, sister-in-law of the bride, Sherri McNaboe, future sister-in-law of the bride, and Heidi Jungers, daughter of the bride.

Bruce Mathson served as best man for his brother's wedding. Groomsmen were Jim Rondorf, friend of the groom, Wade Forsberg, friend of the groom, and Peter Nielsen, nephew of the groom.

Ushers were Todd Pickthorn, brother of the bride, Jason Pickthorn, brother of the bride, Kyle Smith, cousin of the groom, and Kent Smith, cousin of the groom.

Special guests were Ruth Hagen, grandmother of the groom, Kermit and Marian Finstand, godparents of the groom, and Agnes Finnesand, godmother of the bride.

Following the ceremony, there was a reception in the basement of the church. Later that evening there was a dance at the Eagle's club in Thief River Falls.

The couple took a honeymoon trip to Grand Forks, ND. The happy couple resides in Thief River Falls and are both employed at Arctco, Inc.

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BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On November 3 a baby boy was born to Shane and Jill Knutson of Middle River. He has been named Wyatt Dale.

• On November 4, a baby girl was born to Brett and Elizabeth Osse of Wannaska. She has been named Aspen Simone.

Dr. Steve & Kristen Embury have a new baby girl

Dr. Steve and Kristen Embury of Half Moon Bay, CA are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Michelle Embury, born Saturday, October 28 at 6 p.m.

Paternal grandparents are Russel and Beatrice Embury of Thief River Falls. Michelle is welcomed home by siblings Nicole, Mark and Sarah.

Sons of Norway meeting to elect officers

The Sons of Norway will meet at 7:30 on November 15 at the Eagles Club. Members will elect club officers.

Trinity Lutheran Golden Years Club to meet

Trinity Lutheran Golden Years Club will again sponsor a charter bus trip to the Concordia College Christmas Concert in Moorhead on Saturday, December 2. "In The Shadow of Your Wings" is the title of this 69th annual concert which will also be performed in Orchestra Hall in Minneapolis on December 7.

For the first time, the concert will incorporate the sounds of a hand bell choir. The new five-octave bell ensemble, Tintinnabula, will provide an ongoing musical tapestry throughout the concert.

The charter bus will leave Trinity Church, Fourth and Horace, Thief River Falls, at 10 a.m. Those riding the bus will have lunch on the way to the concert, attend the concert at 3 p.m. and stop at the Royal Fork in Grand Forks on the way home.

Cost for the concert and the bus trip is $15 per person, due when participants sign-up by mail or at the Trinity Church office. Lunch and supper are to be paid for by individual participants. Everyone is welcome to attend.

AAUW to meet on November 13 at Evergreen

American Association of University Women will meet Monday, November 13 at 6:30 p.m. at Evergreen Eating Emporium.

Guest speaker will be Gajen Ramnathan on "Voices and Views from Sri Lanka." Guests are welcome. For reservations, call Darla Twomey 681-6996, Carol Borchert 681-4349, or Melvine Dngg 681-1710.

SPEAKING OF
Sherry LaCoursiere

... A Numb Nose Is Nothing to Sneeze With

Each day I would see it in the mirror — because it was right there in the middle of my face, you see. I tried to ignore it — but I couldn't. Most of the time I managed to forget about it — until I looked in the mirror again. Sometimes I would lay in bed at night and worry about it.

When I went to the doctor for my yearly checkup I mentioned it — just in passing — at the end of our visit. I said, "I just want you to take a look at this and tell me it is okay." He looked at it through those funny glasses he has and said, "Keep an eye on it." He didn't tell me it was okay, but I felt better.

I kept an eye on it — how could I not — because it was right there in the middle of my face, you see. Eventually I saw that it was changing. At first it was a small, brown, scaly spot right there on the side of my nose. Then it seemed to get a little larger and became a real open sore. It would begin to heal and form a thick scab and then the scab would come off and it would be an open sore again.

It wasn't very noticeable to others because it looked like a mole, but I knew it wasn't a mole and it wasn't normal.

I went back to the doctor. This time he looked at it a little longer and then said, "I want you to see the surgeon. You can go down and make an appointment today."

Then I knew this was not just an okay spot. The doctor explained that the surgeon might just take a little sample of it and send it away to be checked, or he might decide to cut it out, or he might decide to burn it out with a laser, or he might just look at it and tell me to watch it.

I went to the surgeon that day. This time I was not told to just watch the spot. I was told that it should come out and that if I wasn't too vain, he could cut it out and we could have it checked for the big "c" word. If I was vain, I could let the laser get rid of it, but then there would be nothing left to check, because the laser would burn it up.

I told him I was fifty-something years old and wasn't vain any more. Besides, I wanted to know what this thing was on my nose.

That afternoon, I was back in the surgeon's office, lying on the table, with my face covered and nothing but my nose with its little spot peeking out. I was ready and so was he.

Little do those doctors and nurses know — that we know — that when the nurse reaches out to hold our hand we know — that something is going to hurt. I knew that she knew that it was going to hurt, but I didn't let her know that I knew. How much could a needle filled with a little pain-killer hurt, after all, even if it was going to be stuck into my nose?

It hurt, but not too much, and, after a minute or two, I couldn't feel a thing. I was numb as I could be. I peeked through the cover over my face and saw shiny things moving around, and some blood, but I wasn't afraid. The nurse had stopped holding my hand, so I knew it wasn't going to hurt any more, and it didn't. Soon I saw the doctor's hand going in and out, taking stitches, and I knew the worst was over.

A small patch of a bandage was placed over the spot and I was dismissed, told how to care for the spot and to return in a week for removal of the stitches and the results of the test — or shall we call it what it was — the biopsy.

The spot, even with a bandage on it, was barely noticeable that week. No doubt people thought I had one very large zit there on my nose that I was trying to hide.

After a week of worrying and trying not to catch a cold or sneeze with my stitched and bandaged proboscis, I went back to the doctor.

I was told a long, fancy name for the spot, but he said it was not cancerous. The long, fancy name meant, however, that it might have become cancerous, so it was good that it was gone. Now I have a little red scar on my nose, and please don't put yourself out looking for it when you see me. It isn't much of anything and I don't want people staring at my nose trying to see it.

With this little story, which happens to be true, you know, I am trying to tell you something. Don't be afraid to see the doctor if you have something unusual, because it is better to catch it early than wait too long.

In the back of my mind I remembered that a sore that does not heal was one of the danger signs of cancer. But it was so easy to put off seeing a doctor about it — it was so small and insignificant. I almost felt silly going in for such a trivial thing, and I certainly was frightened that he would say the "c" word.

I always thought my nose was a bit too pointed and conspicuous and I never have liked it much, but when I thought of having to do without it, I began to appreciate it a whole lot more.

By the way, the seven warning signals of cancer are:
• A change in bowel or bladder habits;
• A sore that does not heal;
• Unusual bleeding or discharge;
• Thickening or lump in breast or elsewhere;
• Indigestion or difficulty in swallowing;
• Obvious change in wart or mole; or
• Nagging cough or hoarseness.

Christiansons celebrate 50th wedding anniversary

There will be a 50th wedding anniversary open house honoring Selmer and Sis Christianson on Saturday, November 18 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Oklee Community Center.

All family and friends are invited to attend.

ON THE OTHER HAND
Angeline Gunstad
Lincoln High School

We all have experienced fear, but what does the word "fear" really mean? Webster's Dictionary says that fear is "the instinctive emotion aroused by impending or seeming danger, pain, or evil." I am a person who has always taken "seeming danger" to an exaggerated level.

At the end of first-grade, my family moved into a new house. Whenever my mom and dad would go for an evening of peace, they would leave my brother and me home with a babysitter. I was supposed to go to bed at 8:30, but the fear of the dark never let me fall asleep until mom and dad got back. Scary sounds would materialize out of the walls, branches would scratch against the side of the house, and the wooden boards on the hall stairs would creak.

Dogs used to be something I was deathly afraid of also. If a little puppy gave me a slabbery kiss on the hand, I would start crying and cling to my mom's jeaned knee. Going to an auction sale one day with my dad, we finally brought home a seven-year-old mutt. "Skeeter" was so funny looking I had to laugh at him every time I saw him. His back, which he liked to sleep on, was flat. The stripe down the middle made him resemble a skunk. Tiny little legs were hidden beneath his round belly, and so I overcame my fear of dogs after living with "Skeeter."

Living out in the country, I used to believe bears were hiding out in the dark waiting to attack me. If I had to go over to my uncle's house, I would take a flashlight and sprint in a panic the 20 feet to his door. This fear went away after we put in a brighter light.

When I got done with Brownies one day, my mom was a little late picking me up. I imagined the worst and believed that she didn't want me any more, and I would have to live at the school. Becoming hysterical, I started crying until I saw my mom drive up in the light blue station wagon. But ever after, I was reluctant to go to Brownies because I imagined that one day she wouldn't show up and I would have to live in the school. A couple of months later, I decided I was being silly and stopped fearing that she would leave me.

Looking back at my fears, I have come to realize they were just childhood fears. My fears seem much more different today. Will I get accepted in college? Am I making the right decisions for my life? I know that when I look back at my early fears, they now look silly. I hope this trend continues, and that the fears I have today will provide me with the laughs I'll need tomorrow.

(The writers of this column are members of the Literary Arts class, a Magnet Arts Program at Lincoln high school)

Dedication of Evangelical Free Church on Sunday

The Evangelical Free Church invites the community to an open house and dedication on Sunday, November 12.

Worship services will be held at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. with Dr. Paul Cedar, President of the Evangelical Free Church of America. Sunday Bible School Hour is at 9:45 a.m. The dedication services will be at 2 p.m. with Dr. Paul Cedar and the open house will follow at 3:30 p.m.

The church is in the former Washington Elementary School building at Third and Arnold.

Viola Dirks celebrates birthday with her family

Viola Dirks celebrated her 82nd birthday on October 22 with family members at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. The family also celebrated her son Marland Johnson and his wife Sharon's 40th wedding anniversary.

The "Smoky Mountain Band" provided music for dancing that evening. They also played "Happy Birthday" and everyone sang for Grandma Viola.

A beautiful cake decorated in white with red roses centered the lunch table. It was a gift for Viola from her grandchildren.

Christian Women's After 5 Club plans "The Big Feast"

The Christian Business and Professional Women's "After 5 Club," cordially invites area women to a dinner Tuesday, November 14, at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn. Cost will be $6.

Theme for the program is "The Big Feast." Nancy Kezar will present the feature "Setting a Fine Table." The musical program, "Tasteful Renditions" will be provided by Glenda Olson. Guest speaker Bernice Gagnon, of Duluth, will present "Food For Thought."

Reservations must be made by Friday, November 10, and cancelled by Monday noon, November 13. For reservations call Cathy Christensen 681-8061 or Edna Rondorf 964-5519.

Retired Educators to meet Nov. 15

The Retired Educators will meet on Wednesday, November 15 at noon at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. Jim and Phyliss Dalager will show their slides on Slovakia.

All retired educators are invited to attend.

Senior meal at Heritage Center on Sunday

The Senior meal on Sunday, November 12 at the Heritage Center will be a chicken dinner at 12 noon. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Look and See

The following is a memory game that you can play anytime and anywhere.

You will need:

Various items, such as toys, household items, fall items, winter items, etc. depending on the season.

Parents should place five to ten items on the table. Children close their eyes and the adult removes one item. Children open eyes when the adult recites the following verse:

"One, two, three. Open your eyes.
What is missing?
Who's so wise?"

When the child guesses the items, it is his or her turn to remove an item and the adult will try to guess.

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need large pinecones and feathers.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Carlson, Nancy. Arnie and the Skateboard Gang. When the Fly and the rest of the skateboard gang pressure him into jumping the biggest and most dangerous ramp of all, Arnie must decide just how far he is willing to go to be "cool."

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**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

PARENTING TIPS

Children and Time

One of the most frustrating things about being a parent is trying to get everything accomplished that needs to be accomplished. And then to make matters worse, you have a child who has no concept of time and dawdles. When you press him to cooperate better or to hurry, he becomes explosive.

How to cope? Here are several possible approaches:

•Examine your expectations. Are you expecting too much of yourself and your child? Is it possible to do all the things you did and keep house the way you did before you had children? Is it realistic to expect your young child to do things in the same time frame that you, an adult, would do them?

•A child usually cooperates better and faster if you have given him a warning about five minutes before the activity must end. "You have a couple of more minutes to play. Then you must put your toys away and put your coat on so we can go to Grandma's house."

•Tell him to say good-bye to whatever he is doing or to whomever is present, and give him the time to do it.

•Offer him a choice. But make sure it is a choice of two things that fit within your limits and will accomplish what you want to have accomplished. For example, rather than "do you want to go to bed?" say "It is time for bed. Do you want to walk or shall I carry you?"

Each time you alert your youngster to anticipate an event, his ability to organize a time world increases. Also, the vocabulary associated with time, "pretty soon," "five minutes," will become relevant. When you give your child choices and abide by those choices, you show him respect which helps to build self-esteem.

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk about what will happen "first" and what will happen "next" or "after that."

Christian Women to have holiday program on November 14

All women of the Thief River Falls area are invited to get in the holiday spirit at a luncheon on Tuesday, November 14, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the American Legion club. Cost is $4.50.

Program theme is "Home for the Holidays" featuring "Holiday Tables" by Nancy Kezar. Musical program "Setting the Mood" will be by Shirley Nordquist. The guest speaker Bernice Gagnon of Duluth will present "Words To Feast On."

Reservations should be made by November 10, cancellations by Monday, November 13. Call Clarice Tucker at 964-5352 or Anna Marie Hestad at 681-2155. Reservations must be kept, cancelled, or paid for.

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Lila Martinson, 87

Thief River Falls — Lila Martinson, 87, died Thursday, November 2 at Northwest Medical Center.

Funeral services were Tuesday, November 7 at 1 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls, with Pastor Daryl Rothchild. Special music was provided by organist Elaine Idso with special music by Peggy Rothchild. The solo was "Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Nearer My God to Thee."

Casketbearers were Dale Wilde, Ralph Wilde, Marvin Bakken, Clarence (Sonny) Bakken, Martin Solseng, Jr. and Robert Olson. Interment was in Lanstad Lutheran Church Cemetery, Thief River Falls. Arrangements were by Belmont Funeral Home, Thief River Falls.

Lila Martinsen was born March 11, 1908 in Pennington county, to Carl and Sina Bakken. Lila's childhood was spent in the Highlanding/Oklee area. She attended grade school at the Little Oak School District #65, Hickory township, Pennington county.

She was united in marriage to Raymond B. Martinson on October 15, 1926 at Crookston. They farmed in the Highlanding area for several years, then moved to a farm west of Thief River Falls where they farmed and raised five daughters and four sons.

Ray passed away on January 20, 1980. Lila stayed on the farm with her son Larry and daughter-in-law Mavis for a couple of years. She later moved to Thief River Falls.

Lila spent several years being a caregiver, baby sitting and cooking at a boarding care home. In January 1992, Lila entered Valley Home as a resident, remaining there until she was hospitalized on October 14, 1995.

Lila was a member of St. John Lutheran Church and Ladies Auxiliary, Minnesota Farmers Union and helped for many years at their Youth Camp-Sibley. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary and a Gold Star Mother.

Lila is survived by her daughters, Irene Puppe, Hensel, ND, Joyce Olafson, Edinburg, ND, Edna Johnson, Castorville, CA, Shirley Shannon, Langdon, ND and Sharon Martinson of Roseau; sons, Larry, Thief River Falls and Curtis, Oakland, CA; 20 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; sisters, Esther Solseng, Thief River Falls, Erma Wilde, Thief River Falls, Mabel Olson, Oklee, and Selma Nash, Larimare, ND.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, three sisters, one brother and two sons.

Harold Nabben, 80

Thief River Falls — Harold Nabben, 80, died on Wednesday, November 1 at the Good Samaritan Home in Warren.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, November 4 at 11 a.m. at Silver Creek Lutheran Church, rural Thief River Falls, with Reverend Nancy Wemer officiating. Special music was provided by organist Carmen Gustafson and soloist Don Lunke. Congregational hymns were "Lift High The Cross" and "Beautiful Savior."

Casketbearers were Dean Kaushagen, Doyle Nelson, Roy Nelson, Dale Nabben, Ronald Moe, Manvel Green, Ardell Nabben and Lavern Nabben. Interment was at Bethlehem Cemetery, Agder township, Marshall county with arrangements by Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls.

Harold Nabben was born on March 17, 1915 in Goodridge to Haaken and Marth (Mortenson) Nabben. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran Faith. He attended school in Goodridge and the Northwest School of Agriculture in Crookston where he graduated.

After graduation, he was drafted into the United States Air Force and served during WWII in Australia and Japan. He was honorably discharged in 1946.

Harold was united in marriage to Edith Ramberg on February 25, 1944 in Salt Lake City, UT. The couple farmed and lived in Agder township, Marshall county where Harold was also a substitute rural mail carrier.

He was a member of the Silver Creek Lutheran Church, the Thief River Falls American Legion and the Eagles Club and enjoyed hunting.

He is survived by his wife Edith, Thief River Falls; brother, Victor, Grand Forks, ND; sisters, Johanna Green, Grafton, ND, Adeline Moe, Thief River Falls, Josephine Dunbar, Milwaukee, WI; many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Alfred, Percy, Mathis, Erland and Henry.

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Burnette Helm, 74

Red Lake Falls — Burnette Helm, 74, died November 6 at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, November 9 at 2 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church in Red Lake Falls with Reverend Robert Schurr officiating. Special music was by Peggy Miller, organist and Darla Huot, soloist. The solo is "I'll Never Walk Alone." Congregational hymns are "The Old Rugged Cross," "How Great Thou Art" and "Rock of Ages."

Interment will be in the Oak Grove Cemetery near Red Lake Falls.

Visitation is on Wednesday, November 8 from 5-8 p.m. with a 7:30 p.m. prayer service at the Petterson Funeral Home in Red Lake Falls, and on Thursday for one hour prior to services at the church.

Burnette Helm was born on August 3, 1921 at Cannon Falls, the daughter of Martin Sigrid (Kleven) Karlstad. She moved to Plummer, with her parents at the age of four. She was raised in Plummer and attended school there, graduating from Plummer High School.

She worked at the Navy ship yards in Bremerton, WA during World War II.

On October 2, 1944, she was united in marriage to Walter Gerald Helm in Red Lake Falls. The couple moved to Osseo where they owned a store. They returned to Red Lake Falls in 1964. Walter passed away on September 29, 1965. Burnette continued to live in Red Lake Falls where she worked as a cook and waitress at various places, retiring in 1987 from Senior Meals.

She was a member of the Presbyterian Church, the hospital auxiliary, the Legion and VFW auxiliary.

She is survived by eight daughters, Sandy Huot, Red Lake Falls, Marie Burton, Sheridan, WY, Gen McCorkle, Phoenix, AZ, Ruth Raymond, Rhinelander, WI, Julie Petersen, Minneapolis, Kathy Cota, Red Lake Falls, Debbie Marcantel, Vidor, TX and Peggy Miech, Red Lake Falls; 28 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one sister, Myrtle Olsen of Portland, OR and one brother Iver Karlstad of Killeen, TX.

Burnette was preceded in death by her husband; parents; infant son, Joseph Frank Helm; three brothers, Stanley, Irvin and Arnold, and one sister Myrtle Karlstad.

Florence Pederson, 78

Oklee — Florence Pederson, 78, died on Thursday, November 2 at Fosston First Care Hospital.

Funeral services were held on Monday, November 6 at Zion Lutheran Church, Oklee, with Reverend Rolf Wangberg officiating. Special music was provided by organists Marian Marquis and Nancy Hendrickson and vocalists Donna Sherman and LaVonne Enerson. Selections were "In the Garden," "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Softly and Tenderly." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Casketbearers were Wayne Vettleson, Kevin Vettleson, Michael Vettleson, Kim Vettleson, Rick Pederson, Rob Pederson, Jeff Basinger and Greg Tucker. Honorary casketbearers were all of Florence's granddaughters.

Florence Viola Pederson was born on March 21, 1917 at Trail, the daughter of Ole S. and Anna C. (Strande) Nelson. She was raised and attended school near Trail. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

On May 6, 1935, she was united in marriage to Arthur W. Pederson in Oklee. The couple lived and farmed near Trail until 1967 when they moved into Oklee. She worked at Groberg Manufacturing in Oklee, Arctic Enterprises in Thief River Falls and the Senior Craft Shop in Oklee.

Arthur passed away on August 28, 1976. Florence was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Oklee.

She is survived by four children, Shirley Vettleson of Trail, Alton of Miles City, MT, Yvonne Basinger of Trail and Gloria Tucker of Miles City, MT; 15 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and one brother, Edwin Nelson of Cavalier, ND.

Florence was preceded in death by her husband Arthur; parents; two sons, Lyle, 1943, and Gerald, 1961; two brothers, Arthur and Lloyd Nelson and one sister, Nora Grimm.

George Praska, 89

Karlstad — George Praska, 89, died at the Oakwood Homes in Karlstad on Friday, November 3.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 7 at 2 p.m. at the Collins Funeral Chapel, Karlstad with Father Bob Schreiner officiating. Casketbearers were Maynard Buck, Kenneth Porter, David Praska, Wally Gunnarson, Ted Skjerping and Donald Skjerping.

George was born to Albert and Annie (Novotny) Praska on February 22, 1906 at Foley. At the age of two, he moved with his family to a farm near Badger, where he attended school and grew to manhood.

He was united in marriage to Katherine Houser.

George was employed at various jobs over the years and in 1950 bought a farm near Holt. He later worked at the Grafton State School. Most recently, he made his home at the Oakwood Homes in Karlstad.

He is survived by one daughter, Kathy Hunter, Milton, ND; one granddaughter, Debbie Niemela, Thief River Falls; two great-grandchildren, Sara and Kyle Niemela and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his son David in 1978.

Eino A. Johnson, 80

Grand Forks, ND — Eino A. Johnson, 80, died Monday, October 30 at the United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Funeral services were Friday, November 3 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, East Grand Forks. Interment was in Resurrection Cemetery, East Grand Forks, with arrangements by Stennes Funeral home.

Eino Johnson was born on May 17, 1915 in Sebeka, the son of Oscar and Anna (Wesala) Johnson. He grew up in Sebeka and attended school there and farmed with his parents.

He married Olga Haataja on September 25, 1938 in Menahga.

Eino was a meat cutter in Sebeka. They moved to Thief River Falls in 1948 and to East Grand Forks in 1960. There he worked for Millers Grocery and the Grand Forks Air Force Base as a meat cutter until his retirement in 1980. They moved to Grand Forks, ND in 1994.

Eino was a member of the Eagles #350 and Our Savior's Lutheran Church in East Grand Forks.

He is survived by his wife Olga of Grand Forks; three sons, Arnold and Willard, both of Grand Forks, ND and Donald, Huber Heights, OH; three daughters, Elaine Donarski, Grace Giauque, both of Grand Forks, ND, Dorothy Wayne of Goodridge; 21 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Lydia Pauna, Menahga and Ellen Koehler, New York Mills; two brothers, Emil, Montello, WI and Walter, Farwell.

Eino was preceded in death by his parents, one sister and one half sister.

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Dale Norberg, 46

Crookston — Dale Norberg, 46, died on Sunday, November 5 at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, November 8 at the First Baptist Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Ron Gallman officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Gloria Lee and soloists Lisa Swanson, singing "We Shall Behold Him" and "His Eye Is on the Sparrow," and Leslie Swanson, singing "Borning Cry." Congregational hymns were "Mansion on the Hilltop" and "Old Rugged Cross."

Casketbearers are Morris Halst, David Norberg, Myron Norberg, Paul Norberg, Chad Norberg, Earl Arnold, Jonathan Swanson, Ryan Norberg. Honorary casketbearers are all of Dale's relatives and friends. Interment was at Spruce Cemetery, Roseau. Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls was in charge of arrangements.

Dale Elwood Norberg was born on April 5, 1949 in Roseau to Lester and Florence (Skog) Norberg. He lived and attended school in Badger. At the age of 10, Dale moved to Crookston. He graduated from Central High School in Crookston in 1968. He then enrolled in the auto body program at Northland Community College in Thief River Falls.

For a number of years, Dale lived in Thief River Falls where he was employed at Arctic. He also worked in Minneapolis and later in Crookston where he worked for Aero Star Phoenix Ind.

Dale enjoyed auto body, wood working, drawing and fishing. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Survivors include his son Justin Norberg of Thief River Falls; brothers and sisters, Pearl Pim, Tacoma, WA, Harvey, Rhinelander, WI, Delia Torkelson of Washington, Palmer, Roseau, Daryl, Thief River Falls, Darlene Stricklin, Brooklyn Park, Lyle, Minneapolis, Marilyn Swanson, Thief River Falls, Harley, Fergus Falls, Cheri Ford, Moorhead, and many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Vernon.

Clarice E. Auld, 57

Dayton — Clarice E. Auld (Rolandson), 57, formerly of Goodridge, died on October 19 after a two and one-half year battle with cancer.

Funeral services were Monday, October 23 at First Lutheran Church of Crystal. Interment was at Morningside Memorial Gardens with arrangements by Gearty-Delmore.

Clarice was involved in many civic, community and church organizations.

She is survived by her husband; sons, Jeffrey, Scott and Chad; grandchildren, Anthony, Travis and Katrina; mother, Ida Manderud of Goodridge; brothers, Richard Manderud, Glyndon and Robert Manderud, Goodridge; aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and many other relatives and special friends.

She was preceded in death by her father, Clifford and brother Jerome Rolandson.

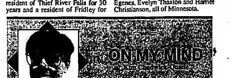
Irene T. Steenerson, 68

Henderson, NV — Irene T. Steenerson, 68, died Friday, November 3.

Funeral services were held Monday, November 6 at Davis Paradise Valley Funeral Home. Interment was in Fort Snelling National Cemetery in Minnesota.

Irene was born at Thief River Falls, on July 20, 1927. She was a resident of Thief River Falls for 30 years and a resident of Fridley for 26 years. She moved to Nevada in 1986 and had lived in Henderson for nine years. Irene was a nurse.

She is survived by her husband Robert Steenerson, Henderson, NV; her son Richard Steenerson of Florida; one grandchild; her brother, Ernest Myrom, and sisters, Thelma Halvorson, Leona McGill, Vivian Gilbertson, Agnes Myrom, Caroline Egenes, Evelyn Thaxton and Harriet Christianson, all of Minnesota.



When Nothing Comes To Mind

As I sit here at the kitchen table, munching home-roasted pumpkin seeds, staring out the window, I'm supposed to be brainstorming about column ideas. I need a topic to write about. I'm experiencing what professionals call "severe writer's block." For lack of a better term, I'm stumped.

People often ask if I ever run out of ideas. There are many weeks that I have so many column possibilities that I have weeks covered. And there are the times when I can't think of anything. This is one of those weeks.

"I wish I could be like Erma Bombeck or Ann Landers. I could be on vacation and we could reprint some of my more popular columns. Or we could say that I was on vacation and my column would return when I did.

Not possible. So I'm still sitting here and thinking that I could write about the onset of winter. Boring! I'm guessing everyone is thinking the same thing: It's much too early for all of this cold weather and icy streets. No matter that it comes every year, winter, for me, is tough to get used to. As I'm complaining, my son is excited; he gets to play in the snow. And my husband trained him to say, "Mom, you need to buy dad a snowmobile."

OK, that only took one paragraph. I guess I could write about my recent four-day vacation to Missoula, Montana. My mom and I flew out to meet my sister, who drove in from Elk City, Idaho (pop. 200). The order of the weekend was shopping; my sister could have spent four straight days at the mall, but she did take time out to eat. You could describe her as shopping-starved or as a shopping powder keg ready to explode. I sneaked back to the motel to read a book and take a snooze.

The highlight of the weekend was taste testing the various beverages from the very popular microbreweries. Among the offerings, and the ones I bravely tested, were Moose Drool, Custer's Last Stout and Weinhardt's Red. Give me another week and I would have tried them all.

I suppose I could write about the challenges of traveling with your mother or about air travel in general, but mom is getting tired of seeing herself in print. She's been tolerant so far, but another column might tempt her to quit buying me lunch. Guess that's out.

Maybe I could talk about our piece of wilderness in the city – Greenwood Trails. Shortly after we moved into this house, we discovered this trail system just across our backyard. In the spring, winter and fall (too many mosquitoes in the summer) we enjoy exploring this relatively undiscovered area adjacent to the river.

Our son delights in trying to guess which animal dug that hole and which animal left those footprints. It's pretty neat. One of these days I'm going to get a guide book so I know what those numbered posts mean.

That's about all on that topic. But I could say that I'm excited about the upcoming Arena Walking Program. It's great to have an indoor place to walk. I wrote a column about this last year, but maybe no one would remember.

Let's see, what else is there. I could write about Halloween now that it's over. We found a way to use those extra pumpkins we grew. My husband carved about 20 of them and lined them up in the driveway; he attached Christmas lights to each, and trick or treaters were treated to more than just candy. Those varied pumpkin faces greeted everyone. They're still out in the driveway now, buried under six inches of snow.

Well, that about exhausts all the topics I thought about expounding upon. Nothing much to write a column on. Maybe I'll think of something over the weekend.

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Evangelical Free Church to dedicate building on Sunday

Dedication Sunday has been set for November 12 with special services and an open house at the Evangelical Free Church, located in the former Washington elementary school at the corner of Third Street and Arnold Avenue in Thief River Falls.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Paul Cedar, president of the Evangelical Free Church of America. He will present the sermon at 8:30 and 11 a.m. worship services and deliver the dedication address at the 2 p.m. dedication service. Also featured at the dedication service will be a 40-voice choir from the congregation, a children's choir and a brass ensemble.

Open house is planned for 3:30 p.m. with pie and coffee to be served and tours conducted of the building. Members of the public are welcome to attend any or all of the day's events. For further information, call 681-3855.

Dr. Cedar is an author, pastor, evangelist and church leader, serving as chairman of the Mission America 2000 movement in addition to president of the EFCA.

Dr. Paul Cedar

Author of seven books, he has also served as adjunct professor or visiting professor at six theological seminaries in the United States and lectured at a number of colleges, universities and theological seminaries in other parts of the world.

He also serves as president of the International Federation for Free Evangelical Churches, chairman of the International Coalition of the AD 2000 and Beyond Movement and guest dean of the Billy Graham Schools of Evangelism.

Dr. Cedar serves on many advisory boards of significant ministry organizations and has served as pastor of Evangelical Free churches in Naperville, IL and Yorba Linda, CA; executive pastor and pastor of evangelism at the First Presbyterian Church of Hollywood, and senior pastor of Lake Avenue Congregational Church in Pasadena, CA. He also served as a crusade associate with the Billy Graham staff and crusade director with Evangelist Leighton Ford.

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Chris Tsukichi and Tom Koehmstedt student Rotarians

Christopher Tsukichi and Tom Koehmstedt, both members of the senior class at Lincoln high school, are serving as student Rotarians with the Thief River Falls Rotary club for the month of November.

The students attend the Monday noon dinner meetings of the club at the Best Western Inn and report on activities for the week at Lincoln.

Christopher, 18, is the son of Steven and Lucynda Tsukichi. He participates in concert choir, Swingsations jazz choir, National Honor Society, drama, Key Club, Environmental Club, mock trial, Target and Close-Up.

A student in the Northern Expressions School of the Arts, the magnet arts school at Lincoln, he is a two-time first place Section 8AA winner in speech (Discussion), serves as class secretary and has been named for two years to "Who's Who Among American High School Students."

Chris is a member of the church youth group, the Magnificat choir and serves as a cantor at St. Bernard's Catholic Church. He enjoys being involved in activities and performing and listening to music. He has a sister Jenna, 15, and plans to major in international business and possibly minor in music in college.

Tom Koehmstedt, 17, is the son of Francis and Donna Koehmstedt and participates in basketball, pep band, wind ensemble, instrumental solo and ensemble competition and Target program at Lincoln. He enjoys participating in team sports and working with computers.

Tom is a member of St. Bernard's Catholic Church and has one brother, Matt, age 15. His college plans are to major in electrical engineering at either the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks or North Dakota State University in Fargo.

Land rent/value workshops set

Landowners, tenants, Conservation Reserve Program contract holders and other interested persons from northwestern Minnesota are invited to attend one of a series of land rent/value workshops set for mid-November.

The workshop for Pennington county has been scheduled for Wednesday, November 15, at 9:30 a.m. in the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator Association's meeting room in St. Hilaire.

Dates and locations for other county workshops include the following: November 15, 2 p.m., in Middle River; November 16, 9:30 a.m. in Roseau and 1:30 p.m. in Baudette; November 17, 9:30 a.m. in Hallock and 1:30 p.m. in Warren. County extension offices have exact locations for the workshops in their counties.

Northern Lites extension cluster educators Ray Thompson and Gene Krause will conduct each session. The workshops will deal with land rents for 1996, land values, custom rates, CRP break-up costs, pasture and hayland rent, machinery leasing, grain and building storage costs and related items.

All of the meetings are open to the public. For questions on these or other Minnesota Extension Service programs, call the county extension offices at the following numbers: Kittson county, 1-800-770-7029; Lake of the Woods, 1-800-493-1511; Marshall, 1-800-745-5232; Pennington, 1-800-681-2116; Red Lake, 1-800-770-1244; or Roseau, 1-800-450-1052.

Toxic releases in MN continue to decline

The amounts of toxic chemicals released by Minnesota's manufacturing industries declined in 1994, according to the annual report from the state's Emergency Response Commission (ERC). Toxic chemical releases and transfers to air, water and soil decreased by 2 million pounds compared with figures in 1993.

In 1994, 507 manufacturing facilities reported releases and transfers of 54 million pounds. This compares to 527 facilities reporting 56 million pounds in 1993, and 559 facilities reporting 64 million pounds in 1992. In addition, 12 non-manufacturing facilities reported releases and transfers of 2 million pounds for 1994.

Paul Aasen, director of the ERC, says three main factors are responsible for the decrease in reported releases and transfers: 1) The mining sector was exempted from reporting by the ERC during 1994. That industry has thoroughly demonstrated they meet the exemption qualifications; 2) Sulfuric Acid and Acetone were taken off the reportable list by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in 1994. This decreased the reported releases and transfers by over 3 million pounds; 3) The number of facilities continues to decline.

"These factors, combined with continuing pollution control and prevention efforts, help continue the trend toward less pollution in Minnesota," says Aasen.

1994 releases to the air through smokestacks, and off-site transfers, each decreased by approximately 1 million pounds when compared to 1993. There has been a decrease of about 2 million pounds of surface water from 1993 to 1994. However, the amount released to public sewage increased from about 5 million pounds to approximately 8 million pounds. Last year 43 per cent of the total releases and transfers were transfers off-site, 37 per cent to the air, 14 per cent to public sewage, 5 per cent to land on-site, and 1 per cent to surface water.

The 24 million pounds of reported released directly to the air, water, and land and the 32 million pounds of transfers to public sewage and other off-site locations in 1994 are not indicators of human and environmental exposure to these chemicals. A chemical risk involves the toxicity of a substance and the magnitude and duration of exposure. The Toxic Release Inventory data provides information on the magnitude of exposure only.

Since 1988, manufacturing facilities that have 10 or more full-time employees have been required to file annual reports on routine and accidental releases into the environment and off-site transfers of toxic chemicals that are used above certain threshold amounts. The current toxic chemical list includes more than 300 chemicals and 20 chemical categories.

The 1994 Toxic Release Inventory Data Report is available by writing the Emergency Response Commission, Room B5, State Capitol, St. Paul, Minnesota, 55155.

Saxophone players Jill Dekkers (left) and Laure Williams rehearse for the "Remember When" song and dance show to be presented for the public Sunday, November 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. in "Helen's Full Moon Ballroom"—which is actually the new gymnasium at Lincoln high school.

Swingtones members Katie Christensen and Paul Dehnert are pictured during rehearsal for the Lincoln high school music department's "Remember When" song and dance show. Public admission to the event to be presented from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday, November 12, in the new gymnasium at Lincoln will be $8 per person. Tickets are available in advance from Lincoln jazz band and jazz choir members and at Kezar Music and Budget Electronics. They will also be available at the door November 12.

Trombonist Reid Froiland, who has been given the name Ronnie "Slide" Dwyer for the Lincoln high school music department's "Remember When" song and dance show, rehearses for the event to be presented Sunday, November 12, at the new gymnasium at Lincoln high school. Admission will be $8 for the 7 to 9 p.m. show and tickets are available at Kezar Music, Budget Electronics and from jazz band and jazz choir members.

Robert Stock (right) and Brad Dekkers are members of the trumpet section rehearsing for the "Remember When" song and dance show to be presented by the Lincoln high school music department Sunday, November 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the new gymnasium at Lincoln.

Deer Park Garden Club holds October meeting

The October meeting of the Deer Park Garden Club on October 10 was called to order by president Norma Hanson. Roll call was answered with remarks on the District 13 Horticultural annual meeting. Business included payment of dues for the coming year. New members are Lana Nelson and Linda Hanson. Program books will be made up soon. The theme of the meeting was "Horticulture is for everyone."

November meeting will be at Lavonne Radniecki's home. The topic will be "Making a Christmas Decoration."

December meeting will be at the Evergreen Eating Emporium in Thief River Falls. Co-chairs are Ethel Wiseth and Helen Chervestad. The date is to be announced.

Club members present chose a topic for the meeting they will be in charge of for the coming year.

Hostess Israelson served lunch to the following members after the meeting was adjourned.

Present were Ethel Wiseth, Helen Chervestad, Norma Hanson and Evelyn Myrum.

Franklin bands in concert Tues.

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Jeff Tweet:

Tenor Saxophone—Melissa Adamson and Chad Borneman;

French Horn—Nick Knott and Josh Lampe;

Trumpet—Kevin Walseth, John Schwartz, Nate Sorvig, Marsha Lubitz, David Lundstrom, Justin Biilie and Josh Gryskiewicz;

Trombone—Cheri Roisland, Kyle McCarty, Paul Leister, Travis Dahlen, Robbie Omdahl and Nichole Vigen;

Baritone Horn—John Sjoberg, Adam Oyster and Brandon Niemi;

Bass Horn—Ben Owen;

Percussion—Justin Skjerven, Kelsi Holland, Caleb Nelson, David Houske, Nick Nelson, Nathan Carlson, John Sylvester, Kyle Molstad and Ryan Eggerud;

Student Directors—Katy Hook, Lisa Joppru, Heidi Young and Travis Dahlen.

Eighth Grade Band

Flute—Marissa Hanson, Stephanie Stone, Angie Johnson, Chenni Jasper and Jenny Klaven;

Clarinet—Lisa Sorteberg, Senja Lopac, Yvonne Asp, Tabitha Drangstveit, Erika Hudson, Kia Nyland, Jenny Rude and George Haj;

Alto Saxophone—Meghan Reed, Reid Breitenfeldt, Amber Morkrid, Stephanie Seulthorp, Angie Hanson and Jessi Schmaltz;

Tenor Saxophone—Matt Trontvet and Matt Beito;

Baritone Saxophone—Alice DuRose;

French Horn—Kristen Nabben, Kate Liden, Taylor Hempel and Dede Dally;

Trumpet—Jonathan Lofgren, Seth Harlow, Chad Halvorson, Nicole Peterson, Derek Walseth, Brent Nelson, Kara Mosbeck, Kara Skiple, Mary Ancnson and Kelly Langness;

Trombone—Jeff Lendobeja, Andi Sorvig, John Cox, Luke Miller, Jonathan Pream, Stephen Wigand and Kyle Newton;

Baritone—Sam Kezar and Taylor Froiland;

Bass Horn—Nic Miller and Kevin Odette;

Percussion—Zach Olson, Matthew Rothchild, Tyler Stinson, Reya Lamm, Adam Haviland, Ryon Clow, James Larson and Anders Brown;

Student Directors—Marissa Hanson, Jenny Kleven and Zach Olson.

"Morning Darkness" Jazz Band

Alto Saxophone—Meghan Reed, Reid Breitenfeldt, Heidi Young and Marissa Johnson;

Tenor Saxophone—Matt Trontvet, Senja Lopac, Melissa Adamson and Chad Borneman;

Baritone Saxophone—Lisa Sorteberg;

Trumpet—Seth Harlow, Jonathan Lofgren, Chad Halvorson, John Schwartz and Josh Lampe;

Trombone—Lori Sorvig, Jeff Lendobeja, Luke Miller, Travis Dahlen and John Cox;

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Percussion—Zach Olson and Tyler Stinson.

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Trinity, Redeemer, Zion and Black River Lutheran and United Methodist church are sponsoring the "Bible Adventure series November 12 from 6 to 9 p.m. at Trinity and November 13 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Zion.

Cost to participate is $12 for adults and students, $20 for couples and $25 for families. Rev. Kent Groethe of Enderlin, ND, will conduct the series. Free child care will be provided.

Pre-register by calling Trinity at 681-1310, Redeemer at 681-3390, Zion at 681-3296, Black River at 964-5737 or United Methodist at 681-4388.

Methodists' fall carnival November 11

Youth of United Methodist Church will present their fall carnival Saturday, November 11, from 2 to 5 p.m. in the church at Horace Avenue and First Street in Thief River Falls.

In addition to many games and activities for children, grown-ups can attend and play Bingo, enjoy snacks and purchase a chance to win a scarecrow.

Vernon Rogalla to provide music at senior dance

There will be a senior citizen dance on Thursday, November 9 from 7-10 p.m. with music by Vernon Rogalla. All seniors are welcome.

Oakland Park board to meet on Thursday, Nov. 9

The Oakland Park Nursing Home Executive Board will be meeting on Thursday, November 9 at 5:30 p.m. at the home.

Area counties would lose millions in medicare costs

Over the next seven years area counties stand to lose millions in Medicaid assistance, according to information released by Hennepin County Board Commissioner, and second vice president of AMC, Peter McLaughlin.

"Everybody understands that Medicaid is running out of money and something has to be done. Local control is undoubtedly part of the solution. Problem is, we local officials have had precious little opportunity to offer ideas and alternatives up front. And partially as a result, the Medicaid reduction package Congress is debating could leave us with just enough 'local control' to decide whether to: (1) raise taxes or (2) cut the guts out of nursing home and medical care programs for the youngest, oldest, poorest and neediest of our neighbors.

"In other words, 'Medicaid reform' is starting to look less like an opportunity for "local control" and more like a painful exercise in local damage control.

"The numbers are pretty stark. Minnesota, over the next seven years, is facing a cut of $3.4 billion in the growth in what is now the only guarantee of health care for many Minnesotans.

"So what are the basic services provided by Medicaid? In- and outpatient care, nursing home care, home health care, children's health care, and rural health clinics. The people who receive Medicaid are the poor, elderly, children, parents and disabled.

"Overall, Uncle Sam pays 54 cents out of every Minnesota Medicaid dollar. Meanwhile, 60 cents out of every state Medicaid dollar goes to long-term care, mainly for nursing homes serving the state's elderly citizens.

"The bottom line for Minnesota between now and 2002: Cut $3.4 billion in health care costs for services; or find $3.4 billion somewhere else.

"Hennepin county's share, for 106,000 eligible Medicaid recipients, is a collective $850 million cut in federal funding for services."

For Marshall county, McLaughlin's submitted figures estimate it could lose over $125,000 in the first year; but over a total of seven years it stands to lose $6,300,318.

Kittson county stands to lose $96,937 in the first year and an estimated $4,856,941 over a period of seven years.

Pennington county stands to lose over $154,000 in the first year, but $7,719,496 over seven years.

Red Lake county stands to lose an estimated $74,745 in the first year, but a total of $3,745,047 over seven years.

Roseau county stands to lose $144,714 in the first year and an estimated $7,250,755 over seven years.

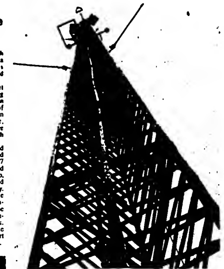
McLaughlin said, "No question about it. Medicaid is in trouble. But Congress needs to do more than shift the burden and celebrate a return to 'local control'. All of us — Congress, the Administration, local officials and health care providers — need to step back and consider effective, more long-term restructuring that will allow us some real 'local control' over the entire difficult but necessary process of re-inventing America's health care system."

Meetings in Newfolden feature Baptist minister

The Evangelical Free Church invites the public to join them for a series of evangelical meetings November 16-19 with Reverend Glen Eveland as speaker.

Pastor Eveland grew up at Backus, is a graduate of Augsburg College and served in the Korean conflict. He is a graduate of Central Baptist Seminary in Minneapolis. He and his wife, Sandy, have four children and are serving in Central Baptist Church in Council Bluffs, IA.

The Newfolden area String Band will play each evening at 6:40 and the regular service will begin at 7 p.m. Special music will be featured each evening. The New Hope Trio, Erling and Sandy Selstad and Kathy Rokke, will sing Thursday. Friday evening will be the Bethlehem Lutheran Men's ensemble. Saturday evening the Hodne Family Singers will bring instrumental and vocal selections. Sunday night Kurt and Denise Aakre, Dean Johnson and Robert Thompson from Karlstad will sing.



New tower of KKDQ-FM 99.3 radio in Thief River Falls now stretches up to 385 feet at its site 10 miles southwest of Thief River Falls. Early indications are that the taller tower and increase in power from 6,000 to 18,000 watts provides a clear signal for a 50 to 60-mile radius.

Lisa Swanson

Lisa Swanson to give recital

Lisa Swanson, daughter of Curt and Marilyn Swanson of rural Thief River Falls, will present a voice recital Friday, November 10, at 7 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

A variety of musical styles from classical to contemporary will be performed and the public is welcome to attend.

The recital is a result of Lisa's participation in the artist/mentor program conducted through the Arts Council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission. Lisa is a student of Diane Johnson.

Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodge to meet Nov. 9

The Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodge will meet Thursday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the lodge. Notice the change of time which will stand until further notice.

Falls Squares to host dance

Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, November 10 at the City Auditorium, Main Avenue and Second Street, Thief River Falls. The dance will start at 8 p.m. with Dave Muir calling the tips.

Lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.

Library program postponed; set for Wednesday

"Minnesota's Roots in Tale," postponed last Thursday due to a weather-related travel advisory, has been rescheduled for tonight (Wednesday, November 8) at 7 p.m. in the Thief River Falls public library.

Presenting the program will be Mary Helen Pelton, a professor at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. For additional information contact the library.

USPS unveils Paul Bunyan stamp Nov. 9

The new $1.5 million visitor's center in Bemidji will be the site for the unveiling of the designs for the new Paul Bunyan stamp and the other 1996 Folk Heroes stamps. Northland District postal manager Robert Fisher will be the featured speaker at the event on Thursday, November 9, at 2 p.m. at the center, which is located at 300 Bemidji Avenue North.

Tower and power extend KKDQ-FM

Tripling of its transmitting power and more than doubling the height of its tower has permitted the KKDQ-FM 99.3 radio station in Thief River Falls to extend its effective range by about 20 miles, according to Ev Ault, station owner.

Transmitting power has been increased from 6,000 to 18,000 watts and the new tower rises to 385 feet compared with 160 feet for the previous tower, Ault said. The tower is located 10 miles southwest of Thief River Falls.

Tower construction started about October 1 and work was completed so testing could be done on Tuesday, October 24. Broadcasting on the new system culminated a process which began about two years ago with applications for permits which were received from the Federal Communications Commission and the Federal Aviation Administration on April 28 of this year.

Ault said that early indications are that the new system provides very clear reception from Grand Forks, ND to Fourtown. He said that microwave transmission is now being used instead of telephone lines and this has provided an excellent signal from the studio in Thief River Falls to the tall tower.

KKAQ-AM will continue to broadcast from its tower site east of Thief River Falls along highway 1, Ault said. He said the FM changes were made while opportunities for FCC permits were still available and to provide a clearer signal beyond the city's trade area.

"It appears to be working very well and we are pleased to be able to provide this increased service to the area," Ault said.

Workload results in more public defenders

by David Hill
Associate Editor

Before January 1, 1995, eight public defenders did a majority of the work in the Ninth District. Now there are 35 public defenders in the Ninth District. In response, the Pennington county board reluctantly approved a request to hire another part-time assistant to the county attorney.

Part of the reason for the hiring was blamed on the hiring of a third public defender in the county, but the real reason is seen as an increase in crime.

Don Aandal, managing attorney for the state public defender's office in five counties, said when he was hired he was a part-time. In fact, he was half-time up until January. Prior to January he said he handled about 300 gross misdemeanor and felony cases per year.

Aandal said case load has increased 20 to 30 per cent every year, but the budget hasn't changed in 10 years.

The state responded this year. The Ninth district, which consists of 17 counties, had eight attorneys doing most of the work before January 1. Aandal said that now they have 35 attorneys and about a dozen support staff.

Counties used to be stuck with the cost of providing a public defender, but about three years ago the state took over the cost of defending felony offenders. In January, the state picked up the cost of defending juvenile and misdemeanor offenders.

Aandal said one of the people hired in the Ninth District was Pam Aanenson of McIntosh. She was hired full time this summer. Aanenson works mostly in Ninth District courts in Pennington and Red Lake counties. Just recently the public defender's office hired another attorney, David DeGroat. DeGroat will spend about half of his time handling Pennington county cases and about half of his time handling Mahnomen county cases. He is originally from Wauben. *(He attended college at Moorhead State University and William and Mitchell School of Law in St. Paul. He lives in Wauben with his wife and two children.)*

Even with the increased number of public defenders, Aandal said he still expects to handle about 300 gross misdemeanor and felony cases.

Crime has increased significantly. About five years ago, he said, they were talking about the increase in juvenile crime. Now they are seeing an increase in number of individuals in adult courts. Aandal said it isn't just happening in Pennington county or the Ninth District, it's happening statewide.

Pennington County Attorney David Olin agreed that the crime rate is increasing the case load. Specifically, Olin said as of the last county board meeting (October 24), the county attorney's office had already handled as many cases as they handled all of last year. The worst of it is, he said, is that there are more violent crimes and criminal sexual conduct cases. Those types of cases take more time.

Olin said he expects to name a new part-time assistant in the near future. All of the county attorneys (the attorney to be named, Alan Rogalla, and David Olin) are part-time. Lately, however, it hasn't been very part-time.

Other counties are also getting hit. Olin said other counties are seeing increases to varying degrees. He said the Beltrami County attorney is going full-time January 1. Thief River Falls may be seeing a higher crime rate, but Olin said part of that comes with being a regional center.

Olin said that during the discussion last week it was also noted that more offenders are receiving state prison sentences. He said, however, there are fewer and fewer places to put them.

That seems to indicate a need for more prison space. Olin said Pennington county has had to deal with a space shortage as well. Recently, they considered an addition to the jail, but settled on some adjustments to the present structure.

Aandal expects the crime rate increases to level off sometime in the next five years, but Olin isn't quite as optimistic. Olin is concerned that more and more juveniles are tending toward gang-like activity. He said they may not be a gang, but they are trying to act as if they are.

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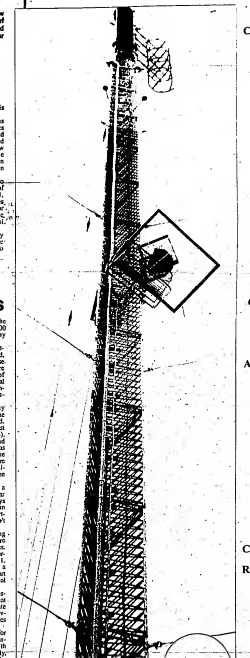

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Goodridge Lioness club sponsored a Halloween party October 31 for preschool through sixth grade children in the Goodridge area. Costume contest winners in three age groups are pictured above. Left to right are (TOP PHOTO) Preschool winners D.J. Peterson, funniest; Christopher Peters, scariest; Trent Nerhus, most original; and Arianna Paulson, cutest; (MIDDLE PHOTO) Kindergarten-Grade 3 winners Kelsi Wikert, most original; Joshua Tharaldson, funniest; Brittany Hammer, cutest; and Jeff Grabowska, scariest; (BOTTOM PHOTO) Grades 4-6 winners Kelsey Wilkens, funniest; Adam Sjulestad, scariest; Kyle Wikert, most original; and Bobbi Jo Dahlen, cutest.

Goodridge Lioness club sponsors party

Children's Halloween party was sponsored by the Lioness club of Goodridge on October 31 from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Goodridge community center. Registered were 117 children from preschool through sixth grade.

A variety of games was played by all the children and a lunch committee served hotdogs, pop and coffee. Goodridge Jaycees co-sponsored the party with a financial donation and the Goodridge Hartz Store donated some of the prizes. A costume contest was conducted and door prizes awarded in several age groups.

Winners of the costume contest included the following:

Preschool—D. J. Peterson, funniest; Christopher Peters, scariest; Trent Nerhus, most original; and Arianna Paulson, cutest;

Kindergarten Grade 3—Kelsi Wikert, most original; Joshua Tharaldson, funniest; Brittany Hammer, cutest; and Jeff Grabowska, scariest.

Grades 4-6—Kelsey Wilkens, funniest; Adam Sjulestad, scariest; Kyle Wikert, most original; and Bobbi Jo Dahlen, cutest.

Winning door prizes were the following: Preschool—Justin Stanley, D. J. Peterson, Rachel Bring and Breanna Tharaldson; K-Grade 3—Chevy Cullen, Jessa Rindahl, Erica Wayne and Katie Olson; Grades 4-6—Justin Gallagher, Nolan Schuler, Lacey Hoffman and Kacey Anderson.

Volunteers assisting with conducting some of the games were Kari Swanson, Katie Anderson, Pam Frederick, Heather Sunsdahl, Debbie Wiseth, Marshall Tanner, Clifton Hanson, Ashley Tharaldson, Tonya Verbout and Gilda Kotrba.

The Lioness club expressed thanks to all who participated in any way to make the annual Halloween party a success.

Our Saviours gets AAL grant

Our Saviour's Christian Academy of Thief River Falls has been awarded a $500 grant for the 1995-96 school year from Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL).

The grant was provided through the AAL Lutheran Elementary School Grant program which is designed to provide in-service training for Lutheran elementary school faculty.

The school may use the funds for consultants, speakers and resource materials. Activities may concentrate on such areas as teaching strategies, classroom organization and management, interpersonal relationships and communication, a teacher's role in the promotion of the school and ministering to the needs of families."

Alexandria Tech rep. here Nov. 14

A representative from the Alexandria Technical College will be at Lincoln senior high school in Thief River Falls Tuesday, November 14, at 8:30 a.m. to provide information about admissions procedures, financial aid, job placement, specific information about 38 technical programs and general information about the college. Anyone from the community who wants information about the visit may call the school at 681-8672.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Service League

	Wins	Losses
Rundell Electric	187	73
Mandernd Trucking	148 1/2	91 1/2
Legion	146 1/2	93 1/2
NW Eye Center	146	94
Northern Motors	135 1/2	104 1/2
McDonald's	123	118 1/2
Thygeson Construction	121	119
NW Auto Body	94 1/2	145 1/2
Wagon Wheel	87	153

High Game: Tim Erickson 265; Dan Lindquist 258; Mylan Abrahamson 222

High Series: Tim Erickson 680; Dan Lindquist 612; Curt Queensel 598

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Bron's Bombers	15 1/2	4 1/2
Stompers	13 1/2	9 1/2
Hom e	12	9

Prep League: [illegible]

High Game: Jarvis Kuzma 169; Kelsey Hollan 157; Jeff Vennes 157; Cari Harbott 152; Stephanie Hagen 134; Steve Olson 133

High Series: Jarvis Kuzma 169-126-132=427; Cari Harbott 122-131-152=405; Jeff Vennes 116-124-157=397; Stephanie Hagen 133-134-119=386; Kelsey Hollan 157-124-100=381

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers Mutual Health	10	4
Peter's Back Hoe	9	5
Glenn's Electric	9	5
Arctco, Inc	9	5
Clip N'Tan	8	9
Firestone	5	9
Brooks Auto	4	10
Michelob	2	12

High Series: Tony Kuzma 141-187-202=530; Monty Peterson 202-170-139=511; [illegible]

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High Series: Rachel Groelis 156-189-187=532; Keith Blix 197-126-188=511; Cori Walseth 185-141-181=507; David Bray 165-156-171=491; Jeremy Troitline 181-141-161=483

Old Arena schedule

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Saturday, Nov. 11 - 8-9 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 9:15-11 a.m. public skating; 11:15 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. DPFS; 1-2 p.m. Squirts open hockey; 2-3 p.m. 8 under open hockey; 3:15-4:30 p.m. public skating; 4:45-5:45 p.m. Pee-Wees open hockey; 6-7:15 p.m. public skating; 7:30-8:30 p.m. Bantams open hockey; 8:45-9:45 p.m. rental; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Nov. 12 - 12-1 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 1:15-2:30 p.m. public skating; 2:45-4:15 p.m. DPFS; 4:30-6 p.m. Bantams; 6:15-7:45 p.m. Pee-Wees; 8-9 p.m. public skating; 9:15-10:15 p.m. rental.

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NOV. 13 Weekly Raffle Drawing 4:00 P.M.	NOV. 14 Aerie Meeting 8:30 P.M.	NOV. 15	NOV. 16 Bar Bingo 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 17 Bar Bingo 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 18 Bar Bingo 3:00 P.M. Craft Sale 9:00-3:00

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November

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Thief River Falls runningback Nick Chiodo was brought down by Detroit Lakes' Kanny Blattenbauer.

Offensive starters introduced prior to the Prowlers' title game kickoff included, left to right, Robby Farbo, Peter Johnson, Paul Kopari (45), Kyle Miller, Jeremy Jensen (70), Matt Lawrance (71), Kyle Nelson (85), Steve Rambeck (88), Aaron Ehrenstrom (34), and Nick Chiodo (29). Quarterback Keith Anderson rounded out the unit.

Kyle Nelson of the Prowlers was just inside the goal line when he caught this 16-yard touchdown pass from quarterback Keith Anderson in the second quarter despite good coverage by the Lakers.

Times camera busy in Prowlers-Lakers final at Fargodome

The Times' camera was busy Thursday capturing action during the Thief River Falls vs. Detroit Lakes Section 8A high school football football playoff championship game at the Fargodome.

Those who braved the early-season winter storm to reach Fargo were treated to on outstanding game, which started with long touchdown runs on the first offensive play from scrimmage for both teams and was in doubt until a Detroit Lakes interception with just 25 seconds left snuffed out a final Thief River Falls threat.

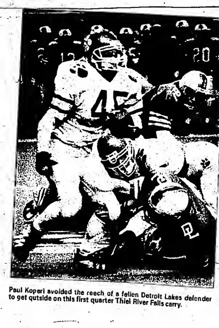
The 21-20 win gave the Lakers their sixth straight Section 8A title. The Prowlers have been in the finals the past two years and three times in the last four years.

Thief River Falls' 9-2 finish equalled the most wins in a season for the Prowlers.

Detroit Lakes quarterback Todd Steinmetz got off this pass in the face of a strong rush by Thief River Falls defensive end Robbie Stock.

Fargodome scoreboard told the story as time expired in the 21-20 Detroit Lakes win.

Prowlers cheerleaders included, standing left to right, Marisa Toren, Miko Westerman, Ingrid Hanson, mascot Danee Weatharford, Amanda Close, and Lauren Lavalier; kneeling left to right, Wandy Dahl, Cristy Chapa, Shelby Grinde, and Katie Lendobeja.



Paul Kopari avoided the reach of a fallen Detroit Lakes defender to get outside on this first quarter Thief River Falls carry.

TRF sophomore academic all-state...

Becky Mooney runs strong race at state

Both coach and athlete were elated with the results Saturday following an appearance by Thief River Falls sophomore Becky Mooney in the Class AA girls portion of the 1995 state high school cross country meet at St. Olaf College in Northfield.

Mooney finished 35th in a field of 131 runners. Her 15:51.1 clocking was a little over a minute behind winner Elaine Eggelston of Roseville, who had a 14:49.3.

"Becky ran a great race," reported Thief River Falls coach Caara Holmstrom. "She probably did even better than what we might have expected. It was a lot of fun. She was real happy with the way she ran."

Mooney qualified for state competition with a fifth place effort at the Section 8AA meet. She was the Prowlers' only state meet runner.

It was also announced that Mooney has earned academic all-state honors – recognition that goes to individual runners who place in the top 15 at the sectional level and carry a 3.7 or better grade-point average.

Team-wise at the state meet, Stillwater boys and Duluth East girls won in Class AA, while the Canby/Minneota/Lincoln HI boys and Sartell girls won in Class A.

Steve Lever of Osseo won the Class AA boys race; Brian Liebfried of Canby/Minneota/Lincoln HI took the Class A boys title; and Nicole Kurnia of BOLD was the Class A girls champion.

Prowlers prepare for Section 8 swim meet

Ten Thief River Falls girls will be at the Section 8 swimming and diving championships Friday and Saturday in Alexandria.

Prowlers who met section-qualifying standards during the course of the 1995 season included seniors Jenny Olin and Becky Mattson in diving; senior Cami Sorenson, 50 freestyle, 100 freestyle, 100 backstroke; junior Becky Harger, 500 freestyle; sophomore Sunny Carlson, 50 freestyle; freshman Nicole Kopari, 50 freestyle, 100 freestyle; eighth grader Andrea Olin, 500 freestyle; and eighth grader Andi Sorvig, 50 freestyle.

Sorenson will pass on the 50 and 100 freestyle races, however, in order to swim on all three Thief River Falls relay teams.

Those relay units will include Sorenson, Harger, Carlson, and senior Robin Bollesen in the 200 medley; Sorenson, Harger, Carlson, and Kopari in both the 200 freestyle and 400 freestyle.

Senior Myndy Olson will accompany the team as an alternate.

State meet will be held Nov. 21-22 at the University of Minnesota.

The Scott Hetherington-coached Prowlers closed out the regular season schedule Thursday at home against Crookston, losing a 137-48 decision that dropped their dual meet record to 1-7.

Crookston also won the junior varsity portion of the meet 105-58.

TRF Varsity Places vs. Crookston

200 medley relay - 3. Cami Sorenson, Becky Harger, Robin Bollesen, Sunny Carlson, 2:13.06.

200 freestyle - 4. Becky Harger, 2:24.34; 8. Andrea Olin, 2:24.93.

200 I.M. - 6. Cami Sorenson, 2:40.54; 8. Alicia Bakken, 2:50.07.

50 freestyle - 4. Andi Sorvig, 29.32; 6. Wendy Lindquist, 29.90.

Diving - 1. Jenny Olin, 214.45; 2. Becky Mattson, 192.85; 5. Ayla Donlin, 126.1.

100 butterfly - 4. Kristin Chrzanowski, 1:15.90; 6. Jenny Sorvig, 1:21.86.

100 freestyle - 6. (tie) Becky Harger and Sunny Carlson, 1:04.82; 8. Andi Sorvig, 1:08.97.

500 freestyle - 3. Andrea Olin, 6:20.93.

200 freestyle relay - 2. Andi Sorvig, Wendy Lindquist, Sunny Carlson, Cami Sorenson, 1:54.24.

100 backstroke - 4. Melanie Johnson, 1:18.96; 5. Kristin Naplin, 1:17.98.

100 breaststroke - 3. Robin Bollesen, 1:20.92; 6. Ayla Donlin, 1:28.17.

400 freestyle relay - 2. Andi Sorvig, Cami Sorenson, Sunny Carlson, Becky Harger, 4:15.00; 3. Wendy Lindquist, Julie Chrzanowski, Jenny Sorvig, Andrea Olin, 4:35.52.

TRF JV Places vs. Crookston

200 medley relay - 1. Melanie Johnson, Kristin Chrzanowski, Ayla Donlin, Rachel Harger, 2:24.51; 3. Danica Schroeder, Chelsea Haviland, Jamie Kragnes, Melisse Clark, 2:39.41.

200 freestyle - 4. Rachel Harger, 2:40.59.

50 freestyle - 3. Julie Chrzanowski, 21.25; 4. Yvonne Asp, 32.84.

Diving - 1. Erika Hudson, 126.85; 2. Stacy Harbott, 45.15.

100 freestyle - 2. Wendy Lindquist, 1:07.63; 3. Julie Chrzanowski, 1:08.39.

200 freestyle relay - 3. Yvonne Asp, Alexis Klockman, Rachel Harger, Ashley Hammer, 2:17.24.

100 backstroke - 2. Danica Schroeder, 1:23.47; 3. Alexis Klockman, 1:32.39.

100 breaststroke - 1. Alicia Bakken, 1:24.11; 2. Yvonne Asp, 1:29.42; 3. Rachel Harger, 1:31.85.

400 freestyle relay - 3. Kristin Naplin, Ashley Hammer, Alexis Klockman, Myndy Olson, 5:28.4.

Boosters Club will meet on Thursday

Lincoln High School fine arts programs will be featured Thursday during the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting at the Elks.

Program directors who will be guest speakers include Bruce Felt, band; Darcey Reese, choir; and Connie Stock, theatre.

The public is invited.

Bethany squad is MCCC champion

Bethany Lutheran defeated Willmar 15-7, 15-6, 15-9 Saturday in the championship match of the 1995 Minnesota Community College Conference state volleyball tournament at Bethel.

Hibbing beat Rainy River 15-13, 13-15, 15-12, 14-16, 16-14 in the third place match and Central Lakes downed Fergus Falls 15-7, 15-13, 15-8 for the consolation title.

DNR News

Retrieving, Cleaning Big Game

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources offers the following tips on retrieving and cleaning big game:

■ When you deliver the shot, make sure you mark where the animal was located and the direction in which it was headed.

■ Observe any unusual behavior when the shot or arrow was fired.

■ Go to the animal's last observed location and look for more clues.

■ If you don't have a blood trail, don't assume the animal wasn't hit. You have a responsibility to retrieve the animal. Head in the direction it moved and look for a blood trial. Get help and start circling the area until you find clues.

■ When you find the animal, field dress it immediately, removing all internal organs, including the windpipe and kidneys. Be careful not to puncture any organs and keep the meat clean.

■ Clean and cool the game immediately.

■ Don't hang deer to age if the temperature is above 40 degrees, or bacteria will become a problem.

Tree Stands Can Be Dangerous

Greatest danger faced by most deer hunters is climbing in and out of tree stands.

Combination of heights, guns and colder weather poses a danger that sometimes is compounded by unsafe tree standings.

In Minnesota, portable tree stands can be used at any height. Maximum height for a permanent stand is 16 feet.

DNR safety tips include:

■ Don't sacrifice safety for cost when purchasing a portable tree stand.

■ Inspect a portable tree stand every time you use it, making certain that bolts are tightened and that ropes or chains are in good condition.

■ Repair permanent stands; they won't last forever because wood deteriorates and tree movement tends to bend or loosen bolts, nails and boards.

■ Use a safety harness.

■ Rope the weapon. Never carry a bow or gun while climbing.

■ Take your time; many accidents occur while hunters are climbing down from trees.

Football, tennis teams earn academic honors

■ Prowlers are state, sectional champions

Thief River Falls has been named high school academic state champions in Class A football and Class AA girls tennis for the 1995 season, it was announced by coaches Jeff Munn and Sylvia Sjoberg.

The recognition comes from the Minnesota State High School Football Coaches Association and the Minnesota State High School Tennis Coaches Association.

En route to earning state honors the Prowlers were named Section 8A football and Section 8AA tennis academic champions.

The football team won similar honors in 1994, and the Thief River Falls boys were named Class AA cross country academic state champions in 1993.

In football, the top 27 grade point averages among varsity team members were used to determine the academic team honors. For the Prowlers that figure was 3.66. Only Class AA champion Blaine with a 3.74 GPA was higher than the Prowlers.

The tennis team used the average of 13 varsity players to come up with its winning GPA. That figure was an impressive 3.93.

School banners and plaques, along with individual awards will be presented to the Prowlers.

Lakers host playoff game

Detroit Lakes will host Delano Friday in the first round of the 1995 Class A state football playoffs.

Detroit Lakes edged Thief River Falls 21-20 Thursday in the Section 8A final, while Delano beat Glencoe-Silver Lake 20-8 in the Section 4A title game.

Virginia will be at Northfield in the other Upper Bracket Class A state quarterfinal. In the Lower Bracket it will be Mora at Totino-Grace and St. Peter at Melrose.

Totino-Grace and Detroit Lakes were 1-2, respectively, in the final Class A state poll taken at the end of the regular season. No. 10 St. Peter is the only other top ten-ranked team in the Class A field.

The Class A state semifinals will be played Nov. 17 (Upper Bracket) and Nov. 18 (Lower Bracket) at the Metrodome – site of the Prep Bowl state finals Nov. 24.

Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail will be at Browerville in a Friday Class C state quarterfinal game. The Bears beat Fosston 26-7 in the Section 8C finals.

Stephen was a 33-13 winner over Argyle in the Section 4 Nine-Men title game. With only four sections of Nine-Man football in Minnesota, the Tigers will be idle this week, awaiting the state semifinals Nov. 18 at the Metrodome, when they will meet Cromwell.

A-B, Alex win volleyball titles

Ada-Borup and Alexandria will represent Section 8A and Section 8AA, respectively, at the 1995 Minnesota state high school volleyball tournament, scheduled to be played Thursday through Saturday at the St. Paul Civic Center.

The Cougars won Section 8A honors Saturday with a 15-5, 15-7, 15-6 title match win over Roseau. In Friday semifinals, Ada-Borup beat Cass Lake-Bena 15-12, 12-15, 15-13, 15-10 and Roseau knocked off Fisher/Climax 15-12, 15-9, 12-15, 15-9.

Cass Lake-Bena defeated Fisher/Climax 15-9, 13-15, 15-4 in Saturday's third place match.

Alexandria remained unbeaten with a Section 8AA championship match win over Rocori.

The Cardinals will meet White Bear Lake in the Class AA quarterfinals. Other state meet qualifiers are Columbia Heights, Grand Rapids, Chaska, Bloomington Jefferson, Owatonna, and Hastings.

State quarterfinal foe for Ada-Borup is Tracy-Milroy. Rest of the Class A field includes Stewartville, St. James, New London-Spicer, Perham, Holy Angels, and Hermantown.

Mesabi, Vermilion reach MCCC final

It will be an all-Northern Division final Saturday when Mesabi and Vermilion play in the Minnesota Community College Conference state football playoff championship game at St. Cloud State University.

Regular season Northern Division runner-up Mesabi upset Southern Division champion Rochester 26-18, while Northern Division winner Vermilion eliminated Southern Division runner-up Willmar 21-15.

Saturday's title game start at 1 p.m.

City Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Digi Key	8	0
Best Western II	5	1
Arctco	6	1
Middle River	6	2
Northup	6	2
Forsberg's	3	3
Hartz Truckline	2	6
Best Western I	1	5
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	8
Sea Monkeys	0	6

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Norwood Cleaners	12	0
Double D Bees	11	1
Budweiser	8	4
Thrifty White Drug	8	4
Clip N Tan	7	8
Arctco	4	8
Tim Loeffler Agency	3	8
PCR Graphics	1	11
Dana's Daycare Lavonne's	0	12

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	7	1
Cellular 2000	8	2
Universal Screenprint	8	2
Bud Light	7	3
Doc's Jocks	7	3
Unpredictables	8	8
Tunberg Motor Co	3	8
Carvers	8	8
500 Club	2	6
National Guard	1	7
Cactus Club	0	10

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Miller Lite	11	1
Northwest Medical Center	11	1
St Hilaire Elevator	8	3
LaVonne's Grocery	8	3
Legion	8	8
St Hilaire Supply	8	8
Evergreen Eating Emporium	6	6
Digi Key II	2	10
Digi Key I	1	11
Robson Honey	1	11

Results

■ Monday, Oct. 30 - (8 p.m.) Northup def. Best Western I, Arctco def. Middle River; (8:30 p.m.) Hartz Truckline def. Best Western I, Arctco def. Sea Monkeys; (7 p.m.) Best Western II def. Northup, Digi-Key def. Middle River, 8 (7:30 p.m.) Hartz Truckline def. Glenda's Beauty Shop, Forsberg's def. Sea Monkeys; (8 p.m.) Best Western II def. Glenda's Beauty Shop, Digi-Key def. Forsberg's. (Note: standings do not include results from Oct. 23)

■ Tuesday, Oct. 31 - results not reported.

■ Wednesday, Nov. 1 - (6 p.m.) Primetime def. Bud Light, Cellular 2000 def. Unpredictables; (6:30 p.m.) Bud Light def. Carvers, Cellular 2000 def. National Guard; (7 p.m.) Unpredictable def. Cactus Club; Tunberg Motor Co. def. Primetime; (7:30 p.m.) Carvers def. 500 Club; Doc's Jocks def. National Guard; (8 p.m.) 500 Club def. Cactus Club; Doc's Jocks def. Tunberg Motor Co.

■ Thursday, Nov. 2 - results not reported.

Arena Schedule

Old Arena

Wednesday, Nov. 8 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS, 3:30-4:45 p.m. Bantams, 5-5:30 p.m. S1, B1, B3, 5:30-6 p.m. S2, S3, B2, B5, 6-6:30 p.m. S1, B1, B4, B8, 6:30-7 p.m. S2, S3, B2, 7:15-7:45 p.m. B5, Junior Advanced Freestyle, 8:15-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wees, 10-11 p.m. rental

Thursday, Nov. 9 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS, 3:30-4:45 p.m. Bantams, 5-5:30 p.m. S1, B1, B3, 5:30-6 p.m. S2, S3, B2, B5, 6-6:30 p.m. S1, B1, B4, B8, 6:30-7 p.m. S2, S3, B2, 7:15-7:45 p.m. B5, Junior Advanced Patch; 7:45-8:15 p.m. Junior Advanced Freestyle, 8:15-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wees, 10-11 p.m. rental

Friday, Nov. 10 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS, 4-5 p.m. Squirts Prowler Clinic 2, 5-6 p.m. Squirts Prowler Clinic 1, 6:15-8 p.m. Pee-Wees, 8:15-9:45 p.m. Bantams, 10-11 p.m. rental

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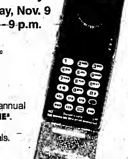

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Several accidents listed in LEC news reports

With the first signs of winter law enforcement officials were busy responding to reports of accidents.

Accidents. On October 31 police received a report of an accident at Fourth and Arnold. According to the accident report, Delvin Willis Potucek, Warren, was driving a pickup west on Fourth Street. Bernard Clifford Stinson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car north on Arnold Avenue. Potucek saw the Stinson vehicle but misjudged the distance when he entered the intersection and the vehicles collided. Potucek was cited for failure to yield. Damages were estimated at $500 to the Potucek vehicle and $1,500 to the Stinson vehicle.

On November 2 at 12:05 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident on State Aid 3 near County road 97. Alan James Cota, Red Lake Falls, was driving a truck owned by Red Lake Electric Coop west on State Aid 3 when he lost control on a slippery road and the vehicle went into the ditch, rolled onto its side. Damage loss was estimated at $10,000.

On November 3 at 10:05 a.m. police received a report of an accident at Eighth and Main. According to the accident report, a pickup driven by Thomas Ross Parish, Thief River Falls, was attempting to make a left turn onto LaBree. A car driven by Cami Jo Sorenson, Thief River Falls, was behind the Parish vehicle. Paula Marie Zeck, Thief River Falls, was driving a vehicle behind the Sorenson vehicle when her vehicle collided with the Sorenson vehicle and the Sorenson vehicle struck the Parish vehicle. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Parish vehicle, $300 to the Sorenson vehicle, and $2,000 to the Zeck vehicle.

On November 3 at 1:34 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a car accident on State Aid 21, two miles south of State Aid 3. Paul James Dessellier, Oklee, was driving a pickup north on State Aid 23. A gust of wind hit the vehicle. Dessellier lost control and the vehicle rolled. Dessellier bruised his shins and had a minor laceration to an ear. There was an estimated $3,000 damage to the pickup.

On November 3 at 3:18 p.m. police received a report of an accident at First Street and Arnold. Troy David Myhrer, Middle River, was driving a vehicle west on First Street, when his vehicle struck a vehicle driven by Harland Perry Lee, Thief River Falls, who was traveling north on First Street. Lee was cited for failure to yield at the stop sign after proceeding into the intersection. Myhrer is being cited for no insurance. Damages were estimated over $1,000 each.

On November 4 at 7:02 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident on State Aid 3, 10 miles west of Highway 32. Dale Craig Olson, Wannaska, was driving a rental car east on State Aid 3. His vehicle hit an ice patch and the vehicle went in the ditch and hit a tree. There were no injuries. Damages were estimated at $1,500.

On November 4 at 6:05 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a car and deer accident on County road 3, two miles east of the Casino. David John Cars, Sleepy Eye, was driving a vehicle east on County road 3 when two deer jumped out in front of the vehicle. He struck the second. Damages were estimated at $3,000.

On November 5 at 7:31 p.m. on State Aid 3 about one mile east of County road 17, Gary Ray Smiky, Warroad, was driving a pickup west when a deer jumped out in front of the path of his vehicle. Damages were estimated at $2,000.

Consumption under age. On November 1 at 12:07 a.m. police were called to the Northland Village laundry room. Christopher Scott Reller, 18, Little Fork, was cited for consumption under age.

Disorderly conduct. On October 31 at 7:16 p.m. police were called to an incident involving a dispute between an employee and a customer at a local restaurant. Charged with disorderly conduct was Jeannie Terese Dieterich, 22, Thief River Falls.

Thefts. On November 1 at 12:50 p.m. Jody Lynn Stenvik, Thief River Falls, reported that her car had been stolen from the bowling alley parking lot. The license plate number for the 1979 Chevrolet Caprice is 110 KRK.

Lavon Doreen Suntam, 19, Thief River Falls, is being charged with theft - wrongfully obtaining food stamps, a felony. During the months of August and September, 1995, overpayments during this time were AFDC $874, food stamps $212, and child care allotment $181.87, totaling $1,267.87.

Assault. On November 2 at 9:42 a.m. police were called to an incident at Franklin Middle school. A 13-year-old male is being charged with terroristic threats as a result of an incident in which he said he was going get a gun and shoot his teacher.

On November 4 at 5:30 p.m. police were called to a report of a domestic incident at Greendale Manor. They arrived and found the two individuals sitting on a couch together. The male had allegedly hit the female in the face earlier. She also hit him. Both are being cited for assault in the fifth degree assault: Craig Allen Ellis, 38, Thief River Falls, and Johanna Ann Ellis, 28, Thief River Falls.

Driving while intoxicated. On November 3 at 8 p.m. police stopped a vehicle west on First Street. James Aldren Bedard, Jr., 23, Goodridge, was arrested for aggravated driving while intoxicated, gross driving while intoxicated, refusal to test, no proof of insurance.

On November 4 at 1:25 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle heading west on Old County road 76. Don James Anderson, 26, Thief River Falls, was arrested for aggravated driving while intoxicated, gross driving while intoxicated, refusal to test.

On November 5 at 1:24 a.m. the sheriff's department stopped a vehicle on Highway 32. Mickey Christopher MacMillian, 25, Duluth, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Arrest. On November 4 at 6:21 p.m. police stopped a vehicle east on Nora Street. Brandon Lee Rupprecht, 19, Crooked River Ranch, OR, was cited for driving after revocation. A warrant for his arrest was also discovered. The warrant was from Moorhead for failure to appear. He was brought into the booking room and was found to be in possession of drug paraphernalia.

Assault, traffic convictions in Pennington co. court reports

Assault convictions, speeding violations and other traffic violations are among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for the last week.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Alison Marie Wolbeck, Thief River Falls, 20, minor in liquor establishment, $87.50; Misty Lee Hunter, Fosston, 21, 80/55, $99; Danny Paul Lindseth, Thief River Falls, 18, theft under $200, $147.50, $23.97 restitution, or 20 days in jail; Phillip Anthony Nowacki, Thief River Falls, 26, disorderly conduct, $147.50, five days in jail stayed for one year; Chadrik Lee Swanson, Staples, 20, consumption under 21, $87.50; Cheryl Lynn Vorel, Thief River Falls, 35, driving after revocation, no proof of insurance, $282.50, 20 days in jail:

Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 28, fifth degree assault, $167.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Paul Michael Czapiewski, Thief River Falls, 22, criminal damage to property, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Brent Russell Elseth, Thief River Falls, 21, 40/30, $64.50; Jonathan Gary Erickson, Thief River Falls, 19, no proof of insurance, $582.50, or 30 days in jail; Dawn Marie Klopp, Thief River Falls, 20, 44/30, $87.50; Jane Fern Krunz, Thief River Falls, 77, failure to yield right of way, $122.50; Patrick Jerome Myhrer, St. Hilaire, 22, exhibition driving, $76:

Susan Kay Naeseth, Thief River Falls, 26, 40/30, $64.50; Quentin Laural Rasmussen, Thief River Falls, 18, no Minnesota driver's license, $72.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking, $22.50; Bruce Kevin Thygeson, Thief River Falls, 26, overtime parking, $22.50; Rebecca Denise Fischer, Thief River Falls, 21, overtime parking, $22.50; Trevor Jay Gillespie, Elbow Lake, 22, no seat belt, $47.25; Teri Ann Haugen-Abbene, Thief River Falls, 30, 40/30, $64.50; Tamara Marie Johnson, Warren, 19, 40/30, $64.50; Darryl Keith Jones, Chicago, IL, 23, inattentive driving, $237.50; Kevin Joe Larson, Bemidji, 33, inattentive driving, $122.50;

Marlys Mae Anderson, Thief River Falls, 48, overtime parking, $22.50; Seth Andrew Anderson, Thief River Falls, 18, 63/30, $237.50; Tyrone Theodore Benson, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption under 21, $137.50; Troy Francis Cameron, Thief River Falls, 24, violation of restricted drivers license, $382.50, or 20 days in jail; Shane Michael Duffy, Thief River Falls, 16, 40/30, $64.50; Rebecca Denise Fischer, Thief River Falls, 21, overtime parking, $22.50; Kathleen Dawn Nelson, Strandquist, 35, 41/30, $76.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: David Dwayne French, Thief River Falls, 30, theft, $35.05 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year, 10 hours of sentence to serve; William Edward Nelson, Thief River Falls, 25, disorderly conduct, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Arlen John Eidelbes, Goodridge, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Gregory John Callahan, Eden Prairie, 44, 71/55, $87.50; Joshua Allen Clark, Thief River Falls, 21, 78/55, $99; Robert Scott Meeskenow, Cass Lake, 23, disorderly conduct, $137.50, or 20 days in jail, credit given for four days served; Marcellno Romero, Thief River Falls, 20, minor consumption, $87.50.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Dennis Alan Buckley, Thief River Falls, 25, expired registration, $41.15; Mindy Lee Juhl, Lake Bronson, 19, seat belt, $47.25; Matthew Don Noel, Stephen, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Kenneth Peter Dyck, Domain, Manitoba, Canada, 46, 68/55, $76; Eugene Edward Feltus, Willow River, 52, 65/55, $64.50; Jennifer Lorraine Kushinski, Hallock, 28, 69/55, $76; James William Mowrey, Deer River, 20, 73/55, $87.50;

Andrew Alvin Anderson, Viking, 20, 65/55, $64.50; Karl Peter Hoglund, Bemidji, 32, 65/55, $64.50; Patsy Jean Rautiola, Cook, 59, seat belt, $47.25; James Edward Byers, Midlothian, IL, 39, 65/55, $100; Terry Allen Haugen, Goodridge, 38, seat belt, $47.25; John Richard Jenkins, Hallock, 61, 65/55, $64.50; Richard Roman Kostrzewski, Thief River Falls, 50, disobey a stop sign, $76.

Swenson sentenced in vehicular homicide case

On Monday, Randy Wayne Swenson, 36, Thief River Falls, was sentenced to 48 months in prison at Stillwater. Swenson pled guilty to criminal vehicular homicide on August 14.

Charges against Swenson were a result of an accident on May 3, 1994. Swenson was driving a 1979 Chevette north on Highway 32 when he lost control of the vehicle and it collided with a parked suburban. Minnesota State Patrol officials estimated that Swenson's car was speeding as high as 76 miles per hour in a 30 mile per hour zone. His blood alcohol concentration was estimated by the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension at .19. The legal limit is .10.

Killed in the accident was Nathan Eugene Olson. According to the criminal complaint, Olson was wearing his seat belt in the passenger's seat. Swenson also sustained severe injuries. He remains mostly confined to a wheelchair.

Monday, Swenson was taken into custody and wheeled to the law enforcement center.

Swenson faced other charges Monday, including an assault charge filed between his plea of guilty to the charge of criminal vehicular homicide, and his sentencing. On one charge of assault in the fifth degree, which occurred on August 26, Swenson was sentenced to 90 days, to be served concurrently. Swenson was to be arraigned on a second charge of assault in the fifth degree, which was alleged to have occurred on September 22. That charge was dismissed.

Youth referred as adult in case

Kenneth David Schwartz, 17, Thief River Falls, has been referred as an adult through the Pennington county court system. He has posted $10,000 bond. Schwartz faces charges of attempted murder in the first degree and first degree assault and second degree assault in connection with an assault against a local man on September 21. The man was hit with a baseball bat over the head and body sustaining a broken arm and skull fracture. Kelly Daniel Stepp was the other individual charged in connection with the incident.

Monday, Schwartz pled not guilty to all three charges.

Prisoner faces arson charge

31-year-old Scott Joseph Mirkovich will be charged with arson in the first degree in connection with an October 24 incident at the Pennington county jail. He's accused of damaging his cell by fire by setting fire to rolled up toilet paper, caused smoke damage and other damage to the jail area. If convicted he faces a maximum penalty of 20 years and or a $20,000 fine.

Mirkovich is in custody pending a trial on charges of criminal sexual conduct in the first and second degree and second degree assault.

Cats, dogs held at animal pound

Several more animals are being held in the Thief River Falls animal pound. The animals can be either claimed by their owner or adopted.

Animals in the pound include: a brown and white male cat picked up on November 1 in Northwest Trailer court; a gray and white female cat picked up November 2 in City Side Trailer court; a gray female cat picked up on November 3 in Northland Village; a brown and white male Springer Spaniel picked up November 5 in Johnson Drive; a black male lab picked up on November 5 on North Main; a shit spitz picked up on November 5 on the airport road.

Holmes among BSU student teachers

Kent Holmes of Thief River Falls is among 68 individuals student teaching through the Bemidji State University Professional Education department this fall.

Holmes, a senior social studies education major, is student teaching at Bemidji high school.

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The Second Section

David Erickson, two-year-old son of Paul and Corla Erickson, was an enthusiastic participant in the games conducted at the Thief River Falls Lions club Halloween party for preschool and elementary children Tuesday in the National Guard armory. Like all other young participants at the party, David received a prize for taking part in the game.

Plans made for Christmas for Pennington County

Representatives of several businesses and groups met in Thief River Falls Thursday to discuss plans for Christmas for Pennington County. Christmas for Pennington county involves setting up Christmas trees in the community and allowing individuals to purchase gifts for youngsters who might not otherwise receive Christmas gifts.

The project is similar to the Angel Tree project started a number of years ago at Lori's Hallmark in Thief River Falls. The tree is decorated with little angels which list ages, sizes, and gift preferences, but no names, only numbers. A key component of the project is maintaining the confidentiality of the children and families receiving gifts. In the past, several different organizations and businesses supported separate Christmas tree projects. Last year, the effort became organized under one group, which eliminates duplication, extra costs, and confusion.

Last year and again this year, trees will be set up at K-Mart, Pamida, and Lori's Hallmark. Organizers expect about the same number of families to receive assistance. Last year, about 85 families received assistance. In all, 532 gifts were handed out, and $3,370.52 was donated. Several other businesses and organizations made other contributions, and participated in the wrapping of gifts.

Names of families and children are obtained in a number of ways. Sign-up forms have been distributed at several locations including churches, schools, Lori's Hallmark, The Times, social services, law

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Lions host Halloween parties

Thief River Falls Lions club hosted its 51st annual Halloween parties at the National Guard armory Tuesday, October 31, with more than 350 children from toddlers through grade five attending from 4 to 5:30 p.m. and approximately 250 middle school youngsters attending from 7 to 10 p.m.

About 150 parents also attended the free costume party from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Upon entering the armory each child received a booklet of free tickets and a special Halloween bag from the Lions. Club members conducted a number of games and each child could participate in six events and receive a prize for participation.

Each of 10 winners in a costume contest was held and each of the 10 winners received a $2 bill. Winners were Eryn Clow, Madison Denault, Jessica Willett, Tyler Green, Landen Spring, Brooke Hillman, Cody Altepeter, Sarah Chamma, Trishia Braaten and Brittany Wiseth.

Lions club members who conducted the games were Arlo Rude, Ray Safranski, John Wollenzien, Tim Bauer, Ron Swenson, Orin Green, Dennis Raymond, Bill Hannon, Wes Johnson, John Holthusen, Ron Lindberg, Don Narverud, Bob Reeve, Vern Quam, Ron Winters, Fred Dallmann, Vernon Lee, Ellsworth and Octavia Jorgenson, Arnold Narverud and Charles and Idella Samuelson.

A videotape of the party was made by Bob Hultgren and will be shown at a later date.

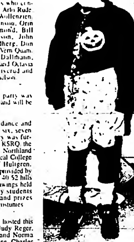
Music for the free dance and pizza party for grades six, seven and eight at the armory was furnished by students from KSRQ, the student radio station at Northland Community and Technical College under the direction of Hultgren. Free pizza and pop was provided by the Lions and a total of 40 $2 bills were given away in drawings held each half hour. Many students attended in costume and prizes were given for the best costumes.

Lions members who hosted this party were Dick and Judy Reger, John Mattson, Larry and Norma Spong, Winton Forsberg, Charles Richards, Dick Spybalski and Charles Samuelson.

Samuelson, who was chairman of the committee arranging for the parties, expressed the club's thanks to Challenger Elementary and Preschool, Franklin Middle school, KKAQ radio, John Mattson and the Thief River Falls Times, Kes Terrors Aqi and KTRF radio, Bob Hultgren and KSRQ radio and the Grand Forks Herald for help in promoting the parties.

Samuelson said the club appreciates the many thank yous and warm-hearted comments that were received from parents and children and the Lions already are looking forward to next year.

Total cooperation was required of these girls to make their Halloween costume work. The top with two head openings and pants with three legs left no room for argument or indecision. Allyson Torstveit (left), daughter of Herb and Darlene Torstveit, and Michelle Johnson, daughter of Paul and Geno Johnson, are both 11 years old. They were attending the Lions club Halloween party at the National Guard armory in Thief River Falls.



Eryn Clow, 10, daughter of Galen and Cindy Clow, was one of the costume contest winners during the Thief River Falls Lions club Halloween party Tuesday at the National Guard armory in Thief River Falls.

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Newfolden Community News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
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Sybil Peterson visited with Lillie Olson Saturday afternoon.

Tuesday, Della Elseth and Clara Hanson were dinner guests of Lyle Larson.

Lillie Olson visited with Chuck and Sherry Olson on Wednesday evening.

Kenneth and Bertha Erickson visited at the Milton Erickson home on Friday.

Newman of St. Paul spent last week from Thursday until Wednesday at the Della and Ben Elseth home. Also with Jean Roppe who moved a new mobile home in from the Cities.

Sunday dinner guests at the Arnold Larson home were Sybil Cwikla, Tom and Sue Dahlheimer, Lauren, Joey and Evan Strand and Ken Jeane and ... Moorhead was an afternoon visitor and luncheon guest there.

... and Elaine Thompson visited with Emma Kammen awhile Sunday afternoon. In the evening we drove out and spent the evening with Floyd and Arlene Nelson.

Peter and Frances Garszewski were among many to attend the St. Rose of Lima Catholic church in Argyle on Sunday afternoon.

Jeremy Gjeslandell spent Saturday with Kent Kleinwachter at Strandquist.

Tuesday evening visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Jane Schaumberg and Mark, Jill Anderson, Linda Johnson, Luke and Cassie, Stein Stattler and Ashley.

October 28th, John and Bonnie Bjorkness and Ryan visited at the Della and Ben Elseth home and enjoyed lunch with them. They enjoyed it very much.

Monday evening, Leki Thun of Moorhead visited and was a supper guest at the Arnold Larson home.

Curt Thompson had coffee with his mom, Olga Thompson and his aunt Emma Kammen a couple days last week in the morning.

Visitors at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson home were Donald Larson, Delores Rudy of Holt, on Sunday evening. Monday, Marion Carol Benitt of Holt, Tuesday, Kent Kleinwachter of Strandquist and Reuben Benitt.

Saturday evening Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home.

Jean Roppe and Della Elseth visited Alma Wicklund and Jennie Larson at the Nursing Home October 16th and afterwards had lunch with Lorraine Snyder, a cousin of Della's.

Wednesday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Al and Loretta Machal of East Grand Forks and Martys Aune of Circle Pines. Martys remained to spend a few days with Arnold and Vernice.

Elaine Thompson enjoyed a lovely visit over cup of coffee and goodies from Kathy Dahl on Wednesday forenoon.

Karen Donaorowski from Viking visited at the Della and Ben Elseth home one evening last week and also helped Della celebrate her birthday. Wallace and Lill Roppe were there earlier.

Wednesday evening visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Ken Jeane and Callie.

Della Elseth took Ben Elseth, Ila Newman and Lee Moen to the Paradise for supper last Sunday October 22 and drove around and saw moose and deer.

Gladys Garfse and Della Elseth went to Thief River Falls shopping on Saturday, October 28th.

Thursday evening visitors and lunch guests at the Sybil Peterson home were Arnold and Vernice Larson and Shirley Lehmann.

Friday evening, October 27th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson met Mr. and Mrs. Gib Tronnet and went to hear the Continental Singers at the Evangelical Free church in Thief River Falls and afterwards out for coffee and visited awhile.

Harryet Larson visited with Violet Mutzy on Friday afternoon.

Tuesday afternoon visitors at the Hanne Moen home were Kathy Halstad and Jean Larson.

Saturday evening, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to Loren Erickson's to help those that celebrated their birthdays were Rodney Erickson, Katherine Erickson, Gladys Erickson and Dwight Sedranes 10th birthday with other relatives.

Arlene Jenson visited and her mom Alice Ellingson on Sunday.

Last Wednesday Lillie Olson visited with Sandy Steinhauer.

Ruth Tranip and Clara Hanson visited with Virginia Engen on Wednesday.

Sunday dinner guests at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home were Milton and Beverly Erickson, Jason Erickson, Shelly Staebler and Ashley, Butch and Elaine Schaumberg of Bemidji, Jim and Dorothy Schaumberg of Mahnomen.

Peter and Frances Garszewski motored to Minot, ND and attended the funeral of Stanley Slominski at the Sacred Heart Catholic church on Thursday October 12th. They also visited with Anna Seeba in rural Grafton on their way home.

Last Saturday October 28th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson drove to Fargo and spent the afternoon with our son Mark. We went out for lunch and did some shopping and then in the evening we went and picked up Barb Hermen after she got off work and attended the Cathedral Quartet at the Assembly church. They performed an excellent program of singing and sharing, afterwards we went for lunch and visiting.

Friday evening, Lloyd and Harryet Larson attended the Bazaar at Nazareth Lutheran church.

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TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
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Worship Services – Our Savior's: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

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Q. How do I know if I must pay taxes on my monthly Social Security benefits?

A. A relatively small number of people who get Social Security, about 10 per cent, will have to pay taxes on their benefits. This provision only affects people in the higher income tax brackets. Only up to one half of your Social Security benefits are potentially taxable.

If you file a Federal tax return as an "individual" you might have to pay taxes on your Social Security benefits if your combined income exceeds $25,000. "Combined income" means your adjusted gross income (as reported on your Form 10-40) plus nontaxable interest plus one-half of your Social Security benefits.

If you file a joint Federal tax return, you might have to pay taxes on your Social Security benefits if your combined income exceeds $32,000.

If you are a member of a couple but file a separate Federal tax return, you probably will pay taxes on your Social Security benefits.

For more information about taxes contact the Internal Revenue Service.

Q. I know that retirement benefits are less at 62 than at 65. How is the reduction amount figured out?

A. Your benefit is reduced by 5/9 of one per cent for each month you get benefits before 65. This amounts to a 20 per cent reduction if you get benefits at 62. But, since benefits can be paid only for months you are eligible throughout the entire month, you can't get a benefit for the month you reach 62 unless your birthday is the 1st or 2nd of the month. So, chances are your benefit won't be reduced the whole 20 per cent.

The closer you are to 65 when benefits start, the smaller the reduction. For example, the reduction is 13 1/3 per cent at 63, and 6 2/3 per cent at 64. These figures are only for retirement benefits on your own record. Benefits as a husband/wife or as a widow/widower are computed with different rates.

Q: I'm representative payee for my husband's Social Security check. He lives in a nursing home and nearly all of his SSA plus other retirement benefits go to pay for his care. Why do I need to do an accounting of his SSA money every year since there is no chance of his situation changing? Why not save on the paperwork and not send the accounting form?

A. A representative payee is a person used by Social Security to receive benefits for someone unable to handle the funds in their own behalf. Note that SSA does not recognize power of attorney designations although someone appointed power of attorney can also be designated as representative payee.

At one time the agency did not get annual accounting reports from some representative payees. Some years ago, largely because of a class action suit related court order, the agency started to obtain annual accountings from almost all payees on an annual basis. To make accounting easier, you can use SSA Publication 05-10076 "A Guide to Representative Payees." This is available from any SSA office or a national toll free phone center at 1-800-772-1213.

Q. My son's Social Security card shows his first name, middle initial, and last name but he actually has two middle names. Should I change his card?

A. No change is really needed unless he one day makes a large change to the name used for employment purposes.

Plans made for Christmas for Pennington Co.

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enforcement and several other locations. If a form is needed contact Wendy at 681-6161, or Melinda at 681-2880. All names will be kept confidential.

Gifts will be distributed in a number of ways. Gifts can be picked up and children can meet Santa Claus at the Law Enforcement Center on December 21 at 4 p.m.; they can be delivered to homes; or other arrangements can be made.

Monetary donations are also being accepted. Individuals who would like to make a monetary donation are asked to send donations to Northern State Bank, care of Mark Johnson.

Basketball for all age levels was provided for children attending the Thief River Falls Lions club Halloween party for preschool and elementary children Tuesday at the National Guard armory. This young participant had no problem slam dunking the ball in a five-gallon bucket to earn a prize.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

A week ago Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Liedberg of Galena, AK and Jim Liedberg of Warren spent the day at the Wayne Gallea home in Moorhead. They were all dinner guests at the Gallea home. In the afternoon, they all attended confirmation services at the Lutheran Church of Christ The King at Moorhead. Jill Galles was one of the confirmands. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg are Jill's godparents. Later they all enjoyed lunch at the Gallas home and Jill opened her many confirmation gifts.

Tuesday evening supper guests at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Paul Liedberg of Galina, AL.

Jim Liedberg of Warren spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg and his brother Paul and his wife Mary Ann and with the Neil Liedberg family.

Mrs. Paul Liedberg left by plane on Monday to visit with her parents and family at New Jersey for a couple weeks.

Paul Liedberg left for his home in Galena, AK on Saturday after spending a couple weeks at his parents home and with other friends and relatives in the area.

Wednesday evening supper guests at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Paul Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri.

Sunday evening, Jodi Gustafson and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Gena Kotrba visited at the Neil Liedberg home on Tuesday afternoon.

Newfolden

October 8th, Ben Elseth flew to Nashville, TN and performed with two songs and was on television and a recording returned home Monday night and enjoyed it very much.

Friday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Rory Andersen and sons visited with Henna Moen.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to Rodney and Deb Erickson for Christina's confirmation.

Tips for parents on how to choose the best day care for children

For parents new to the world of child care, choosing a safe, enriching and reliable child care center is a time-consuming and often confusing task. However, there are some helpful tips that can make the process easier and more organized.

Center Features to Look For

•The ratio of caregivers to children?

•Does the center have an open house visiting policy and is parental involvement encouraged?

•Does the center require or offer caregiver training? What kind?

•Does the center have specific emergency procedures?

•Is safe transportation provided free of charge?

•What is the center's policy on nutrition and the service of meals?

•Does the center keep a child's medical history on record and require immunization?

What Is The General Appearance of the Facility:

•Is the center bright, clean and child-oriented?

•Does the center have adequate space designated for indoor activities, as well as a safe, fully equipped playground?

•Is there an abundance of age appropriate recreational and educational toys and games?

Programs

•Does the center encourage development of the "whole child," including cognitive, social, physical and emotional needs of the children?

•Are the learning programs designed for each age group?

•Is the schedule balanced with active and quiet times?

Does the Center Offer Special Parent Services:

•Scheduled Extended Hours, to provide vital free time for parents on a scheduled basis.

•A 5:00 P.M. Nutritious Snack, to make the child and parents' time a more pleasant experience until dinner is served.

•A Monthly Parent Newsletter, with helpful parenting tips, recipes, etc., to assist parents with important information.

•Other Parent Services, to make parents' lives easier (e.g., on-site hair cuts, dry cleaning exchange, video and book libraries, frozen dinner ordering services).

In the final analysis, the truest gauge of a quality child care center is the children: If they are happy, smiling, and comfortable in their surroundings then you know you've made the right decision.

Information offered to parents on getting the most from day care

By the year 2000, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics estimates that more than 60 percent of all mothers will work outside the home, making day care a vital part of the lives of millions of American families.

Today, there are approximately 76,000 center-based day care facilities in the United States; 200,000 licensed family and group day care programs and over 1.75 million unlicensed family and group day care programs, according to the Child Care Action Campaign. To help parents with all these choices, a public service program, called "Ask Dr. Day Care," has been developed to provide vital information on choosing day care and forming a partnership among parents, pediatricians and caregivers.

The program includes the publication of a free brochure entitled, "Getting The Most Out Of Day Care." This brochure covers topics such as how to select a day care facility and how to work with the caregiver and pediatrician in tracking the child's development.

The section on choosing a day care facility is particularly detailed. It includes a checklist of questions to ask caregivers and features to look for. Some of these are:

•Are there enough caregivers per child and what training do they have?

•How are children disciplined?

•Is the food preparation area clean and removed from the diapering area?

•Are electrical outlets and cabinets with cleaning products, medicines and sharp objects properly child-proofed?

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Newfolden Community News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Sybil Peterson visited with Lillie Olson on Saturday afternoon.

Tuesday, Della Elseth and Clara Hanson were dinner guests of Lyla Vacura.

Lillie Olson visited with Chuck and Sherry Olson on Wednesday evening.

Kenneth and Romie Erickson visited at the Milton Erickson home on Friday.

Ida Newman of St. Paul spent last week from Thursday until Wednesday at the Della and Ben Elseth home. Also with Joan Roppe who moved a new mobile home in from the Cities.

Sunday dinner guests at the Arnold Larson home were Sybil Cwikla, Tom and Sue Dunde-inger, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin. LaVoi Thun of Moorhead was an afternoon visitor and luncheon guest there.

Curt and Elaine Thompson visited with Emma Kammen awhile Sunday afternoon. In the evening we drove out and spent the evening with Floyd and Adeline Nelson.

Peter and Frances Garszewski were among many to attend the St. Rose of Lima Catholic church in Argyle on Sunday afternoon.

Jeremy Cruysendall spent Saturday with Kent Kleinvachter at Strandquist.

Tuesday evening visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Jane Schaumberg and Matt, Jill Andersch, Linda Johnson, Luke and Cassie, Shelly Staebler and Ashley.

October 28th, John and Bonnie Borsheim and Ryan visited at the Della and Ben Elseth home and enjoyed lunch with them. They enjoyed it very much.

Monday evening, LaVoi Thun of Moorhead visited and was a supper guest at the Arnold Larson home.

Curt Thompson had coffee with his mom, Olga Thompson and his aunt Emma Kammen a couple days last week in the morning.

Visitors at the Lloyd and Harryet Larson home were Donald Larson, Debbie Roppe of Holt on Sunday evening, Monday, Lenora Carol Benoit of Holt, Tuesday, Kent Kleinvachter of Strandquist and Reuben Benoit.

Saturday evening Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home.

Jean Roppe and Della Elseth visited Alma Wicklund and Jennie Larson at the Nursing Home October 16th and afterwards had lunch with Lorraine Snyde a cousin of Della's.

Wednesday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Al and Loretta Machal of East Grand Forks and Marlys Aune of Circle Pines. Marlys remained to spend a few days with Arnold and Vernice.

Elaine Thompson enjoyed a lovely visit over cup of coffee and goodies from Kathy Dahl on Wednesday forenoon.

Karen Donsorowski from Viking visited at the Della and Ben Elseth home one evening last week and also helped Della celebrate her birthday. Wallace and Lien Roppe were there earlier.

Wednesday evening visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin.

Della Elseth took Ben Elseth, Ida Newman and Lee Moen to the Paradise for supper last Sunday October 22 and drove around and saw moose and deer.

Gladys Garlve and Della Elseth went to Thief River Falls shopping on Saturday October 28th.

Thursday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Sybil Peterson home were Arnold and Vernice Larson and Shirley Lefroth.

Friday evening October 27th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson met Mr. and Mrs. Gib Trontvet and went to hear the Continental Singers at the Evangelical Free church in Thief River Falls and afterwards out for coffee and visited awhile.

Harryet Larson visited with sister Muzzy on Friday afternoon.

Tuesday afternoon visitors at the Hanna Moen home were Kathy Herstad and Lien Larson.

Saturday evening Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to Leon Erickson's to help those that celebrated their birthdays were Rodney Erickson, Katherine Erickson, Gladys Erickson and Dwight Sedlacek 50th birthday with other relatives.

Arlene Jenson visited and her mom Alice Ellingson on Sunday.

Last Wednesday Lillie Olson visited with Sandy Steinhauer.

Ruth Tostrup and Clara Hanson visited with Virginia Engen on Wednesday.

Sunday dinner guests at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home were Milton and Beverly Erickson, Jason Erickson, Shelly Staebler and Ashley, Butch and Elaine Schaumberg of Bemidji, Lin and Dorothy Schaumberg of Mahnomen.

Peter and Frances Garszewski motored to Minot, ND and attended the funeral of Stanley Slominski at the Sacred Heart Catholic church on Thursday October 12th, they also visited with Anna Swoba in rural Grafton on their way home.

Last Saturday October 28th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson drove to Fargo and spent the afternoon with our son Mark. We went out for lunch and did some shopping and then in the evening we went and picked up Barb Helmen after she got off work and attended the Cathedral Quartet at the Assembly church. They performed an excellent program of singing and sharing, afterwards we went for lunch and visiting.

Friday evening, Lloyd and Harryet Larson attended the Bazaar at Nazareth Lutheran church.

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Gary Rimmerd, Pastor
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BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
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Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m. Sunday School Children sing on Saturday 5 p.m.; Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Jr. II Bowling at 4:30 p.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school is followed by worship service.

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Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
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Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

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Q. How do I know if I must pay taxes on my monthly Social Security benefits?

A. A relatively small number of people who get Social Security, about 10 per cent, will have to pay taxes on their benefits. This provision only affects people in the higher income tax brackets. Only up to one half of your Social Security benefits are potentially taxable.

If you file a Federal tax return as an "individual" you might have to pay taxes on your Social Security benefits if your combined income exceeds $25,000. "Combined income" means your adjusted gross income (as reported on your Form 10-40) plus nontaxable interest plus one-half of your Social Security benefits.

If you file a joint Federal tax return, you might have to pay taxes on your Social Security benefits if your combined income exceeds $32,000.

If you are a member of a couple but file a separate Federal tax return, you probably will pay taxes on your Social Security benefits.

For more information about taxes contact the Internal Revenue Service.

Q. I know that retirement benefits are less at 62 than at 65. How is the reduction amount figured out?

A. Your benefit is reduced by 5/9 of one per cent for each month you get benefits before 65. This amounts to a 20 per cent reduction if you get benefits at 62. But, since benefits can be paid only for months you are eligible throughout the entire month, you can't get a benefit for the month you reach 62 unless your birthday is the 1st or 2nd of the month. So, chances are your benefit won't be reduced the whole 20 per cent.

The closer you are to 65 when benefits start, the smaller the reduction. For example, the reduction is 13 1/3 per cent at 63, and 6 2/3 per cent at 64. These figures are only for retirement benefits on your own record. Benefits as a husband/wife or as a widow/widower are computed with different rates.

Q: I'm representative payee for my husband's Social Security check. He lives in a nursing home and nearly all of his SSA plus other retirement benefits go to pay for his care. Why do I need to do an accounting of his SSA money every year since there is no chance of his situation changing? Why not save on the paperwork and not send the accounting form?

A. A representative payee is a person used by Social Security to receive benefits for someone unable to handle the funds in their own behalf. Note that SSA does not recognize power of attorney designations although someone appointed power of attorney can also be designated as representative payee.

At one time the agency did not get annual accounting reports from some representative payees. Some years ago, largely because of a class action suit related court order, the agency started to obtain annual accountings from almost all payees on an annual basis. To make accounting easier, you can use SSA Publication 05-10076 "A Guide to Representative Payees." This is available from any SSA office or a national toll free phone center at 1-800-772-1213.

Q. My son's Social Security card shows his first name, middle initial, and last name but he actually has two middle names. Should I change his card?

A. No change is really needed unless he one day makes a large change to the name used for employment purposes.

Plans made for Christmas for Pennington Co.

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enforcement and several other locations. If a form is needed contact Wendy at 681-6161, or Melinda at 681-2880. All names will be kept confidential.

Gifts will be distributed in a number of ways. Gifts can be picked up and children can meet Santa Claus at the Law Enforcement Center on December 21 at 4 p.m.; they can be delivered to homes; or other arrangements can be made.

Monetary donations are also being accepted. Individuals who would like to make a monetary donation are asked to send donations to Northern State Bank, care of Mark Johnson.

Basketball for all age levels was provided for children attending the Thief River Falls Lions club Halloween party for preschool and elementary children Tuesday at the National Guard armory. This young participant had no problem slam dunking the ball in a five-gallon bucket to earn a prize.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

A week ago Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Liedberg and Shari, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Liedberg of Galena, AK and Jim Liedberg of Warren spent the day at the Wayne Gallas home in Moorhead. They were all dinner guests at the Gallas home. In the afternoon, they all attended confirmation services at the Lutheran Church of Christ The King at Moorhead. Jill Gallas was one of the confirmands. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg are Jill's godparents. Later they all enjoyed lunch at the Gallas home and Jill opened her many confirmation gifts.

Tuesday evening supper guests at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Paul Liedberg of Galena, AL.

Jim Liedberg of Warren spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg and his brother Paul and his wife Mary Ann and with the Neil Liedberg family.

Mrs. Paul Liedberg left by plane on Monday to visit with her parents and family at New Jersey for a couple weeks.

Paul Liedberg left for his home in Galena, AK on Saturday after spending a couple weeks at his parents home and with other friends and relatives in the area.

Wednesday evening supper guests at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Paul Liedberg, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Shari.

Sunday evening, Jodi Gustafson and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Gone Kolrbe visited at the Neil Liedberg home on Tuesday afternoon.

Newfolden

October 8th, Ben Elseth flew to Nashville, TN and performed with two songs and was on television and a recording returned home Monday night and enjoyed it very much.

Friday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Rory Anderson and sons visited with Hanna Moon.

Sunday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to Rodney and Deb Erickson for Christina's confirmation.

Tips for parents on how to choose the best day care for children

For parents new to the world of child care, choosing a safe, enriching and reliable child care center is a time-consuming and often confusing task. However, there are some helpful tips that can make the process easier and more organized.

Center Features to Look For

•The ratio of care givers to children?

•Does the center have an open house visiting policy and is parental involvement encouraged?

•Does the center require or offer caregiver training? What kind?

•Does the center have specific emergency procedures?

•Is safe transportation provided free of charge?

•What is the center's policy on nutrition and the service of meals?

•Does the center keep a child's medical history on record and require immunization?

What Is The General Appearance of the Facility:

•Is the center bright, clean and child-oriented?

•Does the center have adequate space designated for indoor activities, as well as a safe, fully equipped playground?

•Is there an abundance of age appropriate recreational and educational toys and games?

Programs

•Does the centre encourage development of the "whole child" including cognitive, social, physical and emotional needs of the children?

•Are the learning programs designed for each age group?

•Is the schedule balanced with active and quiet times?

Does the Center Offer Special Parent Services:

•Scheduled Extended Hours, to provide vital free time for parents on a scheduled basis.

•A 5:00 P.M. Nutritious Snack, to make the child and parents' time a more pleasant experience until dinner is served.

•A Monthly Parent Newsletter, with helpful parenting tips, recipes, etc., to assist parents with important information.

•Other Parent Services, to make parents' lives easier (e.g., on-site hair cuts, dry cleaning exchange, video and book libraries, frozen dinner ordering services).

In the final analysis, the truest gauge of a quality child care center is the children: if they are happy, smiling, and comfortable in their surroundings then you know you've made the right decision.

Information offered to parents on getting the most from day care

By the year 2000, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics estimates that more than 60 percent of all mothers will work outside the home, making day care a vital part of the lives of millions of American families.

Today, there are approximately 76,000 center-based day care facilities in the United States; 200,000 licensed family and group day care programs and over 1.75 million unlicensed family and group day care programs, according to the Child Care Action Campaign. To help parents with all these choices, a public service program, called "Ask Dr. Day Care," has been developed to provide vital information on choosing day care and forming a partnership among parents, pediatricians and caregivers.

The program includes the publication of a free brochure entitled, "Getting The Most Out Of Day Care." This brochure covers topics such as how to select a day care facility and how to work with the caregiver and pediatrician in tracking the child's development.

The section on choosing a day care facility is particularly detailed. It includes a checklist of questions to ask caregivers and features to look for. Some of these are:

•Are there enough caregivers per child and what training do they have?

•How are children disciplined?

•Is the food preparation area clean and removed from the diapering area?

•Are electrical outlets and cabinets with cleaning products, medicines and sharp objects properly child-proofed?

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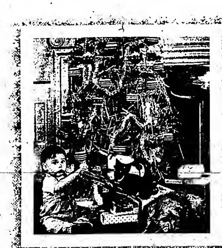

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Thief River Falls

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"Taco Thursday": Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2 tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.

In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes and snack items.

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov 13: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 14: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 15: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Nov 16: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 13: 1-Pita taco with fixings, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Tuesday, Nov 14: 1-Chicken stir-fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Nov 15: 1-Meatball sub with cheese, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday, Nov 16: 1-Diced turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, vegetable choice, roll, cranberries, pumpkin pie. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.

Friday, Nov 17: 1-Mr. Rib on a bun, cheesy stuffed baked potato, veggie sticks, dip, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 13: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Nov. 16: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 13: 1-Pita taco, fixings, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: 1-Chicken stir-fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Bacon cheeseburger on a bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Nov 15: 1-Meatball sub with cheese, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Nov. 16: 1-Diced turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, peas, cranberries, roll, pumpkin pie. 2-Hamburger on a bun, fries, fruit choice, pumpkin pie. 3-Bag lunch.

Friday, Nov. 17: 1-Mr. Rib on a bun, oven fries, veggie sticks, dip, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 13: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).

Thursday, Nov. 16: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Friday, Nov. 17: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 13: Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, bread, fresh fruit, star stick.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Deluxe nacho tray, green peas, bread, pear sauce.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Hamburger on a bun, oven fries, apple slices with caramel dip.

Thursday, Nov. 16: Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberries, peas, roll, pumpkin pie.

Friday, Nov 17: Mr. Rib on a bun, potato rounds, peaches.

• Menu subject to change

• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $4.50; 2 cartons per day is $9.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 13: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, cheese slices, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Scrambled eggs, sausage, toast, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Breakfast pizza, peach sauce, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Thursday, Nov 16: French toast, sausage, juice, milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, banana, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 13: Sausage pizza, corn, pineapple sauce, brownie, peanut butter bread, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 14: Chicken pattie on a bun, oven fries, lettuce, peach slices, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 15: Long pasta with meat sauce, lettuce, garlic bread, shredded cheese, pudding, milk.

Thursday, Nov 16: 4th Grade Choice.

Friday, Nov 17: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, veggies, pumpkin dessert, bread and milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov 13: Captain Crunch, muffin, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 14: Pancake, sausage, apple sauce, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 15: Cinnamon roll, corn flakes, fruit, milk.

Thursday, Nov 16: Toast, oatmeal, juice, milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Long Johns, eggs, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 13: Pepperoni pizza, whole kernel corn, apple sauce, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Nov 14: Lasagna, lettuce salad, pear sauce, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Nov 15: Barbecued beef on a bun, baked beans, pickles, fruit cup, bread and milk.

Thursday, Nov 16: Turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, dressing, peas and carrots, ice cream, bread and milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Cheeseburger on a bun, pickles, green beans, cookies and oranges, bread and milk.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center, a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Sunday, Nov 12: Chicken, baked potato, carrots, roll, cherry cake, milk.

Monday, Nov 13: Beef and pepper steak, scalloped potatoes, Winter mix, roll, Rice Krispie bar, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 14: Meatballs, whipped potatoes, peas, carrots, roll, peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 15: Pork chop, baked potato, corn, roll, baked apple, milk.

Thursday, Nov 16: Swiss steak, whipped potatoes, mixed vegetable, bread roll, pumpkin bar, milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Tuna casserole, coleslaw, peas, roll, pudding, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Nov. 13: Pork cutlet with gravy, seasoned noodles, French style green beans, mixed fruit, pound cake, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, strawberry gelatin with fruit cocktail and topping, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Swedish meatballs with gravy, steamed potatoes, peas and carrots, apple cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Nov. 16: Sliced ham, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned spinach, vanilla ice cream, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Nov 17: Baked fish with lemon sauce, tator tots, seasoned peas and carrots, banana cream dessert, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

Newfolden

Monday, Nov. 13: Salisbury steak, parslied potatoes, beets, bread and margarine, cherry cheesecake, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Sliced ham, sweet potatoes, under the sea salad, bread, margarine, chocolate pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Oven crusty chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, California blend, dinner roll, margarine, apple crisp, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 16: Meaty beef stew, vegetables and potatoes, applesauce salad, biscuit, margarine, bread pudding with lemon, milk.

Friday evening, Nov. 17: Roast pork, mashed potatoes with gravy, corn, bread, margarine, applesauce, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Discovery Place LUNCH MENU

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 13: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

Thursday, Nov. 16: Milk, applesauce, Rice Krispies, muffins.

Friday, Nov. 17: Milk, apple juice, Kix, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 13: Homemade chicken noodle soup, saltines, bologna sandwiches, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 14: Hot tuna buns, hashbrown potato, lettuce salad with peas and cheese, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 15: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 16: Hamburger noodle hotdish, beans, pear halves, milk.

Friday, Nov. 17: Hot dog on a bun, potato chips, pork and beans, pickles, apple crisp, milk.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar 459-3445

Sunday evening visitors at the Marlyn and Gloria Sistad home after the birthday celebration for Walter Lunsetter were Eleanore Zacharias of Minneapolis, Lowell Nelson from Eugene, OR and Faith Resser of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sistad of Erskine, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMillin and Walter Lunsetter.

Roger Bernat of Roseau visited on Wednesday at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Senior News

The Seniors met on Wednesday and election of officers was held, Karyl Larson was elected President, Anna Westberg was Vice president, Eugene Polensky as Secretary, Walter Lunsetter as Treasurer and Delores Engevik as Historian. Mrs. Peter Aune served dinner. They celebrated Walter's birthday and Karyl baked the cake.

Jerry Zimmerman of Minneapolis visited on Friday at the Juel Aune home.

Marcus Wallace has been a recent overnight guest at his grandparents, the Alan Severts.

Friday, Mrs. Bob Gillen of Hallock visited at the Gene Peterson home, later the Petersons and Maureen visited with Tammy Bratang at Grygla.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helte, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hegan and Marlene brought birthday wishes to Mrs. Wayne Lunsetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bornstein and Wayne Lunsetter visited on Sunday afternoon at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie McMillan of Roseau, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roen of Fourtown and Karyl Larson were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray McMillan for the Fish Fry at the Steak Knife.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sparby visited on Saturday evening at the Juel Aune home.

Wednesday evening the United Lutheran Church Ladies Aid held their annual sale. Wayne Larsen the auctioneer was assisted by Pastor Lloyd.

Chad Severts and Steve Koch of Bemidji spent the weekend at the Alan Severts home.

Monday evening visitors at the Marlyn and Gloria Sistad home were Pastor Arlen and Dawn Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruud, Walter Lunsetter, Eleanor Zacharias, Mrs. Mark Sistad, Joe and Justin.

Wednesday, Roger Bernat and Bethany of Roseau visited at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Susan Kanaar and Brian and Drew of Grand Forks spent the weekend at the Karyl Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar spent several days in sunny Stockton, CA at the Dorothy Storment home. Others there were Mary's sisters, Al and Joyce Dymond of Spokane, WA and Roy and Fran Reese of Meline, OR. They also toured the Hershey Chocolate Candy Factory. They were making Valentine Kisses.

Glenn Aune, Mr and Mrs. Juel Aune were among those who attended the confirmation for Dustin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carlson at Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Tuesday evening visitors at the Alan Severts home were Mr. and Mrs. Ron Kleeow, Kayleni and Justin of Goodridge, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Walleep and Marcus and Gene Engen.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Dahl helped Darlene Swagger celebrate her birthday.

Saturday visitors at the Gene Peterson home were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peterson and Merla of Middle River, Dwight Petersen of Warren, Tammy Bratang, Ashley and Jordan.

Milton Johnson of Fergus Falls spent a week at the Alan Severts home.

Mrs. Eleanore Zacharias of Minneapolis and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sistad, Joe and Justin of Stewartville spent a few days at the Marlyn Sistad farm.

Friday, Glenn Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune were supper guests at the Jerry Zimmerman cabin.

Weekend guests at the Howard Lunsetter home were Lowell Nelson of Eugene, OR and Faith Resser of Plymouth.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited at the Alan Severts home.

Saturday, Ron Gilbert and Greg Harris of Thief River Falls visited at the Juel Aune home.

Chad Severts of Bemidji spent the weekend at the Alan Severts home.

Plummer

John and Linda Rued of Prior Lake, Sherry Schiefert and friend Matt Saw came on Thursday to their grandmother Frances Schiefert's home and were houseguests over the weekend, also attending the Osbjornsen/Sweep Wedding on Saturday.

Birthday

George and Rosemary Barger of Dickenson, ND spent a few days with her brothers Al and Joe Fisher and families. On Saturday they all enjoyed a birthday supper at 3rd Base in Brooks to celebrate Al's birthday.

Iona Markley of Rockford arrived on Friday to visit her parents Herb and Esther Walter. On Saturday evening they were all guests of Roger and Janel Walter for a spaghetti supper. Roy and Reinette Walter of Thief River Falls were guests also. Iona left for her home on Sunday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota November 8, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

This next week: November 15, 1945

An announcement will be made stating that the city council approved a building permit for the erection of a 50 by 140 foot downtown building to be used as a variety store. What was the name of the business chain to whom this permit was issued?

Advanced question: Where was the building to be located?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Douville Reelected Mayor In Hot Race

"With a total of 1,998 ballots cast in the biennial city election Tuesday, the largest number in recent years, Mayor William J. Douville, seeking reelection, was returned to office by the close margin of 98 votes over his opponent, Stuart McLeod. The vote was 1,036 to 938."

Open House in Schools Set For Education Week

"Having for its theme, 'Education to Promote the General Welfare' American Education Week will be observed in the Thief River Falls schools November 11-17, Superintendent Phillip L. Fjelstad announced today.

"A special invitation is extended to the public to attend open house in the various schools in the afternoons. Pupils will be dismissed at 3:15 and the parents will be served light refreshments."

Soo Engine Hits Car on Crossing At First Street

"While proceeding west across the Soo Line tracks on First street Tuesday evening shortly after 6 o'clock, a car driven by J. Erickson was struck by the locomotive of a freight train and was shoved off the right of way. Neither Erickson nor Haakon Storhaug, riding with him, were injured, but the car sustained considerable damage."

Intra-City Bus Line Slated to Start Here Soon

"Harlan L. Bailey, husband of the former Lucille Welch of this city, announced today that he is completing arrangements for the opening at an early date of an intra-city bus line to operate between the outskirts of Thief River Falls and downtown district.

"Bailey stated that he plans to provide regular service with two buses between the business area and the roundhouse district and sanatorium as well as other parts of the city."

School Patrol Is Now Functioning At Main and First

"Following installation ceremonies conducted last Wednesday afternoon at Lincoln high school, the Thief River Falls school patrol resumed activities for the current school year at the intersection of Main ave. and First st.

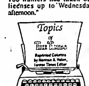
"Police Chief Leonard Hanson, who swore in the members in the absence of John Franklin of the Highway Patrol, pointed out that a state law requires motorists to bring their cars to a stop when signalled by the patrol school board to permit children to make their way across the intersection.

"He added that several drivers thus far have failed to heed the signal, and that those guilty of the offense will be fined from now on. The patrol is on duty when children are going to or from high school in the morning and late afternoon, as well as during the noon hour."

Tuesday Joan Blondell In "Topper Returns" Falls Theatre

Nov. 19 Last Day to Procure Deer License

"With the big game hunting season scheduled to open Saturday, November 17, and to continue until November 25, County Auditor A. M. Senstad today reminded deer hunters that they must procure their license not later than Monday, November 19, as under state law no licenses can be issued after that date. Approximately 100 hunters had taken out licenses up to Wednesday afternoon."



—Optimists now are placing their orders for 1946 model cars for immediate delivery.

—If you want to develop a Grade A headache, all you need to do is to study the world situation.

—A Minneapolis judge holds liquor responsible for the mounting divorce rate. The stuff, as someone once said, makes a man see double and act single.

—It's about time to check up on the number of shopping days remaining before Christmas.

—A rousing storm was started by the state conservation department when it announced Itasca state park would be open to deer hunters this month.

—Frozen assets now refer to the contents of locker plants.

—Simile: As meaningless as comparative scores in the Big Ten football race.

—General Eisenhower reports growing unrest among German civilians. Maybe our army is being demobilized plenty fast after all.

—Remember way back when Thanksgiving Day fell on the last Thursday in November?

—Armistice Day this year seems to be somewhat overshadowed by the succession of V-Days.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota November 6, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Homesteading

"The Crookston Land office has been doing business at the old stand during the month of October and the volume is above the average for the year as well as in advance of that for the same month a year ago. The immense crop grown in northern Minnesota this year is taken as a measure of the productiveness of the broad acres and the extra efforts to become owners of a quarter section of it are apparent at Uncle Sam's headquarters. During the month there were 88 homestead entries filed, 23 final timber cuts and six cash entries. This added to the numerous contests which have been heard and the usual office business has made matters unusually lively for both Receiver Anglim and Register Dunlava, as well as their chief clerk Joseph Smith."

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Some of the county papers lay the typhoid epidemic to the use of water from the river.

—The roads are in bad condition. The elevators are full of wheat. Box cars are scarce.

—Martin Sorum has moved his saloon back into his old stand which has been used for some time as a restaurant and pool room.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Miss Olivia Dahl, a noted singer of Christiana, Norway, will appear in this city Thursday night under the auspices of the Young People's society of the Thief River Falls Norwegian Lutheran church.

—Dr. Henry Grundy was elected mayor. Other elected officials are J. W. Wellin, treasurer; George H. Fargo, special municipal judge; and L. M. Hoag, K. J. Weeks, Robert McGinn, W. J. LaBree and C. A. Fuller, aldermen.

—Captain I. K. Kjeldsen, one of the most famous sea captains of the northern coast of Norway, was a guest last week of his sister, Mrs. Hoard, who lives near St. Hilaire.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The park board held a meeting Wednesday and organized by electing C. L. Hansen as president and P. O. Myrum as secretary.

—The commercial club is making plans to purchase another standard billiard table early in the spring, unless the necessity of satisfying the billiard enthusiasts makes an earlier purchase imperative.

—The epidemic of measles has played havoc with the attendance in the primary grades and has seriously retarded the progress of the pupils.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Farmers and Merchants bank of this city, organized in 1918, was closed by the state banking department.

—W. W. Prichard was elected mayor of Thief River Falls.

—Local unit of the Salvation Army raised more than $1,000 in its annual fund drive.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Erickson and Lund Funeral Home completed an extensive remodeling project.

—A total of 1,190 persons in this district are engaged in WPA projects.

—Carl Wennberg is erecting a new building on Knight avenue for his welding shop.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—W. J. Douville was reelected mayor and three incumbent aldermen were defeated in the city election.

—Fire Chief Roy Langevin was elected president of the Northern Regional Firemen's association.

—Sheriff Rambeck arrested two young escapees from the Washington state reformatory.

—Harlan L. Bailey announced plans to start operating a city bus line here.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Dr. Orion D. Beach was elected mayor, defeating Mrs. Agnes Israelson, incumbent, 1,373 votes to 1,152.

—Newly elected city councilmen are Stanley Sandvig, A. B. Stenberg and A. F. Berge.

—Attractive new quarters of Probate Judge Herman A. Kjos in the new courthouse were formally dedicated.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Discharge of a rifle not known to be loaded resulted in the death of 35-year-old Robert David Dobias of St. Hilaire.

—Ground-breaking ceremonies for the $200,000 alfalfa pelletizing plant to be built north of Thief River Falls were held with Governor Karl Rolvaag taking part.

—Fire gutted the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rux, located about five miles east of St. Hilaire.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—The Thief River Falls area vocational technical institute has introduced a part time program for post-secondary students.

—Life Scout award was presented to Brian Wheeler of Troop 57 at the city-wide Boy Scout court of honor.

—Accidental rupture of an 18-inch pipeline being used to transport a natural gas liquid caused the loss of a $100,000 bulldozer and an undetermined amount of petroleum product about five miles northwest of Viking.

1985 — Ten Years Agb

—Don Barron was named winner of the alderman seat in the Fourth Ward, 155 to 153 over Mike Novak.

—Several energy-saving projects have been announced at Lincoln high school.

—St. John's hospital in Red Lake Falls has been purchased by Northwestern hospital in Thief River Falls.

Strandquist

Emma Nyland and Hazel Nelson visited with Mable Schmit on Tuesday. Mable had been to the doctor in Grand Forks, ND last Wednesday and will be fitted with a different type of cast on Monday.

Ruth and Robert Strandberg of Warren, Orpha and Willie Woll and Lorraine Setten visited Ida Bruce on Sunday.

Marlys and Melanie Lofrooth visited Grandma Elsie Lofrooth on Monday before Melanie returned to Willmar where she is employed.

Becky Johnson, Michelle and Jake visited at Peter and Pearl Thompson's on Sunday afternoon.

Visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's this week have also been Bud and Maria Steffen of Argyle, Lanna Berggren, June and Kari Kasprowicz. We hope Frank is feeling better.

DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH YOUR RENT?

The Housing Authority (Northwest MN Multi Co. HRA) is now accepting applications from individuals or families who are in need of help paying their rent. This federally funded program provides rent assistance to low income individuals or families. For an application call 218-637-2431 or write to the Housing Authority, P.O. Box 128, Mentor, MN 56736.

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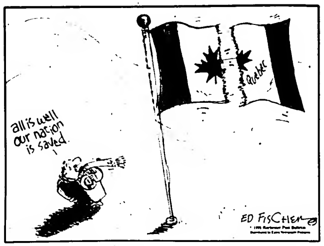

The Times' Editorial Opinion

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'Remember When' Show Sounds Like Fun

We like the commitment of music students at Lincoln high school who are willing to put a lot of effort into their projects. When it comes to rounding up needed funds for special trips, they do as the television commercial stated a few years ago: "We make money the old fashioned way—we earn it."

One of the ways that Lincoln music students will be raising money will be the "Remember When" show to be produced Sunday, November 12, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the new gymnasium at Lincoln high school. Instrumentalists and vocalists will combine their talents as soloists and in groups to present an entertainment program of music primarily from the 1930s and 1940s.

Tickets at $8 each are available in advance from Lincoln high school jazz choir and band members or at Budget Electronics or Kezar Music.

We don't think it is our imagination that there are more poised and talented young people in our local schools each year. There have been many outstanding individuals in Lincoln high school music over the years, but the number of good singers and instrumentalists who are willing to perform for the public in recent years has been growing.

We also appreciate the efforts of instructors like Darcy Reese of the vocal department and Bruce Felt of the instrumental department to create opportunities for their students to perform for the public. This exposure is great experience for the young people, but it does not come without a large amount of time and work expended by the instructors. Those in the community who appreciate music should take advantage of these opportunities to see and hear these students perform.

The 1930s and 1940s were years when songs were written with lyrics you could understand and listen to without blushing or being offended. A number of them became classics and are appreciated by music lovers of all ages. Some of these will be performed November 12.

We said we liked the commitment of Lincoln music students, and we truly do appreciate their fund-raising being done to a large extent by performing as singers and musicians or performing other services. They benefit more from being given a hand up than a handout, and it is good for them to continue to learn the lesson that anything worth doing or having is worth working to get.

Federal Mandates Cost Minnesota Millions

Minnesota Planning has just released a publication called *Strings Attached: The Price of Federal Mandates*. It points out that Minnesota's cities, counties, townships, school districts and state government spend hundreds of millions of dollars meeting federal mandates.

"School districts alone have spent more than $250 million for asbestos removal and containment and $150 million making buildings accessible to people with disabilities," Minnesota Planning points out. "And the price tag for the state's governments could rise if federal contributions shrink. Minnesota Department of Finance estimates that Minnesota could lose more than $3 billion in federal funding over the next six years."

"Federal mandates have taken the common sense out of the work place," Gov. Arne Carlson says. "We simply must remove costly and burdensome mandates and allow communities to set their own priorities and make their own decisions."

How did Minnesota and other states get themselves into such a fix? Thomas Atwood and Chris West of the Heritage Foundation explain:

"States succumb to the temptation of federal funds and buy into a program; the people and the State become dependent on it; Congress changes the rules of the game; and the state is directed actually to change its law or even its constitution in order to continue receiving the popular funding. Strings-attached programs can lead to the federal government's virtually dictating state law. Yet, all too often, states have been quick to bargain away their autonomy in pursuit of federal dollars."

Complying with the dictates of the federal government used to be seen as "a small price to pay for federal funding of popular state-implemented program," Atwood and West said. "But now the federal share of that funding is decreasing while the mandates are becoming more numerous, complex and expensive. Unfunded federal mandates and highly prescriptive federal programs have backed many states and localities into a fiscal corner, forcing them to sacrifice their own programs and priorities in order to comply with standards set by a distant federal government."

"While participation in these programs is voluntary," Minnesota Planning admits, "the offer of federal money often is too tempting to refuse. For example, the federal government pays about $250 million annually for Minnesota highways, however, the money comes with requirements such as lane width and pavement thickness."

Strings Attached notes that mandates generally are imposed for important public purposes, such as ensuring uniform rights for all citizens. Yet mandates can become overly prescriptive, dictating how activities are to be carried out, rather than the goals to be accomplished.

Atwood and West warn that "the centralization of power in Washington threatens to smother America's enterprise and liberty. (But) the states have the power, the authority, the opportunity and the responsibility to rein in and out-of-control federal government. All they need now is the will to assert themselves and the determination to stick to their guns."

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Goodridge News

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Clifton Hanson Celebrates 13th Birthday!

Clifton Hanson, son of Dale and Dawn Hanson celebrated his 13th birthday at his home on Saturday. His friends and classmates that came to his house to help him celebrate were Marshall Tanner, Jason Nelson, Casey Jones, Alex Hendrickson, Clifton Johnsrud and Jeremy Ventura of Oklee. The boys enjoyed playing football together. In the evening Dale Hanson took the boys to show in Thief River Falls. They were all overnight guests at the Hanson home.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hanson, Ben, Clifton, Andrew, Tiffany, Brittany and Rachel attended the 4-H Awards Banquet dinner at the Eagles in Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Dale Hanson, Andrew, Clifton, Brittany and Tiffany visited at the Doug Horechok home. They welcomed the Horechok family to the community. They moved to the Goodridge area from Muling.

Monday morning, Heidi Horechak, Adam and Tony visited at the Dale Hanson home.

Joan Deppa of Viking visited at the Clarence Dahlen home on Wednesday.

Sidney Rindahl of Tower, Kent Rindahl of Story, WY and Betty's Rindahl of Minneapolis visited with friends and relatives in the Goodridge, Roseau, Trail, Baudette and Thief River Falls areas during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Jodi Gustafson of Thief River Falls attended the Sons of Norway supper at the Eagles in Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Neil Liedberg was a brief caller at the Myrtle Lofgran home in Thief River Falls on Tuesday late afternoon.

Jodi Gustafson and Mrs. Neil Liedberg attended Christian Womens at the American Legion in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Tuesday afternoon Pastor Bob Dahlen visited at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Friday morning, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Jodi Gustafson visited at the Dale Holtan home at rural Newfolden.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Neil Liedberg was a supper guest at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Neil Liedberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Liedberg of Galena, AK came to spend a few days visiting at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls and with the Neil Liedberg family and other relatives and friends in the area.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Paul Liedberg, Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg attended the Band Burger Dinner at the Lincoln School Cafeteria in Thief River Falls.

Visitors at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls during the week were Mrs. Donnie Jensen, Jodi Gustafson, Elsna Prudy, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg, Lee Haugen, Betty Halvorson and Roger Nelson.

Mrs. Nathan Liedberg and Mrs. Neil Liedberg attended a products party at the Jodi Gustafson home in Thief River Falls on Thursday evening.

Viking

On Tuesday, October 17, the Red River Valley Covenant Women's Ministry fall meeting was held at Crookston Covenant church. The theme was "Soaring Beyond Through Music and Praise" was carried out, followed by a 6 p.m. supper served by the women of the Crookston Covenant church. The women attending from Viking were: Debbie Price, Joan Deppa, Merville Hjelle, Jaime Distol, Karen Renum, Leona Gustafson, Arlene Hanson, Ruth Sackett and Ruth Sustad.

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Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Halvor and Vivien Rikjo of Gully were visitors with Rosa Aaknes on Thursday afternoon.

Cancer Aid and Research Donations. In memory of Ray Thompson $5.00 from Bud and Irene; $5.00 from Arnie and Lucille; $2.50 from Leonard and Tone in memory of Mrs. Weberg; $3.00 Bud and Irene in memory of Phillip Allan; $2.50 from Leonard and Tone in Memory of Lyle Olson; $5.00 from Leone Brekke. New Business: M.M.S. to donate $10.00 to Marsella Arnold Scholarship; M.M.S. to send $1.00 to P.A.C.; M.M.S. to send $1.00 for Legislation Day; M.M.S. to give $10.00 to Transitional Housing for Veterans. Our Veterans Day supper and auction will be held November 12. Our auction will start at 3:00 p.m. with supper to follow at 5:00 p.m. Our audit will be done October 11. Our auxiliary was inspected by 9th District Sr. Vice Diane Lunde, all was in order. She was pleased with what we were doing. Meeting was adjourned to reopen November 3 with Irene Carlson and Daloris Ringstad to host our hostesses for this meeting were Mary Jean and Irene Deselier.

Trail V.F.W. Auxiliary Post 6426 met on October 7 at 8 p.m. with 11 members present. Doris Evje, Jr. Vice Presiding the, Secretary and Treasurer reports were given and accepted and placed on file. Bills presented: none. General order #4 was read along with other communications. National Home: We have a life membership. Health and Happiness and Christmas cheer with 25 percent member was sent in. Rehab: Help the homeless vets also can give monetary gifts to them and their families or give rides to see doctors and etc. Americanism: check with our schools to see if they need new flags. Poppy's: make arrangements and give to nursing homes for display to brighten a dull corner. Hospital: need more volunteers at V.A. Hospitals. Helga Lambert made 12 bibs and one lap robe and sent them to Good Samaritan Home in Clearbrook. Safety: Halloween safety for your children. Check all candy. Have children wear light color clothing, put reflector tape on them. P.O.W.: keep the Vigil alive so they are not forgotten. Books to read, Love and War when heck was in session.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Friday, Randy Mestrom was a visitor and coffee guest at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba were brief callers on Friday evening at the Norman Adams home.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji came home on Friday to spend the day with his parents the Clayton Johnsrud's. Randy left for Bemidji on Saturday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited at the Merle Lundeen home in Oklee.

Dana and DeNae Weeth spent Friday and Saturday visiting at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Verbout, Mathew, Alisha and Megan of Wannaska, Steven Kriel and Ryan Kriel were visitors on Sunday at the Norman Kriel home.

Friday, Alfred Iverson was a visitor and dinner guest at the Vernon Iverson home.

Coffee guests and visitors on Tuesday afternoon at the Ronnie Kotrba home were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sisted of Grygla.

Anna Kriel of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kriel, Rawley and Jackson of Hallock were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday at the Norman Kriel home.

Wednesday, Elva Fiedler attended a meeting in Crookston for Senior Home Companion.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson enjoyed coffee with Gladys Langewost in Thief River Falls on Friday. Then later that day Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson had coffee with Hazel Huot in Thief River Falls.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were among the birthday guests at the Kelly Dahlen home to help Cole celebrate his 6th birthday. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake. Cole also received gifts and cards from his guests. Happy Birthday Cole!

Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa were visitors at the Greg Hilgeman home late Sunday afternoon.

Those who enjoyed a potluck dinner on Sunday and visited for the day and also enjoyed supper at the Norman Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Deanna and Dustin, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kotrba, Jason, Jennifer and Tiera, Mr. and Mrs. James Sharry of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. George Haberman of Willmar and Mae McGrow of Utah.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji spent the weekend with his parents, the Clayton Johnsrud's.

Jessica, Michelle and Monica Johnson made a spaghetti supper on Monday evening and brought the supper over to their Grandparents home the Clarence and Mayme Johnson home. Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Clarence and Mayme all enjoyed the supper together that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel attended the funeral for Don Thompson at the Zion Lutheran church in Warroad on Sunday.

Helen Messerschmidt of International Falls called and visited by phone with her sister Mayme Johnson on Monday night.

Brady Fiedler of Wisconsin spent from Wednesday until Sunday visiting with his dad Joel Fiedler and his Grandmother Elva Fiedler. Brady left for his home on Sunday.

Joel Fiedler and Brady and Elva Fiedler went to Thief River Falls for supper and then after supper they went to the movies on Saturday night.

Saturday visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home were June Johnson and Mike Boyer of Andover.

Tim Lundeen visited at the Robert Gross home in Minneapolis on Friday night.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud were visitors and supper guests at the Ron Fulton home in Roseau.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests on Friday at the Vernon Iverson home.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel had dinner with Anna Kriel at her apartment in Thief River Falls. Then later that day Mrs. Norman Kriel and Anna Kriel had coffee with Ione Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Brady Fielder was an overnight guest on Friday at the Tony Rubischko home.

Monday evening, Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud, June Johnson, Pat Syzmansky, Mrs. John Eisbrener, the sewing group, met at the Marion Marquis home in Oklee on Thursday.

Norman Kriel was a visitor and coffee guests on Friday forenoon at the Vernon Iverson home.

Friday, Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Gene Arveson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Vernon Iverson home on Wednesday forenoon.

Sunday evening, Helen Messerschmidt and Rick of International Falls and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors at the Jean Johnson home.

Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest on Saturday at the Norman Kriel home.

Callers on Monday at the Vernon Iverson home were Mrs. Orin Hanson and Leslie Iverson.

Tuesday, Jean Johnson and Jessica and Agnes Eidelbes were shopper in Grand Forks. Then later that day the above made a business trip to Crookston.

Saturday, Bobbie Johnsrud was a visitor at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Steven Weber of Goodridge was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home on Saturday night.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Orin Hanson and Dean was brief callers at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were brief visitors and coffee guests on Monday evening at the Obert Hovet home.

Hilda Hoffman was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Alfred Iverson home.

Sunday late afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Hanson home in Thief River Falls.

Those who brought birthday greetings to Dustin and Deanna at the Ronnie Kotrba home on Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Amie, Melinda and Nicky, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kotrba, Jason, Jennifer and Tiera, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams, along with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba and Travis. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake and a pie. Dustin and Deanna also received gifts and cards. Happy birthday Deanna and Dustin.

Thursday evening, Jean Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Merle Naeseth home.

Elva Fiedler and June Johnson went out to supper at the China King restaurant in Thief River Falls on Sunday night.

Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Donnie Jensen home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Don Moen.

Jean Johnson attended the wedding for Nancy Osbjornson and Darral Sweep at the Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon. Jean Johnson also attended the reception held at the Eagles in Thief River Falls that evening.

Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba and Nicky visited with Jason Ell.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henfard Rolstand home were Ethel Johnson, Stanley Erickson, Oliver Hofstad of Oklee and Leslie Iverson.

Monday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud were visitors with Bonita Fulton at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Lorraine Watne visited at the Lowell Watne home in Grygla on Thursday night.

JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Wallmen were brief visitors on Saturday at the Clarence Johnson home.

Saturday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home were Jay Johnson, Jodi and Jenna of Fairmont, Courtnay Nauschwander and Kalle Sperby of Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday afternoon at the David Sjulestad home.

Sunday Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Mrs. Vernon Holthusen of Thorhult was a visitor and lunch guest on Tuesday afternoon at the Clarence Johnson home.

Sunday afternoon June Johnson and Elva Fiedler were shoppers in Thief River Falls.

Jessica, Michelle, and Monica Johnson had supper on Wednesday evening with their grandparents, the Clarence Johnsons.

Gary Iverson spent a couple of weeks on vacation visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson and brother Leslie.

Friday night Joyce Solberg was an overnight guest of Kristi's at the Lawrence Kiesow home.

Mrs. Gary Johnson was a visitor on Sunday night at the Marlin Kotrba home.

Tuesday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Ronnie Kotrba home were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sisted of Grygla.

Visitors and coffee guests at the June Johnson home during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Marquis.

Sunday those who brought birthday greetings to Deanna and Dustin at the Ronnie Kotrba home were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sisted of Grygla, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Klemer and family of Gatzke, Jodie Kirkeidl, Brittany and Brennan of Greenbush, Debbie Hanson, Angie and Stephanie of Thief River Falls, Travis Kotrba and Micah Renum of Viking. A lunch was served with birthday cake and pie. Deanna and Dustin also received gifts and cards. Deanna and Dustin also received birthday greetings by mail from Terry and Cheryl Sisted of Grygla. Happy Birthday Dustin and Deanna.

JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Wollman and Zachary of Motley spent the weekend visiting at the Merle Naeseth home. On Monday morning JoAnn and Dan left for their home in Motley and Zachary remained at the Merle Naeseth home. Then on Monday night JoAnn and Dan returned to the Merle Naeseth home.

Sunday night visitors and coffee guests at the Shirley Johnsrud home were Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Mostrem of Thief River Falls.

Tim Lundeen and Shannon were visitors at the Merle Lundeen home and Tim and Shannon also visited at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee on Saturday afternoon.

Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes were visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Adams home.

Leon Peterson of Gully was a visitor on Sunday night at the Gene Marquis home.

Visitors and luncheon guests on Sunday at the Clarence Johnson home were Helen Messerschmidt and Rick of International Falls and Joan Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and supper guests at the Tim Radnicki home of Oklee. The supper was served in honor of Tim's birthday. Birthday cake was served with the supper. Happy birthday Tim.

Mike Boyer of Andover spent the weekend with his mother June Johnson.

Mrs. Howard Hanson of Trail was a visitor at the Lorraine Watne home on Sunday.

Saturday visitors and dinner guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Anna Kriel of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kriel, Rawley and Jackson of Hallock.

Ray Safranski

Ray Safranski promoted to manager of firm

Ray Safranski has been promoted to manager at the Thief River Falls accounting firm of Anderson, Poissant, Kays and Co.

Safranski is a 1988 Summa Cum Laude graduate of the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks, ND. He has been a certified public accountant since 1988. He joined Anderson, Poissant, Kays and Co. in 1991, after working for three years at an accounting firm in Phoenix, AZ.

Safranski is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He serves as the president of the Thief River Falls Lions Club, treasurer of the Pennington County Fair Association, and is a member of various other organizations and groups.

Anderson, Poissant, Kays and Co. offers accounting, tax planning and preparation, auditing and other services for a wide variety of industries in Northwest Minnesota and Eastern North Dakota.

Safranski was a 1984 graduate of Argyle High school and now resides in Thief River Falls with his wife Shari, and children Kyle and Brianna.

Viking

The Town and Country Garden club of Viking had a potluck fall supper at the Alvin Grandstrand home. Those attending were Elmer and Clarice Rooker, Alvin and Nina Halvorson, Bert and Joyce Kron, Marcella Gonsorowski, Earl and Joyce Erickson and Hazel Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Johnson went to Minot, ND last weekend for the Host Fest with Bergan Travel.

On Sunday, Arlene Erickson and Liz Swanson called at the Gordon Skjervon home and then drove on to Drayton, ND to visit at the Margaret Kirkeby home.

Linnell and Orville Peters of Thief River Falls celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary as guests of LeRoy and Ruth Sustad at a breakfast at Best Western Saturday morning.

Elsie Hodik brought birthday cake for her brother's birthdays, Sidney and Lloyd, who share the same day.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson attended Alfred Solom's funeral on Saturday.

Dale Anderson has been transferred to United hospital in Grand Forks, ND for therapy.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson were at the Dwight Johnson home on Saturday night to help granddaughters Amy and Katie celebrate their birthdays which are only a day apart.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand enjoyed supper at the Oak Ridge church on Saturday night and went on to Stephen to visit at the Gordon Grandstrand home for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Halward Anderson attended the funeral for Alice Swanson in Warren on Saturday morning.

Virgil and Marvella Hjelle recently spent a weekend in visiting family and relatives in the Minneapolis and Chicago area. On Thursday they visited Doug and Florence Flodstrom at their home in Brooklyn Park. Later that evening they drove to Chaska and stayed overnight at the Clark and Sherry Hjelle home. Friday morning they left for Des Plaines, IL, where they visited at the Steve and Debbie Hjelle home. Also visiting with the parents of Debbie, the Joe and Alice Boirs of Turlock, CA. On Saturday afternoon cousins Tim and Cheryl Baultz and family of LaGrange, IL joined the Hjelles and Boirs at dinner for visiting. During the Sunday morning worship service at Des Plaines, IL, Evangelical Free church on October 29, Steve Hjelle was publicly ordained into the Ministry where he is presently the pastor of the church. Dr. Wesley Johnson, superintendent of the Great Lakes District of the Evangelical Free Church presided at the ordination service which was also attended by the Hjelle, Boir and Baultz families. Virgil and Marvella left there on Monday morning by way of Chaska, staying with the Clark Hjelle and arriving home here Tuesday night. They enjoyed this visit but are pleased to be home before winter sets in.

Bert and Joyce Kron attended the Concert put on by the Swedish Heritage Society at Kennedy. Others from the Viking area were LeRoy and Ruth Sustad, Earl and Joyce Erickson and Alvin and Bernyce Grandstrand.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand went to Karlstad on Thursday to visit Lloyd and Lois Lindstrom and were supper guests. The Lindstroms will soon be leaving to spend the winter at their home in Arizona.

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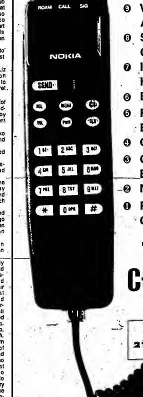

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Jacquelyn Keogh, a fourth grader at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls, has received the School District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" for Route 7 from driver Jim Dahlstrom (pictured) and transportation supervisor Fred Mykleby. A district bus driver for 14 years, Dahlstrom said Jacquelyn was chosen for the honor because "she is so consistent in following safety precautions. Most of the kids are safety conscious, but Jackie stands out because she always follows the rules." One of the awards will be made this year on each of the school district's 26 bus routes.

Three students at the Goodridge Elementary School received checks from the Goodridge Area Fire Department for preparing winning posters in a fire safety poster contest conducted during Fire Prevention Week. Pictured (left to right) are Mandy Kuske, daughter of Becky Kuske, fourth grader who won the first prize of $20; Larsa Kangas, daughter of Brad and Karen Kangas, fifth grader who won the second prize of $15; and Dustin Isaak, son of Ralph and Julie Isaak, third grader who won the third prize of $10. The contest was open to students in third, fourth and fifth grades and poster entries were displayed at the Goodridge Hartz Store with the winners identified, according to Dale Hanson, fire chief.

Mark Beedy of Thief River Falls displays a wolf skull and some of the other items he brought with him last week to an assembly at St. Bernard's school in Thief River Falls. Beedy works for the International Wolf Center in Ely. He has been conducting workshops and symposiums on the wolf for seven years. He had with him skulls of wolf, deer, moose, bear, coyote and fox, a couple of wolf and coyote pelts from the DNR office, and the complete skeleton of a wolf.

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

Lisa and Mike Parent and infant son, Reed Michael, were weekend guests at the home of Martha and Jarvis Torgerson. Mike Torgerson visited with them on Saturday evening. On Sunday Lisa, Mike and Reed went to Fosston to attend the baptismal services for their nephew, David Bly. Mike returned home to Otsego on Monday and Lisa and Reed remained for a longer visit.

Afternoon visitors and supper guests at the Cathy and Richard Nelson home were Ethel Nelson, Heidi and Kevin Nelson, Marge and Howard Nelson and Chris Nelson from Red Lake Falls. They helped Cathy celebrate her birthday.

Bernice Knutson visited at the home of Alice Degen on Thursday afternoon and was a luncheon guest there.

Diane and Jerry Swels from Grey Lake, IL, visited with their aunt, Doris Kaushagen, and with other aunts in the area on Monday and Tuesday.

Sean Oscarson was a supper guest at the Ray and Bernice Barth home on Saturday.

Obert and Evelyn Orevum were Monday afternoon visitors at the Ruth and Lowell Hanson home.

Tuesday afternoon visitors and lunch guests at the Bernice Knutson home were Corrina Haugen and Florence Nabben.

Adeline Moe and Florence Nabben were Sunday afternoon visitors with Edith and Herold Nabben.

Irene Nelson and Pem Bettleson went to Wheaton on Monday and visited at the home of Kim and Jeff Langan, Alissa, Aaron and Adam. They returned home on Wednesday.

Those who enjoyed dinner together on Wednesday at a local restaurant to help Adeline Moe celebrate her birthday were Barbara and Ronald Moe from Dalton, Doris and Marlin Augustina and Art Moe. In the afternoon, Barb and Ron visited with Harold Nabben. Evening visitors at Adeline's home and bringing her birthday wishes were Mabel Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Norum from Bemidji.

Ray and Bernice Barth visited with Walter Nolta at the Marit Care Unit of United Hospital in Grand Forks on Monday.

Monday night supper guests at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home to help Mike Torgerson celebrate his birthday were, besides the honored guest were, Carla Torgerson, Jordan, Mariah and Kalab, Lisa and Reed Parent, Debbie and Bruce Williams.

Jimmy Jorgenson was a Friday afternoon visitor with his grandmother Ethel Nelson at her home.

Bernice Knutson brought belated birthday greetings to her niece, Mavis Hillyar at the Bill Stock home on Wednesday evening.

Adeline Moe and Art Moe were Monday night supper guests at the Randy and Karen Moe home.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Visitors at the Ernest Mostrom home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Vernar Arvason and Adeline Hanson.

Dave and Mishawn Shasko went to Faribault Thursday afternoon to visit with his relatives there. They spent the weekend there and returned home on Sunday.

Lorraine Mostrom visited at the Steve Fossell home in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Lorraine Mostrom spent last weekend visiting her daughter Phyllis in St. Paul. She returned home on Tuesday.

Lorraine Mostrom visited at the Willie Good home Sunday evening.

The Nazareth Ladies Aid served dinner after services on Sunday. Stella and Anita Halvorson were the hostesses.

Ardith Kleth was to the Dakota Clinic in Fargo, ND on Wednesday for a checkup.

Sharron Johnson and Ida Haugen attended services at the Nazareth church on Sunday. They also enjoyed dinner there.

Ida Haugen enjoyed telephone calls during the week from Steven Haugen of Apple Valley, Brenda Burla of Mt. Iron, Ray Lund of Embarrass, Orrin Haugen of Hibbing and Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited at the Danny Finseth home at Stephen on Sunday and they also celebrated Kristi and Bethany's birthdays. Happy Birthday Kristi and Bethany!

Willie and Jane Good visited at the Orben Good home Sunday afternoon.

Visitors during the week at the Willie Good home were Pastor Faugstad, Anna and Madeline, Adeline Hanson and Ted Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited with Raymond Halvorson at the McIntosh Manor on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited with Gladys Walseth in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Betty Burrack was a brief caller at the Ida Haugen home Tuesday afternoon.

Edwin Halvorson visited with his brother Raymond at the McIntosh Manor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson attended the turkey supper at the Ecklund church a week ago Saturday.

Lonne Vottleson visited at the Edwin Halvorson home on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gustafson of Thief River Falls visited there on Friday.

Jared Haugen visited at the Ida Haugen home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson visited with Selmer Halvorson at Walker on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson were shoppers in Fargo, ND on Wednesday.

Happy Birthday!

Those that called at the Orville Christianson home for the week to help Gertrude celebrate her birthday were Cerella Thorbeck of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Arvason, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brovold, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson, Evelyn Hanson of Clearbrook, Lorraine Mostrom, Gertie Haugen, Les and Carol and Luke Torgerson of Thief River Falls, Sara Brovold of Gully. Ceralla baked her mother's birthday cake and they all enjoyed a delicious lunch. She also received birthday greetings from her daughters Arlen Pickard and Corrina Haugen. Happy Birthday Gertrude!

Jared Haugen was a dinner guest at the Ida Haugen home on Friday. He came and washed the windows on the trailer house for his grandma.

Sharron Johnson, Ida Haugen and Lorraine Mostrom were callers and coffee guests at the Orville Christianson home on Sunday after church. Ida and Sharron came to wish Gertrude a happy belated birthday.

Jane Good visited at the Lester Hanson home on Friday.

Trail News

Verene Lewis and Thomas of Clearbrook visited last Wednesday with her grandma Alida Samson.

Arlay Flateland and George Sluka of Badger visited last Tuesday with Knute Flateland, Annette Nelson and the Ernest Larsons.

Adeline Provest of Oklee and Rose Aaknes were dinner guests with Kathy Bakko at Gonvick on Tuesday.

Mt. Olive Sunday school is having a Bake Sale on Saturday, November 4 at the Gully Mall from 7 a.m. to 12 noon. All proceeds go to the Mt. Olive Sunday school.

James L. Janisch of East Grand Forks was a brief caller on Rose Aaknes on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Flateland and family of Denver, CO and Oscar Flateland of Oklee visited Thursday with Knute Flateland.

Judy Seyller and children spent the weekend with her husband Jerry Seyller at Wells.

Last Sunday visitors at the Howard Flateland home were David and Janet Bakke and family, Gordon Flateland and friend Luann, Barbara Flateland, Tyler and Tasha.

Irene Solheim and Ada Torstenson of Bagley and Hazel Nelson visited recently with Norm Carlsen in Thief River Falls.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Mrs. Mary Christianson returned to her home Monday to Milwaukee, WI after spending the weekend with her mother Mrs. Nora Delage and Walter and Irene Noyes of Oklee.

Mrs. Diane Plante, Mabel Sabourin and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Monday.

Carol and Maria Cardinal of St. Paul were weekend guests of their parents Emile and Anna Cardinal.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Martha Gagner, Vi Gagnor, Dorothy Myhre, Debbie Opdahl, Joann Delage, Mamie Riendeau and Myrtle Hamrum.

Ronie Grove of Erskine visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday and on Wednesday, Mrs. Mabel Sabourin and Evangeline Grove were visitors.

Dan Gagnor of Grand Forks was a weekend guest of his parents Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Mrs. Judy Olson left on Saturday for Yonkton, SD where she will visit over the weekend with her daughter, Scott and Shannon Knutson and helped her grandson Zackeray celebrate his second birthday. Happy Birthday Zackeray!

Friday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Racheal Carlson, Ricky Grove, Ronie Grove, Evangeline Grove, Courtney Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zacheray of Oklee.

Mrs. Jeann Delage visited her sister, Mrs. Mary Walseth in Thief River Falls on Sunday evening.

David Rock and friend Bev Brockmen of Fosston visited his parents Dena and Joyce Rock Sunday evening.

Jason and Sherrie Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests of her parents Walter and Willie Katschke.

Mrs. Lillian Hince accompanied her grandson Shawn Hince to Thief River Falls and visited her sister Mrs. Velma Kathman.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel and Ann Hince of Oklee, Dorrin Grimm of Salol were Sunday dinner guest of Darryll and Deloras Grimm.

Dal and Cindy Doterman returned on Monday from Nucla, CO where they attended the wedding of Dels Oed child and niece Rhonda daughter of Dick and Monica Odam, Dal and Cindy had the experience of being snowbound in Denver, CO overnight.

Sunday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Diane Plante, Evangeline Grove, Russell and Cheryll Hince, Mable Sabourin and Darrin Grove.

Mrs. Connie Paranteau hosted a luncheon party on Thursday in honor of Mrs. Ruth Schultz birthday with Mrs. Arlean Thunne of Thief River Falls, Ruth of Red Lake Falls, and Mrs. Gloria Paranteau as guest.

Roger and Mary Jane Paradis met with Todd and Heather Nelson and little Blair and Hiedi Paradis of Fargo at Lake Park and enjoyed the day together at their new cabin home.

Rita Perussa of Red Lake Falls, Aurel and Gloria Paranteau were Monday evening guests of Marc and Connie Paranteau.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Mayme Barbarich were John and Stacy Berberich of Brittney and Ben, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pittman of Thief River Falls, Lana Pittman of Moorhead, Mrs. Marlene Harbott of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Sue Olson and Eric, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolstad and Luke of Fosston, Mrs. Connie Dugstad of Oklee, at this time they helped John and Brittney celebrate their birthdays. Happy Birthday John and Brittney!

David Myhre and friend Joann of Crookston, Wesley and Carolyn Myhre were weekend guest of their mother Mrs. Dorothy Myhre.

Marc and Connie Paranteau entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bud Schroeder of Maple Lake Sunday evening.

Walter Sr. and Monica Novak attended the dinner and Bazaar at the Cathedral in Crookston on Sunday and visited with Mrs. Rebecca Gagnor of Crookston.

Mrs. Ruth Wilkens of Plummer visited with Mrs. Dorothy Myhre on Friday.

Arthur and Martha Gagner visited with her sister Mrs. Kate Baeur in Erskine on Sunday afternoon.

Jason and Sherrie Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guest of her parents Walter and Willie Katschke.

Tim and Brenda Gagner and family of Fergus Falls, Dan Gagner and friend Marc Krantz of Grand Forks were Sunday afternoon and evening dinner guest of their parents Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Walter and Willie Katschke were Sunday afternoon of Karl and Joyce Magera of Plummer.

Viking

On Sunday evening, Dave and Judy Weloski visited at the Arnold Weloski home. Terry Olson also visited there on Sunday.

Liz Swonson was a supper guest at the Floyd Erickson home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in Moorhead as guests at the Lloyd Raftoseth's. Saturday night they all attended the concert put on by the Cathedral Quartette at the Assembly of God church. Enroute home on Sunday they visited Hazel Engen at her home in Crookston.

Friday night, Hal and Ardelle visited Dale Anderson at the United hospital rehab. Dale is home now after being in Warren one week and two weeks in the rehab at United Hospital.

McDonald's employees in Thief River Falls got into the spirit of Halloween by getting dressed up: (front row, from left) Judy Walaski as the hamburgler, Kitty Cornell as a clown, Jan Engelstad as the Pink Panther, Carol Christianson as Mini Mouse; (back row) Kara Boughton as a clown, Sera Ortloff as a cow; Jackie Kjellberg as a mad scientist, Deb Brummund as a witch, Glenda Mattila as a ghost. Not pictured were Sally Collins, who was dressed as a clown, and Tammy Larson who was dressed up as a witch.

Vern Kappes of Thief River Falls was the first person with a disability from the community to use the new elevator at the Pennington county courthouse in Thief River Falls. The elevator on the north end of the courthouse can be accessed from the parking lot on the west side of the building. Kappes is pictured with Charles Naplin, chairman of the county board of commissioners. The elevator makes the courthouse building handicapped accessible.

Plummer News

Effie Byer
465-4375

On Tuesday afternoon, Bertha Hughes, Bunny DuChamp, Edna Hyde and Ruth Wilkens visited with Dorothy Myhre of Brooks who recently had surgery. Veronica Boucher was a visitor then, too.

Senior Citizens Meet

Plummer Senior Citizens club met on Wednesday with the noon meal served by members A-L. Birthdays honored were Helen LaFayette, Helen Hegge, Wallace Champagne, Loren LaFayette, Harold Henson, Inga Linder, and Clara Henson. Guests were Fern Whitney, Helen Fisher and Al Meyer. A few of the members came in Halloween costumes and the hall was decorated in that theme. JoyAnn Dahl, music teacher at school, brought a group of students at 1 p.m. to entertain with gusto. Thanks a lot to all of them. Ruth Wilkens then called the meeting to order and Howard Greenwald led in the flag pledge. The usual reports were given and there was very little business. Exchanging visits and programs with the Gentility Seniors was discussed and the new booklets for 1995 and 1996 were distributed. Ruth had a reading and "The Andrews Sisters" (Amelie Eskell, Bertha Hughes and Edna Hyde) dressed in matching outfits, sang a song. Door prizes went to Hazel Ollie and Marian Vattheuer. The meeting adjourned and cake and coffee was served. Karen Schirrick and a helper had given flu shots in the morning to 49 seniors and blood pressures were taken. The next meeting will be on October 15 with M-Z serving.

Confirmation

Idella Rawertz, Sherrie and Dennis Wilkens, Terry and Heidi Rawertz attended the confirmation reception for Leslie Swanson, daughter of Curtis and Marilyn Swenson at their home in rural Thief River Falls. Later they all went to the Chuck Carlson home for a reception for their daughter Sunny. The girls had been confirmed that day at Redeemer Lutheran church of Thief River Falls. Also at the Carlson home were Paula Preska and Shelle Hatt of Thief River Falls.

Red Lake Falls Presbyterian church honored the congregation of the Plummer/Brooks Presbyterian church on Sunday at special services and a dinner. For 30 years the Red Lake Falls choir of that church has been coming to Plummer on Easter and have been served a delicious breakfast. Sunday's dinner was in appreciation for this exchange of hospitality. Attending on Sunday were Ruth Wilkens, Idella Rawertz, Edna Hyde, Dennis and Sherrie Wilkens, Herb and Esther Walter, John and Clara Holley.

Wavell Sorensen attended the funeral for Carol Konickson on Saturday and later visited at the Brian Esposoth home in Thief River Falls.

Harold and Marian Vattheuer spent from Sunday afternoon to Wednesday in Grand Forks visiting old friends Cleo Gustafson. The three of them made a trip to Thompson ND to visit Cleo's daughter Joan and one day enjoyed noon luncheon with Mr. and Mrs. Ole Trenlvet formerly of Thief River Falls.

Birthday

Jon and Virginia Borne of Oklee hosted a birthday dinner for their daughters Mcaull who turned 3 years old and Modieen 2 years. It was also Virginia's birthday. Helping them celebrate were Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Monte, Avis, Bryce and Benji Marquis, Virgil, Mario and Marion Sorenson. Afternoon visitors for cake and coffee were Corlan Kleinschmidt, Shelle, Mellory, Brett and Abigail Gerardy, Rebecca Willett, Eric and Patty Mickleson, Marshall, Nicholas and Heath.

Edna Hyde hosted a "Christmas Around the World" party at her home on Monday evening. Seventeen guests attended and enjoyed Edna's hospitality.

Tuesday visitors of Ruth Wilkens were Dorothy Myhre, Veronica Boucher and Lucille Kvasager.

Visitors at the home of Edna Hyde on Tuesday were Mary Beth Westiske, Ron and Kathy Juneau, Carol Boucher, Amelie Eskell, Ruth and Emil Peez. Some of them enjoyed a hymn sing around Edna's piano.

Wedding

Frances Schiefert and many members of her family attended the wedding of her granddaughter Nancy Osbjornson to Derrell Sweep at the Zion Lutheran church in Thief River Falls on Saturday, October 28th.

Sidney Schiefert of Bloomington and friend Karen came on Friday to attend the Osbjornson/Sweep Wedding on Saturday. He also visited his mother Frances and was a houseguest of his sister Marie and Bob Swenson of Thief River Falls.

Linda Ferell of Eagan visited Frances Schiefert and attended the wedding of Nancy and Derrell Sweep on Saturday.

Olga Konickson attended the funeral for Carol Konickson at Redeemer Lutheran church of Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Sincere condolences go out to the family and friends of Carol Arnold Konickson whose funeral was on Saturday at Redeemer Lutheran church of Thief River Falls. Carol grew up in the Plummer area and attended school here, leaving many friends to mourn her death.

Kevin and Cathy Samuelson of Sarles, ND spent the weekend at the home of her mother Bunny DuChamp. On Saturday the three of them visited in Grygla with Tillie and Orville Askeland, Targie and Ole Nesland.

George and Hazel Ollie visited Emil and Dorothy Pederson at Hillcrest on Sunday and also John and Evelyn Kuiper of Red Lake Falls.

Howard and Margaret Greenwald visited at the Home of Harvey and MaryAnn Gagnor of Mentor and also with Lisa Cesavan on Sunday.

Birthday

Tracy Rosten celebrated her 14th birthday on Friday with overnight guests Heather Schiefert, Steph Larsen, Emily Brustad, Rebecca Bucholtz, Erica and Emily Fisher, all Plummer classmates, and Becca Andersen of Oklee.

AAL Meeting

Immanuel Lutheran church's chapter of AAL held their October meeting on Sunday following the potluck dinner church. President Don Hegon presided with the assistance of his wife Connie is Secretary/Treasurer. Several possible future events were discussed. There was election of Officers with the present slate of officers being reelected. They are Don Hegon as president, Connie Hegon Secretary/Treasurer and Eddy Eskell as Vice President.

Halloween Party

The annual Halloween party, sponsored by the Lioness Club was held on Tuesday evening. The Lions club furnished the candy for the party. Many mothers and students from PHS assisted in managing the 21 games, plus Bingo and door prizes to make the evening most entertaining for the children up thru the 6th grade. A big crowd attended and found it a safe and sane way to celebrate the holiday. There were lots of trick or treaters out for the evening around town in spite of the nasty wet weather, but it was sad to see the many shattered pumpkins littering the streets the next day. Older children should be reminded not to ring doorbells unless an outside light is on. Remember this for next year.

Neilden Vattheuer arrived on Wednesday at his parents Herold and Marian Vattheuer, to visit relatives and do some hunting.

AAL Joint Meeting

The two chapters of Aid Association for Lutherans of Immanuel and Redeemer churches of Plummer met jointly on Friday evening at Immanuel. A program entitled "Together Against Crime" was presented in a video and booklets were given out to those attending. Sherill At Morken was present and spoke on a few problems in our area, but commented on the fact that our county is one of the safest places to live. A good crowd attended and enjoyed coffee, pie and ice cream with a freewill offering taken for Grand Forks Rehab Center to be matched by AAL funds.

Cheryl Greenwald of Jamestown College and Jeremy Schiele, also of Jamestown attended the Sub-district Volleyball Tournament in Crookston on October 28th to see Patty Greenwald's team in action. Norm and Shirley Baune of Thief River Falls also attended and Mike, Sandy and Sheena Greenwald of Plummer.

Ruth (nee Wappula) and husband Emil Paaz of Long Beach, CA spent a week here with her sister Amelia Eskell. They all went to Middle River, home town of the girls, on Friday and met several old friends and classmates for lunch, reminiscing about old times. On Saturday they went to New York Mills and were luncheon guests of Karen and Lowell Johnson.

Ellie and Burnel Byer visited on Friday afternoon with Emil and Dorothy Pederson and Tilmer Johnson at Hillcrest Nursing Home of Red Lake Falls.

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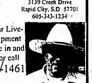

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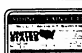

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We want to thank each and everyone who came to our 50th anniversary celebration. Also, for gifts and cards. Thanks to our children and grandchildren who planned the 50th. Each one of you made it a special day for which we say thanks!
Allard and Margaret Morken
1t89p

~THANK YOU~
We would like to thank Dr. Ashok Patel & Dr. Jim Langland, the nurses & the staff at the Northwest Medical Center for the wonderful care given to our father and husband, Herden Hedne.
Thank you also to family & friends for your prayers, cards, flowers, gifts & visits.
Special Thanks for prayers & visits from Pastors LeRoy Flickinger, Arlen Lloyd, Raynard Huglen, Philip Rokke, David Grothe & Charlie Knapp.
Your prayers will be appreciated for Herden's continued recovery.
With Love, Alice Hedne & Family

THANK YOU
Thank you to the Oakland Park Nursing Home staff for the excellent care given to Harriet while she was a resident there. We would also like to thank Erling at Green Funeral Home for his caring help and Pastor Del Palmer for his visits and beautiful services. We appreciated Wenda Vigness and Mike Coppock for their beautiful musical selections and the delicious meal served by the women of Our Saviour's Church. We also want to thank our friends, relatives and co-workers who sent cards, gifts, flowers and food. Thank you all and may God bless you.
The family of Harriet Wastin
1t89c

30 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat-N-Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood-oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-448-4043 21tlc

CARD OF THANKS
The family of Alice Swanson would like to thank everyone who expressed sympathy, visited, brought food, gave flowers, offered prayers or helped in any way. A special thank you to Pastor Luedtke for the comforting messages, Bev Karr and Ed Palmer for the beautiful music. Also, thank you to the Quanrud-DuBore Funeral Home and Our Savior's LCW for serving lunch. We are grateful to such a caring community. God bless everyone of you.
Ervin & Connie Moen & family
Pete & Bonnie Glass & family
Bob & Cherry Ann Iverson & family
Van & Dede Swanson & family
1t89p

NOTICE TO VOTERS
Municipal Election To Be Held In The City Hall Of Holt
November 7, 1995
5-8 p.m.

Situation Wanted

WILL DO wallpapering and interior painting, Kathi, 681-8907 P4t90p

RESPONSIBLE YOUNG adult, willing to babysit in my home, Amy at 681-5077, will give references. P4t90p

WANTED- Dependable woman will babysit your home while your gone south. Call 218-773-8809. 6t90p

CARING LICENSED Daycare has openings for children, 24 months or older. Call Dana at 681-4165 P4t92p

HELP WANTED

The City of Thief River Falls Parks and Recreation Department is currently accepting applications for the following position:

(1) PUBLIC SKATING ATTENDANT

This is a shift work position and requires a person selected to work weekends, holidays and a split shift during the weekdays. This will also be a shared position with another employee. You may apply at the Parks and Recreation Office located at 803 Barzen Avenue South (behind Digi-Key). Application deadline is November 17, 1995.

The City of Thief River Falls is an equal opportunity employer.

ACCOUNTANT

The Pennington County Highway Department in Thief River Falls, MN will be accepting applications for the position of Highway Department Accountant until 4:30 p.m., November 17, 1995. A detailed job description and application can be obtained at the Office of the County Engineer in the Pennington County Courthouse at 101 Main Ave. N. in Thief River Falls, MN or by mail at Pennington County Highway Department, P.O. Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or by phone at (218) 681-1221. The minimum qualifications include a 2 year Associates Degree in Accounting with a minimum of 2 years of related experience, or a Bachelor's Degree, accounting preferred, or 10 years applicable experience. Starting pay is $9.67 per hour. Excellent fringe benefits are provided. E.O.E.

ATTENTION! MAJOR EXPANSION

DEE, INC. OF CROOKSTON, MN, IS IN THE PROCESS OF EXPANDING AND UPGRADING THEIR FOUNDRY AND MACHINING OPERATIONS. THEY ARE PRESENTLY BUILDING A NEW SAND AND PERMANENT MOLD FOUNDRY THAT WILL USE "STATE OF THE ART" TECHNOLOGY.

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TOOL & DIE MAKER/ PATTERN MAKER:

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED IN DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION OF JIGS & FIXTURES FOR CNC MACHINE EQUIPMENT AND/OR CONSTRUCTION OF TOOLING FOR CASTING INDUSTRY. STARTING WAGE $9.00 TO $11.00 PER HOUR DEPENDENT UPON EXPERIENCE & QUALIFICATIONS.

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The following position is available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota:

6TH GRADE SCIENCE TEACHER (Long-Term Substitute)

LOCATION: Franklin Middle School
EFFECTIVE: Immediately with ending date to be determined
REQUIREMENTS: Minnesota Teaching Certificate - preferably in Middle School Science
SALARY AND BENEFITS: Per negotiated contract

Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Office, School District Service Center, 230 LaBree Avenue South, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, November 7th, 1995.

"Thief River Falls Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in the employment or the provision of services."

The following extra-curricular positions are available in School District #564, Thief River Falls, Minnesota for the 1995-96 school year:

HEAD BOYS SWIM COACH
7TH GRADE BOYS BASKETBALL COACH
9TH GRADE BOYS BASKETBALL COACH

If interested please contact Jim Sims, Student Activities Director at the Lincoln High School Activities Office at 218-681-7140.

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HIGHWAY TECHNICIAN

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E.O.E.

WANTED:

INSURANCE OFFICE STAFF PERSON
FULL-TIME, 25-30 HOURS A WEEK, COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE HELPFUL, INSURANCE KNOWLEDGE NOT NECESSARY. EXPERIENCE IN DEALING WITH PEOPLE IS IMPORTANT. SALARY BASED ON EXPERIENCE.
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FOR RENT- 2 bedroom mobile home, deposit, lease, references required, no pets, 681-1856 P4t90p

AVAILABLE DEC. 1, two bedroom apartment, utilities included, must have a dependent or be pregnant, 681-8787 88tlc

APARTMENT FOR rent above Ace Hardware, have apartment for quiet single person, efficiency apartment and 1-bedroom apartments, no smokers or pets, call Ron at 681-3664 or 681-6572 97tlc

LEASE SPACE
Available Soon In The NEW Red Lake County State Bank Building
Please Direct Inquiries To Randy Voeller At 218-253-2143.

STORAGE SPACE, call evenings to reserve a space for car, RV or boat, 218-637-6641 P4t92p

2-BEDROOM MOBILE home with entry, deposit, references, lease, non-HUD, 681-2863. P4t90p

FOR RENT- 2-bedroom trailer in TRF, available Nov. 1, call 449-4331 and leave message P4t90p

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, partially furnished, mini blinds, security doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking. Call 681-2307. 99tlc

FOR RENT- Large studio apartment, 681-5308 or 681-8723 P4t92p

ROOM FOR RENT- Prefer male, all utilities paid, 808 Knight Ave. North, call mornings, 218-681-7026. P4t91p

FOR RENT- Small 2-bedroom house, close to downtown, $230.00 plus deposit, 681-7630. 87tlc

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Mobile Homes

1974 WICKCRAFT, 14x70, 3-bedroom, 1-1/2 bath, air conditioner, entry, on lot which may be rented for this trailer house, for information, 681-8539 after 4:30. P4t91p

GREAT STARTER home! 1994 Friendship on large scenic lot. Three bedrooms with screened porch, shed, and many extras included. 681-9591 after 5:00 or on weekends. P4t91p

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NORTHLAND SHOE REPAIR 607 East 8th St. (TRF). Open Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. P12t92p

Household Goods

FOR SALE- Kenmore portable washer and dryer, $175.00. Call 681-6269. P4t92p

Campers

FOR SALE- 1976 22-ft. Nomad camper, sleeps 8, nice condition, $4,009.00, phone 523-4465. P4t90p

Snowmobiles

FOR SALE- 1991 Polaris 500, water cooled, excellent shape, adult driven, $2,000.00 681-6703 1t89p

FOR SALE- 1990 Polaris Indy 400 studded, clean, runs great, $2,300.00 218-258-4381 or 218-253-4237 2t90p

FOR SALE- 1993 EXT EFI excellent condition 218-294-6267 P4t89p

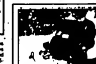
'94 COUGAR, 1,300 miles, good shape, asking $3,000.00/b.o. 218-465-4284 10t90p

FOR SALE- 1995 Polaris XLT SKS, 430 miles $4,800.00 681-7080 P4t89p

FOR SALE- 1991 Polaris Indy Trail and 1994 Indy Trail, both completely reconditioned, 218-253-2673 P4t92p

FOR SALE- 1989 AFS Jag, very nice condition, call 681-1599 after 5 p.m. P4t92p

FOR SALE- 1994 580 ZR with extras, 681-3621 after 8 p.m. 89tfe



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FOR SALE- 1990 Arctic Cougar, 2,700 miles, excellent condition, $2,500.00, 253-2509 after 5:00 p.m. P4t89p

FOR SALE- 1989 EXT, excellent, $1,850.00, 1995 ZR 580, EFI, 600 miles, very nice, $4,450.00, 681-6625 P8t95p

1995 580 ZR Arctic Cat snowmobile, cover, extra windshield, ski skins, 1,000 miles, 681-2389 or 823-4961, best offer, must sell P4t89p

Wanted To Buy

WANTED TO BUY- Arctic Cat Kitty Cat. Need not run, call 681-4165 2t90p

CONE-TOP BEER and soda cans. Up to $300.00 paid, call mornings or late evenings, Erik, 612-871-6304. P8t90p

WANTED TO BUY- Wheels for Toyota 1/2-ton, tires 215-225 or 235, must be in good shape, 681-1402. 4t90e

WANTED TO BUY- 32" combination door, call 218-449-4591. 2t89e

WANTED TO BUY- Deer hides, trade for gloves, mittens or pay cash. Also, buying raw furs starting Nov. 4, Johnson Hide and Fur, Erskine, phone 687-3500, or residence 687-3955 9t96c

WANTED TO buy- Used treadmill and old wooden extension ladder, 218-681-8879 2t89p

Business Opportunities

BUSINESSPERSON OR builder, become steel building dealer. Potential big profits from sales and construction. Beat high lumber costs, buy factory direct from national manufacturer. Some areas taken. 303-759-3200, ext. 2100. T2t89p

Sporting Goods

FOR SALE- 2 deer rifles, Marlin Glenfield model 30 30 caliber with scope, 303 British Bishop rifle. Also 12 gauge Marlin shotgun model 55. 218-681-4261 P4t90p

12-GAUGE MOSSBERG 500, 24-inch barrel, extras, $160.00, 745-4193 P4t91p

FOR SALE- 1988 14 ft. Fisher fishing boat 25 h.p. Evinrude trailer, absolutely loaded with extras 796-5477 80tfe

WINCHESTER MODEL 70, 270 cal. Remington model 91, 300 Savage, AK 47 new, 2 22 Jennings pistols, Ruger 44 mag pistol, Remington 12 A 22 pump, 3 1/2 shells, Stripper clips, 30 rd mags for AK, bi-pods, 243 dies. Call 681-5409, 1308 North Main 2t90p

Machinery

FOR SALE- 9N Ford tractor, hi/low range, 2 speed motor, completely overhauled, good tires, 3 point box scraper included, $2,100.00. Call 218-781-2709 P4t91p

JD 4520, cab, duals, excellent, $7,200.00, 218-436-2156 P4t89p

FOR SALE- Vermeer big bale shredder, 7600 Ford tractor and loader, White Gold Farm, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2207 P4t89p

FOR SALE- Allis Chalmers H.D.5 cat with Drott dozer hydraulic, has not been used for several years. John Deere model 700 grinder mixer, hydraulic, 4 screens, factory 3 pt. circle saw, call after 7 p.m., 218-687-5124 P4t89p

Livestock

R & J HORSE SALES- Saturday, Nov. 19 Tack 12:00 Horses 8:00 p.m. Held 9-1/2 miles east of Wadena on Hwy. 10. Call for early horse numbers. Ron Sundby, 218-445-5849 T2t91c

FOR SALE- Holstein cattle. Pregnant and open cows, we're cutting numbers, steer calves, 500 lbs. and down, winter vaccinated, White Gold Farm, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750, 218-253-2207 P4t89p

FOR SALE- Ten registered bred Simmental cows 3 to 9 years old. Bred to polled purebred Simmental bulls. To start calving early March 1996. Pregnancy checked, wormed. Can deliver. Circle FJ Simmentals, 783-2672 P4t90p

HOLSTEIN COWS, three due in November, vaccinated. Call early mornings or evenings, 218-938-4439 2t90p

Hay, Feed, Seed

STRAW FOR sale- Small square bales, clean, dry, oat straw, Tim, 218-378-4119 P4t89p

FOR SALE- Straw bales for banking, call Tim, 218-378-4119. P4t89p

LARGE ROUND bales alfalfa, first, second and third crop, all tested. Also, grass hay, 218-681-8879 2t89p

FOR SALE- Big round bales of Barley straw, wrapped with plastic twine, phone 449-3945 P8t90p

Poultry

ORGANIC GROWN chickens, butchered, 5 to 8 lbs., $1.35 per lb., place order now, 449-4471 P4t90p

FOR SALE- Full grown 3-month-old geese, call 218-563-4165 2t90p

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Pets

FOR SALE- Male purebred Dachshund puppy, call 634-4635 2t90p

FOR SALE- Purebred Beagle pups, 4 male and 4 females, $200.00 each, ready to go Nov. 14, $25.00 to reserve one, call 218-425-7641 P4t89p

TO GIVE AWAY- Purebred Basset hound female 1 1/2 years old and male black cat. Must go to a good home only. Call 681-7555 ask for Deb 2t89p

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE- 1987 Chev. Suburban Silverado, loaded, 681-2772 or 681-5317 P4t90p

1988 MERCURY Cougar LS, outstanding condition, no rust, all the extras, call evenings 681-4339 P4t92p

'91 SUNBIRD LE, great condition, 58,000 miles, cruise, tilt, V6, call after 2:00 p.m. or 5:00 p.m. 681-3689 P4t90p

'92 BUICK LaSabre Limited, 4 door, 37,000 miles, AZ car, just beautiful. '93 Dodge Spirit 17,000 miles. '92 Olds Delta 88, 4 door, like new. '90 Buick LaSabre Limited, high miles, but excellent condition, all highway miles. '92 GEO Metro gopher car, good mileage. '88 Buick Skyhawk, 4-door, sharp. Gene's Machinery, Erskine, 687-5226 P4t89p

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1995 28X52 LIBERTY, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, morning room, vinyl siding, vinyl windows, Glamour Bath WAS $44,900.. *CLEARANCE*-$39,500

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#5047 . . . HERE'S A VALUE FOR YA!! 3- to 4-bedroom house in the beach area! 1-1/2 story with over 1,300 sq. ft. on the main floor! Large living room with hardwood floors! Formal dining room! Huge bath, full basement, detached garage and a real nice sized yard! $44,500!!

#5048 . . . GREAT FAMILY LOCATION!! near grade school! 4-bedroom split-foyer with large family room! Includes pool table! 1-1/2 baths! Oak cabinets, modern counter tops! Almost new siding! Appliances included!! $90's!!

#5040 . . . WHY RENT!! Here's a real sharp 2-bedroom mobile home on its own river lot! Vaulted living room ceiling! Open kitchen dining area! Very nice entry! Shed! ONLY $16,500—INCLUDES LOT!

#5014 . . . RECENTLY REMODELED ELEGANT HOME!! Very plush carpet in the living room dining room area! Living room has nice fireplace! Living room has built-in corner hutches! Home has double curved stairs to the bedroom area! FAMILY ROOM IN THE LOWER LEVEL! $50's!!

#5085 . . . 5-BEDROOM RIVER HOME JUST MINUTES FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS! 3 acre river lot!! 3 baths! Main floor family room has fireplace and sliding glass doors to the bi-level deck! Price includes all new windows and interior paint job plus there's steel siding! $82,000!!

#5080 . . . JUST LISTED! 3-bedroom rambler with hardwood floors, double attached garage, eastside $36,500!!

#5081 . . . NEW LISTING! Very well maintained story-and-a-half home on South Tindolph. 3 bedrooms, very nice family room, huge country kitchen with covered deck! Fenced yard! Call now $49,900!!

#5058 . . . HUGE YARD GOES WITH THIS VERY NICE 3-BEDROOM HOME ON NORTH OAK! Very well maintained with nicely updated features and decorating $47,900. NEW ON THE MARKET!

#5069 . . . JUST LISTED NORTH OF OKLEE!! 400 acres of crop, CRP and pasture nice sized home - 5 bedrooms, formal dining room, nice porch, double garage, lowered barn. CALL FOR MORE INFORMATION!

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FOR SALE- 1988 Ford Weldeck, top line conversion van, captains chairs, V-8 engine, all power, air, cassette, very low mileage, 38,000 miles, one owner, call 681-2634 or leave message. 879c

Legal Notices

November 8, 1995
OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
PENNINGTON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
September 12, 1995 - 9:30 a.m.

Pursuant to adjournment the Pennington County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners room in the courthouse in Thief River Falls on Tuesday, September 12, 1995. Members present: Naplin, Jensen, Comstock and Carlson. Members absent: Swanson.

The Chairman called the Public Hearing on the Small Cities Development Program Grant Application to order at 9:30 a.m. as advertised. Jean Abercrombie representing the Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Redevelopment Authority reviewed the survey results from the targeted area which included the townships of Deer Park, Goodridge, Hickory, Highlanding, Mayfield, Reiner and Star. The application will include funding for housing rehabilitation for persons who occupy their homes and fit the low to moderate income guidelines. Upon recommendation the County Board chose to exclude rehab of rental properties and to exclude the City of Goodridge from the application. The City of Goodridge is just completing a similar program of their own. Further discussion was held on the mechanics of making the loan and administration should the grant be funded.

Commissioner Swanson joined the meeting during this discussion.

Commissioner Comstock moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to adjourn the Public Hearing at 10:00 a.m. and to reconvene the Regular County Board meeting. Motion carried.

County Engineer, Delton Schultz, and Assistant Engineer George Broadwell, met with the County Board in regards to Highway Department matters. The following bids for S.A.P. #57-629-04 were opened at 10:00 a.m. as advertised. The following bids were opened:

Zimpel Construction	$110,495.55
Gladen Construction	156,234.90
Thorson, Inc.	198,808.20
Davidson Construction	130,435.50

Assistant Engineer then took the bids to check them for accuracy and will return the results later in the meeting.

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Terra International Inc	$17,514.07
The Times	$547.64
Thief River Jobbing	$828.15
Tip Inc.	$111.50
Tony Dom, Inc.	$714.70
Traffic Marking Service Inc.	$9,395.80
Trash Depot	$940.55
Tri Valley Opportunity Council	$1,428.58
Tunberg Motor Co	$388.20
Vetthauer Farm Supply, Inc	$1,910.94
Viking Office Products	$263.14
Warning Lites of MN Inc	$421.52
Wennberg's Inc,	$706.57
Wext Publishing	$340.00
Wilson Brothers	$177.30

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$2,975.00. Motion carried with Commissioner Comstock voting against.

Delton Schulz then discussed installing lights in the Oakland Park restroom. He had obtained one quote for the work. The County Board asked that he get one or two more quotes.

Deb Zak, County Extension Director then reviewed the County Extension Budget for 1996 as recommended by the County Extension Committee. Also discussed was the internet access grant funds that will fund the County Extensions connection to the internet until April of 1996. Funds to continue the internet access are not included in the budget as submitted.

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BE IT RESOLVED: That the sum of $62,545.00 be set apart from the General Revenue Fund and appropriated subject to the order of the Dean and Director of the Minnesota Extension Service of the University of Minnesota for the support of county extension work in Pennington County for the year beginning January 1, 1996, in accordance with Minnesota Statute, Section 38.33-38.38, 1990.

Ray Solranski, Chairman of the Pennington County Fair Association then met with the County Board to review the 1995 Fair and to report on their Financial position. Mr. Solranski made a request for an additional $3,000 appropriation from the Pennington County Board of Commissioners. Commissioner Swanson moved, seconded by Commissioner Jensen to advance the Pennington County Fair Association $3,000 of the $11,000 budgeted for 1996 and to authorize the County Auditor to pay that amount immediately by Auditor's Warrant. Motion unanimously carried.

The County Board then reviewed the statement from Schmalz Industries for $7,246.34 for repair of the 1993 Hydra-Mac. The County Auditor stated that he would be submitting a copy of the statement to the County's insurance company for reimbursement of the additional costs to repair the engine due to the fire. Commissioner Swanson moved, seconded by Commissioner Comstock to authorize the County Auditor to pay $7,246.34 to Schmalz Industries by Auditor's Warrant. Motion unanimously carried.

The Solid Waste Committee, which include Commissioner Jensen and Swanson, then reviewed their meeting with SWIS-PENNCD. The committee had gone through the inventory of the County's Solid Waste Facility and had determined which items stay with the Composting facility to be used by SWIS of Pennington County as part of the management agreement and which items would not be needed in their management of the Compost Facility. Rick Northagen and Bob Kruse had suggested the destoner and screening equipment be moved into the tipping room of the old processing building. SWIS would move the equipment if the County would pay for the wiring of the equipment.

The County Board asked that a quote for wiring of the destoner and screener be obtained before making their decision.

The other issue that was unresolved was what the County wanted to do with the 1987 Hydra-Mac which is in need of major engine repair.

Commissioner Swanson moved, seconded by Commissioner Carlson to advertise for sale by bids the 1987 Hydra-Mac [illegible]

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This machine needs major motor repair & or replacement and will be sold as is. The machine is available for inspection at Schmalz Industries which is located .10 miles east of Trunk Highway on #59 on County Road #61.

The bids must be received by the County Auditor's Office by 4:30 p.m. November 13th, 1995 and will be reviewed at the County Board meeting on November 14th, 1995. Pennington County reserves the right to reject all bids received.

Kenneth Olson, Pennington County Auditor
P.O. Box 616, Thief River Falls, MN 56701

Sincerely,
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Legal Notices

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Notice is further given, that the Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a Hearing on the Variance Requests at 7:00 P.M. on Monday, November 20, 1995, in the City Council Chambers, City Auditorium, 123 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, MN. All persons wishing to comment on the Variance Requests will have the option to be heard at this time. Persons wishing to submit written comments prior to the Hearing or who have questions should address them to the Office of the Community Development Director, City Auditorium, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or telephone 218-681-2500.

If you have a disability and need an accommodation in order to attend this Hearing, please contact the undersigned as soon as possible or at least two (2) working days in advance of the Hearing at the above telephone number.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1995.
/s/ Donald L. Stewart
Community Development Director
& Zoning Administrator

October 25,
November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1995
Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage:

DATE OF MORTGAGE: February 7, 1992

ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: $24,379.00

MORTGAGOR: Elaine M. Borsheim, husband and wife

MORTGAGEE: Norwest Mortgage, Inc.

DATE AND PLACE OF RECORDING: Recorded February 13, 1992, in Book 229, Page 622, as Document No. 136710, Pennington County, Minnesota

ASSIGNMENT(S) OF MORTGAGE: Assigned to Norwest Bank Minnesota West, National Association by assignment dated and recorded February 14, 1992 in Book 229, Page 676, Pennington County, Minnesota

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Lot 9, Block 2, Highland Addition to Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota

COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Pennington

AMOUNT DUE AND CLAIMED TO BE DUE AS OF DATE OF NOTICE INCLUDING TAXES, IF ANY, PAID BY MORTGAGEE: $24,564.82

THAT prior to the commencement of this mortgage foreclosure proceeding, Mortgagee complied with all notice requirements as required by statute;

THAT no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

THAT no mortgagor has been released from financial obligation on the mortgage;

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the sheriff of the county as follows:

DATE AND TIME OF SALE: December 12, 1995, 10:00 a.m.

PLACE OF SALE: Lobby, Law Enforcement Center, Thief River Falls, MN to pay the debt secured by the mortgage and taxes, if any, on the premises and the costs and disbursements, including attorneys fees allowed by law, subject to redemption within six (6) months from the date of sale by the mortgagor, her personal representatives or assigns.

THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES SECTION 582.032 DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF FEWER THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED.

Dated: October 16, 1995
NORWEST BANK MINNESOTA WEST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee
Paul M. Hubbard
For CONMY, FESTE, BOSSART, HUBBARD & CORWIN, LTD
400 Norwest Center
Fargo, North Dakota 58126
Telephone: (701) 293-9911
MN Attorney ID #163161
ATTORNEYS FOR MORTGAGEE

November 1, 8, 1995
Office of the Secretary of State
CERTIFICATE OF ASSUMED NAME
STATE OF MINNESOTA

Pursuant to Chapter 333, Minnesota Statutes: the undersigned, who is or will be conducting or transacting a commercial business in the State of Minnesota under an assumed name, hereby certifies:

The filing of an assumed name does not protect a user's exclusive rights to that name. The filing is required as a consumer protection, in order to enable consumers to be able to identify the true owner of a business.

State the exact assumed name under which the business is or will be conducted (one business name per application): North Woods Paint & Repair.

State the address of the principal place [illegible]

[illegible]

Bids received will be opened and read aloud at the above noted date, time and place.

Bid forms, plans and specifications will be available from Field Services in Bemidji. You can get a bid package by calling or visiting the address listed above.

The State of Minnesota, Department of Natural Resources, Region 1, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in the bidding.

Viking

Adelle Skjerven was a coffee guest of Ruth Sustad on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjerven attended the funeral for Alice Swanson at Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad attended the Swedish Heritage Society program which was held on Sunday afternoon at Maria Lutheran church in Kennedy featuring Dannelyn Matteson and her pianist Allison Weiser of Grand Forks. Lunch was served following the program.

A birthday party was held at Peuletta Grindelands on Sunday for Leonard Larson. Family members attending were Bruce and Doreen Larson, Sarah, Jen and Cody, Kory and Kim Maidment and Russ Beleson, Wade and Derrel Grindeland, Michelle and LaDawn Steinkol. Others who remembered Leonard's birthday with cakes were James, Margie and Michael Olson and Dwight and Wayne Larson and Reuben Gunderson and Annie Gustafson and Arlene Henson.

Peulotte Grindeland and Leonard Larson went to Fargo on Monday for a checkup at the Veterans hospital.

Alma Drotts has returned to her home in rural Viking.

Dale Anderson is also home from the United hospital and is doing well.

Laura Roppe of Moorhead came up Friday to spend the weekend at the Bert Kron home.

Bud and Karen Robinson of Greenwood, AR, are up spending a few days at the Sid and Clarice Renum home for our hunting.

Trail News

Weekend visitors at Knute Flatoland were Bradley and Margaret Flateland of Brooklyn Park and Ordean Flateland of Badger.

Adeline Provost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes visited with Kathy Bakke at Gonvick on Thursday forenoon.

Darlene Eisbrener of rural Trail visited with Rose Aaknes on Sunday. They had dinner at Fosston, enroute home they visited with Lillian Tanem and Adeline Provost at Oklee.

Sylvia Flateland left Saturday from Fargo for Gulfport, Mississippi where she will spend two weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Howard and Joan Flateland. Howard Flateland Jr. had undergone angioplasty last Thursday. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Plummer

Myrtle Johnson of Thief River Falls and son Roger Johnson of Elko, NV visited Olga Konickson on Thursday. Roger was visiting his mother, having come to attend the funeral for Mrs. Don Auld, formerly Clarice Rolandson, in the Cities on October 23rd.

Gully

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Emerson, Bill Emerson and Effie Handy spent Sunday in Fargo. They visited Kenneth Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Emerson and Heidi, the Curtis Emersons and Kip and Wayne Emerson.

Star News

Sunday afternoon Joan Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica were visitors and lunch guests at the Merle Naeseth home. They also visited with JoAnn Naeseth and Don Wellman and Zachery house guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Q&A SOCIAL SECURITY

Provided by the Social Security District Office in Grand Forks, ND

Q. I understand that Social Security is now taking more money in than is going out for benefits. What happens to this money?

A. In the past, Social Security was financed on a current-cost basis, known as "pay-as-you-go." Some have compared that method to a pipeline, with taxes from workers flowing into one end of the pipe and payments for beneficiaries flowing out the other end.

Since 1983 the program has been operating under a "partial reserve" method of funding. The intent is to have the system take in more than it pays out in order to build up the large reserve funds needed to help pay for the benefits of an increasing number of retired workers. These reserves will be used as the baby-boomers retire.

Any reserves that are not used for payment of benefits or operational expenses (which are consistently less than 1.5 per cent of revenues) are invested only in US government securities and earn the prevailing rate of interest. These are normally special obligations issued specifically for the Social Security trust funds. The amount of interest earned is substantial. For example, in 1991, the trust funds earned $22 billion in interest.

Q. Are Social Security taxes used for purposes other than paying Social Security costs?

A. A popular, but false, rumor is that trust fund money has been used for purposes other than Social Security payments of operational expenses. For example, almost all presidents since Franklin D. Roosevelt have been characterized as misusers of the trust funds for having allowed Social Security money to be used to finance wars, highway projects, foreign aid and other government functions.

There is confusion over this issue because of the trust fund investment procedures. When you buy Treasury bonds, you are, in effect, loaning money to the government to use for various federal programs and projects. The same is true for the investments Social Security makes in government bonds. The government uses the money borrowed from Social Security for other purposes. But just as the government pays you back with interest when you redeem your bonds, it always makes good on its obligations to Social Security, paying the trust fund back with interest.

Q. What kind of information do I need to report if I get Supplemental Security Income (SSI)?

A. SSI current payments are based on what you told Social Security when you applied for the program or the last time your case was reviewed. The key to understanding how changes may affect SSI is to remember the questions you answered when you first applied for benefits. You responded to questions about the amount of your monthly income, the source of that income (earned or unearned), your living arrangement, and your resources (such as bank accounts, houses, or cars). A change in any of these items could make your SSI payments go up or down.

If you do not report a change to Social Security when it happens you may get more SSI than you are due and have to pay it back. Any changes must be reported within 10 days after the month it happens, but the change will not affect your check for the first two months after the event.

Changes in income include changes in your spouse's or child's income. If a child who receives SSI is working or is age 18-20 and starts or stops attending school, that change needs to be reported to Social Security.

Changes in resources—the things you own—commonly include changes in bank accounts, stocks or bonds, certificates of deposit or Christmas club accounts. You also need to report if you, your spouse, or your child buy, sell or become the owner of any real estate, a car, or personal property.

Changes in living arrangements that must be reported include when someone moves into or out of your home, if someone who lives with you dies, if you or someone who lives with you has a baby, if you start living in someone else's home, or if you move out of someone else's home.

Report changes by mail, phone to the local office or by calling Social Security's toll-free telephone number, 1-800-772-1213, business days between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.

For more information see booklet "When You Get SSI...What You Need to Know" (SSA Publication #05-11011) available from the national toll free service or local Social Security office.

Q. When I worked at NW Bell telephone in the 1950s I used my middle name on my employment records. Now I use my maiden name in place of my actual middle name. Will my Social Security record merge both uses of my name as long as the Social Security number used is the same?

A. As long as you use the same Social Security number (SSN) the records will be proper for the different variations of your name but it is best to change the name on your Social Security card if your name changes.

When changing the name on his or her Social Security record, a person is asked about previous names used as well as what name is currently on their record. In addition, ID is requested and, in cases where the name is being changed, we ask for a document showing both the old and the new name. Marriage certificates are a commonplace example of this.

To correct the name on your Social Security card complete form SS-5. The completed form and needed ID can be mailed or brought in to any SSA office. Your documents are returned and there is no charge for this service.

All employers and employees should carefully check personnel or W-2 records to be sure that correct SSN's are used. The self-employed should check tax returns to be sure the proper SSN is used. On a couple's tax return, it is not uncommon for self employment of one to be incorrectly reported on the SSN of the other. Time spent checking a SSN now is well worth the effort.

Q: I moved recently but continue to use direct deposit. Since my checks go directly to the bank, why does Social Security want to know my actual address?

A: The main reason is that, in addition to checks, the agency mails out information to beneficiaries during the year. The annual 1099 material and letters concerning cost-of-living amount changes are recent examples but also included would be times when we write to obtain information needed to make some adjustment to a record. You should report even a minor address change such as a revision to your post office rural route disignation even if you have not physically moved.

Q. Can my child born after I started getting Social Security get checks on my record?

A. Yes. Usually children can receive checks on a parent's record if they are unmarried and under 18; or under 19 but in elementary or secondary school as a full-time student; or over 18 but severely disabled (the disability must have started before age 22.

In addition, your husband or wife might be able to receive checks if he or she is caring for your child and the child is less than age 16 or is disabled.

Q. How many people are covered by Medicare?

A. Medicare currently covers approximately 35 million people, of whom about three million are disabled and some 150,000 are kidney disease patients.

Q. Does Medicare pay for care in a psychiatric hospital?

A. Yes. Medicare Hospital Insurance (Part A) helps pay for up to 190 days of inpatient care in a participating psychiatric hospital during a beneficiary's lifetime.

Q. Does Medicare pay for cervical and breast cancer screenings?

A. Yes. Medicare Medical Insurance (Part B) helps pay for Pap smears to screen for the detection of cervical cancer and for X-ray screenings for the detection of breast cancer.

Note: The Grand Forks SSA office still has a limited number of the free Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) booklet "Medicare Q/A - 60 Commonly Asked Questions About Medicare". While quantities last, this can be requested by contacting the office or by calling the national toll-free number, 1-800-772-1213.

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German Students — Page 11
Twenty-three Lincoln High School German students are attempting to raise enough money for an educational student tour of Germany.

Doppler Radar — Page 14
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School budget cutting needs work 'together'

School Superintendent Mark Hinckley told school board members of School District 564 Monday night that "we need to work together" to come up with a budget cutting process. The statement was made in light of voters failing to approve the school district levy referendum last Tuesday.

Hinckley asked the school board to take some time to think about what cuts they want to make to the budget. He also said the faculty and community need to be involved in the process with the idea of making prudent cuts that won't effect education. He went so far as to sugget that suggestion boxes be placed in each of the buildings. He also said the public needs to be informed of what happens in schools and what it costs. He said suggestions from the community are also welcome.

In his report, Hinckley noted that many cuts had been made by the school board during the past several years, and there wasn't much left to cut.

The school board will need to cut about $400,000 from its general fund budget. Another levy referendum is being planned for November of 1996.

Darla Twomey reported that there was a lot happening with the multi-events cultural center. She said the joint powers board had received a report from Bob Ballentine, an individual hired to conduct a study on the project. Twomey said Ballentine had concluded that there is interest and financial support for the project. She explained, however, that she believes that due to the type or way the questions were asked every wish was included in the project. If the group attempted to include everything, the entire project would cost somewhere in the neighborhood of $12 million. The joint powers board concluded that the project had to be done in phases. The first phase has an estimated cost of about $4.1 million. Phase I would include a wellness center, floor, equipment,

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City asks plans and specs on renovation of Soo Line depot

Thief River Falls city council has directed its architect to prepare plans and specifications for renovation of the Soo Depot in downtown Thief River Falls. Although it was never the intent of the city to use the depot for city administrative offices, it now appears that the city is headed in that direction.

According to an official statement from the city, the drive behind the renovation project at the depot has been the city's need to meet the requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act for all of the city's buildings. Improvements have been made to the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center, the library, and the airport terminal building, but several buildings need to be improved.

According to the document, upon exploring many options, the city council began to consider moving administrative offices in to the building because they wanted to ensure that the public would have access to the Soo Depot, and several offices could be put in one location.

Other motivations for moving city administrative offices to the building have since been discovered. A second motivation has been to provide administrative office for the city that would be more efficient and functional. A third issue raised during the many discussions on the topic is the shortage of off-street parking at the city auditorium.

"Since 1992, two different architectural firms have provided the city with studies on what steps and improvements must be taken and made to those buildings owned by the city to which the public has access. The costs associated with just the city-auditorium ranged from about $212,000 to an estimated cost of $1 million. If the city does not relocate to the depot, it has been estimated that it will have to expend monies to implement some of these improvements. In addition, if the Public Works Director and Engineering staff remain in their present location, an estimated $63,700 will have to be spent on that building to bring it up to code.

"As presented to the city council on November 7 by Michael J. Burns Architects, the renovation project would include site improvements to provide 35 off-street parking spaces, reorientation of Steam Locomotive No. 1024 to the north property line, fencing along the track side of the property, a drive-up utilities drop box, landscaping and signage. Building envelope improvements will include roof repairs, repointing of approximately 30 per cent of the exterior masonry, new windows, and doors repair and/or replacement.

"Interior remodeling in the basement will provide for mechanical and electrical areas and archival storage. The first floor interior will be remodeled to accommodate the public works director and engineering staff, the utilities billing office, a small conference room and a city council/public meeting room in the north baggage-express wing that is approximately three times larger than the present city council chambers. The second floor of the main depot building will be remodeled to accommodate the offices and staff of the city administrator, community development director and building official. There will also be a shared work room, remodeled bathrooms and a break room at this level.

"Included in the plans are the installation of modular work stations and divider walls which provide improved space utilization and efficiencies of function. As important, the systems furniture planned for the ground floor for the engineering and utilities billing offices will serve to preserve the historical character of the most public part of

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CRP expiration causes ripples in land market

Uncertainty over the new federal farm program and its Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) provisions has left land owners and prospective buyers or renters guessing, according to Howard Person, Pennington county extension educator.

In an article he prepared for *Farming* magazine, Person points out that the CRP leases in Pennington county will begin to expire next year and that the county reached its maximum of 25 per cent of cropland enrolled in just two years of sign-up. This means that all of the county's CRP acres are due to come out of the program in a two-year period.

Person said that owners of land with CRP contracts are wondering if they should sell the land now in the expectation that prices will decline or hold on to it. Active farmers are also wondering if they should be attempting to buy land now, wait for a possible drop in prices or negotiate longer term rental rates.

A land rent value meeting was scheduled for this morning (Wednesday) at 9:30 a.m. at the St. Hilaire Co-op Elevator meeting room in St. Hilaire where some of the questions will be discussed.

"We've already started to see the results," Person said in the *Farming* magazine article. "In a recent study conducted by the Minnesota Extension Service, farm land values outside the (Red River) Valley have dropped by more than 20 per cent—however, the quality

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Depot project still controversial

Thief River Falls City Council met in an adjourned session last Tuesday noon to hash out some differences about the Soo Depot project and discuss whether to proceed with plans and specifications.

For Alderman Ken Schmalz and Dale Wennberg, it was an opportunity to express their concerns about spending so much money to move city administration into the Soo Depot building. As it turns out, the council voted 5 to 2, Schmalz and Wennberg voting against, to authorize preparations of plans and specifications for a bid opening on the depot project in late February.

Schmalz and Wennberg have been concerned that the city council was proceeding too quickly with the project. Schmalz said he objected to the three-quarters of a million dollar cost to taxpayers. He said the city should do the minimum at the auditorium to satisfy ADA requirements, which he estimated at between $250,000 and $260,000. He said the city's bonded indebtedness is high now, but it will drop significantly after the year 2005. It would be easier to justify the cost then. He added, that even if the city administrative offices move into the depot, the city still has to deal with the city auditorium.

It isn't at a point of no return, said City Administrator Roger DeLap. The project was at a critical stage. The city needed to provide the architect with instructions if they were to take advantage of an opportune time to let bids on the project, he said.

DeLap said the architect was instructed to prepare all construction documents for a bid opening in late February.

According to a document prepared by the city, "It is the position of the majority of the city council that there are many positive aspects pertaining to the renovation and remodeling of the historic Soo Line Depot building for city administrative offices that justify the monies that are proposed to be spent. These include, but are probably not limited to the following:

"• The depot building is, for the most part, according to the architect and structural engineer, in excellent structural condition that, when renovated and remodeled, should meet the city's administrative office needs for generations into the future.

"• The design of the interior remodeling of the depot will provide office and work space that should substantially increase the efficiencies of administrative functions and to allow better service to the public.

"• Off-street space for client-customer-visitor and staff parking will be almost tripled, providing 35 parking spaces compared to the present 12. There is additional off-street parking in public or quasi-public lots (Fourth Street and Heritage Community Center lots) located within a block to one and a half blocks walking distance.

"• A first step toward departmental locational consolidation will be made by including the offices of the public works director and engineering staff in the depot along with the city departments that are currently located in the auditorium. Ownership of the current engineering building will have to be retained by the city in the event there is a need in the future to expand the fire hall. In the interim

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NCTC hosts Farm Management Day Tuesday, Nov. 21

Second annual Farm Management Day is scheduled for Tuesday, November 21, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls.

Speaker for this year's session is David Saxowsky, associate professor of agricultural economics at North Dakota State University and a member of the North Dakota Bar, who teaches and researches in the areas of farm management and agricultural law.

In addition to his undergraduate teaching at NDSU, Saxowsky has taught water law and agricultural law at the University of North Dakota School of Law for several years. He has authored more than 75 publications. One of his recent efforts has been the development of the Farm Business Planning Manual to guide farmers in their process of developing long-term plans for their farms and families.

"Farm Business Planning, An Ongoing Process" will be the topic of Saxowsky's talk from 1 to 1:45 p.m. It is intended to help farm families determine where they are, where they want to be, how they will move to where they want to be and whether they are on track to reach their goals. The multi-step planning program does not replace current planning efforts but helps organize them into a single process. The focus of business planning is on the long-term future.

All seminars are free and open to the public. Registration begins at 9 a.m. in the theater lobby at NCTC. At 9:30 a.m. there will be a short welcome in the theater with a variety of programs held until noon. Participants are welcome to attend whichever seminars they choose and a break for lunch will take place from noon until 1 p.m. After Saxowsky's address from 1 to 1:45 p.m., participants will be able to attend another series of educational programs until 4 p.m.

The following programs will be held throughout the day:

Satellite Imagery—Agri ImaGIS processes satellite imagery and map vector data for the precision agriculture industry. Currently, Agri ImaGIS is acquiring

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Deadlines change for Nov. 25 edition of Northern Watch

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, advertising deadlines for the Northern Watch have been changed for the Saturday, November 25 edition.

Classified advertisements must be at The Times prior to 3 p.m. Tuesday, November 21. Display advertisements must be at The Times prior to 5 p.m. Tuesday, November 21.

Shakespeare at Lincoln this week

Lincoln high school drama department to present *A Midsummer Night's Dream* Thursday and Friday

Lincoln high school's drama department will delve into the depths of classical drama this week when *A Midsummer Night's Dream* by William Shakespeare will be presented Thursday and Friday, November 16 and 17, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Connie Stock is director and has provided the following summary.

by Connie Stock

The theme is love. Not quite the love of romance novels, a midsummer night's dream of love is more along the line of, "oh, what fools these mortals be." Yes, love is blind, and mortals often act foolishly while under its spell. It was no different in Elizabethan England where William Shakespeare wrote this play, and it was no different in early Athens where the play takes place. You see, some things never really change.

The play begins within the framework of the court where Theseus (Aaron Furuseth), Duke of Athens, is planning to marry Hippolyta (Meagan Miller), an Amazon woman whose army he defeated in battle, but whose heart he still managed to win. She is

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The angry Hermia (Lana Rodahl) is restrained by Lysander (Tony Broman) and Demetrius (Chris Tsukichi, right) as she attempts to attack Helena (Ingrid Hanson) for stealing Lysander from her. The action is from the Lincoln high school drama department's presentation of Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream. The play will be staged in the Lincoln auditorium Thursday and Friday, November 16 and 17, at 7 p.m. Tickets will be sold at the door.

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the building exterior.

"Mechanical and electrical systems will include new plumbing, sprinkling and fire alarms, lighting, new electrical service and distribution and telephone raceways. The city is proposing to consider using a geothermal system powered with electricity to heat and cool the remodeled building because, even though the initial installation cost is higher than standard HVAC systems, there can be considerable savings in the cost of operation of such a system over a period of time.

"Current plans include a building addition. It would have a footprint of approximately 1,000 square feet onto the westerly side of the baggage-express wing. This addition is necessary and will be designed to minimize any negative impact on the historic fabric of the depot while addressing ADA, safety and other code issues.

"The building addition will house an elevator and a stairway providing access to all three levels of the building. The addition will provide a new main entrance into the building from the parking area, a vestibule and handicapped accessible bathrooms. The second floor of the building addition will contain a small conference room and storage space and the basement will house the elevator equipment and a storage and work room for building and grounds personnel. It will also allow the main part of the depot building to be secured after hours while the city council/public meeting room and new rest rooms to remain open for public use.

"The architects construction cost estimates for the project including the systems furniture is $1,093,400. Architectural and engineering fees will bring the total project cost to about $1.2 million.

"Financing the renovation include donations and miscellaneous income raised by the "Save The Depot" campaign and interest income. Income available to defray costs of acquiring and remodeling the depot total $534,692 as of October 31."

According to the document, it is anticipated that expenses that have been or will be incurred prior to construction, including preliminary architectural, engineering, surveying, and legal services, and environmental surveys, fund raising and promotion, the purchase price, asbestos abatement and reorienting the locomotive, will total about $86,600. This would leave a balance of $49,000 to be used for renovation and remodeling.

The city has recently received encouragement from the Minnesota Historical Society to reapply for a second grant from that agency which could provide up to an additional $50,000.

Assuming that the city will be able to bid the project late in February or early in March and obtain favorable bids, the city would have to finance $700,000 to $750,000 of the project costs. A number of options have been discussed, but the city council expects to explore these options further. One option would be to enter into lease-purchase financing similar to the financing method used for the Municipal Off-Sale Liquor Store. A second option might be a loan from the electric department reserves which would be paid back over a period of time along with interest at a fair rate. A third option could be a combination of an electric fund loan and a loan from the city's revolving capital fund. The city council has included $70,000 in its 1996 proposed tax levy to address ADA and infrastructure improvements that would cover the 1996 debt service requirement of these options.

County to open bids on Long's Bridge project November 28

Bids are being sought for the Long's bridge project in Thief River Falls. Delton Shultz, Pennington county engineer, said the state approved plans for the bridge and the county is advertising for bids. He said bids will be opened on November 28 with construction expected to begin in the early spring. Pilings, he said, could be driven this year.

Shultz said acquisition of land has been completed with the exception of one piece currently in condemnation proceedings.

The new Long's bridge will be a three-span bridge, with a 44-foot driving lane and six-foot sidewalk, Shultz said. It will be located approximately 350-feet north of the current bridge. In the future, the sidewalk will connect up with the Riverwalk project.

"The Shoppe", a Dallas-based quartet, will perform in Thief River Falls during the Thief River Falls Concert Series, 7:30 p.m. at the Lincoln high school auditorium. Tickets are available at the door and at The Times.

Controversy continues on Soo depot project

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this building along with the city auditorium can be leased for other uses.

"• Proposed city council chambers and meeting room in the baggage-express wing of the depot will provide an expanded and improved meeting area for the council, planning commission and other groups that may wish to use this space. This meeting room, the two other smaller conference rooms, and all offices in the building will be handicapped accessible.

"• $534,700 of donated funds and state and federal grants have been raised to acquire and renovate the depot. Approximately $86,600 will be expended prior to the beginning of construction to defray the costs of acquisition and fund raising, asbestos removal and reorientation of Steam Locomotive No. 1024.

"Approximately $450,000 of these funds will remain to assist in the cost of renovating and remodeling the building, 40 per cent of the project cost. There is also potential for additional grant funds from the Minnesota State Historical in the amount of $25,000 to $50,000. None of these funds are available to the city to remodel the city auditorium or to construct a new facility.

"• The newly renovated and restored depot will provide the community with a city hall that has a location with high public visibility and is viewed by people locally and in the region as a Thief River Falls landmark.

"• There is the historic preservation aspect to the project. A unique historic building listed on the National Register of Historic places to be renovated during the city's Centennial Year will be well utilized while providing modern, efficient city offices and allowing the public access to the interior of the structure during business hours year around.

"• Input received during the late stages of the "Save The Depot" fund-raising effort, when the council began discussing the concept of using the depot for city administrative offices, indicate that a large majority of the persons who contributed to the project and many citizens view this as a logical use for the building. A renovated and remodeled depot building used for city hall will be a show place that should be a source of pride for the entire community and all those who participated in the "Save the Depot" effort."

Estimates place the cost of the project at between $1.1 million and $1.2 million. The city has raised roughly $525,000 in donations and grants. Between $600,000 and $700,000 additional city money will have to be spent.

DeLap said the city is considering a number of options. He said the city cannot sell bonds unless it has a referendum. Another option would be what he described as a ground-lease operation, in which the building is used as collateral. Another option would be to use city reserves and pay it back as a loan. The city has already taken steps that might assist in repaying the cost of the project by including in its levy this year $70,000 in the budget for meeting ADA requirements.

The Shoppe performs in TRF Nov. 18

Vocal and instrumental entertainers "The Shoppe", a Dallas-based quartet, will perform in Thief River Falls during the Entertainment Series, 7:30 p.m. at the Lincoln high school auditorium. Tickets are available at the door, and The Times.

The Shoppe is one of the most sought after acts for fairs, concerts, special events, conventions and private functions. Their fine musicianship is displayed through a diverse offering ranging from country, pop, doo-wop and classic oldies. Through The Shoppe's versatile vocal and instrumental styles, they are able to provide entertainment to a wide range of audiences. Their animated, friendly stage show has proven to be an exceptional crowd pleaser.

The Shoppe's high-tech approach to music and entertainment makes this act ideal for shows involving numerous artists and accounts for a sound that has been described as "larger-than life". It also helps to insure quality of presentation that is virtually unmatched in its consistency.

During its long history, The Shoppe has appeared in concert with nationally known entertainers such as Collin Raye, Alabama, Ricky Van Shelton, Johnny Cash, Roberta Flack, Dolly Parton, Micky Gilley, The Righteous Brothers, The Pointer Sisters, Doc Severinson, Bob Hope, Restless Heart, Gary Morris, The Beach Boys, Reba McEntire, and many more.

In addition to their live performances, the group has enjoyed a success in recording. Nine releases have reached national prominence through record chart action.

Texas Governor Bill Clements named The Shoppe "Ambassadors of Goodwill" from the Lone Star State. They do indeed spread goodwill, good music and fun wherever they perform. Their show is filled with rich vocal harmonies and outstanding instrumentals presented in a light-hearted, laugh-provoking fashion that is suitable for all ages.

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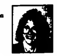
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attended by her warrior (Jenny Brunkhorst) and Theseus is attended by his soldiers (David Pellman, Jeremy Swanson and Josh Ball. The ladies of the court (ReAnn Dargus, Stephanie Leach and Kate Ihle) find this worth talking about, but they are hushed by Philostrate (Jeremiah Hasnedl), Master of Revels.

As Theseus makes plans with Philostrate to find a drama as entertainment for the wedding festivities, the blustering Egeus (Kyle Rokke) enters. He drags behind him his reluctant daughter Hermia (Lana Rodahl), her chosen suitor Demetrius (Chris Tsukichi) and the love of her heart Lysander (Tony Broman), who tells the assembled court that it's really Helena (Ingrid Hanson) whom Demetrius loves and who loves Demetrius.

As is often the case, Hermia does not like the husband her father has chosen and is therefore doomed to a nunnery or death (which is not quite so often the case, these days). Theseus gives everyone four days to straighten things out...and thus the follies begin.

We then meet the "rude mechanicals"—or clowns— of the play who are picking their own play to present before the duke on his wedding day. Quince (Sam Adams) tries his hardest to gather his troupe of peasant players together. He calls on Snout (Craig Huot), the tinker; Snug (Jed Brazier), the joiner; Flute (Kamie Twomey), the bellows mender; Starveling (Paul Dehnert), the tailor; and Bottom (Josh Melby), the weaver. They then set out to rehearse their play in the woods.

Little known to them, the woods is full of mischievous elves, dancing fairies and the quarreling King Oberon (Ben Schmitz) and Queen Titania (Megan Browning) of the Sprites. The stage is set by Queen Titania's attendant (Kiki Goddard), King Oberon's attendant (Kristen Kami) and the mischievous hobgoblin of folk tales, Puck (Vicki Bitzegaio).

Queen Titania enters with hee fairies (Marisa Holmstrom, Ann Gustafson, Bridgette Stock, Beth Nelson, Diana Hofstad and Katie Christensen) and faces off with King Oberon and his elves (Sara Anderson, Bryanna Helgeland, Gretchen Hanson, Shannon Lofberg, Carolyn Walrath, Jessica Nelson, April Weber and Alicia Lampe. Add Hermia and Lysander running away to the woods with Helena and Demetrius following them and the plot definitely thickens.

As if love does not have enough problems left to its own devices, King Oberon and Puck complicate matters even more by anointing everyone's eyes with love-juice—except that the wrong eyes get anointed and the wrong people fall in love with one another.

Included in this mess is Bottom, the weaver, who Puck has changed into a donkey (as fits his nature) and who is now seen by the anointed eyes of Queen Titania, who immediately falls in love with him....much to the delight of King Oberon and Puck. Eventually, the mess does get straightened out, the right people fall in love, and everyone returns to the court for a triple wedding.

The entertainment for the festivities is, of course, the mini-play starring the peasant players, who end the evening on a hilarious note, including a dramatic Romeo and Juliet death scene and a dance. King Oberon and Queen Titania and the fairies and elves then bless the house and all is left in peace.

In true Shakespearean tradition, the sets create a world of fantasy, while music sets the mood. Laura Williams is the pianist for this production, accompanying Ben Schmitz, Megan Browning, Vicki Bitzegaio, Lana Rodahl and the fairies as singers and the fairies, elves (and peasants!) as dancers. The dances were choreographed by Mary Noel from the Mary Noel School of Dance in Crookston, and were taught to the dancers by Marisa Toren and Ludka Sudmilla, students at the Northern Expressions School of the Arts, who also perform in the dances.

This is an evening filled with everything the theatre-goers of Shakespeare's time expected—music, dancing, singing, fantasy, comedy, drama, spectacle—all intertwined with the stories, legends and daily life they knew best. Don't be stuck in the dreary winter of northern Minnesota quite yet. Join the cast and crew of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* for a journey into another world and time. Tickets will be available at the door.

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mechanical room, locker room, main entry, football field, stadium and track, football practice field, site improvements, and a parking lot.

Twomey said there were still a lot of questions about who would contribute what, and who would be responsible for what. Ballentine's survey results, she said, also questioned the leadership of the school board, because of the bonding bill failures, and questioned the city's ability to manage it.

Twomey said more will be made public about the project later.

Lincoln High School Principal Terry Soine provided a graduation rule update.

The graduation standards provide a set of requirements students must meet in order to graduate from high school in the State of Minnesota. Tests, conducted at several grade levels, will determine whether students show basic competency in reading, mathematics, writing, science, government, physical health and safety, and geography.

Soine explained the basic premise of the graduation standards, why it is being done, and how it will be accomplished. Without implementation, federal funds can be lost.

Soine said there are lot more questions than answers, and school board members had several questions.

The school board certified results of the election, showing that Carl Clark received 2007 votes, Dennis Klesow 2039, and Darla Twomey 1978. *It also recognized* that voters did not approve a proposed revenue increase by a vote of 1,371 to 1,263.

The recognized the efforts of the Prowler Football Team in being named Academic State Champions for Region 8AA for 1995-96, which is the second year in a row for the team. It thanked Steve Solney for donations he made to school district programs. Solney rode his wheelchair from Thief River Falls to Warren last May. He received donated $25 to the Roots and Wings Program, $548.44 to the Chemical Awareness Program, and $548.44 to the Little Brother/Little Sister Program.

Eagles Auxiliary to meet earlier

Meeting of the Eagles Auxiliary of Thief River Falls will be held Monday, November 20, at 7 p.m. instead of the usual 8 p.m. meeting time.

The unit is in the process of changing the bylaws to make the earlier meeting time permanent. Voting on this and all by-law changes will take place at the December 4 meeting.

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Events scheduled for Audubon Day in Roseau

Three events are scheduled to highlight Audubon Day in the Roseau area on Saturday, November 18.

At 2 p.m. participants will gather at Bud and Betty Johnson's farm home, two miles north of the county fairgrounds. The group will carpool to the Roseau River Wildlife Management Area where Randy Prachet will lead a car tour to observe the wildlife and to see the facilities. At 5 p.m. there will be a potluck supper at the Johnson home. At 7:30 p.m. Scott Laudenslager, assistant manager of the Red Lake Wildlife Management Area, Norris Camp, will present a slide show entitled "Bear Facts" at the Roseau Library meeting room.

The events are sponsored by the Agassiz Audubon Society, and there is no charge for participating. Bird feed and feeders and Audubon membership information will be available. Refreshments will be provided. Donations will be accepted. For more information, call Bud or Betty Johnson at 218-463-2181.

CRP expiration creates ripples in land market

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of the land makes a big difference in value. Higher quality land closer to the Valley has not gone down nearly so much. Sales are also increasing rapidly with about two and one-half times the sales in 1994 as in 1993. No doubt this has also had a negative affect on prices.

"So what I see happening is people who are either no longer planning to farm, or who own farm land that is no longer in the original land owner's hands, selling the land before the lion's share of the CRP comes onto the market and further depresses prices."

Person says he has no doubt that continued cuts in the federal farm program and three bad crop years in succession are going to pressure land prices lower. He expects land rental rates to follow, especially for land with lower productivity.

"If CRP comes out all at one, we will certainly see short term, dramatic decreases in land values," Person said.

"Consequently, if you plan to sell your CRP property you should consider either moving it now before more comes on the market or be prepared to hold it until the market readjusts."

If the new farm program includes a plan for renewal of CRP contracts and much of the land remains in the program, the readjustment could take only a few months, Person said. If all of the land comes out of the program at once, he said, the readjustment could take a few years.

Person advises being alert to what is taking place in federal farm program planning and to be making plans and preparations for action to take in the next six months.

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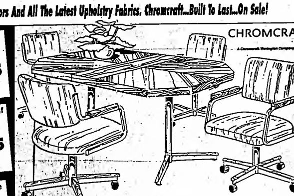
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Dancers know it's hip to be square

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

The outfits are unmistakable. The men dress in brightly colored shirts, the women in matching skirts covering layers upon layers of crinoline. They get together in gyms and auditoriums and dance halls across the state with one thing in mind: square dancing.

The Falls Squares is a local organization made up of about 25 members. The club's history dates back to 1949 when the Square Dancers of Thief River Falls organized a club. Membership increased rapidly and soon a second club was formed. In 1954, the Falls Squares was formed by Randall and Verna Soper. The club was very active in those days. Members appeared on television's "Polka Party" on Channel 4 in Fargo. They even joined other dancers as half-time entertainment at a Viking football game in Minneapolis.

On June 24-26, 1966, the Falls Squares and the city of Thief River Falls hosted the 15th Annual Minnesota State Convention. Based on the written history of the club, the Squares seemed to die out in the late 1960's or early 1970's.

In about 1982 the group reorganized. It offered dancing lessons to the public and recruited members. Two of these new members were Marilyn and Orville Hanson, who is currently serving as club treasurer. Marilyn surprised Orville when she announced that she had signed them up for lessons. Before he could protest, Orville wss hooked on square dancing. The Hansons have been very active in the club ever since taking lessons 13 years ago. Their daughter also square dances and their grandchildren come to the dances too.

Benefits of dancing

The Hansons and the other couples agree that there are lots of reasons they square dance. First of all, it's very good exercise. Today almost everyone knows how important physical fitness is to living a happy, healthy life. Square dancing is a great way to exercise because almost anyone can do it, young or old. Even physical disabilities don't stand in the way of square dancers. There is a group of blind square dancers in Minneapolis called Midnight Squares. A special wheelchair square dancing group in Fargo, ND, call themselves the Spinning Wheels. According to group members, some people even square dance after having a knee replaced.

Another reason many said they enjoy square dancing is because it takes a lot of concentration. Listening to the caller and remembering all the moves forces dancers to think fast.

"It keeps your mind alert to listen to the different calls," said one dancer.

Another added that dancing is a stress reliever. It's hard to think about other problems while concentrating on what the caller is saying.

Square dances are a great place to socialize with others. In fact, you never know who you might meet. The Hansons' daughter Bette and her husband Michael Jorgenson met at the Falls Squares. The Hansons say they know others who have found true love through square dancing.

Looks complicated

Members say they will be offering lessons soon, but it is possible to learn square dancing without lessons. They insist that it's not as hard as it looks.

"It takes longer to teach the old ones," adds one joker.

Once someone has learned the basic steps, the best thing to do is practice.

The caller is the person who tells the dancers what to do. To start, eight people stand facing each other in a square. Each person stands next to his or her partner to form one side of the square. The couple with its back to the caller and the couple facing the caller are the heads. The other two couples are the sides. As the caller calls the tips, the dancers move accordingly.

According to Dave Muir, a caller from Crookston, there are 68 or 69 moves in Mainstream square dancing. Mainstream is the simplest level of square dancing. There are four more; Plus, A1, A2, and Challenge. The Falls Squares dances Mainstream, so anyone can join them.

Fun for all

What the dancers stressed most is the fun they have getting together. They remember the days when auditoriums would be so full of dancers a person could barely get in the door. Now the dance seems to be less popular, but they are hoping square dancing never die.. Many square dancers still travel all over northern Minnesota going to different dances. At the dance in Thief River Falls last Friday night there were people from Greenbush to Red Lake Falls. Some came as couples, others as singles. All had a great time.

They don't just square dance when they get together, they also do some two stepping and even some line dancing.

Everyone seems to agree that the best part is visiting and the lunch that is served after the dance.

Anyone interested in an activity that can help them beat the winter blahs and work off the holiday calories may want to consider learning to do sa do, promenade and circle left, them get out on the dance floor and have some fun.

Falls Squares members Marjorie and Clifford Stainhauer listened to the calls of Dave Muir, Crookston, as they danced the night away last Friday. The Steinhauers have been dancing together for 37 years. Why do they love to square dance? "It keeps your mind active," said Clifford. Marjorie says the best thing about square dancing is "the people."

While the caller took a break to rest his voice, the Falls Squares decided the try some country line dancing. Everyone from grandparents to grandkids enjoyed this popular style of dance.

Rock becomes part of landscape at Challenger

To some it's only a huge field rock. To others it represents a gift of science as much as two million years old.

The Challenger Rock, donated to Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls by Ken and Pat Beauchane, is actually a glacial boulder, mostly igneous rock with light colored intrusions of quartz and feldspar. The boulder was once part of the Canadian Shield, the ancient core of the North American continent.

"The Rock" originally belonged to the Hible family and was found in 1973 in the northeast corner of section 33 of Numedal township in Pennington county. It weighs more than 1,000 pounds, and was moved from the Beauchane farm last year and placed under the flag poles on the south-side entrance to the school. Like all of the landscaped trees and shrubs around Challenger, "The Rock" will eventually be marked with a scientific identification plaque, which will also make it part of the elementary science curriculum.

Both Ken and Pat Beauchane have been employed by the district, and have worked with children for years. Ken says he knows elementary students have a special fascination for science. "We wanted to give something permanent and scientific, something the children would enjoy — something that would be an inspiration for learning."

Saturday craft shows to draw crowds

Four craft shows scheduled in Thief River Falls this Saturday are expected to draw good crowds once again as they become more established annual events.

The 19th annual Holiday Fair will take place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the city auditorium with 32 selected crafters participating in the event.

Mid-November Craft Fair will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Eagles Hall and will have more than 20 exhibitors.

Country Crafters Craft Show is scheduled at the Veterans of Foreign Wars club rooms from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and a dozen crafters will be on hand to sell their wares.

Fifth annual Craft Show will be held at the American Family Insurance office building on First Street at Highway 59 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with half a dozen exhibitors showing their specialties.

A list of participants registered for all of the shows and a summary of the items they offer for sale was published in the Saturday, November 11 issue of the *Northern Watch*.

Star Homemakers to meet next Nov. 20

The Star Homemakers will meet at 1:30 p.m. on November 20 at the Eklund Dining Hall.

The program on "Family Heirlooms" will be given by Lois Swanson and Mildred Hovet.

Please bring something for potluck lunch, the market basket and crafts.

Everyone is welcome.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3-7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Library Storytime at the TRF Library from 11:15-11:45 a.m.

Retired Educators meet at Evergreen Eating Emporium at noon.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club. this week's guest are LHS hockey and wrestling coaches.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is "Healthy Choices."

A Midsummer Night's Dream performed at LHS at 7 p.m.

Friday

Family Relationships seminar at Seventh-Day Adventist Church from 7-9 p.m.

A Midsummer Night's Dream performed at LHS at 7 p.m.

Saturday

Family Relationships seminar from 1:30-6:30 p.m. at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church.

TRF Concert Series presents The Shoppe in concert at 7:30 p.m. at LHS Auditorium.

VIP Craft Fair at the Eagles Hall from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Sunday

Country Music Jam Session from 1-4 p.m. at the Heritage Center.

Turkey Game Night at St. Bernard's church hall at 7 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3-5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Senior Meal at the Heritage Center is roast turkey served at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30-9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:3-7:30 In Thief River Falls. Call 681-5557 or 1-800-660-6667 for questions and to register.

Senior Dance at Fourtown from 1-4 p.m. Music by Edger Miller and Vern Iverson.

Trinity Golden Years Club meets at 2 p.m. at the church. The theme is "Counting Our Blessings."

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Kermit and Jean Maidment celebrate 50th anniversary

In celebration of the 50th wedding anniversary of Kermit and Jean Maidment there will be an open house at St. John Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls, on Saturday, November 18 from 5 to 7 p.m. Lunch will be served at 6 p.m.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend. The couple requests no gifts, please. The open house is being hosted by the couple's children and their families.

Reception for Madeline and Lance Solberg Dec. 3

On December 3 there will be a reception for Madeline (Martin) and Lance Solberg who were married June 27 at Grand Forks, ND.

The bride is the daughter of Janet Hoy of Erskine and is employed part-time at Discovery Place. The groom is the son of Orlando Solberg of Plummer and Marlo Solberg of Thief River Falls and is an independent truck driver.

The reception will take place at the couple's home on Main Street in Brooks. No invitations are being sent. All friends and family are welcome.

ON THE OTHER HAND

Tina Krogstad
Lincoln High School

I hate winter. One would think that after living in Thief River Falls for seventeen years, I'd be used to it, but I'm not. The only things I like about winter are Christmas and my grandma's hot apple cider. I have fun during what little summer we have, then I more or less hibernate the rest of the year.

Ever since I was a child, I've dreaded winter. Most kids would go crazy with excitement over a few isolated snowflakes, but not me. I saw winter as a season filled with annoying distractions like running to get a Kleenex every five minutes and getting completely bundled up in order to walk two blocks. Because I walked to school, my parents made me wear snow pants throughout grade school. In fifth grade, no one else had to wear snow pants except me. I would get embarrassed in the mornings because while the rest of the class was starting, I would still be trying to get my boots and snow pants off. I used to like sledding down the hill by the Armory _ until my mom crashed me into a tree. Ever since then, I've been a little hesitant to go sledding.

Winter got me into a lot of trouble, too. In first or second grade, a friend and I were walking to school on an especially chilly morning when a car approached us and stopped. It was a girl I recognized, but hardly knew. Her mother offered us a ride, and since we were so cold, we accepted gratefully. However, when my babysitter found out, she became very upset and lectured me about taking rides from strangers.

Another time, I was suppose to go straight home after school, but the snowplows had just piled the newly fallen snow into a huge hill. It didn't take long for us kids to get into a full-fledged snowball war. I came home one hour and a half late and was grounded on the spot.

Now that I'm older, I'm finding new annoyances of the season. Take cares, for instance. Last year, I had a car that was pretty good on ice, but it would never start. Now I have a car that starts, but the back end slides on even the tiniest patch of ice. And wouldn't you know – the heater usually kicks in about the time I get to where I need to go. I would walk, but I can't stand being cold. You see, I'm the type of person who can function just fine in 100 degree weather, but once the leaves start falling, I drag out the scarves and mittens.

Basically, I've been trying to hide from winter my entire life. Finally, my parents planned a week's vacation to Florida. We went in November and I couldn't have been happier...until we came back. I had even planned on escaping to somewhere warm for college, but my dad says that's out of the question, so I guess I'm stuck. I figure I'll just have to purchase some warmer clothing, stay inside, and drink my grandma's hot apple cider.

... The Big Craft Sale Is Coming

The big craft sale will be held all over town Saturday. Lots of people will be running around town that day. Will you be there? I will be there.

Craft sales are wonderful. Crafters prepare for this big sale all year, just so you and I will have a vast array of wonderful things to pick and choose from. They cut and stitch and glue until their fingers are red (which doesn't take long with those doggone hot glue guns, I can tell you from experience). They knit, crochet and quilt until all hours of the night. They saw and hammer and paint throughout the summer. And we will get to look at and buy their wonderful crafts this Saturday.

Craft sales are a good place to do your Christmas shopping. There is bound to be something there for all of those hard-to-buy-for relatives, as well as a thing or two or three or four to buy for ourselves or our houses, of course.

Crafters are special people. They spend all of their spare time working on pretty things that other people will be enjoying. I wonder, do they keep some for themselves?

Christmas crafters are a special breed. Their houses are filled with Christmas all year round as they make oodles of whatever it is that they plan to sell at the craft sale. Just imagine living in a house that has Christmas all through the year!

Craft sales are also a good place for other crafters to go to get ideas. It is so wonderful to see all of the different ideas that abound at craft sales — I just love to look at everything others have made. It gives me great ideas on what I would like to make.

The one problem with looking at all of those wonderful crafts, however, is that a person just cannot remember all of the great ideas they have seen that they just can't wait to go home and try. After a couple of hours of looking at crafts, my mind begins to boggle and when I get home I cannot, for the life of me, remember any of the things I wanted to try to make.

Of course, after a few more hours of looking at crafts, I can't even remember what it was that I really wanted to buy for myself this year or even who it was that I was going to buy a present for. I think it is called "crafting overload." Crafting overload usually results in my trying to buy one of everything I like, so it is very expensive for me.

But it is great fun, even though I always spend too much and come home with very few presents for other people and an awful lot of them for myself. And I just know already that my poor feet will be killing me by the end of the day.

Wedding reception for Pittmans and Forsts

There will be a wedding reception for Tom and Ericka Pittman and Ruthie and Danny Forst at St. Anne's Catholic Church in Goodridge on Saturday, November 18 from 7-9 p.m. No invitations are being sent. Everyone is welcome.

BIRTHS

- Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On November 6, a baby boy was born to Jason and Toni Magnell of Oklee. He has been named Jacob Ross.

• On November 7, a baby boy was born to Chad Pulczinski and Peggy O'Hara of Newfolden. He has been named Devon James.

• On November 8, a baby girl was born to Micheal and Vicky Jensen of Thief River Falls. She has been named Emily Kate.

Country music jam session

There will be a country music jam session at the Heritage Center on Sunday, November 19 from 1-4 p.m.

Coffee and cookies will be served. Anyone, young or old, who would like to play an instrument or listen to music is welcome to attend.

Senior Dance in Fourtown on November 21

There will be a senior dance at Fourtown from 1-4 p.m. on Tuesday, November 21. Music will be by Edger Miller and Vern Iverson. Everyone is welcome.

Pennington County Cancer Society update

A memorial gift to the American Cancer Society can help save lives by supporting cancer research, education and patient services. It can help continue searching for answers in laboratories and hospitals and still provide important services to cancer patients and their families.

People memorialized in recent months are: George Mostue, Merle Dagen, Elfie Erickson, Levurne Borget, Willard Sletton, Jonas Nelson, Wallace Utzinger, Arnold Haugen, Lucille Griebel, Ole Austad, Walterine Gilbert, Ralph Brook, Harold Baker, Barbara Thompson, Clarice Auld and Carol Konickson.

90th birthday party for Olaf Stolaas

Olaf Stolaas will celebrate his 90th birthday with family and friends on Saturday, November 25 from 2-4 p.m. at Ebenezer Lutheran Church, north of Oklee.

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Reception for Krista and Simon Nevill on November 17

On Friday, November 17 there will be a reception for Krista and Simon Nevill from 7-9 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church, Thief River Falls.

Krista and Simon were married October 21. Simon left for England shortly after the wedding and Krista joined him there.

Local toddler places third in beauty pageant

Thirteen-month-old Mercedes Su Bok Kim was named third runner up at the Regional Beauty Pageant held in Bemidji on October 22. She also won a trophy for most photogenic head shot.

Mercedes is the daughter of Stacy Olson and Leo Kim of Thief River Falls. Grandparents are Judy Olson and Alvin Langseth of Red Lake Falls and Joung Boon Kim of Seoul, Korea. Great-grandparents are Arnold Olson of Mentor, Frank and Myrtle Plante of Brooks, Sa Bok and Joung Hyun Kim of Seoul and Joung Soon Lee of Seoul.

Mercedes Su Bok Kim

Thanksgiving service at Holt

All our neighbors and friends are invited to celebrate their blessings at a Holt Community Thanksgiving Service on Wednesday, November 22 at 7:30 p.m. at Nazareth Lutheran Church. This celebration is sponsored by the Holt Lutheran Parish. Music will be provided by Cathy Erickson and friends. The offering will be designated for the food shelves in Thief River Falls and Middle River.

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ACTIVITIES

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You will need large pinecones, feathers, glue and construction paper.

Glue feathers to the large end of the pinecone for the tail. Make a head with wattle out of construction paper and attach to the small end of the pine cone.

(Variation: Use colored chenille pipecleaners or colored construction paper for the tail. Pipe cleaner or yarn could be used for the wattle.)

The following fingerplay can be used when the turkeys are done.

The turkey gobbles when he talks (open and close hand)

And waddles when he walks (put hands under arms, move elbows).

He scratches the ground with his feet, (scratch palm of hand)

When looking for food to eat.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need magazines, newspaper, glue, scissors and construction paper or tagboard.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

McPhail, David. Mooney B. Finch, Fastest Draw in the West. With magic pencil and eraser in hand, whatever Mooney B. Finch draws comes to life with a touch of his hand and disappears with a rub of the eraser.

Masurel, Claire. Good Night! Children and parents alike will delight as the little girl in the story searches out all her bedtime friends and scolds them for wanting to stay up longer.

VIDEO VARIETY

Andre. Here is the remarkable true story of a seal who swam hundreds of miles each spring to visit the human family that rescued him when he was an orphaned pup.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Introducing New Foods to Children

Children can have fears about eating new or different foods. Because of this, eating at a friend's house or at a day care could be a traumatic experience. As children grow older it is increasingly important for them to feel comfortable with new or strange foods.

Developmentally, children's curiosity will lead them to explore new foods in much the same way they will explore the rest of their environment. Allowing children to *play* with a food without having to swallow it is a good way to introduce it. Remember that children learn and explore with all their senses. We are not suggesting that you let children play with their food on a regular basis, but rather that you should be sensitive to your child's developmental level. Give your child an opportunity to check out the new food before you expect him/her to put it into his/her mouth. Forcing a child to try new foods can create a negative situation and discourage future exploration.

It's best to remain calm and relaxed at meal time. Allow your children to not like a food. Simply try it again at a later time. Children are more likely to take risks in a safe and familiar environment. Remember, trying a new food can be a risk!

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk about the food you are serving. Describe the color, shape, texture, taste and smell.

Moccasin Garden Club meeting

Moccasin Garden Club met at the Kratka Hall on October 24. Hostess was Valerie Torstveit with Joan Nelson as co-hostess.

Roll call was answered to "tell about your garden." Attending were Betty Troska, Joan Baker, Carol Hammer, Carolyn Haugen, Beattie Mickelson, Pat Swanson, Pat Szymanski, Arlene Thune, Lois Tieman, Rhodella Tieman, Bea Wilson, Marge Prestebak. Guests were Randi Hodny, Jan Aaton and Yvonne Philipp.

President Arlene Thune presided at the meeting. Moccasin Garden Club gave two awards to outstanding 4-H members. For the program Yvonne Philipp displayed a beautiful table of assorted arrangements she had made.

The next meeting will be at the Kratka Hall on November 21 at 7:30 p.m., hosted by Carol Hammer and Carolyn Haugen.

Johnson and Melby to wed

Danny and Becky Johnson of Karlstad and Richard and Judy Melby of Thief River Falls are pleased to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children Michelle Lynn and Mark Richard.

The wedding celebration will take place Saturday, December 2 at 5 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Auxiliary members attend conference

President Sharon Molstad, Secretary Donna Poole and Jo Ann Reeve Gloria Lee, Octavia Jorgenson, and Avis Odegaard, members of the American Legion Auxiliary Unit #117 attended the 63rd annual Fall Conference held at the Sheraton Park Place Hotel in St. Louis Park on November 3-4.

State President Ardis Stone of Glenwood was the presiding officer. Our most distinguished was Doris Ohman of Anaconda, MT, the National Vice President of the Northwestern Division.

On Saturday morning, State Junior President Amber Efta of Argyle addressed the conference. One of the two Girls National Senators from Minnesota, Amanda Rudolph of Bloomington, shared many of her experiences while attending Girls Nation.

Zehlians hold meeting in October

Zehlians, a General Federation of Women's Club, held it's October 18 meeting at the home of Bunny Dondelinger with May Lavalier as co-hostess. There were twenty-four members present.

Jim Hoks of Hall's Floral gave a demonstration on creating centerpieces and decorations for the holidays.

Following the program, the business meeting was held beginning with the pledge to the flag. Committee reports were given. Jean Larson, a member of the school board, gave a presentation on the school levy referendum. The meeting was adjourned. The next meeting was set for November 1 at the home of Margaret Saetre.

Trinity Golden Years Club to meet

Trinity Golden Years Club will meet at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, November 21 in the church basement. The theme for the meeting will be "Counting Your Blessings."

The program will include a Litany For Thanksgiving, a hymn sing and Pastor John Wollenzien will lead in meditation. Diane Baune will present the Newsbreak on Prescription Drug Costs.

November Troops will serve refreshments. All guests and members are encouraged to attend. For rides call 681-1310.

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Berggren and Fenske exchange vows

Becky L. Berggren and Christopher P. Fenske were united in marriage on October 7 at Westaker Free Lutheran Church, Newfolden. Pastor LeRoy Flickinger presided at the 5 p.m. double ring ceremony. Parents of the bride are Newell and Loretta Berggren of Newfolden. Parents of the groom are Ronald and Anna Fenske of Amery, WI.

Singers Tami Berggren, sister of the bride, and Jerad Liedberg, friend of the couple, provided special music with duets "Devoted to You" and "Let It Be Me." Berggren also sang "Annie's Song" as a solo. Musicians were Gary Hodne, friend of the couple, on guitar and Marge and Michael Olson, friends of the couple, on piano and organ. Selections were "(Where Do I Begin) Love Story," "Anywhere the Heart Goes," "The Thorn Birds Theme," "Liebestraum" and "Canon in D." The processionals were "Trumpet Voluntary" and "Bridal Chorus." The recessional was "Wedding March."

The church was decorated with pew candles with white bows, black candelabrum with burgundy flowers, white baskets with burgundy carnations and baby's breath. Flowers were placed on the alter in loving memory of the couple's grandparents, Yagve Berggren and Fred Fenske and uncle Pat Pedeky and best friend, Donelle Folden. Acolytes were Alan Lindstrom, cousin of the bride, and Jerad Liedberg, friend of the couple.

The bride wore a white satin wedding gown with semi cathedral train, v-neck line, short sleeves and basque waistline. Alencon lace, crystal sequins and seed pearls accented the gown. A scalloped band of alencon lace-bordered the hemline. The bride also wore a tierra of sequins and seed pearls with fingertip length veil. She carried a cascading bouquet of white lilies with pearl centers, black sparkle baby's breath and rhinestone hearts.

For her sister's wedding, Brenda Rivera of Grand Forks, ND, served as matron of honor. The bride's sister Tami Berggren, of Newfolden, served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Amber Smith of Amery, WI, sister of the groom, Nancy and Heidi Tunheim, both of Newfolden, cousins of the bride. They wore floor length A-line burgundy chiffon gowns with capped sleeves and chiffon bow with long back streamers accenting the back bodice. They carried round bouquets with burgundy carnations, white lilies and black sparkle baby's breath.

The miniature bride was Adelle Prestebak of Goodridge, friend of the couple. She wore a dress with jewel neckline, short puff sleeves, white satin, embroidered lace, sequins and seed pearls. The back waistline was accented by a bow. She carried a white basket with rose petals and wore a burgundy floral head wreath with baby's breath accents.

The bride's personal attendants were Michelle Prestebak and Shirley Rivera, friends of the couple.

The groom and his groomsmen were attired in black formal tuxedos with tails. The groom wore a boutonniere with two burgundy carnations with pearl accents.

The best man was Travis Stallkamp of Montgomery, cousin of the groom. Groomsmen were Jon Larson of Emmons, friend of the couple, Roger Rivera, Jr. of Grand Forks, ND, brother-in-law of the bride, Mark Bergerson of LaCrosse, WI and Mark Solland of St. Cloud, both friends of the couple. The groomsmen wore boutonnieres with one burgundy carnation with pearl accents.

The miniature groom was Nicholas Peet of Amery, WI, nephew of the groom. The ring bearer was Austin Rivera of Grand Forks, ND, nephew of the bride. The boys wore black formal tuxedos with tails and boutonnieres with miniature carnations with pearl accents.

Darin and John Lee of Grand Forks, cousins of the bride, Brian White of Emmons and John Kinsman of St. Hilaire, both friends of the couple, all served as ushers. They wore black formal tuxedos with tails and boutonnieres with burgundy carnations and pearl accents.

For her daughter's wedding, the mother of the bride wore a light rose tea-length dress with lace trimming. The mother of the groom wore an ivory ankle-length crepe dress with lace-back jacket. The mothers wore corsages of two white roses with mini carnations and pearl accents.

The fathers of the couple wore black formal tuxedos with tails and boutonnieres with one white rose with pearl accents.

Honored guests at the ceremony were Mrs. Elsi Berggren, grandmother of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lee, grandparents of the the bride.

Host and hostess at the reception were Carroll and Beverly Lindstrom, uncle and aunt and godparents of the bride, and Dale and Kathy Stallkamp, uncle and aunt of the groom. Guest book attendant was Tricia Lee, friend of the couple.

The three-tiered white cake was placed on the top of a lighted burgundy-colored water fountain and was baked and decorated by the bride's godmother, Mrs. Beverly Lindstrom.

White roses adorned the cake with white cupid instrumentalists, burgundy roses, pink and burgundy carnations, baby's breath and greens decorating the base around the fountain. A crystal swan music box, a gift from the bride's sister Brenda, was the decoration between the top and middle tiers.

The cake top featured a bride and groom inside an inverted goblet decorated with bells, doves and a bouquet of statice, a gift to the couple made by aunt Beverly Lindstrom.

The cake was cut by Donna Tunheim and Joan Lee, aunts of the bride. Gift table attendants were Rhoda Weageler, Bonnie Jensen, Laura Olson and Jan Szezech, friends of the couple.

After a honeymoon trip to the Duluth-Superior area and the North Shore Drive, the couple is at home in Grand Forks, ND. The bride is a 1987 graduate of Marshall County Central High School, Newfolden, and a 1992 graduate of UND, Grand Forks. She is employed at Lutheran Social Services of Thief River Falls as a program counselor. The groom is a 1986 graduate of Emmons High School, Emmons, WI and a 1990 graduate of UND. He is employed at UND as a certified instrument flight instructor.

RLF student on BSU hall council

Susan Wetenkamp of Red Lake Falls is a member of the Tamarack Hall Council at Bemidji State University.

Wetenkamp, a junior German education major, is the president of Tamarack Hall.

Each of the five residence halls on campus has a governing body which represents the students of that particular hall. The councils establish policies regarding residence hall living; maintain and upgrade the quality of life; provide, plan and participate in activities for its residents; represent the hall at campus functions; and advise and assist the residence hall director.

Senior meal on Monday evening at Heritage Center

The senior meal at the Heritage Center on Monday, November 20 will be a roast turkey dinner at 5:30 p.m. Entertainment will be provided by the Fire Line Dancers B Squad. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Our Lives Begin To End The Day We Become Silent About Things That Matter

The following scenario occurs frequently. You attend a meeting, any meeting. It could be church, scouts, Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, Eagles, Elks, hospital auxiliary or any number of other worthy organizations.

There's a big project planned. It could be a blood drive, benefit or community service. But someone needs to chair it, to take charge, to make it happen.

The group's leader asks for a volunteer chairperson. No one makes eye contact. No one looks around the room. Everyone holds their breath waiting for someone else to volunteer. Everyone is sitting on their hands. No one dares scratch their nose or rearrange their hair lest it be mistaken for a raised hand.

This project would be a huge undertaking. It would take a lot of time and energy. You're pretty busy. With all of your other commitments you couldn't possibly take on something else. But on the other hand, it's a worthwhile cause.

Finally, the leader announces that someone has said "yes" to the call for a chairperson. Smiles all around the room and everyone sighs with relief. Then you realize that your hand is raised, you just volunteered to take on the challenge.

How did that hand get in the air? It must have a mind of its own!

You leave the meeting wondering why you volunteered. In fact, you ask yourself the same question for the next several weeks as the project materializes. Why did you volunteer?

I know the answer. It's because you care. You care about what happens in your community and to the people in it. You volunteered because it meant something to you; you decided to work for a goal, an idea, an issue, a concern, that you believe in. It's the right thing to do.

This scenario is played out weeky and monthly in every organization in Thief River Falls. These organizations are driven by volunteers. Many people just say "yes" when they're called upon to volunteer, to do something good for no monetary reward.

Volunteers are used in countless ways in nursing homes and hospitals, schools, libraries, United Ways, food shelves, service organizations and churches.

People raise their hands every day and say, "I'll do that. I'll help. I'll be glad to."

What if people didn't raise their hands? What if people didn't volunteer? What if all people were too busy to help?

No one would listen to your child read at school. The senior citizens and shut-ins wouldn't receive their home-delivered meals, possibly their only meal of the day. The church wouldn't be cleaned. There would be no one to cook for and serve a funeral for a family member. Your children couldn't attend religious education classes. There would be less money for reserarch on deadly diseases.

Without volunteers blood donors, people would die. Without 4-H and scouting programs, our young people would be without vital leadership skills. Less fortunate children and adults would go hungry. Some children wouldn't celebrate Christmas.

Without volunteers, many parts of our society would be at a standstill. We couldn't function.

That's why I want today "thank you" to all the people in the area who raise their hands and say, "Yes, what can I do to help? What can I do to make this a better place for my children and me to live?"

Every day individuals take a stand. Every day people support important issues. A quote I read recently says it all: "Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

Sometimes, we have to come forward and support what we think is right.

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Quin County Board meeting canceled

The Quin County Board and Advisory Committee meeting will not be held in November.

Parent-teacher conferences at Franklin MS

Parent-teacher conferences will be held at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls Monday and Tuesday, November 20 and 21 from 8 a.m. to 8:45 p.m. with breaks for lunch from 11 to 11:30 a.m. and dinner from 4 to 5 p.m., according to Bill Hahne, principal.

Several teachers will be available for conferences during specified times only due to conflicting schedules.

Ginger Bendickson will be available for conferences Monday from 8 to 9:15 a.m. and 12 noon to 8:45 p.m. and on Tuesday from 8 to 11 a.m. and 6 to 6:45 p.m.

Derek Druse will be available Tuesday only from 12 noon to 8:45 p.m.

Marcia Knuttila will be available all day Tuesday only from 8 a.m. to 8:45 p.m.

John Kopari will be available for conferences Tuesday only from 12 noon to 8:45 p.m.

Marilyn Adams will be available from 8 a.m. to 8:45 p.m. Monday and from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Hahne emphasized that appointment times are not set for parents of Franklin middle school students to meet with teachers. "We encourage parents to stop in at a time that is convenient to them," he said.

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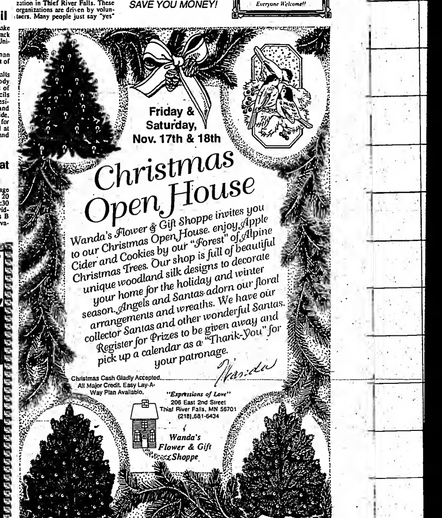

Friday & Saturday, Nov. 17th & 18th

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Jerry and Kathy Connell

Piano students perform in music festival

Piano students from all parts of northwestern Minnesota filled The Community Church with music in Thief River Falls Saturday, November 4, during the Minnesota Music Teachers Association Northwest District Piano Ensemble Festival. Duets and duos were performed by students from as far away as Crookston and Detroit Lakes. Twenty-eight performers from Thief River Falls, all students of Marcia Knuttila, made up the largest group represented at the festival. The festival was performed in two recitals held at 10 and 11:30 a.m.

Local participants included the following: 10 a.m. recital — Karen Christensen and Richelle Pietzold; Christine and Stacey Anderson; Kathryn Knuttila and Jillian Larson; Kelsey Christensen and Brittany Larson, Christine Anderson and Chris Michelson; Matthew Dimich, Adam Knott, Michael Langland and John Michelson; Kimberly Knuttila and Shelly Robb-Aubey; Kari and Kimberly Knuttila; Kendra Dimich and Heidi Johnson.

11:30 a.m. recital — Erin Melby and Charity Wicks; Sarah Brule and Jayne Buzzell, D. Paul Dehnert and Robert Ekeren, Sarah Brule and Mathew Thibert; Robert Ekeren and Nikolas Kotz; Nikolas Kotz, and Amanda Rodahl, Jacob Jacobson and Amanda Rodahl, Erin Melby and Charity Wicks.

Although this event was non-competitive, each performance received a written evaluation. The adjudicator was Ms. Inta Stahl, a member of the music faculty at Concordia College. All 17 ensembles received the highest rating of "Superior".

The ensemble festival is an annual event. It is part of the Minnesota Music Teachers Association program in which students gain teamwork skills by playing duets and duos (Duets are performed on one piano, and duos are performed on two pianos).

Family relationship seminar this week at Adventist church

Family relationships will be the subject of a seminar to be presented this Friday and Saturday, November 17 and 18, at the Seventh-day Adventist church in Thief River Falls. Speakers will be Jerry and Kathy Connell of Lincoln, NE.

Public attendance is invited and there is no registration fee. A freewill offering will be accepted. Child care is available—primarily for children 12 years of age and younger—if parents call 681-7685 and pre-register by Thursday, November 16.

Pre-registration for all who plan to attend the seminar is encouraged so that packets of hand-out materials may be prepared and ready for them upon arrival at the seminar.

Entitled "Family Relationships: Maximizing Their Potential," the seminar will begin with a segment on "Understanding Each Other" from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday. The Connells will share the responsibility of presenting the five most important needs a man and a woman want to have met in a marriage.

Although the 11 a.m. Saturday presentation by Jerry Connell is not a part of the formal seminar, the public is invited to hear his presentation entitled "The Parable of the Crazy Farmer."

Following a fellowship meal, the Saturday afternoon program entitled "Understanding Ourselves" will begin at 1:30 p.m. and end at 6:30 p.m. "We will look at how we are influenced by our growing-up years and how that affects our relationships in our adult life," Connell said, adding that those attending will understand:

(1) Why they married the person they did;

(2) Why they relate to their spouses the way they do;

(3) How to decrease the possibility of their children getting divorced;

(4) The dynamics of mother/son, father/daughter relationships; and

(5) How parents' relationships with their children affect their children in the areas of relationships, love, sexuality, self-esteem, work, habits and how one's children will relate to their own children.

Jerry Connell is associate pastor of the 2,400-member College View Seventh-day Adventist Church in Lincoln, NE, where he is director of family life ministry, men's ministries, young adult ministries and is staff counselor. Currently pursuing his doctoral degree, he has presented seminars in more than 15 countries including Canada, Mexico, the Caribbean and Europe.

Kathy Connell is completing a master's degree in education. She and Jerry have been married 23 years and have three teenage daughters and an 11-year-old son.

AICR holds annual fund drive in TRF

American Institute for Cancer Research (AICR) is conducting a fund drive in Thief River Falls. (Residents should be aware that this is not a fund drive for the American Cancer Society of Thief River Falls.)

The American Institute for Cancer Research is a non-profit, tax exempt organization whose purpose is to provide funding support for research into the relationship between diet, nutrition and cancer and to expand consumer knowledge about the results of such research as it relates to cancer prevention and treatment in the United States and worldwide.

According to information from the American Institute for Cancer Research, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, the Institute's expenses totaled 523,380,280. Of that amount, 22 per cent was spent directly in support of cancer research, and 45 per cent of expenses went in support of the Institute's public education programs in cancer prevention. Together, research and public education programs accounted for 67 per cent of all expenditures by the Institute. Fund-raising costs for the year were 21 per cent of total expenses and 12 per cent of expenses went to administrative costs.

County fair dates are set

Dates for the 1996 Pennington County Fair have been set for Wednesday through Sunday, July 10-14, according to Floyd Erickson, president, and Ray Safranski, secretary of the board of directors.

Setting of the county fair dates had been delayed pending a meeting with officials of other county fairs in the area and representatives of the carnival company which provides midway attractions for a number of the county fairs in the area.

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Dennis Krause

Krause earns PhD degree from Purdue

Dennis Krause, formerly of Thief River Falls, received his PhD degree in physics from Purdue University and is presently serving as assistant professor at Williams College in Williamstown, MA.

A Lincoln high school graduate, he received his bachelor's degree from St. Olaf College in Northfield and his master's degree from the University of Wisconsin in Milwaukee.

Pvt. Eric Morris

E. Morris earns top award for marksmanship

Marine Private Eric M. Morris, son of Julie-Anne Morris of Thief River Falls, received the Expert Rifleman Medal df Honor, the highest award given for marksmanship, during basic training recently completed at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, CA.

Pvt. Morris, a 1995 Roseau high school graduate, is presently attending school at Camp LeJeune, NC, where he will graduate December 15 and receive his permanent station orders.

During the 11 weeks of training the recruits were involved with physical conditioning and classroom and field assignments including first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training.

They received instruction in the Marine Corps' values of honor, courage and commitment and worked as a team to solve a number of tactical problems. They performed close order drill and operated as a Marine small infantry unit in the field.

Friends who would like Eric's address may call 681-3648 and ask for Julie.

Marshall County residents receive citizen awards

Marshall County Commissioner Marcella Gonsorowski and Social Services Supervisor Debbra Swanson have received this year's Marshall County Outstanding Citizen Awards at the Region I Minnesota Social Service Association Fall Conference. It was held September 29 in Red Lake Falls.

A skit entitled "The Many Hats of a County Commissioner" was enacted honoring Marcella. She has provided valuable leadership in the human service field both locally and on the state level. She is well known and appreciated for being a tough lady with a warm heart.

Tributes were paid to Debbra Swanson recognizing her untiring spirit, management know-how, leadership style and contagious qualities of happiness and hope. She facilitates true teamwork in whatever she's involved with. Her efforts at bringing out the best in the human service field are appreciated.

Awarded to each was a plaque with the inscription: "In recognition of your contribution to the field of human services, through teamwork and the sharing of a common direction, or order to build a better community."

Marshall County was proud to honor two dedicated individuals who wholeheartedly take on the challenges that face the people-helping profession.

Obituaries

Mary Fladeland, 78
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Bernice Carlson, 80

Thief River Falls — Bernice Carlson, 80, died on Thursday, November 9 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, November 11 at the Evangelical Free Lutheran Church with Rev. Curtis Anderson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Carolyn Tronrud. Interment was in Salem Lutheran Cemetery, Stephen. Arrangements were by Green Funeral Home in Thief River Falls.

Bernice Arleen Erickson was born on May 1, 1915 in Big Woods township, Marshall county, to Elling and Sophie (Melo) Erickson. She attended elementary school at Big Woods and the Warren schools. She later worked in domestic work until her marriage.

On January 1, 1939, she was united in marriage to Clarence Carlson at the Evangelical Free Church, Strathcona. The couple lived in Augsburg township, Marshall county until 1945 when they moved into Stephen. Clarence died in April 1984. Bernice moved in to Thief River Falls in 1986 and Oakland Park Nursing Home in 1993 where she has since resided.

Bernice was active in the formation of the Mission Covenant Church in Stephen and its Ladies Aid. She loved music and could play several instruments. She also enjoyed oil painting as a hobby.

She is survived by her children: David, Bemidji, Ronald of Stephen, Marilyn Carlson, White Bear Lake, Bonita Young, Rhinelander, WI, Susan Carlson, White Bear Lake; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; sister, Doris Hammness, Minneapolis; brothers, Clarence Erickson and Roynell Erickson, both of Greenbush, and Delbert of Thief River Falls; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; infant sister Bernice Adora; sisters, Evelyn Hamness, Gladys Gjovik, Inez Gjovik, Alice McMahnon and brother Eldor Erickson.

Evaleth Monroe, 74

Thief River Falls — Evaleth "Eva" Monroe, 74, died on November 9 at Warren.

Funeral services were Monday, November 13 at Zion Lutheran Church in Warren. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Warren. Arrangements were by Quanrud-DuBore Funeral Home.

Evaleth Thun was born on November 23, 1920 at Strandquist, the daughter of Gustav and Ella (Nelson) Thun. She graduated from Strandquist High School and she worked at Greenbush.

On August 15, 1941 she was united in marriage to George Monroe. They made their home on the Fred Monroe farm near Radium where she took on the household responsibilities and raised the young Monroe children. In 1945 they purchased their own farm near Radium where they have since resided.

She was very active in her church, Immanuel Lutheran Church, and community activities such as the Ladies Aid, Homemakers, 4-H and TOPS.

Eva wanted to keep busy, whether it was making meals, taking care of the yard and garden or doing her sewing and crafts. She never sat down without some project in her hand. Everyone who came into the yard had to stay for a meal. George said she made the best wild rice hot dish he had ever eaten. Over the years, she and George enjoyed visiting friends, square dancing, fishing, golfing, bowling, and playing cards.

Eva loved to talk about her grandchildren. They made her proud, each in his or her own special way. They will certainly miss her.

She is survived by her husband, George; son, Milo of Warren; two daughters, Kay Hanson, Thief River Falls and Jill Halvorson, West Fargo, ND; her mother Ella Thun of Thief River Falls; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father, Gustav Thun and brother Douglas.

Verlin Olson, 59

Karlstad — Verlin Arl Olson, 59, died on Thursday evening, November 9 at Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 14 at First Lutheran Church, Middle River with Pastor John Jorgenson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Lois Peterson and vocalist Barb Oeer. Selections were "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Children of the Heavenly Father."

Casketbearers were George Rybakowski, Curtiss Wolff, Dean Wiskow, Darrick Wiskow, Dan Loerzel and William Olson. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery, Strathcona. Arrangements were with Collins Funeral Home of Karlstad.

Verlin Arl Olson, the son of Gilbert and Beatrice (Johnson) Olson, was born December 15, 1935 in Huss township, Roseau county, near Strathcona. He attended school in the Strathcona community and was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. He served in the U.S. Army from August 1958 until May 1960. Following his discharge he returned to the Strathcona and Middle River communities.

On July 28, 1962, he was united in marriage to Eleanor Hemp at Greenbush. He was employed in construction work over the years and for the past 25 years, worked for H&S Construction Co. He was a long time member of the Middle River American Legion Post.

He had been in failing health for the last three years.

He is survived by two sons, Verlyn, Warroad and Harlan of Strathcona; two daughters, Nadine Duffy, East Grand Forks and Joan Klamar, Middle River; 11 grandchildren; three sisters, Margaret Swenson, Middle River, Olive Wiskow, Goodridge, and Sylvia Sannes, Middle River. He is also survived by several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Peter and Harlan, and one sister, Gloria.

Lyle A. Rolland, 73

Coon Rapids — Lyle A. Rolland, 73, formerly of St. Hilaire, died Wednesday, November 8 in Minneapolis.

Funeral services were Monday, November 13 at 10 a.m. at Peace Lutheran Church, Coon Rapids. Interment was in Fort Snelling Cemetery with Kapala-Glodek Gearhart Chapel in charge of arrangements.

Lyle A. Rolland was born September 18, 1922 at St. Hilaire. He served in the US Army from 1942 to 1945. He was a member of the American Legion and VFW. He was also a retired district manager from Holiday Station Stores.

He is survived by his former wife and the mother of his children, Donna Rolland; children, Pamela McGill of Andover, Steven of East Bethel, Paula Ketterling of Marion, ND, Scott of Coon Rapids and Penny Rolland of Anoka; grandchildren, Ian, Patrick, Melissa, Eric, Anna, Vanessa, Casey, Karl, Derek, Travis and Chelsey; bother Ruel of White Bear Lake, and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, August and Effie; stepfather, Elmer Johnson; an infant son; brothers, Arvid, Merle and Duane and sister Helen.

Dear Readers,

Many people feel uneasy making prearrangements for themselves or for a loved one. The decision to pre-plan is a difficult one - that is why we wish to express these feelings to you. When you make an appointment to discuss prearrangement and/or pre-financing, you are under no obligation to make a commitment. We are here to provide counsel and to explain the options open to you and your family.

Respectfully,

Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Gunda Byfuglien, 87

Roseau — Gunda Bernice Byfuglien, 87, died Thursday, November 9 at the Warroad Care Center.

Funeral services were Monday, November 13 at 10 a.m. at Concordia Lutheran Church, rural Badger with Pastor Robert L. Barker officiating. Special music was provided by pianist Deb Wood and vocalists Mitch Jorgenson, Michelle Johnson and Deanna Byfuglien.

Pallbearers were Matt, Dana, Dean, Jeremy, Bobby John Byfuglien and Troy Hammer. Interment was in Concordia Lutheran Cemetery.

Gunda was born October 2, 1908 at Dieter township, Roseau county, rural Pinecreek to Ole and Berget (Pederson) Dokken. She grew up and attended school at Pinecreek. She was baptized and confirmed at Pinecreek Lutheran Church.

She married Knute Byfuglien on October 22, 1927 in Roseau. Their first home was one and one half miles north of Ross. They lived there for 10 years. Their four children were born there. In 1938 they moved to a farm three miles south of Ross where she has lived since. Mr. Byfuglien died on November 5, 1994.

Gunda was a member of the Concordia Ladies Aid. In her earlier years she was a member of the Ross Garden Club and she wrote for the Ross News and the Roseau Times-Region.

She is survived by two sons, Kenneth and Robert, both of Roseau; daughter Vivian Turner, Anaheim, CA; 14 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; one brother Mervin Dokken of Roseau; two sisters, Opal Ronglie of Eagan and Mildred Dahl, Anaheim, CA.

She was preceded in death by her husband; an infant daughter, Bernice; grandchild Jana Rae; brothers, Clarence and Gilmer, and one sister, Dorothy Heller.

Gregory Roisland, 39

Rosemount — Gregory Roisland, 39, formerly of Thief River Falls, died on Tuesday, November 7 at his home.

Funeral services were held Saturday, November 11 at Ebenezer Lutheran Church, rural Oklee, with Reverend Clarence Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Geleen Lundeen, soloist Sharon Paape and accompanist Ruth Tipton. Selections were "Old Rugged Cross" and "How Great Thou Art." Congregational hymns were "Just As I Am" and "Beautiful Savior."

Casketbearer was Mervin Prestebak. Interment was in the church cemetery. Arrangements were by Green Funeral Home.

Gregory Frank Roisland was born on November 29, 1955, in Thief River Falls, the son of Frank and Irene (Fjeld) Roisland. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith at Ebenezer Lutheran Church and attended elementary school in Mayfield township through the fifth grade. In 1973 he graduated from Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls.

On June 5, 1976 Gregory was united in marriage to Rachel Tipton at Ebenezer Lutheran Church. Following his schooling he worked for his father on the family farm. He also worked for Forsberg's Inc. and with Mervin Prestebak Construction before moving to the Twin Cities in 1986. He has worked for Mesaba Airlines since 1985 where he was the head ground support mechanic.

He was a member of Heritage Lutheran Church of Apple Valley. He was active in exhibiting stationary gas engines at many threshing shows, enjoyed hunting and outdoors and was a member of the Dakota County Gun Club.

He is survived by his wife Rachel; 13-year-old son, Arlan; his mother, Irene Roisland of Thief River Falls; brother Gary, Thief River Falls; sisters, Barbara Helm, Mandan, ND and Brenda Mosher, Goodridge; grandmother, Gena Fjeld of Thief River Falls; several nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his father, Frank; his paternal grandmother; his grandfathers; two cousins, Steve Roisland and Bruce Westerlund, and four uncles, Tom Roisland, Oscar Roisland, John Wettestead and John Lang.

Irene Mathsen, 89

Arthur, ND — Irene S. Mathsen, 89, formerly of Trail, died on Monday, November 13 at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home in Arthur, ND.

Funeral services will be held in the Sand Valley Lutheran Church on Friday, November 17 at 1:30 p.m. with the Reverend Robert Kelly officiating. Interment will be held in the Sand Valley Cemetery near Trail.

Visitation will be Thursday, November 16 from 5-8 p.m. with a 7:30 p.m. prayer service at the Petterson Funeral Home in Oklee and on Friday for one hour prior to services at the church.

Irene Serina Mathsen was born December 11, 1906 in rural Waverly township, Martin county, near Truman, the daughter of Ole and Anna (Oanes) Singelseter. Irene was baptized in the Christian faith on December 13, 1906, the day her father died. Her mother died in 1910.

Irene was raised by uncle and aunt Peder and Gunhild Oanes and uncle and aunt Christ and Mario Oanes who moved from southern Minnesota to rural Halstad. Irene was confirmed in the Christian faith on November 28, 1920 at the Halstad Lutheran Church. After graduating from Halstad High School in 1927, she worked as a maid and cook until 1938.

On January 20, 1938, she was united in marriage to Melvin Mathsen of rural Oklee in Minneapolis. They moved to a farm north of Oklee in 1939 and remained there until retiring to Trail in 1972. Melvin passed away on April 22, 1983. Irene moved to Fargo, ND in 1989 and then to the Good Samaritan Center in Arthur, ND in 1991 where she has since resided.

Irene is survived by one son, Ronald Mathsen of Fargo, ND; two daughters, Sharon Jensen of Fridley and Linda Burckhard of West Fargo, ND; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1983; three grandchildren and two brothers, Elmer Singelseter and Ragnvold Oanes.

Mary Fladeland, 78

Lexington, KY — Mary Fladeland, 78, formerly of St. Hilaire, died Saturday, November 11 at the University of Kentucky Hospital in Lexington, KY.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, November 16 at 1 p.m. at the Calvary Lutheran Church with Pastor Terri Jo Skildum officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Debbie Holmgren and soloist Penny Schindler. The selection is "In the Garden" and "Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns are "How Great Thou Art", and "What a Friend."

Casketbearers will be Chad Fladeland, Robert "Bobby" Fladeland, Rance Fladeland, Terry Fladeland, David Daniel, Sr., Everett Spicer. Honorary casketbearers are all of her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Interment will be in Riverside Cemetery.

Visitation will be at the Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls, from 1-9 p.m. on Wednesday, November 15 with an 8 p.m. prayer service and at the church on Thursday, one hour prior to services.

Mary Theresa Houdashell was born July 24, 1917 in Worcester, MA to Henry and Mary (Fitzpatrick) Houdashell. She attended school and grew to adulthood in Watertown, MA. She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith.

She was united in marriage to Ole John Fladeland on February 6, 1943 at Belmont, MA. She worked at the silk mill in Brighton, MA and in 1954, they moved to Reynolds, ND where Mary was a homemaker. In 1954 the couple moved to Red Lake Falls and later to Thief River Falls and purchased two taxi businesses. In 1956 they moved to St. Hilaire where they owned a farm.

Ole passed away June 4, 1983 and Mary continued to live in St. Hilaire until January 10, 1986 when she moved to San Antonio, TX to live with her daughter, Mary Daniel. On October 9, 1992, Mary moved to Windcrest Nursing Center in San Antonio, TX after breaking her hip. In 1993 she moved to Pine Meadows Rest Home in Lexington, KY, moving with her daughter.

She enjoyed knitting, crocheting, baking, reading and visiting with family and friends. Mary was a member of Calvary Lutheran Church in St. Hilaire, where she worked in the Ladies Aid and she also was in the Homemakers Group in St. Hilaire.

Mary is survived by her three children, John, Phoenix, AZ, Mary Daniel, Frankfort, KY and Bob, St. Hilaire; six grandchildren; five great-great grandchildren; one sister, Louise Esser, Whittier, CA; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ole and her parents.

Richard Knutson, 23

Hallock — Richard Arthur Knutson died January 8, 1973 when his aircraft was downed by ground fire in Quang Tri Province of South Vietnam.

Funeral services are scheduled for Saturday, November 18 at 10 a.m. in the Grace Lutheran Church in Hallock. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery at Hallock with Hughes Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Neil Henrickson, 42

Minneapolis — Neil Thomas Henrickson, 42, formerly of Middle River, died Sunday, November 5 at Minneapolis.

Memorial services for Neil were held Sunday, November 12 at the Collins Funeral Chapel in Middle River with Pastor Doug Norquist officiating. Interment was in the English Cemetery near Strandquist.

Neil Thomas Henrickson, the son of George and Loretta (Taylor) Henrickson, was born on January 3, 1953, at Karlstad. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. At the age of 11 years, he moved to Middle River where he grew up and graduated from Middle River High School.

He also attended Northland Junior College at Thief River Falls and entered the U.S. Army in 1972. He served for 10 years and following his discharge, made his home in Minneapolis. He was later employed as a carpenter at Green Bay, WI, and returned to Minneapolis in 1993. He had been in poor health for the past two years.

Neil is survived by three brothers, Harlan, Jasper, George Ervan, Strandquist, and Eugene, St. Paul; one aunt, Gladys Henrickson, Roseau; one uncle, Alton Henrickson, Grand Forks, ND, and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Veterans Day program was conducted by Ecklund-Holmstrom Post 117 of the American Legion and Auxiliary Saturday evening at the club rooms in Thief River Falls. Tom Matajka (right), Ninth District Commander of the American Legion, was guest speaker for the banquet program. Pictured with Matajka are Larry and Sharon Molstad, respective commander and president of Post 117 and Auxiliary. Commander Molstad presided at the program, Chaplain Fred Dallmann gave the invocation and benediction, President Molstad gave the welcome and music was presented by Matt, Mandy and Vicki Bitzagslo. The Post 117 color guard presented and retired the colors.

The Thief River Falls VFW and American Legion held a Veteran's Day observance at Lincoln High School on Friday, November 10. Superintendent Mark Hinckley (far right), a Vietnam veteran, was the featured speaker for the program.

Blood drive at TRF hospital Nov. 21-22

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2793 and Auxiliary will sponsor a blood drive at the Northwest Medical Center chapel on Tuesday, November 21 from 1 to 7 p.m. and Wednesday, November 22, from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m., according to Lorraine Morben, local blood drive coordinator.

Persons who are interested in donating blood and wish to make an appointment may contact Mrs. Morben at 681-2829. All eligible donors are encouraged to give blood at this drive prior to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The blood drawn here will be made into three different components, the most important of which is platelets, which help control bleeding. Many leukemia and other cancer patients use platelets on a regular basis, but they are only usable for five days so they are very difficult to keep in plentiful supply.

United Blood Services, which draws blood at the drive, typically sees an increase in platelet use around the holidays and notes that the need could be critical during the Thanksgiving weekend.

Because it takes nine hours to test and process blood, all types of blood must always be available. A patient who needs blood cannot wait. By dividing a unit of blood into components, up to three patients can benefit from each unit of blood donated. Red blood cells can be used for a surgery patient or to treat anemia and plasma is used to treat burn patients and accident victims with acute blood loss.

Kasey Moose on ND School for deaf honor roll

Kasey Moose, eighth grade daughter of Daniel Moose of Newfolden, and Kathy Moose of Thief River Falls, was among the students listed on the honor roll at the North Dakota School for the Deaf in Devils Lake, ND.

Twenty-three LHS students to travel to Germany in '96

Twenty-three Lincoln High school students from Thief River Falls will travel to Germany this summer on a 12-day educational student tour. The students will travel with their German teacher Paivi Young, her husband Steve, and seventh-grade daughter.

The group's tentative itinerary includes visits to Frankfurt, Berlin, Nuremberg, Munich, Heidelberg and to Salzburg, Austria, and several other cities. In addition, students will experience a two- to three-day family stay in the Munich area.

Bergan Travel of Thief River Falls, in cooperation with Into Interstudy Tours of Germany is in charge of travel arrangements. Students who satisfactorily complete an approved study project during the tour receive one-fourth of a high school credit.

Several fund-raising activities will be conducted to help students defray some of their costs associated with the trip to Germany. Candy sales were held in October. German Advent calendars are being sold November 13-24. German students, along with their parents, are working at the American Legion Saturday, November 18, to help with the burger luncheon. Cookbooks will be sold at a later date and several pancake breakfasts are planned.

A parent advisory group is in charge of the fund-raising activities. Young said she has a very supportive group of parents to help out and she is very thankful for their participation in all of the activities. The core advisory group of parents include: Polly Dehnert, Carol Clark, Sheila Dargus, Mary Bruggeman, Donna Keogh, Louis Brown and Renae Seibel.

Any community service organization, individuals or businesses willing to contribute toward this educational tour can contact Paivi at Lincoln High school. Students are willing to assist service organizations.

Twenty-three Lincoln High school students from Thief River Falls will participate in an educational tour of Germany next summer. Students are currently raising funds for the tour. Pictured from left are: (back row) Matt Gustafson, Nels Brown, Paivi Young, Billy Lublitz, Shannon Hagaman, Jeremiah Hasnadl, Jeremy Seibel, and Chris Bruggeman; (middle row) Kate Ihle, Kristin Chrzanowski, Reann Dargus, Natalie Loeffler, Paul Dehnert, Arica Brasten; (front row) Kelly Clark, Jennifer Vad, Jenna Tsukichi, Eava Young, Joshua Holmes, and Daniel Carpenter. Not pictured are: Christopher Tsukichi, Kim Stanseth, Ryan Viktora, Ross Cleven, Stephen Young, and Heidi Young.

29th coin show canceled due to over-scheduling

Thief River Falls Coin Club's 29th annual coin, stamp, antique and hobby show which had been scheduled for November 18 and 19 has been canceled for this year, according to Patrick Klemisch, show coordinator.

Klemisch said that the cancelation was due to scheduling conflicts at the Best Western Inn where the show was to have been held.

The annual raffle drawing will take place on Sunday, November 19, at Franklin middle school where the coin club regularly holds its meetings. Proceeds from the coin show and raffle support scholarships awarded by the club.

The show will be resumed next year when the dates will be November 23 and 24, the Saturday and Sunday before Thanksgiving Day which will be November 28.

Rep. Tim Penny talks politics, and health care at TRF forum

Area business leaders got an update on Washington politics plus a look at a new community-based health care system when former U.S. Representative Tim Penny spoke in Thief River Falls November 1.

The community business forum, held at the Thief River Falls Best Western was sponsored by Dakota Community Health Network, a joint venture of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Dakota Clinic and the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Penny noted that change will continue to be made in Washington, but he added, "We in Minnesota should not be threatened by changes at the national level as long as they give us the tools to do a better job for ourselves."

For example, Penny said he expects an end to farm subsidies from the national government. "We can counter that by adding value to agricultural products before they leave the community."

If Medicare and Medicaid funding is block-granted back to states, Penny said that Minnesota will be in good shape to handle that responsibility because the state has already made significant progress in establishing integrated service networks.

Representing Minnesota's 1st Congressional District, Penny served 12 year in the House before voluntarily retiring last year. He recently authored a book, "Common Cents: A Retiring Six-Term Congressman Reveals How Congress Really Works and What "We Must Do to Fix It." Penny returned to southern Minnesota to live with his wife and four children. He said that to preserve a rural way of life, "We have to take charge of our own destiny, to ensure our future and to make our communities attractive places to live."

Also speaking at the forum were Joel Haugen, M.D., and James Knapp, M.D., representing DCHN. Haugen, a family practice physician with Dakota Clinic and on the board of DCHN, noted how important health care is to the quality of life in a rural community. Haugen said the goals of DCHN are to provide efficient, effective health care that is affordable and which helps keep participants healthy.

Knapp, who is executive director of DCHN, discussed health care reform in Minnesota and MinnesotaCare legislation that allows for the creation of community integrated service networks (CISN). Knapp noted that Dakota Clinic and BCBSM have been working with the communities in the region to meet the health care needs of northwest Minnesota and will soon be introducing the Dakota Community Health Plan, a CISN designed for the region.

Set Lutheran Brotherhood annual meet this Sunday

The annual meeting of Lutheran Brotherhood Northwest Minnesota Branch 8129 will be held on Sunday, November 19, at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls, starting at 1:30 p.m. In conjunction with the meeting, there will be a concert of contemporary Christian music presented by Jim Olson of Bemidji. The public is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Northwest Minnesota Lutheran Brotherhood Branch 8129, representing a fraternal benefit society, distributed about $31,000 of funds in the local area the past year. Recipients of over $12,000 included several families with catastrophic medical expenses, needy children who were provided clothing, food and toys and many beneficial community projects. Also, matching funds in the amount of $18,550 were made available to 39 Lutheran congregations in the area.

In addition, three Lutheran Brotherhood member scholarships in the amount of $4,500 were awarded to local students in the Northwest Minnesota Branch 8129. These scholarships are renewable for three additional years.

Strandquist
F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

Pearl Thompson accompanied Betsy Thompson to Thief River Falls to do some shopping. It won't be long until Christmas and it's a good idea to get a head start.

Tuesday evening at Elsie Lefrooth's were visitors of royalty, goblins and Disney World characters. Last but not least was little Jake in a cute brown velvet Teddy Bear suit accompanied by grandpa and grandma, Danny and Becky.

Kristopher Anderson spent the weekend at home from UND.

Douglas Holmstrom and two friends, Brian Whipkey and Roger Landmann all from Farmington were weekend hunters at Dean and Joanna Holmstrom's. They had breakfast at Elsie Lefrooth's before returning home after a successful hunting trip.

Try to come and enjoy the dinner on Tuesday afternoon sponsored by the seniors at the Center.

Winter came to Northwest Minnesota with a vengeance in early November this year, and we weren't given a time of just a taste of it. We hadn't gotten out the long johns from the attic where we put them in early spring to get them lost from the memories of their bulky feelings all winter. They came down when the old timers said that this weather is here to stay for awhile, like April or perhaps even the month of May.

The big grey squirrel, The Daring Wallanda the trapeze artist, who suffered an agitated toll when he got on the electrical lines and brushed both wires hasn't been seen since by us. If anyone has seen him lately please call us. We miss watching him perform.

The Strandquist seniors didn't have their usual meeting on Thursday due to the weather. If possible they will have one this coming Thursday. Most of them have been very busy out hunting or entertaining and cooking for the hunters. This is a great time of the year for most Americans and we look forward to the season a long time before it gets here.

Dinner guests at Paul and Shirley Anderson's on Sunday evening were Morris and Hazel Anderson and Myrtle Vagle, and hunters Jim Wetterlund of Grand Forks, Kristopher Anderson home from UND, and Kenrick Anderson who bagged most of the deer for the party. What else did he talk about but hunting and hunting?

Guests and visitors at Morris and Marcelyn Lindstrom's for hunting season were Jeff Lindstrom of Akeley, Joe Jorlund of Walker, Nathan Lindstrom of Roseville, Chris Lindstrom of Minneapolis and Ted John, son and children of Menagha. They all returned home with the full quota.

Each year Elphie and Stanley Adlis have hunters show up to bag their limit. This weekend Richard Johnson and Nancy Johnson of Lino Lakes, Peter Marchiando of Niceville, FL and Tom Mallet of Dayton, OH and joined on Friday by Cory Wikstrom of Karlstad all went home happy with their hunt. Peter Marchiando and Tom Mallet went to Grand Forks to visit with Marchiando's son at the Air Base until Thursday before heading East. Mike and Betty Johnson of Warroad visited the hunters on Saturday evening. They had gotten 7 more inches of snow up in Warroad on top of the 12 inches they already did have but no rain for which they were glad.

Those who attended the Brian Nelson, Jr. birthday supper at Irene's Cafe on Thursday, November 9th, were the following: Gayhard and Irene Nelson, Bronda Kasprowicz and family, Brien Nelson and family, Karl Kasprowicz and Marcus, Marlin and Doreen Nelson and family, Gordon and Lila Grandstrand, Donny and Marlys Lefrooth, Randy and Kathy Nelson and family, Donald Nelson and Gena Henrickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cory Wikstrom visited Elphie Adlis on Thursday.

Visitors this week at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's were Kelly Lefrooth, Amanda and Jessica of Cedar, Lowell Lefrooth, Claudia Borggren, Karl Kosprowicz and Marcus, Bud and Mario Sieffen of Argyle and Buddy and Larina Berggren. I'm sure the coffee pot was handy around there.

Margaret Sandberg visited Elsie Lefrooth on Tuesday.

Gayhard and Irene Nelson attended a birthday party at Gene Kasprowicz's for Jeremy Kasprowicz's 2nd birthday on Saturday, November 4th. A good time was had by all.

Little Oak
Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Visitors last Sunday at the Clare Peterson home were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie and Bryan.

Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen were coffee guests at the Gary Johnson home on Monday afternoon.

Willie and Jane Good visited at the Gr8on Good home Tuesday evening.

Betty Harder called at the Bud Hommo and Ida Haugen home Saturday afternoon.

Yvonne Good of Minneapolis is spending some time visiting her dad and sister Karen and other relatives in the area. Yvonne and Gena Good visited at the Willie Good home one day during the week.

Terry Haugen and Patricia visited at the Ida Haugen home Friday late afternoon. David Arveson called there briefly late on Thursday afternoon on his way to town.

Lorraine Mostrom visited at the Lester Hanson home on Sunday afternoon.

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home during the week were Willie and Jane Good, Orville Christianson, Oliver Hofstad, Lester Hanson.

Lorraine Mostrom called at the Orville Christianson home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Johnson, Brandon, Ryan and Kyle and Ethan of Jamestown, ND came to the Gary Johnson home on Friday and spent the long weekend there and left for their home on Sunday afternoon.

Visitors during the week at the Ida Haugen home were Ardith Kloth, Lois Burstad, Linda and Bud Hommo, Mishawn and Dario Shasko. Betty Harder called there briefly late Saturday afternoon.

Supper guests at the Gary Johnson home on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Brad Johnson, Brandon, Kyle Ryan and Ethan and Ida Haugen. They also celebrated Brian and Brandons early birthdays as they have it on the same day November 17. They served turkey and all the trimmings and also an ice cream birthday cake. Brian and Brandon received nice cards and gifts. Happy Birthday Brian and Brandon.

Ardith Kloth went to Minneapolis on Friday and she spent the weekend there.

Ardith Kloth of Thief River Falls came out on Thursday and got her mother so she visited there in the afternoon. Lois Burstad also called there and had coffee with them. Ardith took her mom home in the evening.

Those that came to the Willie Good home on Sunday to wish Willie a happy birthday were Lorraine Mostrom, Dorren and Kyle Arveson and Oliver Hofstad. Happy Birthday Willie!

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home for the week were Orville Christianson, Lester Hanson, Willie and Jane Good, Dorren and Kyle Arveson and David Arveson.

Lorraine Mostrom called at the Orville Christianson home during the week.

Ida Haugen enjoyed telephone calls from Edna Howk at Issaquah, WA, Clare Peterson and Renee Marquis and Janice Haugen of Hibbing.

Gatzke

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Stohauvietz of Thief River Falls visited on Wednesday at the Clifford Klamar home.

Brooks
Pearl Laniel
698-4470

On Saturday, Russell and Cheryll Hince, Rachal Carlson, Tammy Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Weekend guests of Dona and Joyce Rock were friends Don Stephen and sons of Faribault, hunting deer.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Pat Proulx, Vi Gagnor, Martha Gagnor, Dorothy Myhro, Joann Detago, Debbie Gpdahl and Nathan, Myrtle Homrum and Mary Jane Paradis. At this time the group held a grandma baby shower in honor of Mary Jane.

David Rock and Bev Borgman of Fosston and son Chris Rock visited his parents, Dona and Joyce Rock on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhro was a Friday overnight guest of her son Rod and Char Myhre in Red Lake Falls.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachory of Oklee, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Russell and Cheryll Hince and twin granddaughter Allison Torkelson of Plummer.

Mrs. Pam Paradis, Ethan and Tylor Rock of Mentor were Sunday guests of her parents Dona and Joyce Rock.

Plummer

Sunday morning callers at Ruth Wilkens home were Dennis and Sherry Wilkens and granddaughter Amanda Wilkens, Paula Praska and Sheila Holl of Thief River Falls.

Marie and Bob Swanson of rural Thief River Falls visited on Sunday evening with her mother Frances Schiolort and the brothers who were hunting.

Sunday dinner guests of Idelle Rowortz were Terry and Heidi Rowortz and boys, Barry and Deb Rowortz and family, Sherry and Dennis Wilkens, Ruth Wilkens, Amanda Wilkens, Paula Praska and Sheila Holl.

Howard and Margaret Greenwold visited on Sunday evening with Lorena Westerlund.

Ernest Wapputo of White Bear Lake visited on Monday with his aunt, Amelia Eskolll.

Ruth Wilkens visited her sister Joan Jenson on Monday at Riverview Nursing Home.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Deb and Jim DuChamp and other family members in the death of her grandmother Florence Pederson of Oklee whose funeral was held on Monday at Zion church in Oklee.

Willie Prestegaard of Thief River Falls visited at the home of her daughter Wovell Sorenson on Tuesday.

Reiner

Sincere Sympathy

Sincere sympathy to the family of Lila Martinson who passed away on November 2 at the age of 87 years. Lila will be missed by her family and friends including many at Valley Home where Lila was a resident. Blessed be her memory!

Mari Lou Anderson visited at the Carl and Gertie Elg home in Goodridge Sunday evening with Carl and Gertie and their daughter, Karen.

Helen and Selmer Holen were luncheon guests at the Edgar and Dorothy Miller home one day last week.

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Door Prizes & Refreshments
St. Bernard's Church
Sunday
Nov. 19, 1995
7:00 P.M.

Double Pay Jackpots Will Be Between 1-2 a.m., 3-4 a.m., 5-6 a.m. & 7-8 a.m. on select days
November

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Good Luck From The RIVER ROAD CASINO & BINGO!			1 Blackjack Tournaments	2 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	3 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	4 2 For 1 On All Levels At Bingo
5 Senior Citizens Special $5.00 Off Bingo	6 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	7 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH 8 P.M.	8 Blackjack Tournaments	9 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	10 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m. Daily Turkey Drawings	11 DAILY TURKEY DRAWINGS!
12 DAILY TURKEY DRAWINGS!	13 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m. Daily Turkey Drawings	14 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH Daily Turkey Drawings	15 Blackjack Tournaments Daily Turkey Drawings	16 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m. Daily Turkey Drawings	17 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m. Daily Turkey Drawings	18 Prime Rib & Walleye Special
19 Bingo Turkey Drawings	20 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	21 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH	22 Blackjack Tournaments	23 THANKSGIVING DAY BUFFET Double Payouts 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	24 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	25 2 For 1 On All Levels At Bingo
26 NOVEMBER Birthdays $5.00 Off Bingo	27 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 8 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.	28 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH	29 Blackjack Tournaments	30 Double Payouts 1 a.m. - 4 a.m. 1, 3, 5, 7 a.m.		

*Double Pays exclude Aristocrats, Progressive, and accumulated credits (doubling up). Double Pays are for Jackpots between $100 and $500. *Management reserves the right to change this program at anytime without notice
River Road Casino & Bingo
218-681-4062
8 miles south of Thief River Falls on Hwy. 59

Hanson dairy herd first in county DHIA

Mark Hanson dairy herd, which is milked three times a day, again led the Pennington County Dairy Herd Association for the month of September.

Hanson's 56-cow herd, 86 per cent of which was in milk, averaged 66.3 pounds of milk and 1.95 pounds of butterfat per day during September.

Steve Hamrick's 36-cow herd, all of which was in production, finished in second place with an average of 55.7 pounds of milk and 2.06 pounds of butterfat.

Mylo Carlson herd of 65 cows, 88 per cent of which were in milk, was in third place with an average of 55.1 pounds of milk and 2.00 pounds of butterfat.

Other herds in the top 10 in the Pennington DHIA were as follows with the number of cows, percentage in milk, average pounds of milk and average pounds of butterfat include the following:

Bob Schindler, 56, 89%, 52.5 and 1.71; L & R Dairy, 153, 84%, 55.2 and 1.69; Walter Bros. Farm, 149, 84%, 52.3 and 1.87; Lyle Swanson, 57, 79%, 52.3 and 1.84; Tom Koop, 32, 100%, 46.2 and 1.55; Steve Nelson, 63, 84%, 45.8 and 1.66; and Kelly and Gary Landeen, 45, 87%, 43.2 and 1.53.

Supervisors Randy and Margaret Rasmussen pointed out that herd averages are affected by the number of dry cows in the herd because the production is averaged over all cows to provide the dairyman with a record of his herd's earning power for the month.

During September there were 20 official DHIA herds on test in the Pennington Association.

UMC offer Internet training

University of Minnesota at Crookston will offer "Training on the Internet" during winter quarter. Registration for up to 25 graduate students is now being accepted.

Students will learn to use Internet software to find training related information on the World-Wide Web. They will also learn how to transfer software, data files, audio, video and pictures from Web sites throughout the Internet to their own personal computers.

The course will be available continuously over the Internet. All communication with the instructor, including submitting assignments and receiving feedback, will be done electronically. UMC will sponsor an orientation workshop for all enrolling in the course.

To register, call UMC's Office of Outreach and Continuing Education at 218-281-8681. Disability accommodations will be provided upon request.

Robert Schurr, a presbyterian pastor from Red Lake Falls, is a member of the Falls Squares. Although Mr. Schurr is single he always finds someone with whom to dance, which goes to show that square dancing isn't just for couples.

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EAGLES
NOVEMBER HAPPENINGS

MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
NOV. 13 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	NOV. 14 AERIE MEETING 8:30 P.M.	NOV. 15	NOV. 16 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 17 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 18 BAR BINGO 3:00 P.M. VIP SPONSORED CRAFT SALE (Many Crafters) 9:00-3:00
NOV. 20 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	NOV. 21 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "BOB SKOGLUND"	NOV. 22	NOV. 23 CLOSED Happy Thanksgiving	NOV. 24 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	NOV. 25 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

THIEF RIVER FALLS AERIE No. 2368
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Thursday, Nov. 16
Turkey & All The Trimmings
11 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Senior Citizens $2.50; Others $3.99
Goodridge Hartz Store & Cafe
Check Out All The In-Store Sales Also

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Monday-Friday 1 P.M. - 1 A.M.
Saturday 11 A.M. - 1 A.M.
☎ 681-1211
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 15
BAR BINGO 6:00 - 6:30 P.M.
SMEAR 7:00 P.M.
THURSDAY, NOV. 16
BAR BINGO 6:00 - 6:30 P.M.
FRIDAY, NOV. 17
FISH FRY 5:30 - 6:00 P.M.
DANCE 9:00-1:00 P.M.
"COUNTRY CARGO"
FRIDAY NOV. 17 FISH FRY 5:30 - 6:00 P.M. DANCE 9:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M. COUNTRY CARGO
SATURDAY, NOV. 18
BAR BINGO 6:00 - 6:30 P.M.
MONDAY, NOV. 20
BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M.
COOTIE SCRATCH
TUESDAY, NOV. 21
BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M.
REGULAR BINGO 7:00 P.M.

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Thurs., Fri. & Sat., Nov. 16, 17 & 18
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TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Barter Construction	17	8
Wabeth Construction	14	7
Mid. Riv Community Club	15	8
Generous Realty	12	8
Rundell Electric	15	8
Amoco 24	12	8
Rainbow Nursery	11	10
Malwitz Dairy	9	12
Northwest Asphalt	9	12
Hertz Truck Line	7	14
O Team	8	19
B-H-R's	4	17

High Game
Darren Wagner 222, 219
Sheldon Nowacki 207
Dayne Melvie 199
Diane Wagner 186
Arlene Wabeth 175

High Series
Darren Wagner 222-182-215=619
Sheldon Nowacki 207-156-188=530
Mark Fuller 187-181-170=618
Diane Wagner 147-143-188=475
Dayne Melvie 119-196-142=457
Sue Higginbotham 109-174-189=451

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Hutchinson Transfer	24	12
Olin Law Office	22 1/2	12 1/2
Swanson Airspray	22	13
Soap-N-Suds	22	14
Red Lake Electric	21 1/2	14 1/2
8/Sths	17	19
Northwest Asphalt	14	22
Styles By Amy	14	22
Lantern	14	22

High Game
Charmaine Peters 199
Sheila Reich 189
Donna Josephson 182
Darlene Valley 180

High Series
Ellene Hutchinson 147-179-171=497
Darlene Valley 150-153-180=483
Wendy Mattson 164-136-174=473
Charmaine Peters 150-110-199=459

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	41	29
Mr. Duane's	40	30
Busch Light	38	32
Farmer's Union	37	33
Pennington Square	31	39
Brodin's	22	47

High Game
Kim Quade 203
Dollie Newland 201
Deb Pierce 199

High Series
Dollie Newland 176-180-201=557
Kim Quade 203-157-161=521
Roberta Kloety 180-175-161=517

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	47	22
Arctco	44	26
Northern Motors	43	27
Creative Clippers	41	29
Loeffler Agency	38	32
Kwick Stop	32	38
Bud Ice	31	39
Team #8	4	66

High Game
Rosemary Naeseth 220
Dollie Newland 207
Deb Pierce 204
Linda Olson 196

High Series
Dollie Newland 171-207-184=562
Linda Olson 196-171-157=524
Rosemary Naeseth 146-220-150=516
Roberta Kloety 151-191-173=515

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Sizzlers	29	11
Tommy G's	26	14
Digi-Key	25	15
NW Medical Center	22 1/2	16 1/2
Material Girls	23	17
Imaging Plus	22	18
Farmers Union	21	19
NW Eye Center	18	22
Norwest	17 1/2	22 1/2
Fire Flies	18 1/2	22 1/2
Rusty Nail	16	24
Hill Trucking	15	25
Borsheim Printing	14	26
KTRF CAD's	13 1/2	26 1/2

High Game
Lynae Johnson 209
Sharon Odegaard 197
Darlene Kelly 193
Deb Ernest 191

High Series
Sharon Odegaard 522
Lynae Johnson 500
Darlene Kelly 498
Cindy Vannes 491

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	47	16
Rick's Handyman Service	43	20
Spare Parts	33	30
Four Fun	28	35
Classic Chevys	24	39
TR Salvage	16	47

High Game
Bruce Mattson 200
Dave Thompson 187
Rick Lian 183
Linda Brown 180
Judy Nelson 186
Carol Moen 171

High Series
Bromley Carr 169-181-170=520
Ron Moen 171-170-168=509
Bruce Mattson 154-200-145=499
Linda Brown 152-180-151=483
Carol Moen 171-141-157=469
Judy Nelson 152-186-118=456

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	281 1/2	116 1/2
Wikstrom Telephone	237 1/2	172 1/2
Gormundson's Furniture	217 1/2	165 1/2
Pennington Express	211	169
Kolinowski Construction	198 1/2	201 1/2
RV Sports	190 1/2	209 1/2
Thyren Auto	186	261
VFW	171	229
1st National Bank	160	238
No. Border Whss.	142	258

High Game
Tom Saragosa 236, 231
Al Baumgartner 229

High Series
Tom Saragosa 204-197-236-221=868
Al Baumgartner 229-162-191-215=819
Lloyd Wagner 178-193-189-208=767

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Glass Farm	32	8
Amoco 24	29	11
Auction-2-Sell	27	13
B & E Car Wash	19	21
Joe's Floor & Tile	12	28

High Game
Craig Peterson 231
Bob Koestner 214
Curt Quesnell 210
Diane Peterson 206
Lee Carriere 177
Dianne Thompson 172
Dollie Newland 172

High Series
Craig Peterson 604
Paul Johnson 558
Curt Quesnell 553
Diane Peterson 504
Dollie Newland 498
Lee Carriere 472

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Phyllis's	53	17
Olson's Auto	42	28
Larson's Drywall	35	35
S & B Espresso	34	36
Purdy's Shoe Store	32	37
Grygla Cafe	14	56

High Game
Pam Schmidt 191
Bonnie Blankenfeld 189
Shirley Schmidt 182
Cheryl Roston/Monica Swanson 167

High Series
Shirley Schmidt 182-165-149=496
Pam Schmidt 139-181-146=476
Cheryl Roston 157-149-154=460
Laura Carlson 182-157-151=490

City League

	Wins	Losses
Rich's Appliance	7	0
The Spot	7	0
St Hilaire Elevator	7	0
Wilde Builder	5	2
Mth. 8 Coolers	4	3
FSA	3	4
Harrah's	2	5
Hanson's Repair	0	7
MnDOT	0	7

High Game
Neil Zatorski 232
Gordy Jensen 232
Rick Botner 231

High Series
Neil Zatorski 213-232-169=614
Rick Botner 188-231-189=608
Gordy Jensen 232-186-178=596

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Peter's Back Hoe	13	8
Glenn's Electric	12	8
Brooks Auto	11	10
Firestone	10	11
Farmers Mutual Health	10	4
Arctco Inc	9	12
Clip N'Tan	8	8
Michelob	4	17

High Series
JoAnn Peters 150-195-124=469
EJ Johnson 138-168-136=442
Elaine Landoberg 157-142-116=415
Carol Spilde 88-165-160=413
Wayne Peters 172-179-158=508
Bill Sylvester 139-173-183=495
Ron Johnston 114-136-222=472
Mark Fuller 170-114-180=464

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
Bad Boys	20 1/2	3 1/2
Magic Raptors	14 1/2	9 1/2
3 Musketeers	14 1/2	9 1/2
Good Girls	13 1/2	10 1/2
3 Ninjas	12 1/2	11 1/2
Blades	12 1/2	11 1/2
Jr. Elks	11	13
3 Little Princesses	11	13
Lions	6	18
Ghost Team	2	22

High Game
Paul Sjoberg 118
Aaron Anderson 102
Scott Stone 99
Justin Pyle 99
Stacy Rasmussen 97

High Series
Paul Sjoberg 118-92=210
Justin Pyle 99-97=196
Stacy Rasmussen 97-87=184
Aaron Anderson 102-74=176
Daniel Kaushagen 91-81=172

Prep League

	Wins	Losses
Hacky Sacks	22	10
Prowlers #2	21	11
Wild Cats	20	12
Pin Blasters	19	13
3 Little Ladies	18 1/2	13 1/2
Prowlers #1	18	14
Raiders	17	15
Blasters	17	15
Rattlers	16 1/2	15 1/2
Pin Masters	15	17
Wild Ones	15	17
Super Bowlers	13	19
4 Aces	12	20
L.O.B.'s	12	20
Penguins	11	21
Pinheads	9	23

High Game
Jeff Vennes 162
Jarvis Kuznia 150
Tommy Greelis 148
Christopher Lian 143
Ben Weigelt 143

High Series
Tommy Greelis 148-134-141=423
Jeff Vennes 115-162-143=420
Jarvis Kuznia 112-150-149=411
Steve Olson 137-123-131=391
Christopher Lian 88-143-140=371

Junior League

	Wins	Losses
Prowler Express	25	7
Northern Motors	22	9
Team #10	22 1/2	9 1/2
Blix Photography	22	10
Nelson State Farm	19	13
Prowler Express Racing	18	14
Amoco 24	17	15
Family Bowl	17	15
1st National Bank	17	15
Nelson Equipment	16	16
RV Sports	16	16
Team #15	15	17
Generous Realty	14	18
Team #17	14	16
Team #13	10	22
Wiseth Farms	9 1/2	22 1/2
Team #7	9	23
Ghost Team	4	28

High Game
Sara Jensen 213
Austin Eggerud 193
David Bray 190
Jeremy Trottino 186
Jeremy Jenson 183

High Series
David Bray 169-169-190=529
Jeremy Trottino 150-173-188=511
Jeremy Jenson 130-183-180=493
Sara Jenson 153-107-213=473
Kelly Natvik 143-179-147=469

TRF man wins in MN Lottery

Richard Johnson of Thief River Falls was a $5,000 winner in the Jacks are Wild instant game conducted by the Minnesota State Lottery, according to lottery headquarters. He purchased his winning ticket at Pennington Square in Thief River Falls and claimed his prize Monday, November 6.

MARKETS

as of Monday, November 13

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.90
Spring Wheat #2	4.60
Winter Wheat	4.40
Durum	6.00
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.70
Top Milling Oats	1.80
Ordinary Oats	1.60
Oil Sunflowers	10.50
Corn	2.70
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.15
Soybeans	6.10
Buckwheat	12.50
Confectionary Sunflowers	14.00
Canola	11.25

Several traffic violations listed in county court news

Pennington County's Citation Disposition Bulletin for last week contains several traffic violations.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Curtis Adam Funk, Thief River Falls, 20, open bottle/passenger, $180; Raymond Darwin Troy, Red Lake Falls, 38, inattentive driving, and no insurance, $53.50, and $237.50, and 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Ryan Lee Waggoner, Thief River Falls, 18, open bottle/passenger, $180; Giorgio Vincenro Gallo, Thief River Falls, 25, driving after revocation, $594, and 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Gary Paul Lofberg, Thief River Falls, 37, misdemeanor driving while intoxicated, $545, 30 days in jail, electronic monitoring allowed; Gerald Joseph Needham, Red Lake, 26, fifth degree assault, $267.50, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Randy Wayne Swenson, Thief River Falls, 36, assault in the fifth degree, 90 days in jail; Ryan Duane Wold, 19, no seat belt, $47.25;

Randy Allen Dahlen, Thief River Falls, 35, disorderly conduct, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Andrew Paul Dennis, Shevlin, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Andrew Paul Dennis, Shevlin, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Andrew Paul Dennis, Shevlin, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Andrew Paul Dennis, Skevlin, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Andrew Paul Dennis, Shevlin, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Jeffrey Allen Scheif, Thief River Falls, 23, exhibition driving, $64.50; Terri Jean Stengrim, Thief River Falls, 23, trespassing, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Chad Ryan Torstveit, St. Hilaire, 19, consumption under 21, $267.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year;

Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 28, overtime parking, $22.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 28, overtime parking, $22.50; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 28, midnight to 6 a.m., $22.50; Tonya Reann Perez, Thief River Falls, 23, 42/30, $76; Jaclyn Ann Poell, Roseau, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Jaclyn Ann Poell, Roseau, 23, overtime parking, $22.50; Todd Ellerd Anderson, Thief River Falls, 32, misdemeanor/public nuisance, $75; Bruce Daniel Bacon, Thief River Falls, 46, disorderly conduct, $147.50; Clinton Eugene Bauer, Thief River Falls, 39, 40/30, $64.50; Kevin Mark Jenkins, Thief River Falls, 16, failure to yield right of way, $122.50; Donovan Burns Johnson, Thief River Falls, 63, disobeyed semaphore, $76; Brock Damon Newland, Thief River Falls, 28, overtime parking, $22.50; Ryan Michael Rude, Thief River Falls, 18, 50/30, $99.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Trisha Marie Winter, Thief River Falls, 18, minor in consumption, $87.50; Dustin Eugene Eddleman, Thief River Falls, 19, open bottle/driver, $191.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Ronnie Walter McBride, Thief River Falls, 39, issue worthless checks, $187.50, $398.77 restitution, 60 days in jail stayed for one year; Dennis Michael Pearson, Fridley, 35, issue dishonored check, $167.50, $53.96 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Geraldine Kay Wallenberg, Goodridge, 44, stop sign violation, no proof of insurance, $705, 60 days in jail stayed for one year; Michael Allen Gunnarson, Thief River Falls, 22, exhibition driving, $64.50; Chris Olaf Solheim, Thief River Falls, 27, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Gena Marie Kotrba, Goodridge, 17, 65/55, $64.50; Ryan Michael Kraemer, Thief River Falls, 21, gross driving while intoxicated, $813.50, six months in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Jadon Dennis Skjerven Newlander, 19, issuance of worthless checks, $62.50, $270.55 restitution, six months in jail with all but 45 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Melani Francis Bedeau, Redby, 18, no Minnesota driver's license, no insurance, $410.75; Richard Darrell Levenson, Strathcona, 49, 65/55, $76; Elna Jean Johnson, Crookston, 37, 65/55, $64.50; David Warren Gladstuch, Maple Grove, 30, 65/55, $64.50; Bernice Helen Skime, Thief River Falls, 52, 70/55, $87.50

Burglary reported at local Hardee's store

Law enforcement officials investigated a number of accidents last week. They also investigated a burglary at Hardee's.

Burglary. On November 6 at 5:37 a.m. police received a report of a burglary at Hardee's. During the night someone broke into the restaurant and took approximately $2,909.23 in cash from tills and the store's money bag. No point of entry was located. The case is under investigation.

Accidents. On November 8 at 5:45 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of First and Barzen. According to the accident report, Claire George Berberich, Brooks, was driving a pickup south on Barzen. Jene Raymond Lenhart, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on First Street. Berberich stopped and then pulled out into traffic and the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $700 to the Berberich vehicle, and $800 to the Lenhart vehicle.

On November 8 at 10:13 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Seventh and LaBree. Darlene Ellen Kezar, Thief River Falls, was driving a van north on LaBree. Lucille Anne Meyers, St. Hilaire, was driving a car east on Seventh Street and attempting to turn north on LaBree and the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $700 to each vehicle.

On November 11 at 10:51 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of LaBree and Fifth. Sydney Thomas Culkins, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup north on LaBree. Florence Rose Nelson, Thief River Falls, was driving a van south on LaBree. Culkins turned left in front of the Nelson vehicle and the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Culkins vehicle and $2,000 to the Nelson vehicle. Two passengers in the Nelson vehicle received cut lips.

On November 9 at 8:02 a.m. police received a report of an accident at Eighth and Atlantic. Leslie Michael Cota, St. Hilaire was driving a city of Thief River Falls pickup. Jessica Ann Murphy, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on Eighth Street. Cota stopped at Eighth and Atlantic and then proceeded into the intersection and because of icy road conditions was unable to cross the intersection before the vehicles collided. Damages were estimated at $700 to the city vehicle and $800 to the Murphy vehicle.

On November 13 at 12:48 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Seventh and LaBree. Thomas Alan Lawrence, Thief River Falls, was driving a Chevy Blazer and turning east onto Seventh Street, lost control and slid into a parked car owned by Daniel John Shafland, Thief River Falls. There was no damage to the Lawrence vehicle, but $1,500 to the Shafland vehicle.

Alcohol. On November 7 at 9:02 p.m. a local bar reported that a minor was trying to enter the premises. Charged for minor in a liquor establishment was Angela Marie Dahlen, 20, Thief River Falls.

Thefts. On November 9 at 10:47 a.m. police received a report that an Altra sonic tester was stolen from the aviation campus of Northland Community and Techaical College. It is used to find stress cracks in airplanes. The theft loss was estimated at $4,975.

On November 9 police reported citing Tara Lynn Wittman, 18, Thief River Falls, and Carrie Lynn Anderson, 18, Thief River Falls, for possession of stolen property following an investigation into the theft of property, including two flags and two cement yard ornaments.

On November 13 at 5:42 p.m. police were called to the Ben Franklin store. Two juvenile males, 12, 14, Thief River Falls, face charges of shoplifting.

Driving while Intoxicated. On November 11 at 1:20 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on County road 8 one half mile west of County road 13. Arrested for gross misdemeanor driving while intoxicated was Ronald Eugene Molskness, 32, Thief River Falls.

On November 9 at 6:52 p.m. a sheriff's deputy received a report of a disturbance in St. Hilaire. In connection with the incident Jack Allen Smith, 39, was charged with gross misdemeanor driving while intoxicated.

Assault. On November 10 at 6:49 p.m. police were requested at a residence in the 500 block of North Knight about a disturbance. Cited for fifth degree assault and trespassing was Cole Jonathan Furuseth, 19, Goodridge.

Hallock man shot while deer hunting Sunday

Kelly Turgeon, 35, Hallock, was struck by a shotgun slug Sunday while hunting in Red River township. Turgeon is listed in good condition at United Hospital in Grand Forks.

According to the Kittson County Sheriff's department, they received a report of the shooting at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, November 12. The accident took place in section 2 of North Red River township. Turgeon was struck by a shotgun slug when another hunter shot at a deer.

Turgeon was transported by ambulance to Kittson Memorial Hospital and later transported to United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND, where the slug was removed from Turgeon's back.

Fire causes damage to mobile home

On Friday, November 9, the Thief River Falls fire department responded to a fire at the Brent Stroot residence, a mobile home in Basswood trailer court. Brent Stroot and family escaped injury. There was extensive damage to their trailer from fire, which is believed to have started in a back room. Their family dog died in the fire, however.

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Star News

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Mrs. Raymond Kuznia visited with their mother Leola Cullen at the Good Samaritan home in Warren.

Mrs. David Sjulestad, Mrs. Ricky Bjerklie, Mrs. Janelle Fast of Monticello and Mrs. Rodney Bjerklie and Clara Paterson attended the Craft Show in Fosston on Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson and Sally Phillipp had supper with Michelle and Monica at the Joan Johnson home on Tuesday evening.

Saturday those who enjoyed dinner at the Pizza Hut in Thief River Falls were Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gena, Amie and Melinda and Patty Smsky.

Mrs. Edgar Miller and Mrs. Jack Miller and family were visitors at the Hanford Roisland home on Tuesday evening.

Tuesday, Nina Smith was an overnight guest of Joyce's at the Bruce Solberg home.

Six members of the Highlanding 4-H club raised $800.70 for St. Jude's Children's Hospital through an 18-mile bike-a-thon with club leader Dawn Hanson October 14. Pictured (left to right) are Pam Frederick, second place fundraiser who won a pair of in-line skates; Karl Swanson; Clifton Hanson, third place winner of a $25 gift certificate; David Frederick, first place winner of a new bicycle; Aaron Swanson; and Andrew Hanson, fourth place winner of a $25 gift certificate. Donating money, prizes or food were Kmart, Pamida, SuperValu, Hugo's, Pizza Hut, Domino's Pizza, Farmers Union Oil Company, Goodridge Hartz Store and Cafe, Hydra-Mac, Goodridge Co-op Creamery, Falls Diesel Service, Styles by Amy, ITS Auto Center, TR Salvage, 59 and 1 Trailer Service, Jim Dagg Insurance, Goodridge Municipal Liquor Store, Lynn Vad, Radio Shack and Forsberg's, Inc. Pennington county sheriff's department provided a patrol car for traffic safety.

Doppler radar system now being installed at station

Equipment has been received and is now being installed at the National Weather Service station in Grand Forks, ND, and meteorologists are eagerly anticipating being able to access the system by about mid-January of 1996.

According to Lee Anderson, meteorologist in charge, when the new Doppler WSR-88D weather surveillance radar becomes operable, it will permit the staff of weather scientists to see thunderstorms, cold fronts, gust fronts, precipitation and tornadoes like they've never seen them before.

"It's sort of like your kids waiting for Christmas," Anderson said of the anticipation surrounding the radar use, "although it's been quite a bit more complex than that. We know this forecasting tool will be extremely valuable to our meteorologists and to the public.

"Some of our meteorologists have used this radar at other Weather Service offices and all of our forecasters will have completed the four-week training course by next spring. We're excited to know that this radar will soon become operational."

Once the radar is installed (the system includes a new tower site at Mayville, ND, with microwave transmission to the data center in Grand Forks), technicians from Unysis Inc., the manufacturer, will bring it up to the operations state and perform intricate tests to ensure the entire system is operating correctly. It will then be accepted by the Weather Service and the Grand Forks staff will start using it in the forecast and warning programs covering eastern North Dakota and northwest Minnesota.

"This is an extremely complex piece of equipment," Anderson said, "and you don't just turn it on and start operating it. The installers have to get all the components adjusted and operating properly before we really begin using it. Without getting into all the technical aspects, the installers have to interface two large mainframe computers, the radar equipment and the dual-monitor workstation (Principal User Processor or PUP).

"It usually takes a week or so before the radar is really functional," he added, "but it's sometimes much shorter. When our Chicago office had its WSR-88D installed in April of 1993, there was some severe weather moving into the area. The staff there was using the radar within an hour of turning on the power."

The prototype WSR-88D was created in 1988 and put into operation at the Weather Service's operational support facility in Norman, OK. The initial design was put through extensive developmental phases by Unysis, the Weather Service, the Department of Defense and the Federal Aviation Administration—the three federal agencies involved in the project.

Part of the Weather Service's $4.8 billion modernization program, the WSR-88D will be used in coordination with other new equipment to help Weather Service meteorologists watch weather systems as they travel across the United States and warn the public when severe weather threatens.

The WSR-88D will be joined by new weather satellites and the Automated Surface Observing System (ASOS) installed at Grand Forks International Airport. Data from all the new equipment will be incorporated and translated by a computer system called the Advanced Weather Interactive Processing System (AWIPS), which is currently being developed for the Weather Service.

Data provided by an experimental system of 30 Wind Profilers (Doppler radars that measure wind speed and direction from ground level to the upper reaches of the atmosphere) will also be processed by the AWIPS computer to help provide more forecast information.

"This all sounds really complex, and it is," Anderson said. "The planning for modernization was done more than a decade ago by some pretty insightful people who had to project what science, technology and computers would allow us to do well down the line. The Weather Service is moving into the age of computer technology with top-of-the-line equipment and more highly-trained personnel.

"As an agency, we think we've done a pretty good job of keeping people aware of the weather with some really outdated systems (most existing Weather Service radars were designed in the 1950s using post-World War II-vacuum tube technology), but we have every confidence that this new equipment will let us do an even better—and faster—job. I think people in eastern North Dakota and northwest Minnesota will see improvements in our operations very shortly after th 88D goes into operation."

In March of 1996 the Grand Forks office, officially called the Eastern North Dakota Weather Service office, will assume forecast and warning responsibility for 17 eastern North Dakota and 18 northwest Minnesota counties.

The National Weather Service is part of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), which operates under the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Anderson said the Doppler radar site at Grand Forks will be the only one between Bismarck, ND and Duluth.

NCTC hosts Farm Management Day Tuesday, Nov. 21

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SPOT Satellite Imagery to the Upper Midwest and implementing it into agriculture GIS mapping systems for ag processing companies, ag supply companies and ag consultants for building their map systems. Agri AmeGIS is also developing the use of multi-spectral imagery in analyzing vegetation of different crops and incorporating this data into precision variable rate applications of fertilizers, seed and chemical inputs. Presenter will be Larry Paleidc.

Basic 3.1 Windows—This workshop is designed to help the user of Windows 3.1 to be more efficient and take complete advantage of Windows' power. Topics to be covered include starting Windows, using the mouse, minimizing, maximizing, file manager, utilizing commands, working with program groups, task-switching, multi-tasking, exchanging data and using the desktop applications. Presenter will be Bob Bollesen, farm business management instructor.

Farm Mapping—A demonstration of a farm mapping program with hands-on activities will be given which allows participants the opportunity to draw their farm, define fields, set up machinery, livestock and personal usage, select different pattern information, chemical and carrier rates. This program will also allow the user to input weather information and chemical rates. Presenter will be Lance Brower, farm business management instructor.

Leasing—Equipment leasing could become a powerful tool on the farm. It lets the operator acquire the equipment needed today without tying up his or her capital. Benefits of leasing vs. conventional financing will be presented. Pat Brown, Farm Credit Services loan officer and leasing specialist, will be the presenter.

Social Security—Basic information on types of social security benefits will be discussed. General misconceptions of social security will also be clarified. Presenter will be Paul Glander, assistant district director of Social Security.

Alternative Livestock—A third generation alternative livestock farmer will discuss some of his alternative livestock production and financial trends. He will also answer general questions about getting started and production costs involved with alternative livestock enterprises. Presenter will be Gary Tank.

Commercial Exhibits—More than 20 commercial exhibits will also be set up in the NCTC gymnasium for participants to visit throughout the day. Commercial exhibitors will include the following vendors:

Accu-Plant Steward Enterprises; C. I. Construction, Inc.; Cellular 2000; Vertical Solutions, Inc.; Horn Plastics, Inc.; Northern Pipe Equipment; John G. Kinnard & Co.; Schuman & Sons, Inc.; Bergan Travel; Gold Country Seed; D&J Radio; Farm Credit Services; Northrup King & Co.; Westeel Inc.; Rural Life Outreach; Pleasure Products Mfg., Inc.; R. J. Hunt Seed Co.; Superior Inc.; Agricultural Utilization Research Institute (AURI); Monsanto Sales Co.; and Arlan H. Anderson Agency.

For more information on Farm Management Day contact Tom Risdal, dean of management education at 681-0801 or 1-800-959-6282.

Land rent, values, machinery cost workshops planned

Landowners, tenants, CRP contract holders and other interested persons from northwestern Minnesota are invited to attend one of a series of Land, Rent, Value, Machinery Cost Workshops set for mid-November.

Sessions sponsored by the Minnesota Extension Service will deal with land rents for '96, land values, custom rates, CRP break-up costs, pasture and hayland rent, machinery leasing, grain and building storage costs, etc....

County workshops will be held at the Middle River Community Center on Wednesday, November 15, starting at 2 p.m. and in Warren at the First American Bank on Friday, November 17, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Northern Lites Extension Educators Ray Thompson and Gene Krause will be conducting each session. Dates for other county meetings are 9:30 a.m. on November 15 at St. Hilaire; 9:30 a.m. November 16 at Roseau; 1:30 p.m. November 17 at Baudette; and 9:30 a.m. November 17 in Hallock. Check with your local Extension Office for locations.

All meetings are open to the public. For questions on these or other programs, call your local Extension Office at: Kittson County at 1-800-770-7029; Lake of the Woods County at 1-800-493-1511; Marshall County at 1-800-745-5232; Pennington County at 1-800-681-2116; Red Lake County at 1-800-770-1244; and Roseau County at 1-800-450-1052.

River Valley

River Valley Homemakers

The River Valley Homemakers Study Group met at the Helen Chervestad home on Monday. All members were present and we had the pleasure of welcoming our two newest members Linda Lehmann of Oklee and Lee Ann Stolaas. After a short business meeting Lenn Nelson and LaVonne Rednecki presented the meeting "Family Heirlooms". Helen Chervestad shared many of her family heirlooms including a restored violin that belonged to her grandfather, heirloom, pictures, dolls, etc. LaVonne instructed the group on how to make an Heirloom Angel

Members of the Thief River Falls girls high school swimming team who represented the Prowlers at the 1995 Section 8 swimming and diving championships Friday and Saturday in Alexandria included, front row left to right, Chelsea Haviland, Jennifer Olin, Nicole Kopari, Becky Harger, Andrea Olin, and Andi Sorvig; back row left to right, Becky Mattson, Robin Bollesen, Cami Sorenson, Myndy Olson, and Sunny Carlson.

Olin wins Section 8 diving title

■ TRF senior headed to state swim meet

Jennifer Olin is headed for the girls state high school swimming and diving championships for the third straight year following a record-breaking title-winning effort at the 1995 Section 8 meet completed Saturday in Alexandria.

A Thief River Falls senior, Olin won her first sectional crown with a 408.70-point effort that topped the meet record of 406.40 set by the Prowlers' Brenda Lund in 1980.

Second place Shelly Kringen of Bemidji also bettered Lund's record with a 406.75-point performance that created a down-to-the-wire first place battle with Olin. A year ago Kringen edged Olin 365.10 to 355.20 in another close title finish.

State swimming and diving championships will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 21 and 22, at the University of Minnesota Aquatic Center in Minneapolis.

"I was really pleased, of course, with the way things turned out for Jenny – not that it wasn't expected," offered Thief River Falls coach Scott Hetherington. "She dove very well. She's been eyeing that record for a long time."

The Prowlers' Becky Mattson was also in contention for a top five state meet-qualifying spot in the Section 8 diving competition through her final dive before finishing seventh.

Alexandria won Section 8 team honors with a two-day total of 383 points, followed by Bemidji 366, Fergus Falls/Hillcrest Academy 208, Melrose 200, Brainerd/Pillager 196, Moorhead 174, Park Rapids Area 157, Detroit Lakes/Frazee/Perham 129, Crookston 111, Holdingford 88, Morris Area/Chokio-Alberta 87, Little Falls 81, Thief River Falls 62, Warroad 41, Minnewaska Area 34, and Bagley/Fosston 8.

Olin and Mattson were joined at the section meet by fellow Thief River Falls seniors Cami Sorenson, Robin Bollesen and Myndy Olson; junior Becky Harger; sophomore Sunny Carlson; freshman Nicole Kopari; eighth graders Andrea Olin and Andi Sorvig; and sixth grader Chelsea Haviland.

"We were pretty pleased with the efforts," said Hetherington. "Their times were down in most cases."

Biggest time drop, pointed out Hetherington was supplied by Sorenson, Harger, Carlson, and Kopari in the 400 freestyle relay, where they went from a 4:17 in Friday's prelims to a 4:07 in Saturday's consolation finals.

Top eight times in Friday prelims advanced to Saturday championship finals, while the 9-through-16 prelim finishers made up the consolation finals.

TRF Section 8 Places

200 medley relay - 14. Cami Sorenson, Robin Bollesen, Becky Harger, Sunny Carlson, 2:08.83.

50 freestyle - 15. Nicole Kopari, 26.98.

Diving - 1. Jennifer Olin, 408.70; 7. Becky Mattson, 329.65.

100 freestyle - 15. Nicole Kopari, 55.88.

200 freestyle relay - 13. Cami Sorenson, Becky Harger, Sunny Carlson, Nicole Kopari, 1:52.77.

400 freestyle relay - 10. Cami Sorenson, Becky Harger, Sunny Carlson, Nicole Kopari, 4:07.10.

Special recognition at Monday's high school volleyball banquet that closed out the Prowlers' 1995 season went to, front row left to right, Desirae Alberg, most improved; Lindsay Drury, Rookie Award; Kendra Dimich, Spirit Award and Class AA academic all-state; and Maren Thorson, most valuable and Coaches Award; back row left to right, Erica Owen, 1996 tri-captain; Michelle Mathson, 1996 tri-captain; and Kim Hook, hardest worker and 1996 tri-captain.

Thorson named volleyball MVP

Finishing touches were put on the 1995 high school volleyball season Monday at Thief River Falls' annual awards banquet.

Special recognition went to Maren Thorson, who was named the Prowlers' most valuable player and was presented with the Coaches Award; Desirae Alberg, most improved; Kim Hook, hardest worker; Kendra Dimich, Spirit Award; and Lindsay Drury, Rookie Award.

Hook, Michelle Mathson and Erica Owen were named captains of the 1996 Prowlers, succeeding Thorson, Dimich and Heather Holthusen.

Dimich was also introduced as a member of the 1995 Class AA academic all-state volleyball team.

Athletic letters went to seniors Carrie Rud, Holthusen, Thorson, and Dimich; juniors Katie Kraemer, Alissa Austad, Hook, Owen, and Mathson; Alberg, a sophomore; and Drury, a freshman; and Jenny Brunkhorst, the team's student manager.

The Prowlers went 15-10 during the regular season this fall, but made an early post-season exit with a 3-0 first round North Sub-Section 8AA loss to Bemidji.

"The Bemidji playoff game was disappointing to all of us," acknowledged Thief River Falls coach Helen Anderson. "Sometimes you have games like that where nothing seems to go right. It was too bad it had to be on the night of a playoff game."

However, the disappointing finish was only part of the 1995 season, noted Anderson. "I had the opportunity to work with a super bunch of girls," she offered. "I don't measure the success of a season by wins and losses. We had a few close games we lost that very easily could have been wins. But if our team learned from their experiences as volleyball players, and had fun as well – that's what it's all about."

1995 TRF Varsity Statistics

■ Ace serves - Maren Thorson 25, Michelle Mathson 23, Kendra Dimich 22, Desirae Alberg 14, Katie Kraemer 10, Carrie Rud 5, Heather Holthusen 7, Kim Hook 7, Lindsay Drury 3, Holly Bjorgaard 2.

■ Kills - Thorson 204, Mathson 131, Alberg 126, Kraemer 38, Rud 31, Dimich 30, Hook 20, Drury 11, Bjorgaard 5, Holthusen 2, Erica Owen 1.

■ Last touch - Thorson 204, Mathson 157, Alberg 153, Dimich 106, Rud 52, Kraemer 38, Hook 30, Drury 24, Holthusen 14, Bjorgaard 6, Owen 3, Alissa Austad 1.

■ Assists - Dimich 403, Hook 67, Kraemer 16, Alberg 6, Thorson 5, Holthusen 5, Mathson 4, Rud 2, Bjorgaard 2, Owen 1, Drury 1.

Anderson, Dimich join Mooney as academic all-staters...

Prowlers add to academic honors

Three Thief River Falls student-athletes earned individual academic all-state recognition in their respective sports this fall, adding to the list of honors that were won by the Prowlers' football and girls tennis teams.

It was announced earlier that Thief River Falls sophomore Becky Mooney was an academic all-state qualifier in Class AA girls cross country – recognition given to runners who placed in the top 15 at the sectional level while maintaining a 3.7 or better grade point average.

This week it was reported that seniors Keith Anderson and Kendra Dimich were also recognized for their combination athletic and academic accomplishments.

Anderson, who played quarterback and linebacker on the Prowlers' 9-2 Section 8A runner-up squad, was one of 22 players named to the Class A academic all-state football team.

Dimich earned Class AA volleyball academic all-state honors. She was the Prowlers' setter, setting the school record for assists this fall.

"We feel very fortunate to have young people the quality of those three individuals," said Jim Sims, Director of Student Activities for School District 564. "They've all been exceptional performers on the field as well as in the classroom. You just know good things are going to happen in their lives. We're very, very proud of them."

Thief River Falls was earlier named the Class A football and Class AA girls tennis academic team champions.

Becky Mooney

Keith Anderson

Kendra Dimich

Lund, Mooney are top runners

Ronnie Lund and Becky Mooney were named the most valuable runners for the Thief River Falls boys and girls high school cross country teams, it was announced Monday at the Prowlers' 1995 awards banquet.

Mooney was also recognized as the Prowlers' lone state meet qualifier, where she finished 35th in a field of 131 runners, and was introduced as a member of the Class AA girls academic all-state cross country team.

Other boys who were award winners at the banquet included Jeremy Swanson, most improved; Jordan Goldesberry, Attitude Award; Ryan Hendrickson, Dedication Award; Chris Pribula, Leadership Award; and Hamilton Keefe, Coaches Award.

Rest of the girls receiving awards were Emily Mugaas, most improved; Laurel Ronchetti, Attitude Award; Lisa Swanson, Dedication Award; Angie Klinker, Leadership Award; and Kate Ihle, Coaches Award.

Junior high awards were also presented. Boys earning those awards were Brady Anderson, most valuable; John Schwartz, most

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Boys earning special awards at Monday's Thief River Falls cross country banquet included, front row left to right, junior high selections John Schwartz, most improved; Brady Anderson, most valuable; Dewey Worker, Coaches Award; and Seth Harlow, Attitude Award; back row left to right, varsity selections Hamilton Keefe, Coaches Award; Jordan Goldesberry, Attitude Award; Ryan Hendrickson, Dedication Award; Ronnie Lund, most valuable; Jeremy Swanson, most improved; and Chris Pribula, Leadership Award.

Girls named award winners at the Thief River Falls cross country banquet Monday included, front row left to right, junior high selections Tackie Paravanti, most improved; and Jacki Mooney, most valuable; back row left to right, varsity selections Lisa Swanson, Dedication Award; Emily Mugaas, most improved; Angie Klinker, Leadership Award; Becky Mooney, most valuable and Class AA academic all-state; and Kate Ihle, Coaches Award. Not pictured: Laurel Ronchetti, varsity Attitude Award; and Janae Harlow, junior high Attitude Award.

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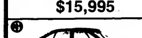

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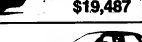

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Co-head coaches are named for swimming

Two people will share the head coaching position for the 1995-96 Thief River Falls boys high school swimming team, it was announced recently by Jim Sims, Director of Student Activity for School District 564.

Brian Olson and Shon Thompson have been named co-head coaches for the Prowlers.

Olson competed collegiately at the University of North Dakota and coached at Grand Forks Red River for four years.

Thompson is a former Prowler diver and a three-time state meet qualifier. He has served eight years of volunteer work as a diving coach for the Thief River Falls programs.

Olson and Thompson succeed Ryan Lokken as the Prowlers' coach. Scott Herbertson handled the job with the Thief River Falls girls this fall. The boys begin practice Nov. 27.

Other winter sports coaching assignments went to Jeff Tunberg, hockey assistant; Amy Reche, girls basketball assistant; Robert Wayne, freshmen girls basketball; Greg Brekke, eighth grade girls basketball; and John Ott, freshman boys basketball.

It was also announced that Ken Fletcher will be the Prowlers' head high school softball coach this spring. Fletcher has worked with the program as a head coach and assistant coach in the past. He succeeds John Anderson.

All coaching assignments are pending board approval.

Moose hunters have high rate of success

Moose hunters had a very successful season in 1995, according to the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

A total of 327 moose were taken by 379 parties. Figures from zones in the northwestern part of the state showed that 191 parties took 171 moose for a 90 percent success rate, while in the northeast, 188 parties took 156 moose for an 83 percent success rate.

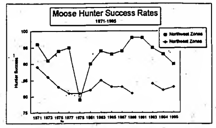
"Moose hunter success rates were comparable to past years, and most parties reported seeing good numbers of moose, said Dave Schad, DNR Forest Wildlife Program leader.

Approximately 64 percent of the moose taken in the northwest and 82 percent of those taken in the northeast were antlered bulls, a higher number than normal, according to Schad. "The high take of bulls, especially in the northeast, was likely due to a very healthy moose population in that part of the state, and a relatively early season that may have placed hunters in the field closer to the peak of rutting activity," he said.

Moose hunts were held in odd-numbered years from 1971 to 1993. Since 1993, moose hunts have been held annually. Licenses are issued to parties of two to four hunters, and are available only to Minnesota residents.

Beginning with the 1991 season, the Minnesota Legislature made moose hunting "once-in-a-lifetime" opportunity. In 1995, there were over 10,000 applications received from parties of two to four hunters for the 327 available licenses. The winter 1994-95 moose population estimate was 7,700 moose in the state.

Applications for the 1996 hunt will be available about May 1.



Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Nov. 15 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 8 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-1:15 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 1:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-6:20 p.m. high school; 6:30-7:30 p.m. Squirts Group 2; 7:45-9:45 p.m. Dance; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Nov. 16 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 8 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-5:15 p.m. high school; 5:30-6 p.m. Jr. Advanced Patch, S1, S2; 6-6:30 p.m. S3, B1, Jr. Advanced Freestyle; 6:30-7 p.m. B2, B3, Jr. Advanced Team; 7-7:30 p.m. B4, B5, B6; 7:30-8:25 p.m. high school; 8:35-9:35 p.m. Bantam B; 9:45-10:45 p.m. Old-Timers.

Friday, Nov. 17 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 8 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-6:30 p.m. high school; 6:45-7:45 p.m. Squirts Group 1; 8-9:30 p.m.; Bantam A and B; 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Nov. 18 - TRFAHA District 16 Bantam A Jamboree (8 a.m. Red Lake Falls vs. Crookston; 9 a.m. Thief River Falls vs. Roseau; 10 a.m. Bemidji vs. Baudette; 11 a.m. East Grand Forks vs. Baudette; 12:00 East Grand Forks vs. Warroad; 1 p.m. Crookston vs. Warroad; 2 p.m. Crookston vs. Thief River Falls; 3 p.m. Bemidji vs. Thief River Falls; 4 p.m. Bemidji vs. Roseau; 5 p.m. East Grand Forks vs. Roseau; 6 p.m. Red Lake Falls vs. Baudette; 7 p.m. Red Lake Falls vs. Warroad); 8:30-10 p.m. OPFS.

Sunday, Nov. 19 - 12-1:15 p.m. public skating; 1:30-2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4:30 p.m. OPFS; 4:45-6:30 p.m. public skating; 6:45-8:15 p.m. city league hockey rental; 8:30-10 p.m. city league hockey rental.

Old Arena

Wednesday, Nov. 15 - 6:20-7:30 p.m. Pee-Wee B2; 3:45-4:45 p.m. Squirts Group 1; 5-6 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 1; 6:15-7:15 p.m. public skating; 7:15-8:15 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 2; 8:30-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wee A and B1; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Nov. 16 - 6:30-7:30 a.m. cheerleaders; 3:45-5 p.m. Pee-Wee B2; 5:10-6:05 p.m. 6-under Group 2; 6:05-7:05 p.m. 6-under Group 1; 7:15-8:15 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 1; 8:30-10 p.m. Bantam A.

Friday, Nov. 17 - 3:45-4:45 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 4:45-5:45 p.m. Squirts Group 2; 6-7 p.m. rental, 7-8:15 p.m. Pee-Wee A; 8:30-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wee B1; 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

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Sunday, Nov. 19 - 12-1 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 1:15-2:15 p.m. 7-8-year-olds open hockey; 2:30-3:30 p.m. Squirts open hockey; 3:45-5 p.m. Pee-Wees open hockey; 5:15-6:30 p.m. Bantams open hockey; 6:45-8:15 p.m. city league hockey rental; 8:30-10 p.m. city league hockey rental.

TRF cross country awards

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improved; Seth Harlow, Attitude Award; and Dewey Worker, Coaches Award. Girls selected for junior high honors were Jacki Mooney, most valuable; Teckla Paraventi, most improved; and Janae Harlow, Attitude Award.

Boys presented with athletic letters were Shane Buddy, Brandon Gerardy, Craig Lawrence, Jeremy Swanson, Hendrickson, Keefe, Pribula, Lund, Anderson, Harlow, and Worker. Girls earning letters were Becky Mooney, Lisa Swanson, Klinker, Ihle, Ronehettl, and Mugaas.

Participation certificates went to Goldesberry, Paraventi, Schwartz, Harlow, Mike Hahne, and Jacki Mooney.

First-year Thief River Falls head coach Caara Holmstrom was more than satisfied with the Prowlers' 1995 season. "It was a great year," she said. "It was a very enjoyable year. The kids worked hard, and their times dropped."

Holmstrom gave special acknowledgement to Becky Mooney for her state meet appearance and her academic all-state honors. Mooney and Lisa Swanson were the top runners on a girls team that was competitive at most meets – winning races at Crookston and East Grand Forks.

Thief River Falls boys didn't have that kind of success, but the efforts were still there, noted Holmstrom. "Our boys were young and inexperienced," she said. "They'll get better."

Fourtown/Grygla Sportsmen meet

Fourtown/Grygla Sportsmen's Club will meet Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the Legion in Thief River Falls.

Lakers, Bears join Tigers in semifinal Metrodome games

Detroit Lakes and Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail joined Stephen as Metrodome-bound Minnesota state high school football playoff semifinalists with Friday wins.

The Lakers, who edged Thief River Falls 21-20 in the Section 8A finals, beat Delano 20-14 in the Class A state quarterfinals. They will meet Northfield Friday at 5 p.m.

Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail outscored Browerville 54-22 in the Class C quarterfinals. The Bears tackle Hawley Saturday at 12-noon.

With just four sections of Nine-Man football, Stephen had already qualified for a state semifinal berth, which will be played Saturday at 9 a.m. vs. Cromwell.

Prep Bowl football finals will be played Friday, Nov. 24, at the Metrodome.

Alexandria claims AA volleyball title

Section 8AA and Section 8A champions Alexandria and Ada-Borup both came home from the 1995 Minnesota state high school volleyball tournament with trophies Saturday.

The unbeaten Cardinals won the Class AA state title with wins over White Bear Lake 15-5, 15-9, 15-11; Grand Rapids 15-2, 15-4, 15-7; and Chaska 15-6, 15-5, 15-11.

Eventual champion Tracy-Milroy beat Ada-Borup 15-5, 15-3, 15-5 in the Class A state quarterfinals, but the Cougars bounced back with wins over Hermantown 15-12, 15-5, 15-1 and St. James 15-10, 19-17, 6-15, 15-3 for the consolation title.

Cullen, Belyea are Booster speakers

Lincoln High School hockey coach Pat Cullen and new wrestling coach John Belyea will be the guest speakers Thursday at the 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting at the Elks.

City League Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Digi-Key	8	0
Arctco	7	1
Best Western II	6	2
Middle River	6	2
Northup	4	4
Forsberg's	4	4
Hartz Truckline	3	5
Best Western I	1	7
Sea Monkeys	1	7
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	8

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Norwood Cleaners	12	0
Double D Bars	11	1
Budweiser	8	4
Thrifty White Drug	6	6
Clip N Tan	7	5
Arctco	4	8
Tim Leather Agency	3	9
PCR Graphics	1	11
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	0	12

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	9	1
Cellular 2000	8	2
Universal Screenprint	7	4
Bud Light	6	3
Doc's Jocks	7	5
Unpredictables	5	5
Tunberg Motor Co	5	5
Carvers	5	7
500 Club	2	8
National Guard	2	8
Cactus Club	0	12

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Miller Lite	13	1
Northwest Medical Center	13	1
St. Hilaire Elevator	11	3
LaVonne's Grocery	9	5
Legion	7	7
St. Hilaire Supply	7	7
Evergreen Eating Emporium	5	8
Digi-Key II	2	12
Digi-Key I	2	12
Robson Honey	1	13

Results

■ Monday, Nov. 6 - (6 p.m.) Arctco def. Best Western I; Best Western II def. Forsberg's; (6:30 p.m.) Middle River def. Best Western I; Forsberg's def. Glenda's Beauty Shop; (7 p.m.) Digi-Key def. Best Western II; Arctco def. Hartz Truckline; (7:30 p.m.) Middle River def. Northup, Sea Monkeys def. Glenda's Beauty Shop; (8 p.m.) Digi-Key def. Northup; Hartz Truckline def. Sea Monkeys. (Note: standings do not include results from Oct. 23).

■ Tuesday, Nov. 7 - no matches scheduled. (Note: standings do not include results from Oct. 31).

■ Wednesday, Nov. 8 - (6 p.m.) Bud Light def. 500 Club; Primetime def. Carvers; (6:30 p.m.) Bud Light def. Universal Screenprint; Primetime def. Doc's Jocks; (7 p.m.) Unpredictables def. 500 Club, Carvers def. Cactus Club; (7:30 p.m.) Universal Screenprint def. National Guard; Tunberg Motor Co. def. Doc's Jocks; (8 p.m.) National Guard def. Unpredictables; Tunberg Motor Co. def. Cactus Club.

■ Thursday, Nov. 9 - (6:30 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Rob Honey; St. Hilaire Elevator def. Digi-Key I; (7 p.m.) Northwest Medical Center def. St. Hilaire Supply; Miller Lite def. Robson Honey; (7:30 p.m.) Digi-Key I def. LaVonne's Grocery; St. Hilaire Elevator def. Digi-Key II; (8 p.m.) Northwest Medical Center def. Legion; Miller Lite def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (8:30 p.m.) Legion def. LaVonne's Grocery; Evergreen Eating Emporium def. Digi-Key II. (Note: standings do not include results from Nov. 2).

Sportsmen's Club has meal, meeting

Pennington County Sportsmen's Club monthly meeting will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the club house.

A meal will be served beginning at 5 p.m. The menu will include marinated bear roast, venison steaks, bear steaks, polish sausage, hot dogs, baked potato, and corn.

All members are invited to attend, and are asked to bring a friend.

Vermilion winner in MCCC state playoff

Vermilion was a 19-18 winner over Mesabi Saturday in the finals of the 1995 Minnesota Community College Conference state football playoffs at St. Cloud State University.

Only loss this fall for the MCCC Northern Division champion Ironmen was a 28-12 setback at the hands of a then-winless Northland squad back on Oct. 12.

Mesabi was the regular season Northern Division runner-up.

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Muzzleloader deer hunt is unchanged for current season

There is apparently some confusion about a law passed during the 1995 legislative session that would allow firearm deer hunters who are unsuccessful in bagging a deer during the regular season to purchase an additional license and take part in the late muzzleloader season.

Some hunters are under the impression that this provision takes affect this fall. However, Department of Natural Resources officials stressed that this change will not take effect before 1996, and could even be modified or repealed by the 1996 Legislature. The law requires the DNR to seek public comment on this provision and to report back to the Legislature by March of 1996.

Since the muzzleloader season was first authorized in 1977, hunters have been required to choose either the regular firearms season that starts in early November, or the later muzzleloader season that starts the Saturday after Thanksgiving. The legislative proposal would allow hunters to who failed to tag a deer during the regular season to purchase another license – at full cost – and also take part in the later muzzleloader-only season.

"The Muzzleloader season was designed for relatively low hunter densities and a liberal season framework that offers either-sex hunting and a 16-day season," said Dave Schad, who heads up the DNR deer program. "Minnesota has about 5,000 muzzleloader hunters, compared to more that 450,000 hunters during the regular season. We are concerned that this proposal will result in a large influx of hunters into the muzzleloader season. The change might require additional harvest control during the muzzleloader season, such as shorter seasons, zones, or an antlerless permit requirement."

Outdoor News

State health officials are alerting hunters – and others spending time outdoors during the fall and early winter months – that they still need to take precautions against lyme disease and other tick-borne illnesses.

The tick that carries the lyme disease bacteria can find ways to survive even during very cold weather. Some adult ticks typically survive and continue to feed during the fall and early winter, and they can even become active during the middle of winter if the weather warms up.

Hunters, especially, are urged to take special precautions when handling a freshly-killed deer.

Because infected ticks may still be feeding on the deer immediately after it's killed, hunters should be careful when cleaning or field dressing the carcass. The ticks should begin to leave the animal once it's cold. The carcass should be hung up for at least 12 hours – away from areas of human activity – so the ticks will have a chance to drop off and crawl away.

People can't get tick-borne illnesses from eating venison or other game, although game should always be properly cooked before consuming it.

Anyone who spends time where deer ticks may be present should take steps to avoid tick bites, and be aware of possible symptoms of lyme and other tick-borne diseases.

The ticks are typically found in wooded, bushy areas that support a population of deer or mice. Over the past two years, people have developed lyme disease after being exposed to infected deer ticks in 31 different Minnesota counties. However, the largest share of the state's lyme disease cases have been traced to an area immediately to the north and east of the Mississippi River – with 10 or more cases each in Aitkin, Chisago, Crow Wing, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, Pine, northern Ramsey, and Washington counties.

To prevent tick bites, officials recommend wearing long pants and long-sleeve shirts, tucking pants into socks or boots, using flea and tick collars on hunting dogs or pets, checking people and pets for ticks every four to six hours, and checking for ticks on clothing, skin and hair each time you come indoors after spending time in the field.

Do a full body check for ticks at the end of each day, being careful to look for lumps or bumps on the skin that weren't there before. The deer tick is extremely small – about the size of a poppy seed – in its nymph stage, and about an eighth of an inch long in the adult stage.

Ticks must attach themselves to your body for a day or more in order to pass on the bacteria that causes illness, so removing tickets promptly can help prevent infection. Even if ticks have already begun to attach themselves, they can be removed with tweezers.

Because tick-borne diseases can be treated successfully with antibiotics, especially is caught early, it's important to see a physician quickly if you think you've been infected.

Symptoms of lyme disease commonly include a type of rash with a clear area in the center, which may expand in size to cover a very large area or appear on different parts of the body. Not everyone develops the rash, but other early symptoms can include fatigue, chills, fever, headache, and pain in the muscles or joints.

Later symptoms – which can appear up to several months later – include arthritis, particularly in the knees; a type of facial paralysis, typically affecting only one side of the face; a form of meningitis, an inflammation of the lining around the brain and spinal cord characterized by fever, stiff neck and severe headache; irregular heartbeat; and weakness, numbness or pain in the arms or legs.

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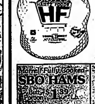

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Marshall-Beltrami SWCD sponsors photo contest

The Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District is sponsoring a local photo contest with winning entries to be sent to the National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD) photo contest. The deadline for submitting photos is November 27.

Photographs can be entered in the categories of conservation, education, nature, and youth only.

The category of conservation is broken down into two separate divisions — conservation challenges, which involves photos of erosion or a polluted stream, and conservation action, which involves shots of volunteers planting trees or of district personnel advising a farmer.

The category of education is broken down into two divisions — kids and conservation, which involves inspiring photographs of children learning or taking part in a conservation project, and education adults, which involves showing a workshop for teachers or a tour or demonstration for farmers.

In the category of nature, there are three divisions — trees and plants, which involves anything from a field of wildflowers to a gnarled oak tree, wildlife, which involves showing deer running through the woods, or a bird's nest in an urban neighborhood, and landscapes, which involves sunsets, mountains, city parks and other impressive views.

The category of youth is designed for youths up to age 18. Photos may cover any subject. All photos will be judged as one category.

The contest is open to amateur photographers (those making less than 50 per cent of their income from photography) who are residents of the Marshall-Beltrami SWCD. Participants may enter up to five photographs.

Black and white prints, color prints and color slides are all acceptable and will be judged together. Printed reproductions are not acceptable (i.e. cut out of a newspaper).

A completed form must accompany each photograph submitted. Forms may be picked up at the Marshall-Beltrami SWCD office.

A 3x5 note card answering these questions must be attached to the back of each photo:

• Who are they? Names and titles are needed for each person in the photo:

• Where were you? If the photograph is of a district employee helping a farmer, identify the farm, county and state. If the photo shows a city park, mention the name of the park and the state.

• What's happening? Is the child with the magnifying glass examining a crack in the sidewalk or a line of ants carrying food?

• When was the photo taken? Exact dates are not necessary, but at least give the year.

• Who is the photographer? Give name, address and phone number.

• Title, please? Keep it short and simple. Print the same title on the card and the entry form.

All entries must be submitted to the district office by November 27.

Entries will be returned, except for winning entries, which will be sent on the NACD photo contest and will become property of NACD, and NACD reserves the non-exclusive right to use all photographs in publications or for promotional purposes. Entrants should keep negatives or extra prints of their photographs.

Judges will select one winner in each category. Winners will receive a $10 local prize and be entered into the NACD photo contest where winning photos will also receive prizes and certificates. Some photos may be displayed at NACD's 1996 annual meeting. These winners will receive certificates.

Challenger Principal Glenn Espe, with students, from left, Dellae Berg, Joshua Jablinski, and Karl Thompson, with the "Challenger Rock" a glacial boulder, donated by Ken and Pat Beauchene of Thief River Falls, as part of the elementary science curriculum.

Wheat and Barley Convention set

Minnesota Association of Wheat Growers, North Dakota Grain Growers Association, and the Minnesota Barley Growers Association will hold a joint annual convention December 12-13 at the Holiday Inn in Fargo, ND.

Registration will begin at 7:30 a.m. on December 12 with four concurrent sessions at 9 a.m.

Toren accepted for trip to Israel

Katie Toren, 17, the daughter of Al and Holly Steinhauer of Thief River Falls and a senior at Lincoln high school, has been accepted to participate in the third Christian Youth Leadership Conference to be held in Ma'aleh Adumim, Israel, a fairly new suburb of Jerusalem.

The conference was organized in 1993 by the USA Radio Network and Summit Fellowship and honors America's top youth as well as equipping them for a greater influence at home, in church and in civil government.

Youth who attend the conference are nominated by their youth minister or principal of a Christian school from a conference application which lists the youth's achievements and contributions to church, school and community. Katie was nominated by Todd Peterson, youth pastor at Our Saviour's Lutheran church.

To be held March 17-26, 1996, the conference will include leadership workshops, a tour of the Holy Land and a reception with a member of the Israeli Parliament and the Mayor of Ma'aleh Adumim.

Rev. Peterson said that Katie has always been involved in leadership roles—in her church work and while attending Our Saviour's Christian Academy and Lincoln high school. She is a member of the school choir, a piano accompanist and Latch Key worker and played soccer at the Academy.

She has attended national and district youth conventions, has been a local church youth group officer and is currently president of the Northwestern District Youth Organization of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations. She has also been church pianist for Emanuel Lutheran Church of Holt for the past eight years.

Katie Toren

Diabetes support group schedules Nov. meeting

The November meeting of Riverview Healthcare Association's Diabetes Support Group will be 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 15, in the Riverview Hospital boardroom. This will be an open meeting, when people attending can discuss any topic that is of interest or concern relating to diabetes. Cindy Flannery, RD, will be present to address specific questions.

The Diabetes Support Group is open to those with diabetes, their family members and friends. All meetings are free of charge.

Dahl Brothers are outstanding conservationists

Dahl Bros. of Middle River were recently named as "outstanding Conservationists" award winners for 1995 by the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District.

Arvin and his wife Marvel, and his brother Orlan and his wife Eleanor, have been farming all their lives in Raliss township, taking over the farming operation from their father. The only time they weren't farming is when each brother spent two years in military service. Next year, the farm will be eligible for recognition as a century farm.

The Dahl's farm 1,040 acres, 80 of which are rented. Currently they raise wheat and barley, changing from former years when they had livestock.

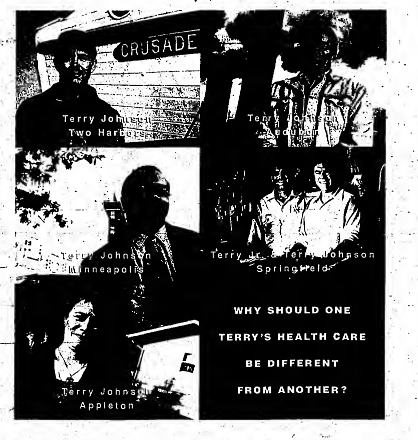
Conservation practices include a crop rotation keeping about 200 acres in summer fallow this past year. Several rows of trees were planted to add on to the existing windbreak. The Dahls are conscious of the clay soils on their farm and over the years many miles of main and lateral ditches have been installed and maintained. Land has been cleared over the years and currently only about 60 acres of their land is not tillable.

The Dahls have a neat farmstead with two modern homes and several quonset and storage buildings. Since taking over the home place, all buildings have been replaced except for a lean-to on the granary.

Orlan Dahl has a fix-it shop in Gatzke where he works during the winter months. He says you have to be able to fix things to be a farmer. He also enjoys restoring old tractors. His wife Eleanor works at Grand Central Graphics in Middle River one to two days a week and also helps Muriel Larson at the Gatzke store.

Orlan currently serves on the board of the Cooperative Oil Association of Middle River where Arvin is a former board member there. They are also members of the Eastern Marshall county Sportsman Club. Both families enjoy fishing (although Orlan says he prefers fishing in the summer) and both couples enjoy traveling.

The Dahls have quite an extended family counting children, grandchildren and even one great-grand child. Arvin and Marvel count Dellwyn, Linda, Russel and Larry with nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Orlan and Eleanor have Nadine, Verlyn, Harlan, Joan and Hope, and 11 grand children.



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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
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Friday afternoon Tim Lundeen visited at the Kory Chervestes home of rural Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet brought belated birthday greetings to Lorraine Waltne on Saturday. Happy Birthday Lorraine!

Friday Dick Marquis of Oklee and Dan Moen were visitors and coffee guests at the Gene Marquis home.

Mr and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors and lunch guests on Saturday evening at the Vernon Iverson home.

Monday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Tim Lundeen home were Mr. and Mrs. Verner Arveson, Jarod Haugen and Shirley Johnsrud.

Vernon Iverson was a coffee guest on Sunday at the Gene Marquis home.

Dee Naeseth of Thief River Falls was a visitor and supper guest on Thursday evening at her parents home the Marie Naeseths. Dee also visited with JoAnn Naeseth. Dan Wellman and Zachary of Motley houseguests at the Marie Naeseth home.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nelson and Neil Johnson were brief visitors at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hank Kuznia, Tina, Chad and Travis of Coon Rapids spent the weekend at the Agnes Eidelbes home deer hunting along with two friends from Clearbrook.

Visitors and coffee guests during the week at the Henford Rosland home were Oliver Holsted of Trail, Oalen Englund of rural Grygla and Leslie Iverson.

Jean Johnson, Jessica and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Saturday forenoon. The Johnson's enjoyed breakfast at Handy Farms. Then later the Johnson's were visitors and dinner guests at the Marie Naeseth home along with Dave Naeseth and JoAnn Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachary of Motley.

Friday evening Andrea and Megan Marquis visited with Katie at the Dale Anderson home. Then later that evening Corey Marquis came and picked up Megan and Andrea and they returned home.

Kristian Solberg visited with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Chester Solberg on Monday.

Sunday morning Mrs. David Stulestad had coffee with Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes.

Visitors and lunch guests on Saturday afternoon at the Vernon Iverson home were Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill of Oklee.

Monday Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba visited and had coffee with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Stalad in Grygla.

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday at the Harlen Mostrom home in Thief River Falls.

Late afternoon on Sunday Mrs. Dale Anderson visited with Mrs. Tes Koropatnicki.

Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes were visitors and coffee guests at the Martin Kotrba home.

Gary Johnson and Kylie were visitors and coffee guests on Friday morning at the Dale Anderson home.

Shoppers in Thief River Falls on Monday were June Johnson and Mrs. Gene Marquis and Andrea.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Jessica Johnson was a visitor and supper guest after school on Wednesday at the Gary Johnson home.

Mrs. John Verbout, Alisha, Megan and Mathew of Warroad spent from Friday until Sunday visiting at the Norman Knel home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest on Tuesday afternoon at the Marie Naeseth home.

Tuesday Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Richard Sunsdahl of Salol was a visitor and supper guest at the Obert Hovet home on Sunday.

Friday, Patty Smisky was an overnight guest of Gena's at the Larry Kotrba home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams spent the weekend visiting at the James Adams residence in Reynolds, ND. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams visited briefly at the Lyle Adams home in Reynolds, ND on Sunday afternoon. Then on Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams attended the 100th Anniversary for Our Lady of Perpetual help Catholic church. They also attended the Polka Mass and dinner served at the church that day.

Jim Johnson of Fairmont and Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes came on Thursday night for deer hunting. Curtis and Jim left for their homes on Tuesday.

Friday, Rey Eggelson of Cottage Grove came up for deer hunting and stayed at the Leonard Johnson home. Ray left for his home on Monday.

Church Directory

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Missouri Synod
301 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rohrer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m., Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
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Rural St. Hilaire
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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Friday & Saturday, Nov. 17 & 18— Bemidji Jr. High Gathering
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m., Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m. Sunday school is followed by worship service.
Wednesday, Nov. 22— Soup and pie at Redeemer at 5:30 p.m.: Thanksgiving worship at Redeemer at 7 p.m.; Thanksgiving worship at 7:30 p.m.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4716
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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 6:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Worship Services: Sundays at (Harvest Festival worship service) 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9 a.m.; Harvest Festival turkey dinner and potluck at 11:30 a.m.

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325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wollenzien, Pastor, Timothy M. Bauer, Pastor
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

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Father Joe DeCrane, Pastor
Father Tim Bushy, Associate Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-Noon, 12:30-5
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m., Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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414 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Ron Gulman, Senior Pastor
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Terri Jo Stoldum, Pastor
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Wednesday, Nov. 22— Thanksgiving service at 7:30 p.m. at Calvary
Saturday, Nov. 25— Open House at the Parsonage in honor of 5 years of service from 3-5 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.: Sunday school at 10 a.m.

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Water Street, St. Hilaire
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Wednesday, Nov. 22— Thanksgiving service at 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 25— Open House at the parsonage in honor of 5 years of God's ministry together from 3-5 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

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378-4191
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Worship Services – Faith: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Worship Services – Bethany: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

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Rural Goodridge
Raynard Huglen, Pastor
Pastor's 874-8465
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

REINER FREE LUTHERAN, AFLC
Highway 1, Goodridge
Del Palmer, Pastor
881-4643
Worship Services: Sundays—Morning devotional hour at 8 a.m.—Service at 11:30 a.m.: Sunday school at 10:15 a.m.

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Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 9:45 a.m.: Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Oak Park: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m., Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., Wednesday worship at 7 p.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
Brooks
Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH
Oklee
Worship Services: Sundays at 5 p.m.

ST. VINCENT dePAUL CHURCH
Plummer
Worship Services: Saturdays at 10:30 a.m.

IMMANUEL/EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
Box 98, Plummer
Clarence J. Johnson, Pastor
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Worship Services – Immanuel: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Ebenezer: Sundays at 11 a.m.

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Box 39, Newfolden
John Jorgensen, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

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Gary Barrett, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays (Glen Eveland is speaking) at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:25 a.m., Evening fellowship with Glen Eveland at 7 p.m.

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874-6611
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

NAZARETH AND SILVER CREEK, ELCA
Rt. 1 Box 132, Newfolden
Nancy Werner, Pastor
449-3841
Worship Services – Silver Creek: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.: Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 11 a.m., Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

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Gerald Deppa, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

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Worship Services – Our Savior's: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

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Paul A. Chell, Pastor
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:45 a.m.; Sunday church school at 9:30 a.m.

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Crystal Thompson receives school bus conduct award

Crystal Thompson (right), an eighth grader at Franklin Middle school in Thief River Falls, received the "School Bus Conduct Award" from her driver, Lester Sunram. Sunram, who has 10 years experience as a school bus driver, says Crystal is an "exceptional kid".

Crystal Thompson, an eighth grader at Franklin Middle school in Thief River Falls, has received the School District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award". The award was presented to Crystal by her driver, Lester Sunram, and Transportation Superintendent Fred Mykleby.

Mykleby says Crystal was selected for the honor because, "She is a wonderfully behaved, exceptional kid." Crystal is a passenger on Route 7. Her driver, Lester Sunram, has been with the district for 10 years.

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes in the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire School District.

Viking Community News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Corey and Julie Skjerven and children and Mary Weleski and girls visited at the Gordon Skjerven home on Sunday afternoon.

Thelma Dahl has moved into town and lives at 417 3rd St. W. Apt. 303 since she sold the farm.

Dan and Donna Sustad and family hosted a 21st birthday part for daughter Dawn on Saturday evening. Guests present were fience Corey Oustalson of Thief River Falls, Kraig, Dayna and Alexis Melvie, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ness and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad.

Leonard Larson went to the Keith Maidment home for Sunday brunch.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad met their friends Mr. and Mrs. Willard Peterson of Lake Bronson for noon lunch at Handy Farms on Monday.

Lyle Quam, Liz Swenson, Thelma Dahl, Ardelle Ostgarten met at Evelyn Lamberts home for a birthday party on Monday afternoon.

Tuesday morning coffee guests at the LeRoy Sustad home were Lloyd Ranum and Kraig Melvie.

Billy Copeland of Kent, WA arrived Saturday afternoon for deer hunting with Tim Bulger in the Williams area. He bagged a buck on Monday.

Leonard Larson went to Warren on Monday and visited with Minnie Potucek and Carl Mattson while he was there.

Bud and Karen Robinson who have been visiting at the Sidney Ranums for deer hunting and will be leaving Thursday morning for their home in Greenwood, AR. Karen and her mother, Clarice spent Monday visiting at the Evelyn Beito home and other relatives while the men hunted and reported good luck.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson visited Morris and Elaine Maruska of Angus on Thursday. Mildred Peterson, an aunt accompanied them.

Thelma Dahl and Hazel Olson called on Liz Swenson on Tuesday afternoon.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson visited Lyla Quam on Tuesday afternoon.

Darrel and Allen Swenson were callers at Liz Swensons on Wednesday afternoon.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson went to Warren to attend a Farm Credit Banquet.

Visitors at the George Erickson home last weekend were sons Russ Erickson from Grafton and Jeff Erickson from Lanmore.

Jane Neiland from Brown's Valley was up from Friday to Monday to go deer hunting with the Earl Erickson family.

Gatzke Community News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Congratulations to Arvin and Marvel Dahl, Tom and Eleanor Oehl who were recently named Outstanding Conservationists for 1995 of Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District.

The Sarona Circle met on Tuesday morning at the Raymond Aune home. Those present were Pastor Lloyd, Mrs. Reuben Brawley and grandson Rylin Brawley, Mrs. Juel Aune, Mrs. Alton Sparby, Mrs. Larry Hagen, Mrs. Reuben Engevik and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud. Pastor gave the Bible study and Sue was hostess.

The Heaton families and Nathan and Karen Engevik and family visited at the Reuben Engevik home and enjoyed deer hunting.

Darren and Emily Larson and Bennett of Minneapolis have been recent visitors at the Peter Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud, Mrs. Allen Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter and Walter Lunsetter attended the Lutefisk supper at Bethesda Lutheran church at Skime on Saturday evening.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts and Dwight Hassler visited at the Paul Klamar home with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Dolezal, Kody and Harley.

Mrs. Eldon Johnson of Eagen spent Thursday until Monday visiting with her mother, Eunice Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott, Preston and Katie of Red Lake Falls visited on Friday and Saturday at the Eugene Polansky home.

Saturday, Mrs. Dwight Peterson of Warren and Mrs. Chris Reginbel and Shelby of Grand Forks visited at the Gene Paterson home.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holte and Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hagen and Marlene brought birthday wishes to Mrs. Wayne Lunsetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Carlson of Thief River Falls spent the weekend at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik were supper guests one evening last week at the Daan Anderson home at Newfolden.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie McMillan of Roseau and Karyl Larson were Friday and Saturday overnight guests at the Donna and Paul Wiemelt home at Lakeville. On Saturday they attended the birthday party for Vienne Grondahl at the Wendell Swan home at St. Peter and also visited with Sandy Underberg of Salem, OR and Eleanor McMillan, Matt and Tim.

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited at the Herman and Art Ruud home at Goodridge and later visited at the Orvin Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter, Ashley, Andrew and Andrea of Wahpeton spent the weekend at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home have been Lorraine Vander Wegge of Crookston, Gary Peterson of Middle River, Dwight Peterson of Warren, Jerry Soheim of Brainerd and Mrs. Bob Oiffen of Hallock.

Dwight Hassler of Linville, IA spent Friday until Tuesday at the Alan Severts home.

Mrs. Alton Sparby of Grygla visited on Sunday afternoon at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polansky visited on Saturday morning at the Ray Scott home at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik visited recently at the Mylan Ruud home.

Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter and family of Wahpeton visited at the Gerry Lunsetter home.

Steve Koch and Chad Severts of Bemidji, Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus spent the weekend at the Ian Severts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Carlson of Thief River Falls, Glenn Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Laverne Aune at United Hospital.

Lowell Larson, Derrick and Doug also Darren and Emily and Bennett of Minneapolis spent the weekend at the Karyl Larson home.

Mrs. Alan Lunsetter and family of Wahpeton visited on Saturday at the Darwin Klamar home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Johnson of Eagen, Gordon Ellingson of Andover and Scott Ellingson of Stillwater were supper guests on Monday at the Eunice Hagen home.

Irma Harris visited on monday at the Reuben Engevik home.

Dean Dolezal of Savage, Paul Klamar and Blair were coffee guests on Monday at the Alan Severts home.

Visitors during the weekend at the Howard Lunsetter home were David Lunsetter of Fargo, Roger Bernat of Roseau, Wayne Lunsetter and Gerry Lunsetter.

Brooks

A cellular phone does come in handy James Laniel of Prior Lake, MN found out. He was planning on getting an early start the morning of opening duck season, so he parked his twelve foot row boat in front of his home. Well early morning he discovered his row boat was gone the next day Jim Barb, Tia and Beau were driving about a mile from his home, he met a pickup with three duck hunters with a row boat in the back. As he turned his vehicle around he said "quote" to his family, "That is my boat," in disbelief, the grassy green color on the left side was dirty from leaning against the wood pile, made him sure enough, to use his cellular phone to call 911 and tell the police where they were traveling.

The driver of the pickup denied everything, saying that the boat was in his family for many years, and had never been registered. The registration numbers had been some what scratched off, but you could still see what they were through the dirty side.

The police called in to have the registration number confirmed and the driver was arrested. Jim still hasn't washed his boat, his three-year-old boy and five-year-old daughter were quite excited over the experience.

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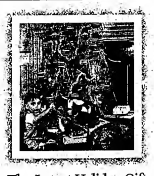

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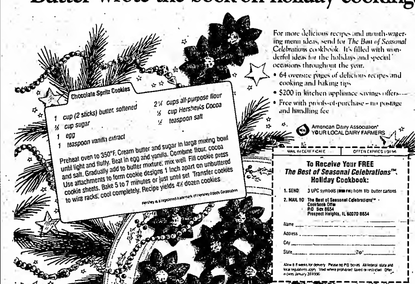

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Gully Community News

Florence Berg
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Elmer Handy, Sonny Berg and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Erickson visited at the home of Florence Berg on Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nelson and Carl.

Mr. and Mrs. Corey Hanson from Alamo and Lyle Hanson from Lincoln visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee Wolma and Lyle Nelson at their home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee and wife were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nelson and Carl.

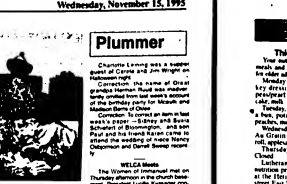
Regina Gunderson of Town Creek visited at the Elmer Brunsvold Friday afternoon. They met at church.

Sunday visitors of Floyd Berge were Larry Berg of Wichita. He spent the weekend with his folks the Elmer Berges and Lyle Berg of Lincoln.

Mr. Myers and Connie Hanson were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nelson and Marion and Jolene visited on Lyle Lee later in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Turman were overnight guests of Elmer on Thursday. Walter Handy and Marion Handy were Friday callers.

The Lyle Lees visited Lyle Hanson at Langdon on Sunday afternoon. Other visitors were the Ralph Lees and Elmer Erickson of Wolverton and the Harold Lees on Monday.



At its first meeting Girl Scout Troop 289 members dressed in Halloween costumes. They held a party and painted pumpkins and played other activities. Pictured from left are: Brittney Odberg, Noel Jacobson, and Lyrunda Weeding; Back row: Bethany Strom, Amber Larson, Shawna Rogalla and Erin Housey.

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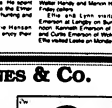

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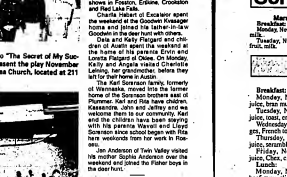
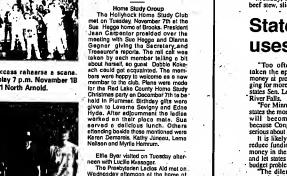
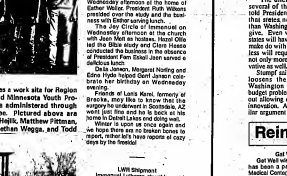


The Free Church Kids as cast members to "The Secret of My Success" pose for a photo. The cast will present the play November 18 and 19 at 7 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church, located at 211 North Arnold.



Cast members of The Secret of My Success rehearse a scene. The Free Church Kids will present their play 7 p.m. November 18 and 19 at the Evangelical Free Church, 211 North Arnold.



Agassie National Wildlife Refuge served as a work site for Region 1 Summer Youth Employee Program and Minnesota Youth Program participants. This programs were administered through Inter-County Community Council, Okiee. Pictured above are some of the participants (from left) Lela Ingle, Marlene Finnegan, Christopher Callahan, Desiree Kotobe, Nathan Weggs, and Todd Anderson.

Traci Sannes and Brandi Olson were two of the participants in the Region 1 Summer Youth Employee Program and Minnesota Youth Program, which were administered through Inter-County Community Council, Okiee. Agassie National Wildlife Refuge served as a work site.

Plummer

Charlotte Lenning was a luncheon guest of Carole and Jim Wright on Thursday.

Correction: the name of Great grandpa Herman Rudd was inadvertently omitted from last week's account of the birthday party for Mabelle and Herman Barns of Detroit.

Correction: to correct an item in last week's paper - Bridget Odberg, Bethany Schafer of Bloomington, and Jodi Lee and Kelly Lee of Minneapolis to attend the wedding of Jeremy Odberg, Chippewa on Detroit Snoop recent by.

WELCA Meets

The Women of Immanuel met on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. President Lucille Kosegarden conducted the business meeting. Plans for the Thanksgiving service were presented by the Joy Circle with Hazel Ofte in charge. Hostesses were Emma Skjervan, Alma Hanson and Effie Byer.

Sidney and Paul Schafaiel of Bloomington came on Friday to spend the weekend at the Ole Schafaiel home in and visit their daughter.

Jack Lotte of Rosemount came on Friday night to hunt deer and stayed at the home of Frances and Vic Schafaiel.

Harley, Joan and Bernice Schafaiel of Fargo came on Friday night for the deer hunt and was housequests at the Jim Schafaiel home.

Sunday afternoon Adam Vigoral of St. Francis arrived on Friday night at the Byer home to spend the weekend with Dave and Derek Byer.

Edna Hyde, Kathy Juneau, Mary Beth Westlake and Sunny DuCharme spent Saturday touring various craft shows in Fosston, Erskine, Crookston and Red Lake Falls.

Jim Anderson of Twin Excelsior spent the weekend at the Gordon Kissinger home and joined his father-in-law Gordon in the deer hunt with others.

Dale and Kelly Fleigent and children of Austin spent the weekend at the home of his parents Ervin and Loreta Fleigent of Detroit. Dale, Kelly, and Angela visited Charlotte Lenning and Jim Wright before they left for their home in Austin.

The Karl Sorenson family, formerly of Wawasota, moved into the former home of the Sorenson brothers east of Plummer. Karl and his have children, Kassandra, John and Jeffrey and we welcome them to our community. Jeff and his children left on Sunday after spending the weekend with Jeff's parents Wayne and Lynda Sorenson since coming from Wa this here weekends from her work in Rosser.

Jen Anderson of Twin Valley visited her mother Sylvia Anderson over the weekend and joined the Fisher boys in the deer hunt.

Home Study Group

The Hollyhock Home Study Club met on Tuesday, November 7th at the Sue Hagge home of Brandon. President Jean Carpenter presided over the meeting with Sue Hagge and Dianne Wagner giving the Secretary and Treasurer reports. Roll Call was taken by each member taking a bit about herself, as guest Debbie Kiekenich could get acquainted. The members were happy to welcome as a new member to the club. Plans were made for the Red Lake County Home Study Council meeting on December 7th to be held at Fosston. Birthday gifts were given to Lorraine Kissinger and Ruth Hyde. After adjournment the ladies worked on their place mats. Sue served a delicious lunch. Dates attending books those mentioned were Karen Clements, Kathy Johnson, Lenna Nelson and Myrtle Hanson.

Effie Byer visited on Tuesday afternoon with Lucille Kissinger.

The Prairieland Lydia Aid met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Esther Weber. President Ruth Wolters presided over the study and the business meeting followed.

The Wednesday Bible Class met on Wednesday afternoon at the church with about 14 ladies. Hazel Ofte led the Bible study and Clara Hesse conducted the business in the absence of President Fern Eckert Jean served a delicious lunch.

On Sunday, Margaret Nolting and Ruth Kissinger celebrated their birthdays at Wednesday evening.

Friends of Lavis Kenn, formerly of Brocks, may like to know that the surgery he underwent in Scottsdale, AZ went just fine and he is back at his home in Scottsdale recuperating.

Dinner is upon us once again and we hope there are no broken bones or injuries, rather let's have reports of crazy days by the freeway!

LWR Shipment

Immanuel Lutheran church's contribution to Lutheran World Relief quilts and kits for Africa. Quilts donated to Northwestern Transfer in Ada on Saturday morning and loaded into a 40 foot trailer. Volunteers from the LWR Warehouse and later shipped in New Windsor, MD to distribution centers. Immanuel's quilters completed and shipped 1,000 quilts and kits, making a total for 1995 of 2,000 and blankets 65 lbs. men's clothing 15 lbs. of women's clothing, 19 layettes, 15 lbs. of children's clothing with 12 health, sewing and school kits being made by ladies in the evening circles. We have had help from other churches and groups who have given material and even some completed quilts. Rummage sales have greatly helped. It was indeed a community project and will reach out in love to needy families in foreign countries. In January the winter season will once again be underway so please save any items that can be used in this work. Layettes, rompers and blankets, mittens in every size are hoped in any way.

Senior Meals

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Thursday-Friday, Nov. 23-24 Thanksgiving Vacation.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Fridays is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Nov. 20: Hamburger on a bun, potato salad, baked beans, peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 22: Ham loaf, Au Gratin potatoes, Winter mix, roll, applesauce bar, milk.

Thursday-Friday, Nov. 23-24: Closed

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Senior Meals: Newfolden

Monday, Nov. 20: Country steak, pepsta potato, peas, blueberry muffin, rainbow sherbet, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 21: Cream of vegetable soup, chicken salad sandwich, mandarin orange gelatin, crackers, margarine, blueberry dessert, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 22: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, bread, margarine, peach sauce, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 23: Pork stroganoff, seasoned noodles with gravy, sliced beets, carrots, pineapple marshmallow cole slaw, strawberry gelatin, whole bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Nov. 24: Salmon loaf with cream of pea sauce, parsley potatoes, whipped squash, lime gelatin with fruit cocktail, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

School Lunch Menu

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 20: Toast, cereal, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 21: Muffin, cereal, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 22: Egg and sausage biscuit, juice, milk.

Thursday-Friday, Nov. 23-24: No School.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 20: Milk, apple juice, bran muffins, Cheerios.

Tuesday, Nov. 21: Milk, orange juice, toast, cream of wheat.

Wednesday, Nov. 22: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, Nov. 23: Milk, apple juice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Friday, Nov. 24: Milk, apple juice, Chex, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 20: Homemade beef stew, sliced cheese, bread and butter, fruit cocktail, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 21: Hamburger on a bun, coleslaw, carrots, pears, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 22: Beef chow mein, chow mein noodles, lettuce salad with ranch dressing, bread, butter, pineapple, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 23: Escalloped potatoes with ham, corn and raisin salad, applesauce, milk.

Friday, Nov. 24: Cream of tomato soup, sublimes, grilled cheese sandwiches, pickles, sliced peaches, milk.

States need creative uses for federal funds

"Too often government has taken the approach of throwing money at problems instead of digging for more thoughtful solutions," states Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls.

"For Minnesota and many other states the more thoughtful approach will become more important because Congress is getting more serious about big budget cuts."

It is likely that Washington will reduce funding to states, lend the money in the form of block grants and let states figure out the refined budget problems, Sen. Stumpf said.

"The dilemma," he noted, "is several of the governors, including President Clinton directly, is that federal mandates are being placed on them that they are willing to give. Even with more flexibility, states will have to figure out how to make do with less. Making do with less will require governments that are not only more thoughtful, but innovative as well."

Stumpf said that unless it really loosens the federal red tape, Washington will be transferring budget problems to the states without allowing enough room for real innovation. And he said that a familiar argument can be made for the relationship between the state and local governments.

"State mandates on local governments have caused budget problems and have caused budget burdens without providing enough flexibility," he said.

"Some folks complain that state have not done enough to assert states' rights on those issues under the Tenth Amendment of the Constitution. In response to those concerns, lawmakers are trying to establish the state-federal relationship and gain more freedom from federal mandates. They are also working on the state-local relationship because of similar concerns about mandates."

At the heart of the debate is something that all of us need to think about, Sen. Stumpf added. "We in the government are not all it all, and has tried to do too much for too long. The Tough question for most people is what they are willing to give up or do differently.

"As always, if you have suggestions for new ways government can do things, write to me at 24 Capitol Building, State Capitol, Minnesota St. Paul, MN 55155," Sen. Stumpf said.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller
376-4269

Get Well Wishes!

Get well wishes to Ingvard Miller who has been a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and Deaconess Hospital in Fargo, ND. We all wish Signe a speedy recovery!

Mari Lou Anderson visited with Inga Coen at the Valley View Nursing Home. Mari Lou and Inga visited with Signe Miller and Ingvard Miller and also with Ole Stephenson at the Child and Family Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Dorothy Miller visited with Lila Stephenson on Monday evening.

Virgil Miller and Della Stenvik and Tarvel Wilson of Bumestta spent the weekend at the Ole Miller home in Fargo, Ohio and visiting Sigurd.

Tony and Janis Sigurdt McLean and Taylor visited on Halloween night at the Odo and Hulda Sigdrud home. Odo and Hulda had many "Trick and Treaters" at their house on Tuesday evening.

Odo and Hulda enrolled from those who brought Odo Sigurdt's greetings last week, sorry.

Edgar and Dorothy Miller visited at the Kenny Coen home on Tuesday evening.

Jan Sigurdt visited at the Odo and Hulda Sigurdt home, with Virgil and Della Sigurdt and Tarvel. They all enjoyed the home and all dear home.

50th Wedding Anniversary!

Congratulations to Robert and Irene Sigdrud of Phoenix, AZ who celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary in Phoenix. Robert and Irene were married on November 12, 1945 in Fargo, ND. Their children in the church with their family and many friends attended the Open House. Many called them with greetings Sunday evening.

All of your friends and family in Minnesota wish you the very best and many more happy years together, Irene and Robert.

Hulda Sigdrud visited briefly at the Lenn and Doreen Sigdrud home Sunday afternoon.

Ladies Aid

The Reiner Ladies Aid held their Bible study and mid-week meeting at the church on Tuesday, November 14. Lillian Lemieux Stenvik led the Bible study. Ayl Sun Stenvik served them for coffee. Those who attended were Helen Hulden, Dorothy Miller, Hulda Sigdrud, Ivy Wolfe, Joan Halvorson and Amy and Virgie Wolfe.

The Hollywood Hillbillies as portrayed by Joshua Gallagher as Woodrow, David Christensen as Ned, Marnie Schafer as Elula Mae, and Jennifer Halvorson as Granny will perform during the 1995 Free Church Kids musical called The Secret of My Success 7 p.m. November 18 and 19.

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Effie Byer
466-4375

Kenny Tolson of Fargo visited with his father Lyle Tolson over the weekend and visited with other parents Lyle and Ruth Tolson.

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Sunday visitors of Effie Byer were Harlan Byer.

Supper guests of George and Hazel Ofte

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Davis accepted at National College

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A burger, bingo and brunch benefit will be held for Lynne Bylander November 16, 17 and 19 in Thief River Falls. Lynne Bylander (center) is being treated at the University of Minnesota Hospitals for a serious blood disease. In addition, she was recently diagnosed with a lymphoma cancer. The burger dinner benefit will be held from 5 to 9 p.m. Thursday, November 16 at the Elks Club. The bingo benefit will be held at 5:30 and 7 p.m. Friday, November 17, at the Elks Club. The brunch fund-raiser will be held from 9 a.m. to noon Sunday, November 19, at the Heritage Community Center. Pictured from left are her husband Dan Bylander, and two children Nathan and Cole.

Lynne Bylander benefit planned

Burger, Bingo and Brunch benefit for Lynne Bylander will be held November 16, 17 and 19 in Thief River Falls. Bylander, who was diagnosed with a serious blood disease more than six years, was recently diagnosed with a lymphoma cancer.

The benefit events are being organized to assist the Bylander family with expenses incurred by Lynne's illness. Early this fall she underwent a bone marrow transplant in her hometown on October 16, transported by air ambulance to the University of Minnesota Hospital. She is receiving treatment for the blood disease at the hospital. Her condition is serious, but stable. She will probably be hospitalized in Minneapolis for at least eight more weeks.

The benefit was initiated by the Women of the Elks and Elks Lodge 1368. Several friends and organizations in the community, including the Boy Scouts, Women of Today, Jaycee Bowling League, and Bible Study Group, have been contacted and are participating in the fund-raising activities. Lutheran Brotherhood Branch 0125 and Aid Association for Lutherans Branch 1984 have agreed to sponsor the fund-raising for her benefit.

The Burger dinner will be held from 5 to 9 p.m. Thursday, November 16, at the Elks Club. Burgers, fries and toppings are $4 per person.

Elks Bingo benefit will be held from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Friday, November 17, at the Elks Club. All proceeds will go to the Bylander family.

Brunch fund-raiser will be held from 9 a.m. to noon Sunday, November 19, at the Heritage Community Center. Pancakes, French toast and sausage will be served. The brunch will cost $4 for adults, $3 for children, 12 and under.

Volunteers are still needed for each of the benefit events. For more information contact Sally Erickson at 681-3854 or 681-3951 (work). Donations to the Bylander benefit fund may be made to: Lynne Bylander Benefit Account, Northern State Bank, Attention: Karen Looker, P.O. Box 630, Thief River Falls, MN, 56701.

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How We Tend To Dramatize The Moment

It never fails to amaze us how the vivid reality of the moment tends to cloud the vision of the past. Witness the following paragraph from a story by Martin Merzer of Knight-Ridder Newspapers published in the November 9 edition of the Grand Forks Herald:

"Israel Radio reported the arrest of two other suspects late Wednesday—bringing to five the number of people implicated in the worst crime in Israeli history—but those arrests were not immediately confirmed by police."

The arrests were being made in connection with the assassination of Israel's Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin, certainly a brutal and heinous crime that shocked people—especially political leaders—throughout much of the world. But "the worst crime in Israeli history?" Reason says otherwise.

We don't pretend to know much about the history of the Nation of Israel, but we do know it is a history replete with violence. Within recent history alone we recall an attack during the Olympic games where innocent Israeli athletes were killed and which would rival the recent assassination as a terrible crime.

And one has to go back a little further in history, but there are and have been quite a few hundreds of millions of people who might believe there was a worse crime in Israeli history than the Rabin assassination. That crime involved a crucifixion that will continue to be remembered long after the Prime Minister's death is forgotten.

Deadbeat Diplomats A Problem In New York

Whatever its economic value to the Big Apple, the United Nations has created more than a few major financial problems due to deadbeats in the diplomatic corps of more than 30 nations. At most recent tally the UN ambassadors and their embassies owe U.S. banks, landlords and merchants more than $9 million and some have been delinquent on their debts for more than two years.

"Non-payment of just debts reflects badly on the entire diplomatic community and tarnishes the image of the United Nations itself," states Boutros Boutros-Ghali, Secretary General of the UN. "Some missions had not paid rent for two years or more and a number of residential landlords have either lost their property or are at risk of losing it because diplomatic tenants, who could not be evicted, would neither pay their rent nor leave the property."

About 80 per cent of the debt is owed to banks and landlords and the rest to merchants. Five nations alone—rumored to be the African nations of Sierra Leone, Congo, Zaire, Liberia and the Central African Republic—account for 83 per cent of the total.

Among the disturbing aspects of the debt total is that is has risen by nine times from the $1 million figure of 1990, and that it was only at the insistence of the U.S. mission and the City of New York that the debt was made public at all.

The public exposure may cause at least some of the delinquent missions to clean up their act and bring their accounts up to date, but we would expect the problem to be a persistent one. This is a situation which shows that there can certainly be disadvantages to what appears to be the benefit of a revenue-producing entity—even in the local area where the benefit should be the greatest.

Wenzel Defends The "Right To Be Rural"

According to Minnesota Rep. Steve Wenzel of Little Falls, the federal farm program put forth by the Republican majority in Congress "constitutes an attack on the right to be rural."

"What is the right to be rural?" he asks.

"It means that if taxpayers choose to live in a rural area, they should have the same kinds of opportunities that are available in cities," he answers his own question. "More importantly, it means that your children should be able to make a living in the community where they grew up, if they wish."

Rep. Wenzel goes on to be critical of cuts in Medicare and Medicaid, elimination of the Earned Income Credit and subsidy for the ethanol industry, reductions in fuel assistance, housing programs and transportation.

"Don't we want efficient government programs?" he continues. "Certainly. Do some farm programs need an overhaul? Most definitely. Is there waste? Undoubtedly. But we should not dismantle valuable programs simply because there is waste in some government programs.

"In rural Minnesota we know that small things—small schools, small farms, small factories, small hospitals, small communities—can be just as efficient, just as productive and just as good as big things in big cities. We have a right to preserve and protect our small things—that is the heart of the right to be rural."

Rep. Wenzel makes other admissions in his comments, noting that most of the money in federal farm programs goes to large operators and that benefits should be capped, that production incentives are contradictory, that paperwork is excessive, that milk marketing orders need an overhaul and that the bureaucracy should be cut and the program streamlined.

Perhaps survival of the right to be rural which Rep. Wenzel advocates and many of us would agree is important depends on being less dependent on government and more self-reliant. And that will involve some string-cutting to which some adjustments will certainly have to be made.

LETTERS

Dear Editor,

Congratulations Thief River Falls! You showed everyone how to control spending and cut costs. Of course, we still get to contribute our share of the 80 per cent of state money that we just turned down. Anoka, Farmington, Forest Lake, Oklee, Warroad, and many others who passed referendums will be pleased to know that Thief River Falls is happy to contribute, but please, nothing for us. That 80 per cent will still get used by these other communities that place a higher value on education and children. Perhaps next year the state will only offer 30 per cent and it will be a much better deal.

Of course, no one really cares enough to be part of the solution. All three school board positions went uncontested. Nobody attended any of the informational meetings on the levy. Hello, is anyone out there? Quite frankly, the apathy in this town is alarming. Even those with the most to lose in this whole debate; the teachers, staff, employees, and most of all, parents of school age children, were not sufficiently motivated to get to the polls. Amazing. Perhaps some of your caring neighbors can give you a hand loading the moving van after your positions have been cut. I will be curious to see how serious anyone is about taxes when the city or county extends their hand out for more. I'll bet we don't hear from all these tax conscious people. It will fly through without a hitch.

Imagine how impressive it must seem to families considering a move to Thief River Falls. They will be just in time to see another round of staff cuts, and reduced extra-curricular activities at the schools. At least the hockey players can find a place in Warroad, and football players, how about Detroit Lakes? It's easy to go backwards. All we need to do is watch the rest of the world move on. Certainly the industry in town has to be impressed. If expansion is a possibility, will they invest here? And what is this community doing to help attract new families to work and live? Polaris has already shown what they think about Roseau's ability to keep up with expansion with their move to Iowa.

Now what? The votes have been counted, the kids know how they rate, and the cuts begin. I hope everyone out there with the answers on how to operate without adequate funding will now inform the board as to where to cut $400,000. Part of self government is self involvement. The board and the Superintendent are going to need to hear your ideas, and see you involved. Don't hide behind a secret ballot and wait for others to make the tough decisions you refuse to face.

Sincerely,
Darryl and Patricia Breitenfeldt

To The Editor:

Hundreds of thousands of dollars donated to renovate the depot. How many Pennington county residents have a couple of snowmobiles or waterbikes or a hunting cabin or a lake place? So many seem to have the money for recreation and niceties but can't see spending 50 cents or a dollar a week to benefit our children.

Are these the same people who will complain about the problems we sometimes experience with today's kids? Are these the same people who will complain about undereducated or unmotivated young people that enter the work force? Will these people be willing to donate time in lieu of money when our school district needs help? I doubt it.

How will our kids be prepared to enter the real world and become successful without the proper tools? The answer is they won't, without the proper education. Our kids are the future. Please don't deny them that future.

In closing, I would like to thank all the school district employees and volunteers for their time and effort in this campaign. Please know that your efforts are very much appreciated.

Sincerely,
Jeff Johnson
521 LaBree Avenue North
Thief River Falls

Dear Editor,

I am appalled at you School District 564 citizens complaining about your taxes because of the new educational facility. If you hadn't been so eager to run to the polls 20 years ago and cast your no vote, today you would have a nice high school and middle school all paid for; and your taxes would have no reason to go up. Your greed, ignorance, and narrow mindedness cannot be excused. The money to be spent on the renovation of the high school and the new Challenger far exceeds your expectations. Remember this — someone else paid for your education and now it's your turn to pay for someone elses. Education is the only thing we got going for us in this country. Wake up!

Sincerely,
Jack Boyer

Newfolden

Saturday evening, November 4th, evening visitors and luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson. We also enjoyed couple games of Uno. The ladies beat the men both games. This time when it starts getting cold outside we enjoy games and watching videos and have snacks and visiting.

Wednesday, Marlys Auna of Circle Pines came up to visit at the Arnold Larson home. She went to East Grand Forks on Monday to visit with her cousin Loretta and Al Machal. She will leave for home on Saturday.

Wednesday evening, Roy and Laura Roppe visited with Arnold and Vernice Larson.

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Strandquist News

F. Myrtle Vagle
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It is difficult to tell what the weather is going to be in Northwest Minnesota at this time of the year as it seems we can have all four seasons in 24 hours or less. This forenoon the sun shone so brightly that I thought spring was right around the corner and this tonight it is out of sight completely. There isn't much we can do about it but get the news done and try to beat Roy at a game of "aggravation". When I can do that, it just makes my day.

Deer hunting began on Saturday so most of the news will be who came and if they were successful in the hunt before they had to return to their work. In fact most of the crowd at Bethesda Lutheran church in Strandquist on Sunday afternoon were women and children. They had gathered to celebrate the 45th anniversary of Vance and Adrienne Lefrooth. The party was hosted by their daughters and daughters-in-law. A short program was rendered of songs and readings by Donnie and Marlys Lefrooth and a song by their granddaughters. After congratulations and thanks by Adrienne, a delicious lunch was served and gifts opened.

Kenrick and Shirley Anderson were Thursday overnight guests of Chona Chaffee in Grand Forks. The weather was too bad to get home until Friday.

Randy, Priscilla and daughter Nicole Deshanes and David and Cindy Bestodeau all from Elk River camped at Mary and Donna Renstrom's over the weekend and returned home on Monday after a very successful deer hunt.

Judy Kleinvachter visited Angelina Bothum on Sunday. Later Joan Gehris of Inkster, ND, June Kasprowicz, Samantha Rux, and Lowell Lefrooth visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter. Other visitors there this week were Ellen Stromberg, Lorina Berggren, Kaye Turnwall, Brian Nelson, and Keri Kasprowicz and Marcus.

Last Thursday the seniors of Strandquist cancelled their meeting due to the snowstorm that hit all at once. The hunters were happy for tracking weather, Elphie Adlis said. She was blessed with Richard Johnson of Lena Lakes, Mike Johnson of Warroad, Greg Meyers and Cory Wikstrom from the Cities, and with Stanley Adlis they brought down four bucks by Sunday evening. Betty Johnson and Megan visited with Elphie while the boys were hunting.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—A number of the boys left for Patrick and James Meehan's camps on O'Brien creek on Thursday.

—David Collins the photographer has the studio remodeled, painted and papered and now has a nice reception room.

—The office of Patrick and James Meehan is besieged daily by persons seeking employment.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—The Great Northern extension from Thief River Falls to Kenmare, North Dakota will be completed in about a week. According to the News, this will make Thief River Falls the "gateway city for the whole territory."

—Three of the Soo Line's big guns were in the city last week having made a run up the line to look over the properties of their new road.

—Krouse & Christenson, new owners of the Coleman House hotel, have renamed it the Rushford.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The play, "Wanted: A Wife," will be presented at the auditorium on Thanksgiving evening by local talent for the benefit of the Commercial club.

—The first two deer brought into the city this season were killed by J. M. Carlson and J. A. Brandon.

—Manager Zeh of the Mozart Roller Rink is looking for a fast skater to race against Harley Davidson, champion ice and roller skater of the world, who may appear here in the near future.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Rev. A. I. Merth discussed the Locarno Treaty at a meeting of the commercial club.

—Stuart McLead herd of Guernseys led the local cow testing association in October with nine cows averaging 572.2 pounds of butterfat.

—John Bratrud was named to the park board.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Ray Kilond was promoted to regular carrier at the local post office.

—Four inches of snow fell November 10 and 11.

—Total tax rate for this city for 1935 was fixed at 113.22 mills.

—H. O. Chommie delivered the Armistice Day address at a Lincoln high school assembly.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Mrs. Warren Ferber was elected president of the newly organized Washington PTA unit.

—City council issued a $25,000 building permit to F. W. Woolworth company covering construction of a new store building on LaBree avenue at Second street.

—Paul A. Lundgren, president of the local aeronautics chapter, stated that five planes are now stationed at the local airport, with several more to be added next spring.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Mavie 4-H club walked off with the top awards at the annual 4-H achievement dinner.

—Thief River Falls Jaycees signed up 350 new Northern Blood Bank members in last week's drive.

—Nine inches of snow has fallen during the past week, and Tuesday's low temperature was five degrees below zero.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Mrs. Stanley Ranum was named to the Pine to Prairie Girl Scout council board.

—Lincoln high school senior class will present "The Miracle Worker" as its class play December 6 and 7.

—David Gustafson of Thief River Falls was elected the first student body president of the new Northland junior college.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—A tentative proposal for a new river crossing, railroad underpass and crosstown arterial route received stiff opposition from Greenwood area residents.

—State president of the Minnesota Education association, Don Hill, visited with local teachers at a teachers' rally.

—Current totals in the Thief River Falls United Way campaign show that $47,229 has been pledged or paid for the 1975 drive, according to Art Heinze, executive secretary of the local United Way board.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Wind erosion problems in northwestern Minnesota will be the focus of an accelerated soil conservation program in nine targeted counties in this part of the state for the next five years.

—Dennis Mills was named mayor of St. Hilaire after his name was drawn out of a hat to break a 52-52 tie with incumbent Howard Dalager in the election there.

—Floyd Erickson, Judy Machal and Carmen Larson were elected to the county fair board to succeed Vernon Lee, Arlyn Ellingson and Fred Dallmann.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — November 15, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week, November 22, 1945

An announcement will be made about a product for sale at the local Montgomery Ward store. "At the snap of a switch..electic lights; running water; radio; refrigerator; washing machine; electric appliances!" What product could be purchased for $166.50 to make it possible for the customer to have all of this?

Advanced question: For how many years was the product guaranteed?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

City Councils O.K's $65,000 In Building Jobs

"In a lengthy session Tuesday night the city council approved plans for the new water treatment plant as prepared Liam & Burdick of Grand Forks, and took action to advertise for bids to be opened December 18. Also approved were building permit applications calling for an estimated expenditure of more than $65,000, the major permit in the amount of $25,000 being issued to F. W. Woolworth company, covering the erection of a new one-story store building 50 by 110 feet in dimensions, on the corner of LaBree avenue at Second street, north from the postoffice."

Postmaster Anderson Asks That Yule Cards Go By 1st Class

"In his general appeal to the public to mail all their Christmas cards and packages by December 10, Postmaster Andrew Anderson today emphasized the value of first-class postage on Christmas cards. 'We should remember,' he said, 'that millions of people are away from home, and that other millions are in army camps and naval stations. Because Christmas cards are always important sentimental messages, they should be mailed first class. First-class mail issues their forwarding to new addresses. Here's a slogan that seems particularly appropriate to these messages of good will at Christmas time: "First-class friends deserve first-class."'"

Friday - Saturday
Boris Karloff
Bela Lugosi
"The Body Snatcher"
Falls Theatre

58 Carloads of Dressed Turkeys Shipped To Date

"During the period from October 20 to November 13, a total of 58 freight carloads of dressed turkeys for the Thanksgiving market were shipped out from Thief River Falls. The number compares with 49 carloads for the corresponding period of 1944."

County War Service Fund Now Aggregates $9,705

"Belated returns in the Pennington county War Service Fund appeal this week brought total contributions up to $9,705.05 against a quota of $10,650. Increases were shown for the week in the following subdivisions, the quota being given first, followed by the amount received: Black River, $100, $13.50; Cloverleaf, $90, $10; Norden, $150, $57.50; North, $225, $119; Thief River Falls, $7,500, $7,060.15."

City Health Chief Makes Report on Polio Status

"Following the death of Richard Oen, Knox school pupil, from infantile paralysis this week, Dr. O. F. Mellby, city health officer, stated that the state board of health had recommended that the local schools continue to function as usual. He added that he had received reports of no other similar cases in this vicinity, and expressed the opinion that there is no occasion for alarm."

—Congress has repealed that $5 automobile use stamp, and few tears will be shed.

—Crookston voters decided last week that they can get along without the loose change that would result from a municipal power plant.

—The atomic bomb seems to be a big hurdle in the way of peacetime conscription.

—Add Typographical Errors: Miss Maize Coggins, popular stenographer at the bank, has gone on a business strip to New York.

—When the day comes, as it inevitably must, that wages and farm income are down, a sheaf of Victory bonds will furnish a mighty nice cushion.

—Annual warning: Beware the thin ice, you skaters.

—Speaking of names, the Alexandria Echo reports that at Miami, Florida, a woman named Temperance Christian was jailed for intoxication.

—They tell us that when advised by a government official, "Pay your taxes with a smile" Col. Grumpy retorted, "I should love to. But they insist on cash."

—If you like venison, happy days are at hand.

—Clothing stores are having a hard time keeping up with the demand of discharged servicemen for civilian attire.

—The river pool here froze over right on schedule last week.

—Business Week magazine notes that a Los Angeles brassiere firm has bought out a parachute company.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — November 13, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"Threshing is dragging along and it will be at least two weeks or more before all work is done.

"The price of wheat has taken a tumble the past week and does not seem to have a friend in the world.

"A delegation of Sioux Indians were in town today on their way home from a visit to the Chippewas at Red Lake.

"Captain Van Etten, otherwise known as the Dakota Cyclone, lectured on temperance in the M.E. Church last Monday and Tuesday evenings. He spoke to crowded houses both evenings.

"Wheat 40 cents, oats 10 cents, barley 15 cents, potatoes not worth digging, onions not worth digging, and cabbages and other vegetables about the same price; which would naturally lead people in this section to believe that the only thing we need to make good times is a great big hard republican gold dollar."

Agder News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4440

The Agder community was again saddened when one of its long time residents passed away. Harold Nebben died on November 1 at the Good Samaritan Home in Warren. Funeral services were held on Saturday at the Silver Creek church with Pastor Nancy Wamor officiating. Special music was provided by Carmen Gustafson and Grace Jorde. Harold was laid to rest in the Bethlehem Cemetery following the services at Silver Creek. Sympathy is extended to his wife, Edith and to other relatives and friends who mourn his passing.

Relatives from a distance who attended the funeral service were Johanna Green, Victor Nebben, Dick and Linda Butler from Grand Forks, Rev. and Mrs. Dale Nebben of Bismarck, ND, Ardelle and Laurel Nebben of Niagara, ND, Manvel and Doloris Green and Ralph and Carol Tucker from St. Thomas, Paulette and Janna Shem of Buxton and Barb and Ronnie Moe from Dalton.

Houseguests at the Martha and Jarvis Torgerson home for the weekend were Sam Fischer, Mike, John and Joe Kavanaugh from Minneapolis. They were here to hunt deer in the area with Mike and Jarvis Torgerson and Debbie Williams.

Carla Torgerson, Debbie Williams, Kari Ekberg and Nancy Sturgeon were hostesses at a baby shower at the Silver Creek church on Friday evening honoring Lisa Parent and her son, Reed Michael.

Dave Barth of Warroad and Cliff Barth of Breckinridge spent the weekend at the Ray Barth home while they hunted in the area. Annette Kostrzewski joined them in the hunt on Saturday. Lois Dalager joined them all for supper at the Barth home on Saturday.

Weekend guests at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home were Jeremy and Johnny Anderson of Minneapolis, Charles and Robert Anderson of Alexandria, John Anderson of Stillwater, Steve Anderson of Roseau and Kurt Borgas from Minneapolis.

Tom and Sean Oscarsen were callers at the Ray Barth home on Wednesday evening.

Adeline Moe and June Berggren visited with Eda Nebben on Friday afternoon.

Phil Torgerson visited at the Jarvis Torgerson home on Sunday and was a dinner guest there. In the evening, Bruce and Debbie Williams joined them for supper.

Lorraine Sannes and Margaret Rupprecht attended and enjoyed the homemakers lesson on "Family Heirlooms" on Friday at the home of Dawn Ose and presented by Bev Rupprecht.

Weekend guests at the home of Carmen and Larry Gustafson were Susan and Joe Blackbird from Gerwin, Jim Seidel from St. Paul and Tony Gustafson from Grand Forks. They were hunting with Larry in the area.

Gloria Cleven visited with her mother Ethel Nelson on Tuesday.

Ida Rupprecht, Ruth Hanson and Elvina Sunsdahl had lunch together Wednesday at a local restaurant and then spent the afternoon at the Hanson home.

Dale and Brandi Nelson and Jordan were weekend guests at the Margaret and Leslie Nelson home. Jean Nelson joined them for dinner on Sunday.

Bernice Knutson and Marlene Beedy visited with Bernice Danielson at her home in Grand Forks on Sunday afternoon.

Bruce Hanson, Tim and Don from Wilmer spent the weekend at the Lowell Hanson home and were deer hunting with Lowell. On Saturday evening, Valerie Austad, Alicia and Robbie Bakken joined them for supper at the Hanson home. Linda Hanson joined them later in the evening.

Denver, Jorde and Jason Rogalla spent Tuesday with their great grandma, Jean Nelson. Jan Schwartz was a caller there in the afternoon.

Margaret Rupprecht was a dinner guests at the home of Melodee Rupprecht and Shara on Sunday.

Ron and Barb Moe visited at the Adeline Moe and Marlin Augustine homes on Saturday afternoon.

Bernice Knutson was a Monday afternoon visitor at the Bill Stock, Mavis Hillyer home.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Saturday evening supper guests at the Don and Gail Larson were Jim Larson of Mounds View, Pat Price of the Cities, Marlys Auna of Circle Pines, Arnold and Vernice Larson, Dave and Diane Myhrer, Amanda and Laura and their grandson Taylor.

Monday visitors at the Hanna Moen home were Sharon Braaten and Kathy Halstad.

Friday, Frank and Harriet Kujava visited and enjoyed coffee with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Erick Ellingson of St. Frances and his son Rick of Duluth came on Friday morning to Alice Ellingson to visit and do some deer hunting they left again on Tuesday.

Michael and Debbie Waterworth and Reed visited with Aaron and Blanche Waterworth on Friday evening.

Bud and Ruby Moen of Thief River Falls visited with Lillie Olson on Tuesday.

Friday afternoon, Vivian Sagstuen visited with Clara Hanson.

Peter and Frances Gerszewski were among many to attend the funeral for Daniel Bruggeman on Wednesday November 1st at the St. Bernards Catholic church in Thief River Falls.

Sunday dinner guests at the Arnold Larson home were Jim Larson of Mounds View, Pat Price of the Cities, Marlys Aune of Circle Pines, Don Larson, Sarah, Josh and Andy, Sybil Cwikla, Tom and Sue Dondelinger, Laurie, Joey and Evan, Kari Jeshe and Collin, Richard Larson.

Saturday afternoon, Ardys Knutson, Shirley Wagner, Teri Knutson, Ethan and Ashley Knutson came for a visit with Olga Thompson had enjoyed coffee and treats with her.

Sunday afternoon, Roy and Laura Roppe visited with Bert and Adeline Roppe.

Thursday evening, Gordon Ellingson of Anoka, Scott Ellingson of Stillwater and Eldon Johnson visited with Alice Ellingson.

Chuck and Sherry Olson visited with Lillie Olson on Tuesday evening.

Monday afternoon, Hilma Lee visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson.

Harvey Skyberg was a Thursday November 2nd evening visitor and luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson.

Jim Larson of Mounds View came up on Friday evening to do some deer hunting and visited with his parents Arnold and Vernice Larson also with his brother and sisters. He was a houseguest of Don and Gail Larson. He left for home on Sunday afternoon.

On Friday evening Merle and Ardys Knutson, Teri and Marc Knutson, Ashley and Ethan and Shawn came to spend Saturday and Sunday at the Bill and Shirley Wagner home. The men enjoyed deer hunting and visiting.

Tuesday, Dean Hanson came and got Clara Hanson to babysit her great grandson.

Supper guests of Grandpa and Grandma Thompson on Friday evening, November 3rd was Lisa Wilson and family.

Monday noon, Arnold and Vernice Larson and Sybil Cwikla left for Fargo where they were overnight guests of LaVoi Thun. Then on Tuesday Vernice had surgery. Myrtle Robinson came up to the hospital to visit with them. They returned home on Tuesday night.

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Pennington Co. Treasurer

New hours at swimming pool start Nov. 25

New hours at the swimming pool located at Franklin Middle school take effect on November 25.

The news hours are as follows:

Monday - Friday — 6 to 7 a.m. lap swimming.

Monday, Wednesday, Friday — 7 to 8 p.m. open swimming.

Saturday and Sunday — 1 to 5 p.m. open swimming.

During Thanksgiving vacation in Thief River Falls, open swim will be from 1 to 5 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday. The pool will be closed on Thanksgiving Day. Also during the week of Thanksgiving, there will be no lap swimming.

Beginning January 20, Saturday morning swim lesson will be offered.

WSI training and Lifeguard training will be offered in March and April.

Please contact the Community Education department at 681-8740 for more information.

November 17-23 declared Farm-City week in MN

Minnesota Department of Agriculture's Ag in the Classroom program, the Minnesota Farm-City committee and Minnesota's commodity and ag groups have announced plans for their annual Farm-City Week school visits.

Farm-City Week is designated each year by Presidential proclamation and is a national event designed to heighten awareness about the daily interdependence between the farm and the city. The week, set for November 17-23, precedes and includes Thanksgiving Day. Volunteers in many states will "tell the agricultural story" to schools and through community events.

This celebration is a time when we reflect on the abundance of food produced in this country. It's a perfect time to remind children and adults that the food we see in our supermarkets doesn't just magically appear. It gets there because of the work of many agricultural workers. "We are all connected to food and fiber daily, so agriculture isn't important just to the 85,000 farm families in Minnesota," says Commissioner of Agriculture Gene Hugoson. He adds, "there's a great story to be told here, and with an ever-increasing urban population, the public tends to take for granted this important farm-city connection."

From November 14-17, volunteers from Minnesota agriculture are scheduled to visit many schools in the Twin Cities are, and at some schools in Rochester, Mankato, Fergus Falls and Detroit Lakes. Throughout Minnesota, other volunteers will be visiting their local schools. They will bring product samples, pictures, and in some cases, live animals, to help students better understand and appreciate where their food comes from. Some volunteers will visit classrooms as a team, connecting a producer and another ag career to the classroom experience.

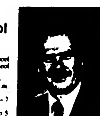
Applications for low interest Ag loans accepted

Purchases and projects that help make Minnesota farms and farmers more economically and environmentally sustainable are eligible for loans of up to $15,000 at six per cent interest rate through the Minnesota Department of Agriculture's Energy and Sustainable Agriculture Program. Joint projects involving two or more farmers are eligible for loans of up to $75,000. Eligible purchases may include items such as fencing to implement rotational grazing systems, alternative weed and soil management or fertilizing equipment, on-farm processing equipment for value-added products and other items.

The loan program accepts applications continuously and reviews them two or three times a year. In order to enable farmers to make timely decisions, however, a purchase made after an application is submitted can still qualify for a sustainable ag loan.

A technical review panel evaluates the applications based on potential to increase farm profitability and benefits to the rural environment. Deadline for the current cycle is January 20, 1996. The next review panel meeting will be in February, 1996.

For an application or additional information call Wayne Monsen, Grant and Loan Program coordinator, at (612) 282-2261 or write: Energy and Sustainable Agriculture Program, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, 90 West Plato Boulevard, St. Paul, MN 55107.



Dr. Thomas Tunberg

Dr. Tunberg on board of Minn. Surgical Society

Dr. Thomas Tunberg, son of Wallace and Bonnie Tunberg of Thief River Falls, has been named to a three-year term on the executive committee and board of directors of the Minnesota Surgical Society. Tunberg is a general surgeon at Cambridge Medical Center.

Minnesota Surgical Society was founded in 1929 and includes board-certified surgeons in Minnesota committed to the scientific advancement of surgery. Dr. Tunberg has been a member since 1990.

A board-certified surgeon since 1987, Dr. Tunberg was also appointed by the American Board of Surgery this past May as a Midwest associate board examiner for the certifying oral examination of young surgeons completing their surgical training.

This past year he also received a clinical teaching appointment in the Department of Surgery at the University of Minnesota Medial School, as well as the American Medical Association's Physician Recognition Award for continuing medical education. He is a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons.

Recent personal medical highlights have been two medical missions trips to the Ukraine in the former Soviet Union.

Dr. Tunberg has practiced surgery in Cambridge since 1988. He lives in Goldenwood with his wife Ann, and daughter Andrea, who is a Cambridge high school student.

Sarah Huschle

Huschle awarded National Science Scholarship

Sarah Huschle, daughter of Gary and Kathleen Huschle of Thief River Falls, has been awarded the National Science Foundation Scholarship.

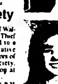
Huschle is a 1995 graduate of Lincoln high school and is currently a freshman at the University of Minnesota at Morris. She plans to major in biology. She also plays volleyball and will participate in softball at the University of Minnesota at Morris.

Fontaine and Meade elected to Fund board

Kip Fontaine, a native of Red Lake Falls and Clearwater County Attorney, and Bruce Meade, vice president of Blackduck State Bank, were recently elected to the board of directors of the Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund at its annual meeting.

Officers of the board include Patricia Swanson, Hallock, president; Bruce Hamnes, Stephen, vice president; Norma Hanson, Goodridge, secretary; and Renae Womack, Bemidji, treasurer.

Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund is a charitable foundation committed to improving the quality of life for residents of northwest Minnesota by increasing economic growth and business development and increasing the capacity of individuals and organizations to shape the region's future.



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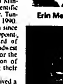
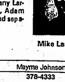


Kari Knuttila

Haidi Johnson

Kendra Dimich

Advanced piano students of Marcia Knuttila of Thief River Falls who participated in the Northwest District Piano Ensemble Festival, which was held in Thief River Falls Saturday, included: (from left, front row) Richelle Fitzloff, Karen Christensen, and Mandi Rodahl; (back row) D. Paul Dahnert, Nikolas Kotz, Robert Ekeren, and Jacob Jacobson. Not pictured is Shelly Robb-Aubey. Pictured separately are, from left, first row: Erin Melby, Charity Wicks, and Kim Knuttila; (second row) Kari Knuttila, Haidi Johnson, and Kendra Dimich.



Intermediate level piano students of Marcia Knuttila of Thief River Falls who participated in the Northwest District Piano Ensemble Festival, which was held in Thief River Falls Saturday, included: (from left, front row) Kelsey Christensen, and Brittany Larson; (back row) John Mickelson, Adam Knott, and Matthew Dimich. Pictured separately is Mike Langland

Mike Langlend

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Those who brought birthday greetings to Hazel Huot at her home in Thief River Falls were the former group from Highlanding and Star on Thursday were Grace Hommer, Anne Kriel, Alvia Sunsdahl, Mildred Hovet, Arlene Hyland, Audrey Bruggeman, Arlette Dolrooce, Edith Solberg, Arlene Huseth, Ione Johnsrud, Ruby Anderson, Evelyn Albaugh, Ruth Mosbeck, Loann Wikert. The ladies all brought dinner so they all enjoyed a potluck dinner together with a large decorated birthday cake. Others that brought Hazel birthday greetings later were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, Mrs. Billy Wikert of Thorhult, Donlee Hagen of Warroad, Wendy Boyer of Bemidji, Esther Fixter of Thief River Falls. They all enjoyed birthday cake with Hazel. Hazel also received birthday greetings by phone from hero sister, Myrtle Knutz of New Jersey, her daughter Linda Broker of Eden Prairie her son Clayton Omlid of Isanti and Lillian Green of Red Lake Falls. Hazel received alot of gifts and cards. Happy Birthday, Hazel!

Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday forenoon at the Obert Hovel home.

Monday, Leslie Iverson was a visitor at the Vernon Iverson home.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor at the Joan Johnson home.

Shirley Johnsrud visited on Saturday at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Jim Johnson of Fairmont were visitors on Monday night at the Juell Chervested home of Oklee.

Mrs. Darwin Eldolbes was a visitor and lunch guest on Thursday forenoon at the Clarence Johnson home.

Jessica Johnson spent the day with Kylie of the Gary Johnson home on Sunday.

Sunday, Ruby Anderson of Thief River Falls was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Shannon were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home on Friday.

Agnes Eldolbes and Mrs. Darwin Eldolbes and Michelle made a business trip to Grand Forks on Monday.

Elva Fiedler and June Johnson took in the Croft show in Fosston on Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor on Wednesday forenoon at the Merle Naeseth home. Then later Mrs. Merle Naeseth, Dan Wellman and Zachery and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls. They also enjoyed dinner at Hendy Farms that day.

Katie Knuttila

Sarah Brule

Mathew Thibert

Elementary piano students of Marcia Knuttila of Thief River Falls participated in the Northwest District Piano Ensemble Festival, which was held in Thief River Falls Saturday included: (from left, front row) Jillian Larson and Stacey Anderson; (back row) Jayne Buzzell, Chris Mickelson and Christine Anderson. Pictured separately, from left, are: Katie Knuttila, Sarah Brule, and Mathew Thibert.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Monday evening, Marc and Connie Parenteau hosted a dinner party with Jeanne Grammer of Crookston, Ocla and Nancy Perusse of Red Lake Falls, Aurel and Gloria Parenteau as guests.

Mrs. Donna Mossested of Plummer visited her parents Ernie and Anne Cardinal on Sunday.

Monday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Cindy Osterman, Mable Sabourin, Evangeline Grove, Renie Grove, Michael Hegger, Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls.

Fred and Tammy Paradis and boys of Warroad were Saturday to Monday guests of their parents, Mrs. Joann Dolege, Mark and Donna Paradis of Terrebonna.

Todd and Heather Nelson and Baby Blair of Fargo were Thursday to Monday with her parents Roger and Mary Jane Paradis. Todd hunted with a gang here and got his deer.

Mrs. Diane Plante, Evangeline Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zachary of Oklee were Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mark and Dianne Gagner and family of Casselton, ND were Sunday guests of his mother Mrs. Vi Gagner.

Tim and Brenda Gagner and family of Fergus Falls were weekend guests of his parents, Clarence and Dianne Gagner. Tim hunted with his dad over the weekend.

Sue Holler and son Chad of Delton Junction, AK arrived on Sunday accompanying her aunt Beatrice Hemrum of Minneapolis, visiting with her mother Mrs. Myrtle Hemrum, relatives and friend. Beatrice was a guest of her nephews, Lowell and Margaret Hemrum.

Wednesday guest of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Charlona Kraft of Twin Valley, Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove.

Mrs. Sheryll Engen and boys of Thief River Falls visited her parents, Walter and Willa Katschko on Sunday.

Jerome and Barb Novak, Walter Jr. and Cindy Novak and family were Sunday dinner guests of their parents Walter Sr. and Monica Novak.

Mrs. Judy Olson returned Wednesday from Yankton, SD where she visited her daughter, Scott and Shannon Knutson and boys.

Mrs. Eve Asselin of Oklee and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Ronnie and Dallas Paradis were Sunday evening dinner guests of Lonnie and Konya Paradis.

Mrs. Gloria Parenteau visited her sister, Lylo and Joyce Welhard and her mother, Mrs. Dora Henson of St. Cloud over the weekend.

Jim Laniel of Prior Lake visited with his mother Pearl Laniel Friday evening enroute to his sister Charlie and Lora Johnson of Oklee with whom he hunted deer with over the weekend. Enroute to the Johnsons, Jim hit a deer on Hwy. 92.

Chuck and Nancy Striddle of Gallatin, TN spent Wednesday to Saturday visiting her brothers Aurel and Gloria Parenteau, Marc and Connie Parenteau and sister Mrs. Joanna Grammer of Crookston.

Mrs. Mary Jane Paradis, Mrs. Heather Nelson and baby Blair of Fargo, Chelsey Paradis, Willard and Donna Bergeron of Oklee visited with Ronnie and Dallas Paradis on Sunday.

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Star News

Sam Adams (far right) as Quince, the carpenter, despairs over the acting ability of his fellow peasant players as they rehearse their mini-play to be given for the Duke of Athens. In a forerunner to "Romeo and Juliet, Thisby (Kamie Twomey) kills herself for the love of Pyramus (*Josh Melby, foreground*) as Moonshine (Paul Dehnert, left) sleeps on the Alsared Lion (Jed Brazier), unnoticed by the Wall (Craig Huot). This play within a play is from Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream to be presented by the Lincoln high school drama department Thursday and Friday, November 16 and 17, at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium.

The fairy Peaseblossom (Kiki Goddard, top right) eavesdrops on King Oberon (Ben Schmitz) and Queen Titania (Megan Browning) as they delight themselves over the plight of the sleeping lovers, Lysander (Tony Bromen) and Hermia (Lana Rodahl), left and Demetrius (Chris Tsukichi) and Helene (Ingrid Henson), right. Sharing the King and Queen's mirth are the mischievous Puck (Vicki Bitzegaio) and King Oberon's attendant (Kristen Kaml). The Lincoln high school drama department will present A Midsummer Night's Dream by William Shakespeare Thursday and Friday, November 16 and 17, at 7 p.m. in the Lincoln auditorium.

Philostrate (Jeramiah Hasnadl), Master of Revels, explains the entertainment possibilities to Theseus (Aaron Furuseth), Duke of Athens and Hippolyta (Maagén Miller), his soon-to-be Amazon bride in this scene from Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream, to be presented by the Lincoln high school drama department Thursday and Friday, November 16 and 17, at 7 p.m. in the school auditorium. At left are attendants Josh Ball and Jenny Brunkhorst. Second from right (standing) is attendant Jeremy Swanson and at right is Egeus (Kyle Rokka). Seated are Ladies of the Court RaAnn Dargus (left) and Kate Ihle.

Kristi Benson graduates from basic training

Air Force Airman Kristi Benson, daughter of Raymond and Marshelle Benson of rural Grygla and a 1994 graduate of Grygla high school, has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, TX.

During the six weeks of training she studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations. She also earned credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

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Jerry Hasnedl elected Harvest States director

Members of Harvest States Cooperatives have elected four directors to the organization's board of directors.

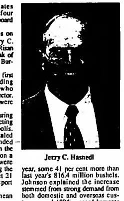
Elected to three-year terms on the Harvest board were Jerry C. Hasnedl of St. Hilaire, Duane Risan of Parshall, ND, William Zarak of South Heart, ND, and Steven Burnet of Moro, OR.

Hasnedl was elected to his first term on the board, succeeding Marv Hanson of Hallock, who retired after 12 years as a director. Risan, Zarak and Burnet all were re-elected.

Director elections came during the Harvest States annual meeting November 14-15 in Minneapolis. Harvest States' revenues totaled $5.12 billion for the year ended May 31, 31 per cent more than the previous record of $3.9 billion a year ago. Pre-tax earnings were almost $50.1 million, eclipsing the old mark of $45.6 million set 21 years ago during the grain export boom of the early 1970s.

Harvest States' earnings mean that its local cooperative and producer members will receive $36.7 million in patronage refunds.

A major factor in Harvest States' record revenues and earnings was a large gain in grain volume. The organization handled almost 1.15 billion bushels of grain during the



Jerry C. Hasnedl

year, some 41 per cent more than last year's 816.4 million bushels. Johnson explained the increase stemmed from strong demand from both domestic and overseas customers and 1994's record harvests in many parts of the organization's membership area. That territory extends from the Upper Midwest across the plains states to the Pacific Northwest.

In his annual meeting repon — his first since becoming president and CEO early this year, John D. Johnson emphasized Harvest States' commitment to delivering value to the local cooperatives and producers it serves.

That value comes from the organization's active presence in the grain marketplace, growth in food and grain processing activities and expanded services, as well as higher revenues and earnings, he noted.

Johnson also reported that a major growth and diversification effort by Harvest States' wheat million division is well under way. A large flour mill built at Kenosha, WI, recently went into production, and ground was broken last week for another new mill at Houston. When the flour million expansion is complete, the company's new and existing plants will process some 50 million bushels of durum and hard wheat annually. The mills' output will include durum flour and semolina for the pasta industry and bakery flour for bread products.

During the year, the cooperative's fats and oils division also acquired a large food processing and packaging plant at Chambersburg, PA, in a joint venture with California-based Wilsey Foods. In addition, the division purchased Saffola Quality Foods, in Los Angeles, CA.

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Franklin Middle School concert is November 28

Franklin Middle School Choral Winter and Christmas Concert will be held 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 28, at the fine arts stage and multi-purpose room at the school. The concert will include performances by the Sunrise Singers, sixth, seventh, eighth choirs under the direction of Marcia M. Knutilla. Admission is $2 for adults and students grades 9-12, $1 for students kindergarten through grade 8. There is no charge for senior citizens or pre-school children.

Performances by the Sixth grade choir include: Who Did Swallow Jonah?, Children Still Believe, and Decorate the Halls.

Performances by the Seventh grade choir include: Love is a Song, the Wassail Song, A Star Shone Bright, and Hallelujah to the Newborn King.

Peformances by the Sunrise Singers include: It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, Hurry Shepherds, Run!.

Performances by the Eighth grade choir include: How Sad Flow the Streams, Do You Hear What I Hear?, Jesus, Jesus, Rest Your Head, and The Canon Carol.

Other performances include duets and solos by some of the outstanding choir students, and a mass chorus — The Gift.

Several students will accompany the choirs including: Bethany Brown, Brittany Larson and Karen Christensen on piano; and Kelsi Holland on tympani, Alicia Vigness on flute, and Karen Christensen on violin.

Soloists for the many performances include: Joanna Swantek, Jon Swanson, Andrea Hagen, Bethany Brown, Jennifer Halverson, David Christensen, Karen Christensen, Lindsey Nordhagen, Katy Olson, Elizabeth Trontvet, Trisha Bergeron, Taryn Pream, Ayla Donlin, Laura Schmitz, Lora Danielson, Rachel Mathson, Anders Brown, Amanda Bitzegaio, Adam Quesnell, Katie Jorde, Shannon Langlie, Meghan Reed, Rachel Hahne, and Nic Miller.

A duet will be performed by Kelsi Holland and Reid Breitenfeldt.

Sixth grade choir members include: Tyler Bosh, Bethany Brown, Lisa Carlson, David Christensen, Trent Christensen, Amy Donarski, Brianna Dyer, Heather Fellman, Andrea Hagen, Jennifer Halverson, Heather Hanson, Michael Hince, Abbie Houskie, Jessica LaFriniere, Brittany Larson, Kevin Lerol, Shannon Linder, Melissa Mckee, Bryana Molskness, Jennifer Novak, Krist Olson, Mary Jo Olson, Kevin Ostby, Jessica Perez, Becky Rothchild, Nicole Ryan, Marnie Schafer, Rebekah Solem, Jon Swanson, Joanna Swantek, Gilbert Trontvet, Alicia Vigness, Amber Wilson, Brenda Wood.

Seventh grade chorus members include: Alica Anderson, Tana Bochand, Trisha Bergeron, Kelsie Bruggeman, Lindsey Cedergren, Karen Christensen, Melissa Comstock, Ayla Donlin, Molly Duffy, Derek Gustafson, Ashley Hammer, Jeremy Haason, Kelsi Holland, Kassi Holtan, Danny Hornbeak, Kacie Jablinske, Sara Jensen, Alexis Kloekmnn, Lindsay Kofstad, Nathan Koland, Paul Leister, Melissa Lofberg, John Marben, Connie Morris, Miranda Nelson, Lindsey Nordhagen, Katy Olson, Ryan Ostby, Taryn Pream, Scott Rambeck, Laura Schmitz, Danica Schroeder, Anna Stusynski, Elizabeth Trontvet, Casey Wilson, Heather Wright.

Members of the Eighth grade chorus include: Kim Almquist, Jessica Altendorf, Yvonne Asp, Abby Austnd, Amanda Bitzegaio, Jennifer Bjerken, Misty Bjugan, Bryan Bolstad, Zak Bosh, Ricky Boutain, Reid Breitenfeldt, Anders Brown, Beth Carpenter, Deirdre Dally, Lora Danielson, Nicholas Drees, Lindsay Ehrenstrom, Rachel Hahne, Brea Hammer, Rachel Harger, Paul Hays, Josh Jensen, Katie Jorde.

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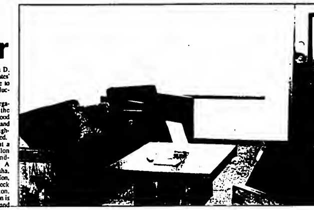
Sunrise Singers, a choral group from Franklin Middle school in Thief River Falls, will perform in the annual Winter/Christmas concert 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 28. Members of the group include: (from left, front row) Kalsi Holland, Katie Jorde, Laura Schmitz, Taryn Pream, Kim Almquist, Lora Danielson, Rachel Hahne; (row two) Adam Quesnell, Aaron Lendobeje, Bailey Nordin, John Marban, Derek Gustafson, Jan Swanson; (row three) Shannon Langlie, Yvonne Asp, Karen Christensen, Katy Olson, Shannon Rud; (row four) Anders Brown, Nic Miller, Josh Jensen, Nicholas Drees, Paul Leister, Paul Heys, David Christensen.



Each of the student housing units at Northland Community and Technical College has a comfortable living room. Heat is a forced air electric system. Each unit also has central air.

The 40-unit complex of five buildings consists of three- and four-bedroom apartments. Each apartment features a bed and desk in each bedroom. This bedroom was put on display especially for local dignitaries. The complex was recently completed. Two of the five buildings are already full.

Campus Court student housing units are open

Campus Court Student Housing, which consists of five apartment buildings located behind Northland Community and Technical College, have officially opened.

The long-awaited solution to the student housing problem in Thief River Falls is nearly complete. Three of the five buildings were completed on October 1, and the final two were finished November 1. Thief River Falls has been attempting to find solutions to the student housing problem in Thief River Falls for many years. Attempts were made at contacting private developers and at other solutions, but in the end the solution came as a result of an advantageous financing package through Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Re-development Authority, a not-for-profit agency.

Wednesday, delegates from the Thief River Falls city council, college, college foundation, business community, and housing and redevelopment authority, were given tours of one of the apartments.

The 40-unit complex consists of three- and four-bedroom apartments. Each apartment features a bed and desk in each bedroom, a couch, two chairs, a television/VCR stand, an end table, cocktail table, two baths, a kitchen that has a full-sized frost-free refrigerator, self-cleaning time-delayed range, a built-in microwave, garbage disposal, plenty of cabinet space, breakfast bar and stools. Each unit also has coin-operated washers and dryers, and is cable ready with outlets in each bedroom and living room. Heat, water, sewage and garbage are furnished. The rental rate is $225 per student or $200 per student with a shared bedroom.

Two of the five buildings are full. Don Stewart, Thief River Falls Community Development director, noted that the purpose of the meeting Wednesday was to give this group an opportunity to see inside the new buildings, and discuss other broad issues. Stewart said they had to work with the hand they were dealt, in terms of construction time. Opening five to six weeks after school opens is not an ideal situation, he said. He also noted that because of the early snows, some of the items, such as landscaping and a good road surface were not completed. It's going to be a mess this spring, he said, but there's nothing that can be done about it.

Jay Ports, project manager for Dunbar Development said construction on the project began on June 5, with Weiss Construction being named general contractor. The first three buildings were completed on October 1, four months from the start of the project.

Norm Triebwasser of NETA Property Management, Inc., Fargo, ND, which was hired by Northwest Minnesota Multi-County Housing and Re-development Authority to management the property, said he was interested in exploring secondary marketing areas. The primary market is still for students, but secondary market areas should be explored. Those secondary market areas included renting apartments to students attending summer camps or clinics, leasing units for class reunions, or for long-term business needs. It would not be the intent, however, to compete with the hospitality industry but to work with them. In addition, some of the secondary marketing ideas were

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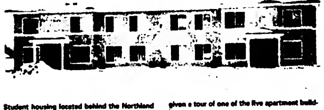
I-500 snowmobile race makes changes

A new route, new dates, new rules and new classes are changes being introduced for the 1996 running of the I-500 snowmobile race from Thunder Bay, Ont., Canada to metropolitan Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Many drivers had wanted to run the race but cost restricted them from it. Now they can run last year's or older model sled and a class has been created for machines from 440cc up to 600cc. The only requirement is that the sled is "box stock" with optional added safety features such as studs and carbides. Each class has cash and prize awards. In the past eight years more than $1.5 million in cash and prizes have been awarded to drivers participating in the I-500.

The four-day race format will include overnight stops in Grand Marais, Eveleth and Duluth-Superior. For more information call 612-474-5715 or 436-8923 or write to I-500 Snowmobile Race, 35 Fairhope Avenue, Tonka Bay, MN 55331.



Student housing located behind the Northland Community and Technical College opened in November. Recently, local dignitaries were given a tour of one of the five apartment buildings.

Each kitchen in the new student housing units behind Northland Community and Technical College includes a frost-free refrigerator, self-cleaning time-delayed range, a built-in microwave, garbage disposal, cabinets, a breakfast bar and stools.

Tours of a student housing unit behind Northland Community and Technical College were provided local dignitaries recently. The units were completed November 1.

State patrol enforcement effort is being planned for the Thanksgiving weekend

Commissioner Michael Jordan and State Patrol Chief Mike Cbabries have announced a statewide traffic safety enforcement effort to help ensure the tragedy of 1994 does not repeat itself this Thanksgiving holiday weekend.

"Last year, 18 people were killed on our roads and highways over the four-day Thanksgiving weekend. Statistically, it was one of the deadliest holidays ever in Minnesota," said Commissioner Jordan. "This year, in addition to increased enforcement efforts, we're asking each and every Minnesotan to help us by buckling up, obeying the speed limit, not drinking and driving, and simply driving courteously."

The State Patrol will have extra troopers working extra shifts in all districts throughout the state. In addition, each district will conduct at least one saturation effort to focus on impaired driving and speed enforcement.

"The public plays a crucial role in reducing the number of injuries and fatalities, especially during busy holiday travel periods," says Chief Chabries. "Last Thanksgiving, 11 of those people killed were not wearing seatbelts. Our belief is that many of those lives could have been saved by taking that simple step of buckling up."

The 1995 Thanksgiving enforcement period begins at 6 p.m. Wednesday, November 22, and goes through Midnight Sunday, November 26. Funding for extra troopers is being provided by the National Highway Traffic Safety Agency's "Safe and Sober" campaign.

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Swedish Heritage Society to conduct Sankta Lucia Fest

Rachel Westhed of Fertile, a student at the University of Minnesota —Crookston will portray Sankta Lucia at the Agassiz Swedish Heritage Society's annual festival Sunday, December 3, at 3 p.m. in Trinity Lutheran Church in Crookston.

A musical prelude by George French, organist at Trinity, will begin at 2:45 p.m. Lyndon Johnson of Hallock will lead the congregation in singing of two traditional Swedish Julotta Songs and Hugo Magnuson of Grand Forks, ND, will read the Christmas Gospel in Swedish and sing "I-Am-So-Glad Each Christmas Eve."

Rachel Westhed was born and raised in Varmland, Sweden, and now lives in Fertile with her parents. Her father is on the Fertile school faculty and her mother is on staff at Northwestern Clinic in Crookston as a physician's assistant.

Rachel will be wearing a gown imported from Sweden for the program and her 10 attendants will be wearing new gowns sewn from a pattern from Sweden.

Members of the Sons of Norway organization in Crookston will serve as greeters and ushers and will be attired in their colorful costumes.

Members of the Swedish Heritage Society are reminded to bring Swedish treats for the coffee and fellowship time to follow the Sankta Lucia service.

Felice Dickey German Teacher of the Year

German language teacher Felice Dickey of the Clearbrook-Gonvick high school, has been named 1995 teacher of the year by the Minnesota Chapter of the American Association of Teachers of German.

Her outstanding accomplishments were recognized at the chapter's fall meeting October 19 and the award was presented at the annual conference of the Minnesota Council on the Teaching of Languages and Cultures October 20.

Mrs. Dickey was raised in Germany and received her BS degree from Bemidji State University and her MS degree from the University of California in Santa Barbara. A teacher in Minnesota schools since 1974, she is responsible for creation of the German language program at Clearbrook-Gonvick, building it into a full four-year program and one of the most honored and successful programs in the state.

The award honors a teacher who has shown excellence in teaching, as evidenced by an ability to challenge students intellectually; professional growth, as demonstrated by continued study; and the ability to influence the quality of education both in and outside the classroom.

Howard and Felice Dickey's daughter Stephanie was crowned Northwest Dairy Princess of Thief River Falls in June of 1985 and selected as Minnesota's Princess Kay of the Milky Way that August at the Minnesota State Fair.

Soil and Water photo contest deadline near

Deadline for the local photo contest sponsored by the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District is November 27, according to Kathy Zavoral, district technician.

Photographs can be entered in four categories, including one for youth only. In this division for photographers up to age 18, photos may cover any subject and all photos will be judged in one category.

Other categories include:

Conservation—Photos of erosion problems or conservation activities;

Education—Photos of children or adults taking part in conservation activities or learning about conservation;

Nature—Photos of plants, wildlife or landscapes.

Winners will receive a $10 local prize and their photos will be entered into the National Association of Conservation Districts photo contest. For more information or to complete an official contest entry form, contact the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District office in Gryglo at 218-294-6144.

Renovation of LHS auditorium still considered

Renovation of the Lincoln High school auditorium is still of interest to a group of individuals. The group is planning more meetings again in January and February, and is seeking input from individuals and organizations. The group is particularly interested in tapping into not-for-profit agencies or groups that utilize the auditorium for little or no fee.

For more information contact Jennifer Springsteen, 1004 Oakland Park Road, or call 681-6508.

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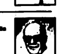

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Eighth grade Franklin Middle school students in Thief River Falls rehearse for the annual Winter/Christmas concert 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 28. Members of the chorus include: (from left, front row) Adam Quesnell, Nic Miller, Anders Brown, Meghan Reed, Heidi Paulson, Heather Juhl, Deirdre Dally, Kate Stalboerger; (row two) Rebecca Leach, Misty Bjugan, Bailey Nordin, Reid Breitenfeldt, Zak Bosh, Nicholas Drees, Josh Jensen, Jessica Knutson, JoDanna Kalinowski; (row three) Rachel Hehne, Paul Hays, Jessica Altendorf, Rachel Harger, Bree Hammer, Rachel Mathson, Yvonne Asp, Jennifer Sorvig; (row four) Kim Almquist, Aaron Lendobeja, Katie Jorde, Lora Danielson, Shannon Rud, Beth Carpenter, Keli Waterworth, Jamie Swenson, Lindsey Ehrenstrom, Jennifer Bjerken; (row five) Nicole Wiseth, Kristin Neplin, Shannon Langlie, Nucona Needeau, Ricky Boutain, Bryan Bolsted, Michael Rodahl, Naomi Olson, Kelsey Sletten.

Sen. Moe notes transit goes beyond metro area

by Sen. Roger Moe
Erskine

Many Minnesotans think of the Twin Cities area when the word "transit" is mentioned.

The regular bus system serving most of the metropolitan area shut down for three weeks last month when workers went out on strike. Two years ago, the Metro Mobility system serving primarily disabled persons in the Twin Cities faced a crisis, forcing the National Guard to driving duties.

These difficulties focused a great deal of state media attention on transit operations in the Minneapolis-St. Paul area. Less visible are the public transit systems serving rural cities and counties. While these systems generally have avoided the extreme emergencies confronting their big-city cousins, they do share similar funding concerns and they meet similar needs.

Rural public transit service is essential to the people who depend on it. A good example of how a typical rural transit operation works is the Tri-Valley Heartland Express, based in Crookston. With a service territory encompassing Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Red Lake and Polk counties, Tri-Valley is one of the larger rural transit systems in the state.

Four full-time bus drivers provide "dial-a-ride" services and two additional buses are available for regular flexible route trips. A chronic problem for all bus systems is keeping the fleet in proper working order. Earlier this month, Tri-Valley's fleet was reduced by one-third to four working buses, as one bus needed routine maintenance and another needed major repairs.

Tri-Valley is slated to receive three new buses over the next three years.

Although rides are available to all citizens in the five-county service area, seniors are the heaviest users. About 35 volunteers, most of them seniors, help Tri-Valley maximize its service availability at the lowest possible cost.

Naturally, rides to medical appointments are an essential need for those who are dependent on transit. A major share of bus service is coordinated with providers of congregate dining, day care, occupational development centers, nursing homes and senior housing.

Tri-Valley provides about 25,000 rides yearly, many of them essential to those who depend on the system. Without the transit system, many of its users would not be able to live independently. When people are forced out of their homes prematurely, public costs associated with nursing homes rise steeply. Others who depend on transit would become homebound, isolated from social activities, if bus rides weren't available.

Although older persons are the primary users of rural transit, the systems are also trying to overcome the impression that the service is exclusively available to seniors. Some rural systems have succeeded in broadening their appeal. Just like larger city bus systems, rural transit systems try to pay for operations through farebox revenues as much as possible.

Other funds come from an increasing state share and a dwindling federal commitment. In 1995, the Legislature appropriated $2.5 million more for rural transit systems over the current two-year period, an increase of six per cent a year. Unfortunately, riders won't get the full benefit of the additional funds because the U.S. Congress is expected to cut its operating and capital funding grants by at least 15 per cent.

Although most of northwestern Minnesota is blessed with well-established rural transit systems, 13 counties in the state have no transit available and another 16 counties have systems serving only city residents. The Legislature would like to see transit services available throughout the state, but the expected reductions in federal funds make that goal a distant aspiration.

Unlike their Twin Cities transit counterparts, rural systems have faced their challenges quietly and provided quality door-to-door ride service efficiently. Perhaps it is easier to operate on a smaller, human scale where drivers know most of their riders and are personally committed to making sure no one is left out in the cold.

Any transit funding solutions passed by the Minnesota Legislature in 1996 and beyond will be designed to improve service for all who depend on buses, whether they live in the Twin Cities or in rural areas.

In short, we can't afford to forget about rural transit needs, and we won't.

Campus Court open for use

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meant only as an interim or temporary solution to getting through this first year.

It was noted during the meeting that they had been hearing that occupancy rates in the community were high. In addition, rental rates for secondary marketing purposes will be $675 per month, which puts it above most rental rates in the community and at least equal with what students pay.

Franklin MS concert Tues.

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Heather Juhl, JoDanna Kalinowski, Jessica Knutson, Shannon Langlie, Rebecca Leach, Aaron Lendobeja, Rachel Mathson, Nic Miller, Kristin Naplin, Nucona Neadeau, Bailey Nordin, Naomi Olson, Heidi Paulson, Adam Quesnell, Reed Meghan, Michael Rodahl, Shannon Rud, Kelsey Sletten, Sarah Smeby, Jennifer Sorvig, Kate Stalboerger, Jamie Swanson, Crystal Thompson, Keli Waterworth, and Nicole Wiseth.

Members of the Sunrise Singers this year include: Kim Almquist, Yvonne Asp, Amanda Bitzegaio, Anders Brown, David Christensen, Karen Christensen, Lora Danielson, Nicholas Drees, Derek Gustafson, Rachel Hahne, Paul Hays, Kelsi Holland, Josh Jensen, Katie Jorde, Shannon Langlie, Aaron Lendobeja, Paul Leister, John Marben, Nic Miller, Bailey Nordin, Katy Olson, Taryn Pream, Adam Quesnell, Shannon Rud, Laura Schmitz, and Jon Swanson.

Bob and Jenny Proulx, and Sharon and Richard Jorde of the St. Hilaire Co-op attended the Harvest States New Leaders Conference November 12-13 in Minneapolis.

Hasnedl elected as director for Harvest States

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In its yearly reorganization session held after the annual meeting, the Harvest States board re-elected its officers for the coming year. Board officers include: Burnet, chairman, Zarak, first vice chairman; Tyrone Moose of Philip, SD, second vice chairman; Steve Carney of Scobey, MT, secretary-treasurer; and Sheldon Haaland of Hanley Falls, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Hasnedl, 48, has served on the board of the St. Hilaire Co-op Elevator, including two years as secretary, and is a past president of the local unit of the Minnesota Farmers Union. He is also a member and chairman of the Thief River Falls township board, past president and current secretary of the St. Hilaire Lions Club and a long-time member of the Minnesota Crop Improvement Association.

On his 1,000-acre farm operation, he raises wheat, barley, sunflowers, corn, alfalfa and registered seed.

Dummer herd has top cow in DHIA

Richard Dummer dairy herd had the top cow in terms of value of product during the month of October in the Red Lake County Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

The three-year-old cow in her second lactation produced 29,939 pounds of milk, 1,209 pounds of butterfat and 929 pounds of protein in the 305-day test.

Johnston Farms had the second place cow, a seven-year-old which produced 30,859 pounds of milk, 918 pounds of butterfat and 896 pounds of protein.

Third place cow also came from the Dummer herd—a four-year-old with production of 30,671 pounds of milk, 925 pounds of butterfat and 875 pounds of protein.

Other cows in the top 10 came from the following herds with pounds of milk, butterfat and protein for each listed respectively:

Kevin and Beth Roppe, 28,410, 904 and 873; Johnston Farms, 28,021, 847 and 847; Richard Dummer, 28,723, 869 and 803; Johnston Farms, 25,838, 940 and 837; Don and Karen Konickson, 23,978, 971 and 819; Johnston Farms, 24,905, 942 and 766; and John and Warren Malwitz, 27,373, 778 and 781.

Fourteen herds in the association had a total of 31 other cows below the top 10 which attained production of at least 22,000 pounds of milk, 750 pounds of butterfat or 700 pounds of protein in lactations completed during October.

Included were Johnson Farms (4), Don and Karen Konickson (3), Richard Dummer (6), Greg and Susan Zak (4), Arnie and Barb Schmitz, Beyer Farms (2), Tom and Diane Kolstoe (2), Wayne Vettleson (3), Donald F. Taus, Wayne Nelson, Richard Sehmitz, Arlan and Barb Weiss and Kevin and Beth Roppe.

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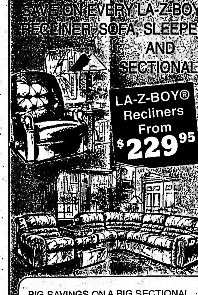

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Pine to Prairie Home Health Care plans open houses on November 29.

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Food experts at Whirlpool offer advice on storing holiday leftovers.

Foster Grandparent Program helps children and seniors

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

"It's a very rewarding program. And the kids, they just love you." That's what Teresa Mutnansky of Goodridge said about the Foster Grandparent program.

Teresa has been a foster grandparent for just over a year and she really loves being involved in the program. The Foster Grandparent Program is sponsored by Lutheran Social Services and coordinated by the Tri-Valley Opportunity Council.

"These volunteers offer a lifetime of wisdom and experience. It's heartwarming to see their patience and watch children respond to them," said Julie Aanenson, regional supervisor for the Foster Grandparent Program. "The program also keeps Foster Grandparents physically and mentally active. It's wonderful to be able to provide important, worthwhile volunteer placement for these folks who have so much to give."

Teresa says that being a foster grandparent doesn't take any special skills.

"Anybody can do it," Teresa explained. "All you have to do is love kids and talk to them."

Teresa and her husband, the late Paul Mutnansky, raised ten of their own children and foster children as well. Their children are grown now and Paul passed away in July. Teresa says being in the Foster Grandparent Program is good for people who are alone because it "fills the day."

She also feels that the program is important because its helps children. Lots of kids today don't have two parents and may not have grandparents. The program gives kids an opportunity to spend time with an older person who cares about them. Teresa has seen the difference the program has made. She remembers one boy in particular who always seemed very sad and detached when she first met him. By the end of the school year, he had become a much happier child.

Teresa visits kids in preschool, third, fourth and fifth grades at Challenger school. She started last year after she saw an article in the paper about the program. This year when she went back to the school she was not assigned to the same children as last year. Later in the school year, the coordinator decided to make some changes and Teresa was assigned to a class that had some of the kids she knew from last year. Teresa was pleasantly surprised when she discovered the students remembered her. The students were very excited to see Teresa again.

Foster grandparents meet in Crookston once a month to talk about their experiences. They respect children's privacy by not naming anyone, but they do share stories and feelings about the program. There is often a speaker who presents suggestions for working with kids. Foster grandparents can also use this time to express grievances. Teresa says it's rare that anyone has a grievance about the program.

Foster grandparents must be sixty years of age or older and meet income guidelines. They receive an hourly wage and tax-free stipend. Anyone interested in being a foster grandparent who does not meet income guidelines can still be involved in the program. They will not receive the stipend, but will receive the pre-placement physical, on sight meals and travel expenses.

There are two foster grandparents in Thief River Falls, but there are 36 total in the region. Foster grandparents work 20 hours a week.

"All together, our foster grandparents put in more than 24,000 hours over the course of a year, impacting the lives of hundreds of children. We are proud of them and very proud of the program," said Aanenson.

The Foster Grandparent Program has been so successful that the program is expanding into Marshall, Kittson, Roseau and Red Lake counties beginning the first of the year. The program is looking for more senior citizens to become involved with the program. Anyone interested in becoming a foster grandparent can contact Julie Aanenson at 1-800-584-7020.

Theresa Mutnansky of Goodridge volunteers as a Foster Grandparent in Pennington County. The Northwest Area Agency on Aging recently approved a grant to expand the Foster Grandparent Program into Kittson, Marshall, Roseau and Red Lake counties beginning the first of the year.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
UMYF for grades 6-12 is canceled for this week.
Library Storytime will not be presented at the TRF library this week.
Thanksgiving Eve Service at Faith Lutheran Brethren Church at 7 p.m. Choir meets at 6:30 p.m.

Thursday
TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club is canceled this week.
Coffee Break at Crossroads is canceled this week.
Happy Thanksgiving!!!!

Friday
Hockey Scrimage at Crookston 6 p.m.

Saturday
Girls Basketball Scrimage at home.
Hockey Scrimage at Crookston and home.

Monday
Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.
School Board meeting.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:3-7:30 in Thief River Falls. Call 681-5557 or 1-800-660-6667 for questions and to register.
TRF Quilters Guild meets at 7 p.m. at NCTC.
Franklin Choir Concert at 7:30 p.m.

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Women of Today observe Kiss Your Baby Month

When you kiss your child, you give love and receive love. But your kiss could also be a test for cystic fibrosis, an inherited respiratory and digestive disease.

The "kiss test" may reveal an unusually salty taste to the child's skin, a major warning sign of cystic fibrosis. Other symptoms are: recurrent wheezing, persistent cough, pneumonia more than once, excessive appetite along with poor weight gain, bulky stool, and enlargement of the fingertips.

Cystic fibrosis is America's number one inherited killer of children and young adults. It suffocates and starves the body by producing a thick, sticky mucus that clogs the lungs and impairs digestion.

Research and treatment techniques have helped prolong the lives of people with cystic fibrosis, but there is still no test to identify the approximately 10 million Americans who are carriers of the cystic fibrosis gene. Doctors can now identify cystic fibrosis in an unborn child by an amniocentisis test.

Solutions to the puzzle could be found tomorrow, but today thousands of children and young adults in this country are literally fighting for their breath.

The Minnesota Women of Today, along with the Thief River Falls Woman of Today, have designated cystic fibrosis as an emphasis area. Women of Today chapters throughout the state work on educating people about cystic fibrosis and raising funds for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

For information, call the foundation at 612-338-0885.

In observance of Kiss Your Baby Month in November, Thief River Falls Women of Today members, Dawn Dyrdal and Diene Johnson, kiss their babies, Nolan and Christian, to see if their babies have cystic fibrosis. A salty taste from the babies' skin could be a cystic fibrosis indicator.

Our Saviour's fall honor roll

Honor roll for the fall quarter at Our Saviour's Christian Academy has been announced by Delores Kading, principal at the school.

Named to the A honor roll are Christine Anderson, Stacey Anderson, David Bray, Rebekah Bray, Alexis Brown, Marissa DeHaan, Vanessa DeHaan, Ericka Goethe, Bethany Gullman, Jason Hicks, Jeremy Hicks, Natasha Hicks, Sarah Larson, Jonathan Larson, Kirsten Melvie, Amy Mercil, Ely Mercil, Kay Mercil, Marey Myhrer, Nathan Palmer, JoAnn Powell and Jasmyne Ramirez.

Students on the B honor roll are Tressa Beaudoin, Rachel Bray, Karie Johanning, Jay Mercil, Mandi Mosher, Tammy Myhrer, Becca Palmer and Tricia Weckwerth.

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... There Are No Mistakes ... Only Sweet Surprises

While planning my Thanksgiving menu, I was thinking back to the first Thanksgiving dinner I cooked and wondering how many people will be cooking their first Thanksgiving feasts this year.

If you are one of those first-time feast-fixers, take heart. It isn't nearly as hard as you think. Cooking a turkey is a simple thing, and all of those "trimmings" are fool-proof. If a dish doesn't turn out exactly the way it did when someone else cooked it, just act as if you intended it to be different. Who knows, the dish might actually become a family favorite, like some of my mistakes.

Before I tell you how to get that turkey into the oven and on its way to the table, I'll tell you about my sweet potatoes. My mother-in-law always made sweet potatoes with marshmallows on top and the family would always fight over who got the most browned marshmallows on their plate. Needless to say, her sweet potato dish was baked uncovered so the marshmallows browned.

I decided to end that problem at my Thanksgiving meal. I plopped a whole lot of marshmallows on top of the sweet potatoes, brown sugar and butter and put a cover on it. When it was taken out of the oven, all of the marshmallows had melted — there were no browned marshmallows on top. Whoops!

However, when we ate the sweet potatoes, we found that the marshmallows, brown sugar and butter had formed a wonderful sauce for the sweet potatoes, and that is how I have fixed it every Thanksgiving since. See, there are no mistakes, only sweet surprises at the Thanksgiving feast!

Now, the main problem with the turkey is how to get it from the plastic wrapping to the roaster. First of all, get it to the sink and strip off the plastic. Hopefully, you will find a very floppy, naked bird sitting in your sink. (If your bird is not floppy, he is not thawed, so run cool water over him until he is soft enough to manipulate.)

The main thing to remember with that turkey in your sink is to fish out the little bags that are packed inside of him. Do not be confused, just remember that what is inside of him is not the stuffing.

There is usually a little bag of stuff in the breast cavity. Take the legs out of the metal holder (this is sometimes a little difficult, but call bubby or honey to help, if necessary). Fish that first bag out. Then the neck is packed in the other end of the bird, in the neck cavity. Fish that out, too.

Set the bags aside and rinse the bird well, inside and out, pulling out anything that looks like it doesn't belong there. Cut off any excess fat at this time too.

Now you can set the bird upright (feet down) in your dish drainer while you clean up the stuff in the bags. You will usually find a heart, a gizzard and a neck, as well as some chunks of liver. Set the liver aside to use in stuffing (if your family likes it), or else discard it. My family hates liver in their stuffing, so I surely don't dare to use it in there. Then, again, trim off fat or anything that looks strange. This will be placed in the roaster around the bird.

I would assume that you have your stuffing made and ready before you drag the turkey from the fridge. Stuffing is easy. Buy some pre-seasoned stuffing cubes and mix as on package, add a little dried onion, salt, pepper, sage and poultry seasoning, and you will have a great stuffing everyone will rave about.

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Now, lift the bird from your dish drainer and place him in the roaster, upside down. Lift him up and sprinkle the inside of his breast cavity liberally with salt, rubbing it in well, especially on the breast side. Then, place him upside down in the roaster again and sprinkle his back with salt. Rub it into his skin really well. Rub, rub, as if you were giving him a bath. Make sure you rub the salt under his arms and legs.

Now, turn him over onto his back and sprinkle his top side with salt. Rub, rub in all of the places that haven't been salted before, even rubbing a little into the neck cavity.

Stuff the turkey lightly, leaving a little space for expansion, pop the legs back into the metal holder, and your bird is ready for the oven. Now is the time to pop the heart and gizzard and neck into the pan close to the turkey.

You can rub the turkey with butter and baste him every so often, if it makes you feel better, but it isn't necessary with the turkeys nowadays. They seem to cook up juicy just fine without all of that butter and basting.

Cook an 8-12 pound turkey for 4 to 4 1/2 hours, a 12-16 pound turkey for 4 1/2 to 6 1/2 hours and a 16-20 pound turkey for 5 1/2 to 7 hours. Use your own thermometer, if you have one, but don't rely on that little one that comes in the bird. I've found they always pop out too soon. If you don't have a thermometer, check to see if the turkey is done by squeezing his leg.

Yes, just squeeze the fat part of his leg! If it feels all soft and squishy and the appropriate number of hours as stated above have passed, he is most likely done.

It is best to let him sit in the covered roaster for a while, about half an hour, but you can remove him to another pan while you make gravy in the roaster.

Quickly, because I am running out of space, to make gravy, skim off any fat that you see on the top of the juice — the fat is clear and the juice is brown. Add water to the pan drippings, bring to a boil, and stir in a mixture of water and flour until everything is thickened to your liking. Keep stirring the gravy until it comes back to a boil in order to prevent lumps from forming, then turn the heat down until serving time, stirring once in a while when you are around the pan. Taste it with a spoon to see if it is salty enough, and add salt until it is just right.

See — there is nothing to it. Good luck and Happy Turkey Day!

WIC will be held at Redeemer in TRF

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of December.

Infants and children up to the age of five and women who are pregnant or breast feeding may be eligible for the program. Prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby and it is important to apply for WIC early in the pregnancy. No proof of pregnancy is needed.

All potential clients must write or call WIC and complete an application.

The following is the schedule for WIC clinics to be held at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls for November:

- Monday, December 4
- Monday, December 11
- Friday, December 15
- Thursday, December 21

Note: Immunizations will now be given by the county nurses. Contact Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls at 681-5950 for dates and times.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/EPS, Quin County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 1-218-253-2125.

The WIC program must treat everyone the same. A person cannot be treated unfairly because of race, color, national origin, age, sex or handicap. If you feel you have been treated unfairly, write Administrator, Food and Nutrition Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

(Quin County serves the counties of Kittson, Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Roseau.)

Denise Michelle Uhl and Mark Allan Swedeen were wed on July 15 in Greentown, PA. Denise is the daughter of George F. Uhl, Newfoundland, PA, and Betta J. Demers, Hudson, FL. She is employed with the Thief River Falls school district as a substitute teacher and part-time at the Best Western in Thief River Falls. Mark is the son of Allan and Kathy Swedeen, Cambridge. He is currently serving with the National Guard out of St. Paul and attends Northland Community and Technical College, Thief River Falls. The Swedeen's reside in Thief River Falls and attend Precious Seed Baptist Church.

TRF Lioness hold meeting

The Thief River Falls Noon Lioness held their monthly meeting at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Wednesday, November 8 with 20 members and two guests present. Co-president Edie Brandli opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and Lioness table prayer. Tailtwisting was done by Gloria Lee. Dimes were won by Janice Nelson and Linda Johnson won the craft. A thank you was extended to members who visited Honson's Boarding Home in October to play games and serve lunch. Jan Dillon introduced Lisa Tweed, President of the Plummer Lioness, who brought greetings from her club. Members brought donations of food, money and children's books for the local food shelf. Irene Ellingson, program chairperson, introduced Lois Steiger from Annette's who gave an interesting and colorful presentation on decorations to sew for the holidays. Next board meeting is December 7 at the Gloria Lee home. Next regular meeting is December 13 at the Evergreen. Members are reminded to bring Christmas ornaments to exchange. The project for December is Hospice and Angel Tree.

Open house for Sylvester Grabanski

An open house 80th birthday party for Sylvester Grabanski will take place at the Holt Community Center on Saturday, November 25 from 2-5 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited to attend. No gifts please.

Baby shower for Charisa Limesand and Chelsey

There will be a baby shower for Charisa Limesand and Chelsey at United Lutheran Church, Gatzke at 2 p.m. Sunday, November 26. All friends and relatives are welcome.

Thanksgiving eve service at Faith Lutheran church

A Thanksgiving eve service will be held at the Faith Lutheran Brethren Church on Wednesday, November 22 at 7p.m. Other participating churches are Evangelical Free, New Life Assembly of God, United Methodist and Silverton Lutheran. Those wishing to sing in the choir should be at the church by 6:30 p.m.

Blood pressure and foot care clinic in TRF

Monday, November 27 there will be a blood pressure and foot care clinic from 1-2 p.m. at the Skylite apartments, 415 Arnold Avenue, Thief River Falls. Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only. Call Inter-County Nursing Service at 681-5950 for foot care appointments. The cost for foot care is $4. The public is welcome.

TRF Quilters Guild to meet Nov. 28

The Thief River Falls Quilters Guild will meet Tuesday, November 28 at the Northwest Technical College at 7 p.m. All members and guests welcome.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

I Am Thankful For...

The full meaning of Thanksgiving can sometimes be lost with the preparation and eating of the holiday meal of turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes and gravy, sweet potatoes, Jello salad, coleslaw, freshly baked buns, black olives, cranberries, and sumptuous pumpkin pie topped with a dollop of whipped cream. The meaning can also be lost during the after-meal nap or the ensuing football games.

But the students in Mrs. Comstock's first grade class at Challenger Elementary School in Thief River Falls worked on a project that got them thinking about the other side of Thanksgiving - giving thanks and being thankful. Each student prepared a Thanksgiving sentence in their own handwriting and colored a picture to correspond with the sentence. Here is what those first graders say they are thankful for.

Chesnay Dobias: "I am thankful for my dog Winston."

Bonnie Moeller: "I am thankful for rain for flowers."

Bethany Dianne Stroh: "I am thankful for my dog Jake."

Alex Ellis: "I am thankful for the animals."

Ryan Benoit: "I am thankful for my dog, Sparky."

Cassandra Teie: "I am thankful for my brother and sister."

Heidi Hoglo: "I am thankful for my teacher, Mrs. Comstock."

Andrew Peralto: "I am thankful for my mom."

Alison Rose Jesme: "I am thankful for my cat, Felix."

Andrew Larson: "I am thankful for my kitty, Flurry."

Marshall Jesme: "I am thankful for my mom and dad."

Troy Witkow: "I am thankful for the rain for my tree."

Lee Peterson: "I am thankful for my mom and dad."

Amanda Hoard: "I am thankful for my dog, Sparky."

Jordan Swanson: "I am thankful for my mom and dad."

Matthew Moreno: "I am thankful for a hundred dollars."

John Carlson: "I am thankful for my house."

Jonathon Hruby: "I am thankful for my dog, Carney."

Sarah Vigness: "I am thankful for the Bible."

Erick Peterson: "I am thankful for my dog, Sparky."

Lauren Daniels: "I am thankful for my baby brother, Ryan."

Ava Kong: "I am thankful for my dad."

Ashley Peterson: "I am thankful for my brother."

Cody Bottem: "I am thankful for my house."

And, I thank the first graders for these wonderful sentences and for sharing them with me and you, the readers. These children remind us that we, too, have much to be thankful for this Thanksgiving.

40th wedding anniversary for Sorensons

The family of Virgil and Marie Sorenson are hosting an open house in honor of the couple's 40th wedding anniversary. The open house is planned for November 26 at the Oklee Community Center. There will be a short program at 2:15. Everyone is welcome.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On November 13, a baby boy was born to Victor and Laura Machen of Thief River Falls. He has been named Adam Martin.
- On November 17, a baby boy was born to Jonathan and Melissa Klos of Thief River Falls. He has been named Kaleb Thomas.
- On November 17, a baby girl was born to Daniel and Karla Loerzel of Middle River. She has been named Nicole Lyn.
- On November 19, a baby girl was born to Robert and Lori Thompson of Grygla. She has been named Megan Thea.

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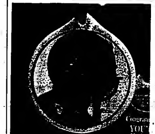

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- Save On team sports and athletic apparel.
- Save On basics & hosiery.

FOR HOME
- Save On All sheets, comforters, towels, pillows, blankets, throws, rugs and much more.

Thief River Falls
JCPenney DOING IT RIGHT

Rolph & Rokke speak vows

Kristy Lee Rolph and Joshua John Rokke were united in marriage on October 7 at Heglund Lutheran Church, rural Karlstad with Reverend Phil Rokke officiating.

Parents of the couple are Murray and Rita Rolph of Mill Iron, MT and Phil and Marlene Rokke of Newfolden. Grandparents are Ray and Vera Rolph of Iron Mill, Toby Madie Smith of Sneads, FL, Iola Rokke of Thief River Falls and Ruby Holmaas of Newfolden.

Jessica Rokke was maid of honor and Ben Rokke was best man. Reverend Jerry Holmaas was the vocalist, accompanied on piano by his wife Ruthie. Russ Holmaas served as usher, candle lighter and program attendant.

A reception was held following the ceremony. Vickie Holmaas served coffee; Alissa Holmaas served punch, and Kathi Rokke cut cake. Kristi Rokke handed out favors.

Josh and Kristy are at home in Thief River Falls.

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TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Thanksgiving Collage

During this season, it is time to think of things that we are thankful for. The following activity is a way to make what we are thankful for more concrete and interesting for young children.

You will need magazines, newspapers, glue, scissors and construction paper or tagboard.

Parents should go through the magazines or newspapers with the children and talk about things they are thankful for. Children may cut out pictures that show what they are thankful for and glue the pictures to paper to make a collage.

The following song can be sung when the child's collage is finished:

If You're Happy
(Tune: "If You're Happy and You Know it")

If you're thankful and you know it, clap your hands.
If you're thankful and you know it, clap your hands.
If you're thankful and you know it, then your face will surely show it.
If you're thankful and you know it, clap your hands.

(Variations: In place of "clap your hands" use "stomp your feet", "turn around" or "shout hooray!".)

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need Ivory Soap Flakes, a bowl, a hand mixer, warm water and dark paper.

BOOK OF THE WEEK.

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its selection of children's books including the following:

Sharmat, Marjorie. One Terrific Thanksgiving. Irving Morris Bear learns that there's more to Thanksgiving than just food when he asks his friends to hide bags and bags of groceries so he won't eat them before the holiday.

Moncure, Jane. Word Bird's Thanksgiving Words. Just like Word Bird, you, too, can make a word house to store all of your Thanksgiving words.

VIDEO VARIETY

Pocahontas. History comes alive as you share in the raw courage of a native American princess named Pocahontas whose brave intervention saved the settlers from starvation and exposure.

**There will be no Storytime on Wednesday, November 22, at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Books or Television

Today's world is clearly different from the world that most of us grew up in. Today's children are growing up with television and video cassettes. This can make storytime a real challenge for parents. Some children may actually say that they prefer television and tapes to books. Some parents may feel that because their child has already seen the tape, they won't enjoy the same story read to them. So what can we do? We know that reading to children is important but how can we compete with television and video cassettes?

Children's books contain many of the same elements that drew children to movies and television: action, drama, rhythm and dialogue, but it is up to the person reading the story to bring these qualities to life. Following are some ways to do this.

•Be aware of your reading speed. Either too fast or too slow can lose your listener. Also be sure to vary the speed according to the story. Do the same with your volume.

•Try a different voice for each character so your child can tell them apart.

•Try adding texture and character to your reading. It's the difference between reading "look at the snake slide through the grass," and "look at the snaaaaake sliiiide through the grass."

Use expression and you will find your children will truly enjoy listening to you.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk about the story and the pictures in the book.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

Zehlians held November meeting

Zehlians, a member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, held its November 1 at the home of Margaret Saetre, with Ruth Tweet as co-hostess. There were twenty members present. The business meeting began with the Club Collect and the pledge to the flag.

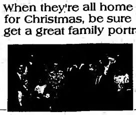
Committee reports were given. Margaret Soetre hod a navy blue and creom colored centennial afghan/coverlet for everyone to see. The club ordered as a fund raiser for the centennial ofghans in the following colors: navy blue, forest green and burgundy, all with cream colored backgrounds.

Following the business meeting Jean Heinrichs led the discussion of the Jon Hassler book, "Roockery Blues."

The next meeting was set for November 15.

Hospital Auxillary donates items to pediatrics

The Hospital Auxiliary has donated a stoller, some games, a rocking chnir and videos to the pediatrics ward at the hospital. The ouxiliary is also making plans for the Christmas Tea on December 13 for employees at the hospitol. Treats are furnished by the ouxiliary members.

When they're all home for Christmas, be sure to get a great family portrait!

Saturday, Dec. 23rd, at the Best Western
Group sessions start at $19.95, 30% off all print orders!
To reserve your session, call
Blix Photography
681-3293

Bogestad & Gerszewski wed

Mindy Bogestad and Dan Gerszewski were united in marriage October 6 at St. Stephen's Catholic Church in Stephen with Father Dennis Wieland officiating at the double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Vi and Morris Anderson, Thief River Falls, and Gary Bogestad of Salt Lake City. The groom is the son of Joseph and Margaret Gerszewski, Stephen.

For her sister's wedding, Brenda Nelson served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Karyn Santl and Christi Tweet, friends of the bride. The bride's personal attendant was Robin McNelly, friend of the bride.

Phyllis Gayeski of Larimore, sister of the groom, served as best matron. The groomsmen were Jerry and Vincent Gerszewski, brothers of the groom.

Candle lighters were Niki and Ray White of St. Paul. Ushers were Tyler Foss and Nathaniel Sevigny. The guest book was attended by Shana Cleklinski, sister of the bride, and Elizabeth Mattson. Faith Peterson, sister of the bride, was soloist accompanied by pianist Marilyn Hanson.

A reception followed the wedding. Liz and Duane Mattson, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, were host and hostess at the reception. Pat Anderson served punch from a fountain, Holly Hanson poured coffee and gift attendants were Jennifer Gerszewski, Stephanie Sevigny and Savanah Peterson. Marcella Kazmierzak and Connie Pietruszewski served the supper. Jan Follund was the photographer.

Honored guests were Violet Hastings, Freddie and Evelyn Anderson, Alice Bogestad, Linda and Neil Peterson, Sophie Szczepanski and Chester and Mary Gerszewski.

The bride and groom are at home in Stephen.

Medical Center workshop is on infection control

Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls will present a workshop targeted at area RNs and LPNs on Tuesday, November 28, to update participants on infection control issues.

The workshop at 7 p.m. in rooms B1 and B2 provides an opportunity for nurses to obtain the component on infection control required by the Minnesota Board of Nursing for renewal of registration. Cost is $10.

Sharon Jorde, infection control/employee health nurse at the medical center, will provide information on disease transmission and preventing spread of disease and discuss development of resistant organisms.

For more information or to register contact Sharon Russell, inservice director at the medical center, at 218-681-4240, extension 408. Pre-registration is required.

Lundbohm completes basic training

Army Cadet Andrew Lundbohm has recently completed cadet basic training at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, NY. He is a 1995 graduote of Roseau high school and the son of Robert and Janet Lundbohm of Roseau.

Codet basic training is a six-week summer program that instructs new cadets in basic military skills and prepares them for entry into the U.S. Corps of Cadets at the academy. Emphasis is placed on physical fitness, military skills, introduction to the honor code, military courtesy, drill and ceremonies and academic instruction.

The U.S. Military Academy is a four-year military and educational institution whose purpose is to provide the nation with leaders of character who serve the common defense. The cadets receive a bachelor's degree and o commission as a Second Lieutenont in the ormy upon graduation from the academy.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Larry Braulick wishes to thank all who have been so comforting and thoughtful during our recent loss.

Thank you to Carlin-Holmen and Erickson-Vik Funeral Homes for the sympathy shown to us and the respect given to Larry; to Father Rick Lambert for the beautiful service and comforting message; to Sister Joanne Johnson and St. Mary's church Choir for their soothing music; to Julie Finkle for her acappella solo chosen especially for Larry; to the ladies Guild for their nice meal after the service; to the pallbearers who, with honor, helped us pay homage to our son, brother and uncle.

Thank you, friends, for the food brought to the house and for the "apple" pies in memory of Larry and his bountiful apple trees. Thank you for your stories of Larry and for sharing those memories with us. Thank you to those who sent floral arrangements and cards of sympathy. All your outpourings of love will never be forgotten. Thank you, friends in A.B.A.T.E., for wearing your leathers and for the beautiful and touching processional to the cemetery. Larry was riding with you and made our hearts swell with pride.

Larry was a friend to all and thank you to all who remained his friend to the end...even in death.

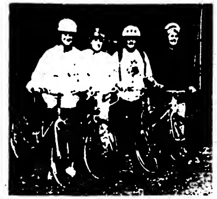
His smile and laugh will forever be remembered and we'll long be listening for the sound of his Harley announcing his visits.

Perhaps the following poem sums up our loss the best:

A GREAT FRIEND

"Larry, you were a great friend!
Rob, Julie, Nancy, Kenny.
You were their friend until the end.
Nancy is my Mom. Kenny is my Dad.
Your death made them verry sad.
I thought you were nice and so did they
It wasn't your fault. But you had to pay.
It isn't your fault that you died
When I hear I cryed and cryed.
Some people are mad. But moreso sad.
I am so sorry it had to be you.
I am so sorry it's makeing people blue.
You were a great friend, a great friend.
Goodbye forever until I am in Heaven with you, Larry.
Bye."

(Dedicated to Larry B. by Samantha Jane Hartel, Oct. 15, 1995)



Recently the seventh grade Cadette Girl Scout Troop and their families spent the day in Itasca State Park bicycling. In preparation for this event, the girls explored the history of cycling, learned about simple bicycle repairs, found out about bicycle safety, prevention of injuries and first aid and practiced warm-up and cool-down exercises. The girls also visited the sports shop in Itasca where they were able to find out about the different equipment available for biking. The group biked about 15 miles with stops at different sites throughout the park, including the Mississippi Headwaters. After biking the group ate a supper cooked over the campfire. The preparation and event enabled the girls to earn the Cycling interest project patch. From left to right are troop members Taryn Pream, Trisha Bergeron, Casey Wilson and Crystal McKee.

Pine to Prairie Home Health Care conducts open houses Nov. 29

Pine to Prairie Home Health Care will conduct open houses from 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday, November 29, in all its office locations including Thief River Falls. The Thief River Falls office is located on the second floor of the Rohl Professional Building (formerly the Falls Mall).

The agency is headquartered in Fosston and also has offices in Bemidji, Kelliher, Karlstad, Roseau and Grygla. The Roseau office is in the Vatnsdal building at the Grygla office is in the community center. Coffee and snacks will be served during the open houses, registration will be held for door prizes and free blood sugar and blood pressure checks will be provided.

Pine to Prairie is joining thousands of home care providers across the nation in launching a variety of special events to celebrate National Home Care Week November 26-December 2 under the theme of "Caring Through the Generations." The theme emphasizes home care's unique contributions as the oldest system of health care delivery.

"Sponsored by the Nationol Associotion of Home Care, the week will honor all physicians, nurses, therapists, aides and social workers who provide high quality health core in patients' homes," noted Judy Potvin, director of the Pine to Prairie organization.

Home care is a service to recovering, disobled or chronically ill individuals who need medical treatment and/or assistance with activities of daily living. It generally is considered appropriate when a person requires care that cannot easily nor effectively be provided solely by family and friends.

There is o growing public demand for health care services that are available to the public in their own homes. This is a result of the desire by patients for personal independence, the accessibility of modern technology and the cost effectiveness of home care services.

Pine to Prairie is Medicare certified and JCAHO accredited. Its goal is to help individuals to remain in their homes as long as possible. The nursing staff is available seven days a week and is on call 24 hours a doy, weekends and holidays to handle client inquiries and client care. The agency does admit clients on weekends and holidays.

Cost varies according to services provided. Methods of payment include Medicare, Medicald, Veterans Administration, private insuronce, county funding and privote pay. For any care that requires the skills of a nurse or therapist, a doctor's order is required.

Additional information is available from any of the offices listed above.

Rux announces record dividend by his company

Gory L. Rux of Thief River Falls, special agent for Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, has announced the company's record dividend payout of $2.12 billion has been approved for 1996.

Rux said that "$8.5 million will be paid to 24,182 policy owners in our agency."

VIP receives grant for program

Violence Intervention Project of Thief River Falls has been awarded n grant of $35,500 (over three years) to expand the crisis advocacy program in the Crookston area.

The funds were outhorized by the Otto Bremer Foundation in St. Paul at the October meeting of its board of trustees.

ON THE OTHER HAND

MacKenzie Carriere
Lincoln High School

I think individual expression is the key to happiness. I believe that being yourself and dressing the way you like is the way to live. Fashion and clothes play a big part in individual expression. Everyone has different ideas on fashion. Take a pair of jeans, for example: some people choose to wear name brand, two sizes too small, and some people choose to wear generic, two sizes too big. Both types of people look at the other and wonder why they would dress like that. I wonder how the world would be today if everyone was dressed the same? We would perhaps look like a bunch of soldiers on parade.

We shouldn't dress to please others; we should dress to please ourselves. I used to be one of those people who dressed to please others, and I never bought anything unless I was sure other people would like it. If they didn't like it, I wouldn't wear it. I got bored and started to feel like I was someone else or a clone.

When I changed the way I dressed, I basically came out of my shell. I wasn't afraid to dress the way I liked, and I wasn't afraid to express myself. I felt better about myself. I began to be more talkative to people who I was afraid to talk to in the past. Before, I had a hard time expressing what I truly felt. I could rarely argue with a person or debate because I thought I was always wrong. I have become far more self-confident in my outlook on life and as a result of my taste in clothing.

Now, I feel like an artist experimenting with a pallet of clothes. Sometimes I hear sarcastic remarks, but I ignore them because I find my real friends have stayed by my side. Many of the people who did not approve of me though I had changed completely, but I really was the same person inside—just happier.

I know a lot of people who feel embarrassed and ashamed of people who dress differently. But they don't realize that those people, for the most part, are happy with themselves.

It's about respect. And that's the only thing that should matter.

(The writers of this column are members of the Literary Arts Class, a Magnet Arts Program at Lincoln high school.)

Holt Keenagers to meet Dec. 1

Holt Keenagers will meet Friday, December 1 at the Holt Community Center with potluck dinner at noon. Christmas gifts will be exchanged and December birthdays celebrated. Please note the change of date.

Lori Golightly in Luther College Cathedral Choir

Lori Golightly, doughter of Clayton and Joanne Stigen of Thief River Falls and a graduote of Lincoln high school, is a member of the college's Cathedral Choir for the 1995-96 academic year.

Lori is a sophomore pursuing mojors in music performance and business monagement. The 96-member choir will perform at Luther's annual Juletide Fest Dec. 1 and 3 on the college campus.

The choir participated in other on-campus performances throughout the yeor and will tour in the spring.

Shafland in Wartburg college band

Heather Shafland, daughter of Dan and Jane Shofland of Thief River Falls, is a member of the trumpet section in the 102-member Wartburg College concert band in Waverly, IA.

Vandercook at Hamline University

Suznnne Vandercook of Thief River Falls is completing her first semester in the College of Liberal Arts at Hamline University in St. Paul.

Play it safe with leftovers

As the holidays approach, everyone gets busy preparing and the kitchen is one of the busiest rooms in the house. Preparing and storing food can create questions for cooks. One common question is "How long can I keep leftovers?"

Whirlpool offers some advice on what keeps in the refrigerator and how long. Leftover fish keeps about a day. Poultry, ground beef and pizza keeps one to two days. Bread lasts two to three days and hot dogs and cold cuts about three to five days. Spaghetti Sauce lasts up to five days and ground coffee keeps three to six months.

What about all those holiday favorites? How long do they last. Leftover turkey lasts about two days. The turkey meat should be removed from the bone and refrigerated in a shallow container within two hours of cooking. Ham lasts a little longer, three to four days. Cold cuts last about three days. Stuffing and mashed potatoes will keep one to two days. Cranberry sauces and mashed potatoes last seven days. Pumpkin pie will keep for two to three days and egg nog for four to five days.

The best rule of thumb is to dispose of any leftover that's been in the refrigerator for a week. If something looks or smells bad, throw it away. Also remember that two hours is the maximum time foods should sit out.

Be sure to clean the refrigerator before Thanksgiving. Cleaning out the refrigerator before the holidays ensures that out dated products won't be used and there will be plenty of room for goodies. It is also a good time to take stock of what is there and what is needed.

Foot care clinic in Grygla Nov. 29

Appointment are now necessary for foot care. To make your appointment call Mrs. Juel Aune at 459-3315. The foot care clinic is scheduled for Grygla area residents on Wednesday, November 29 at 9:30 a.m. at the Grygla Community Center. Nurses from North Valley Home Health will soak feet and trim nails. There is a $6 charge per person.

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Obituaries

Phyllis Abrahamson, 67
LaVerne Rambeck, 76
Carol Barros, 47
Richard Knutson, 23
Doris Swenson, 59
Brian Geske, 27
Harold Eia, 81
Bertha Aaseby, 92

Phyllis Abrahamson, 67

Thief River Falls — Phyllis Abrahamson, 67, of Thief River Falls died on Saturday, November 18 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Services were held Tuesday, November 21 at United Lutheran Church at Gatzke with Rev. Arlen Lloyd officiating. Special music was provided by organist Melanie Lunsetter and vocalist Randy Larson. Selections were "Borning Cry" and "Be Not Afraid." Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "Rock of Ages."

Casketbearers were Luverne Lindahl, Henry Walton, Orlan Dahl, Leland Larson, Robert Engelstad and Bruce Thygeson. Honorary casketbearers were her 13 grandchildren. Interment was in the Moose River Cemetery, Gatzke with arrangements by Green Funeral Home. The family prefers memorials to the American Cancer Society and the American Lung Association.

Phyllis B. Gullikson was born on June 24, 1928 at Crookston, the daughter of Toning and Gunhild (Venaas) Gullikson. The family moved to Middle River where she graduated from the Middle River High School in 1946.

On April 5, 1947, she was united in marriage to Mylan Abrahamson at the First Lutheran Church in Middle River. The family lived in Gatzke until 1961 then moved to the home farm near Gatzke. In 1992 they moved to Thief River Falls where they have since lived.

She was a member of the United Lutheran Church at Gatzke, United Lutheran Women of the ELCA, the Martha Circle of the Church and had served as a Sunday School Teacher, a Modern Woodman of America Leader, a member of the Middle River Unit #444 of the American Legion Auxiliary and had served as a volunteer for the Sister Kenny Foundation for several years.

Phyllis was a very giving person and was the glue that held the family together. She was an extremely loving and happy person with a keen sense of humor. Although she had some struggles and hardships, she never let it show. She cherished spending time with her family, playing cards, the board game "Aggravation" with her friends, and loved baseball, basketball and dancing. She enjoyed reciting to people and was an avid reader. She took special pride in her grandchildren and loved to laugh and hear the laughter of others.

She is survived by her husband Mylan; two sons, Bryce Abrahamson of Holt; Bradley Abrahamson of Thief River Falls, two daughters, Betsy McKeever, Middle River and Brenda Fisher of Thief River Falls; 13 grandchildren, sisters, Joan Simmons, Roseau, Dorothy Bednarek, St. Paul and Judith Johnson, Middle River; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by one daughter, Baryth Anderson; her parents and one brother-in-law, Glendon Abrahamson.

Doris A. Swenson, 59

Thief River Falls — Doris A. Swenson, 59, formerly of Tappen, ND, died Saturday, November 18 at Jamestown Hospital, Jamestown, ND.

Services were Tuesday, November 21 at Eddy Funeral Chapel, Tappen, ND. Interment was in Fisher Cemetery, Tappen.

Doris A. Binder was born May 3, 1936 at Tappen, ND, the daughter of John and Bertha (Geist) Binder. She grew up and attended school in the Tappen area.

She married Robert Erlenmeyer in July of 1953 at Tappen. They farmed near Tappen until 1968, then moved to Thief River Falls to farm. Doris worked at Land O'Lakes Turkey Plant in Thief River Falls. She later managed restaurants in the Thief River Falls area until retiring in 1986 due to illness.

She is survived by daughters, Della Smsky and Bannie Smsky, both of Thief River Falls, and Pam Halvorsan, Viking; sisters, Viola Rott, Jamestown, ND, Esther Aljoc, Ypsilanti, ND, Laverle Rychlik, Aberdeen, SD, and Gloria Berg, Missoula, MT; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and special friend, Clarence Walker, Thief River Falls.

She was preceded in death by her parents, five brothers, one daughter, and one grandson.

Carol Wilma Barros, 47

Thief River Falls — Carol Wilma Barros, 47, died on Sunday, November 19 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Services were Tuesday, November 21 at the Belmont Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Rev. Curtis D. Anderson officiating. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Carol Wilma Foldoe was born on January 31, 1948 in Roseau, the daughter of Edwin and Idell (Pincus) Foldoe, Sr. She grew up and attended school in Roseau. She was baptized into the Christian faith on November 28, 1957 at United Methodist Church in Roseau.

After living for a time in Fergus Falls, she returned to Roseau where she was married to Gordon Barros on October 11, 1969. At the time of her death, she was living in Thief River Falls.

She is survived by her mother Idell Ida Foldoe, Egg Harbor, NJ; brother, Edwin, Jr., of Egg Harbor, NJ, Roger of Sauk Center, and Timothy of May's Landing, NJ; her sister Norma Anne Amiot, St. Cloud and an uncle, Melvin Foldoe, Roseau.

She was preceded in death by her father and a sister, Ellen.

Bertha Aaseby, 92

Hallock — Bertha Aaseby, 92, Hallock, died at United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND on Thursday evening, November 9. Memorial services were Tuesday, November 14 at Grace Lutheran Church in Hallock. Hughes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Bertha was born in Sanders township, near Thief River Falls, on October 17, 1903, the daughter of Iver and Olga (Gravlie) Aaseby. Bertha moved with her family into Thief River Falls when she was six years old and in 1922 graduated from Lincoln high school.

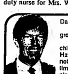
Bertha attended the Ancker Hospital School of Nursing in St. Paul and became a registered nurse. She worked at the University Hospital in Minneapolis and the Ancker Hospital. While in St. Paul Bertha began working as a private duty nurse for Mrs. Walter Butler and continued in that capacity for 30 years. She moved to Hallock in 1959. She was a member of Grace Lutheran Church and the Hallock American Legian Auxiliary.

She is survived by two sisters, Ruby Knutson of Hallock; Vivian Nelson of San Diego, CA; three brothers, Palmer and Ralph, both of Spokane, WA and Ernest of Stephens City, VA and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; stepmother, Anne; five brothers, Alvin, Hjalmer, Iver, Jr., Paul and George, and three sisters, Irene, Olga and Ruth.

Gully . . . .

Dr. and Mrs. Frank DaMarino laft far thair homa at Bridgapart, WV. On Saturday after spending a waak with hor mom Ellia Handy.



Daar Readers,
"Ovar tha rivar and through tha woads, ta grandmalhar's hausa wa gal"
A tima al joy far familias who hava parants, children, grandparents, aunts, unclas, and causins. Hawavar, many athars ara lanaly during tha halldays, not having tha warmth and security al a lamily. Taka time to call, visit, ar includa tham in your holiday plans.
Sincaraly,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Brian Leonard Geske, 27

Thief River Falls — Brian Leonard Geske, 27, died on Tuesday, November 14 due to a farm accident in Sanders township, Pennington county.

Services were Friday, November 17 at St. John Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls with Rev. Darel Rothchild officiating. Special music was provided by Elaine Idso. Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace," "Abide With Me" and Rock Of Ages."

Casketbearers were Myles Koop, Ronnie Rondorf, Ray Moshner, Brian Inglis, Jason Koop, Dale Koop. Honorary casketbearers were Brian's many friends. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Rocksbury township, Pennington county. Green funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

Brian Leonard Geske was born September 11, 1968 in Thief River Falls, the son of Leonard and Margaret "Marge" (Heddan) Geske. He was baptized and confirmed at St. John Lutheran Church and was a member of the Smiley 4-H Club where he had served as treasurer. He attended Northrup Elementary School, Our Savior's Academy and graduated from Lincoln High School in 1986.

Following his schooling, he worked with his father on the family farm, hauled sugar beets for Gary Palkahrek and was presently working at the Earl Hoefer farm.

He was a member of St. John Lutheran Church, St. Hilaire Lion's Club, Minnesota Holstein Association, Lutheran Layman's League, and enjoyed farming and hunting.

He is survived by his parents; sister Nancy Larson of Euclid; brother Gary of Thief River Falls; grandfather John Geske, Thief River Falls; great-grandmother Olga Heddan, Greenbush; and many uncles, aunts and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Alvin and Theresa Heddan and grandmother Edna Geske; maternal great-grandparents, Joe and Josephine Novacek; paternal great-grandfather, Albert Heddan; uncle Harold and aunt Agnes Geske.

Harold B. Eia, 81

Crookston — Harold B. Eia, 81, died Wednesday morning, November 15 at the Riverview Nursing Home in Crookston. Funeral services were held on Sunday, November 19 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Interment was in Oakdale Cemetery at Crookston.

Harold was born on September 15, 1914 on the Eia Family farm, near Beltrami, the son of Gunder and Anna (Anderson) Eia. He was baptized and confirmed at the Scandia Lutheran Church and attended rural school in Scandia.

On October 9, 1935, Harold was united in marriage to Margaret Reitmeier at Crookston. Harold and Margaret had celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary shortly before he passed away.

Harold farmed in Scandia township, retiring in 1968. He and Margaret moved to Crookston later that same year. He continued to help his son Gilmur whenever he could.

Harold was very handy and could fix almost anything. He loved to build things, including snowmobiles. Harold loved being a good neighbor, whether he was blowing snow for others or watching the neighbors' house while they vacationed. He was an avid fisherman, loved hunting and visiting with people, and being "the world's greatest grandpa."

Harold has his pilot's license and in his younger days enjoyed flying over the local countryside. He served on the West Polk County Water Shed Board, belonged to the Sons of Norway, and was a member of the Scandia Lutheran Church until 1968. After moving to Crookston, Harold became a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

Harold is survived by his wife, Margaret of Crookston; two daughters, Helen Viker Lee of Albuquerque, NM and Kathleen Thune of Gilbert, AZ; a son Gilmur of Beltrami; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and other relatives.

Harold was preceded in death by his parents; sister Nora Kyhun; three brothers, William, Henry and Alton, and two infant brothers, Henry and Alton.

LaVerne J. Rambeck, 76

Glenwood — LaVerne J. Rambeck, 76, of Glenwood, died Monday morning in his home on Pelican Lake after a heroic battle with cancer.

Services are set for Friday, November 24 at 9:30 a.m. at the Glenwood Lutheran Church. Interment will be at Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis. Visitation will be Wednesday, November 22 from 4-8 p.m. at the Hoplin Funeral Chapel.

A complete obituary will appear in the next edition of the *Times*.

Richard Arthur Knutson, 23

Hallock — Richard Arthur Knutson, 23, died on January 8, 1973 when his aircraft was downed by ground fire in Quang Tri Province of South Vietnam.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, November 18 at 10 a.m. in the Grace Lutheron Church in Hallock. Interment will be in the Greenwood Cemetery, Hallock with arrangements by Hughes Funeral Home.

Richard Arthur Knutson was born September 11, 1949 in Hallock, the son of Dr. Gerald and Ruby (Aaseby) Knutson. He grew up in Hallock and graduated from Hallock High School in 1967. After two years of college at Moorhead State University and the University of Minnesota at Crookston, he enlisted in the U.S. Army.

Richard's basic training was in Fort Lewis, WA and Fort Rucker, AL for helicopter mechanics training. He served in Germany for a year and upon his return applied for Helicopter Flight Training. Ricky spent three months at Camp Walters in Texas and was transferred to Fort Rucker and graduated as a Warrant Officer on October 31, 1972.

On December 3, 1972 he went to Vietnam. He was killed only weeks later. For six years Richard was labled as missing in action and in 1979 the Army declared him legally dead. His remains, which had been buried by a Vietnamese farmer, were found earlier this year.

A service for Richard was held on November 11 at the state capitol following a Veterans Day ceremony.

Richard was venturesome as a boy. Like many boys he played hockey and hunted geese, ducks and deer. He made friends easily.

He is survived by his mother Ruby Knutson of Hallock; three sisters, Carol DeMonn of Bloomington, Eileen Bothum of Karlstad and Cynthia Blomquist of Hallock; a brother, Gerald of Dayton; aunt Vivian Nelson of San Diego, CA; three uncles, Palmer and Ralph Aaseby of Spokane, WA and Ernest Aaseby of Stephens City, VA; nine nephews and three nieces.

Other family members who have died are his father, Dr. Gerald Knutson; brother-in-law Monte Blomquist; his maternal grandparents, Iver and Anne Aaseby; paternal grandparents, Dr. Olaf and Esther Knutson; aunt Bertha Aaseby, who died November 9, and other aunts and uncles.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Happy Birthday!

Laura Andersan celebrated har 11th birthday an Navembar 13th, those wha braught birthday wishes to Laura, Saturday evening at the Gary and Mari Lau Andersan hame were Evelyn Andersan, Edgar and Dorothy Millar, Gary Millar and Laura's friend, Amy and Luke Miller. Laura celebrated with a group af classmates ane evening last waak at har hama. Bast wishes, Laura!

Nowlyweds!

Congratulations ta Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sigarud al Apple Valley wha were married recently. Mike is the san af Virgil Sigarud and grandparents are Otto and Hulda Sigarud. Bost wishes ta you bath, Jarri and Mikel

Stanlay Erickson and Ethel Jahnson ware caffee guests at tha Edgar and Dorothy Millar home an Friday.

Edgar Millar spont Monday and Tuesday visiling his mothar, Signa Millar at tha Dakota hospital in Fargo, ND anrauto hame Edgar visited at the home af his granddaughters, Jaclyn and Kari Millar af Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sigarud visited at tha Eddie Sjulestad home one day last week in Thief River Falls. Meri Lau Andarsan visited Wednesday at the Eddie Sjulestad home.

Harry Sigerud was a coffee guest at tha Edgar and Darothy Millar hama Sunday afternoon.

Amy Halvarsan visited at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud hama on Sunday. Earl Halvorsan and Eddie Sjulestad visited at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sigerud visited by telaphone with their children, Bev al Angara and Virgil at Burnsville during tha week.

Narman Miller of Greenbush was a recent visitar and dinner guest at the Edgar Miller home.

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Thief River Falls VFW donated poppies to Discovery Place Early Learning Center, which the children used to make a replica af Discovery Place, Christmas wreaths and poppy bouquets. The children then presented the poppy creations to residents at Valley Home on Friday, November 10. Pictured with Dave and Barb Forsberg of the VFW and Auxiliary, are Ryan Hermanson and Brianna Sanner (front row) and Brandi Hermanson and Garrett Schroeder (back row).

Q&A SOCIAL SECURITY

Provided by the Social Security District Office in Grand Forks, ND

Q: As part of a divorce settlement, can I prevent my soon to be ex-wife from getting any future benefits on my Social Security?

A: No, you cannot. It might make you feel better to realize that benefits paid to anyone else on your Social Security record will not change the amount that you receive yourself. The names soundd like oxymorons but special benefit types are targeted for those that SSA calls divorced spouse or divorced widow(er). In a divorced spouse case you are still alive; in a divorced widow case you are dead.

A divorced spouse can get benefits on the SSA record of a former husband or wife if the marriage lasted at least 10 years. The divorced spouse must be at least age 62 and unmarried. Benefits payable to a divorced spouse do not affect the amount of benefits paid to a current spouse.

When you are divorced, even if you remarry, your ex-spouse (termed divorced widow(er) by SSA) could be eligible for benefits on your record when yau die. Some of the requirements are that the divorced spouse must be age 60, must have been married to you for at least 10 years and cannot be entitled to a higher benefit on his or her own record. The ex-spouse can also not be currently married, unless the remarriage occurred after age 60.

In cases of remarriage after age 60, the ex-spouse cauld be eligible for a widaw(er)'s benefit on your record or a spouses's benefit on their current husband or wife depending which is higher. Nate that this is for benefits based on age; other criteria exist for the disabled or thase having a child of yours in their care.

SSA representatives routinely ask about marital history during a claims interview to see if benefits of these types are payable. Evidence needed would include court certified copies of the marriage and divorce decrees. For more information call the national SSA number, 1-800-772-1213, from 7 a.m. ta 7 p.m. on narmal business days.

Q: Is it true that disability claims are a growing part of Social Security workloads? I would have thought that retirement was your main item.

A: Disability workloads are definitely growing for Social Security although, as a percentage of the total workload, retirement related claims still are in the lead. During 1992 benefits were awarded to over four million persons nationally. Of these, 42 per cent were to rotired warkers and 16 per cent were to disabled workers. The remaining 42 per cent of approved benefits were to survivors and/or dependents of workers. These survivors/dependents would be eligible to receive Social Security benefits due to the retirement, death or disability of the worker.

In actual numbers, national 1992 benefit awards totaled about 1.7 million to newly retired beneficiaries and about 637,000 to the newly disabled. Since the mid-1980's Social Security has noted an upward trend in approved disability workloads. For those who like to compare numbers, in 1970 about 1.2 million retirement and 253,000 disability claims were approved. In 1980 about 1.5 million retirement and 592,000 disability claims were approved. These figures do not include awards made to survivors or dependents.

Reminder: Please include your name, social security number and telephone number with any evidence sent to a SSA office. If you are working with a specific representative, include that person's name also. We receive large amounts of mail daily and routinely receive items that are not identified by the sender.

The natianal SSA toll-free number operates from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on normal business days.

Q: My friend told me that they can earn a lot of money before it affects the amount of Social Security they receive. How can this be?

A: Assuming that your friend is speaking about the annual earnings test (also known as the retirement test), it is true thal a persan can have significant earnings and still get monthly Social Security. The following does not apply ta sameone getting Social Security based on their own disability. Exceptions can also exist depending on the type of work involved such as the self-employed or an employee of a family business but, in general, the earnings test is fairly simple.

For purpases af the retirement test, earnings include gross wages and net income from self-employment. In 1994, someone age 70 ar older, beginning with the month they reach age 70, can earn any amount and still get all their monthly benefits. A person age 65 or older, including those wha will attain age 65 in 1994, can earn up to $11,160 and still get all monthly benefits.

A deduction af $1 for each $3 earned over this amount will be made from benefits payable during the year. A person who will be under age 65 all year can earn up to $8,040 and still get all their monthly benefits. A deduction of $1 for every $2 earned over this amount will be made from benefits made during the year.

SSA looks at all the earned incame during the year if someane is already on Social Security. For people retiring during the year, we look at annual as well as monthly earning expectations. As a general rule of thumb, a person earning no mare than the above earning levels far their age can work and continue to get all their usual Social Security benefits.

If you are otherwise eligible, but have not yet signed up for Social Security due to work, it is passible that some benefits can be paid to you after the retirement test is applied.

Star News

Mayme Johnson

Joyce Solberg was an overnight guest of Kristi's at the Lawrence Kiesow home after school on Friday.

Bob Johnson of Andover called and visited by phone with his mother Mayme Johnson on Monday evening.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud attended the Star homemakers at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Mrs. Gene Marquis, Megan and Andrea visited with June Johnson on Monday.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes were visitors and lunch guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Those who enjoyed supper on Saturday night at the Marle Naeseth home were JoAnn Naeseth and Megan, Dan Wellmen and Zachery of Motley, Dee Naeseth of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Naeseth, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica, Mrs. Clarence Johnson along with Donna, Marle and Jason.

Randy Johnsrud is spending his quarter break from college in Bemidji with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg attended the Goodridge creamery board members meeting held at DW's in Goodridge.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson were visitors and lunch guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Watne were callers on Sunday night at the Lorraine Watne home.

Thursday, Mrs. Tim Lundeen visited with Dayton Silk in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday evening at the Norman Adams home.

Saturday evening, Jason Naeseth visited with Jerry Sturre in Goodridge.

Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes visited and had breakfast on Thursday morning with Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Shirley Johnsrud was a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Thursday and Friday. Those who visited with Shirley while at the hospital were Mr. and Mrs. Verner Arveson, Loyelle Arveson, Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Pastor Bob Dahlen, Bonnie Johnsrud, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hager, Judy Mostrom, Ardell Kjellberg, Delores Johnsrud, Donna Osberg, and Florence Bendickson. We all wish Shirley a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and Clara Peterson were shoppers on Thursday in Thief River Falls.

Thursday Jessica Johnson was an overnight guests at the Allen Hawk home.

Norman Kriel was a coffee guest at the Alfred Hanson home in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Shirley Johnsrud had lunch with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerke and Jean Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Mrs. Clarence Johnson home.

Steve Kriel and a friend, Roger Kriel and Ryan were visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at the Norman Kriel home.

Steve Zavoral of St. Hilaire was a visitor and coffee guest on Sunday at the Hanford Rolsland home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Lenhardt of Warren were visitors and coffee guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

Sunday afternoon, JoAnn Naeseth and Megan and Dan Wellmen and Zachery left for their home in Motley. JoAnn and Megan spent a week at the Marle Naeseth home.

Vernon Iverson and Orlin Hanson entertained the patients at Oakland Park Nursing Home on Friday in Thief River Falls.

Travis Kotrba is spending his quarter break from college in Crookston with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba and family.

Curtis Johnson of Detroit Lakes was an overnight at his parents guest home, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson on Wednesday night.

Jean Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Visitors and callers at tha Ernest Mostrom home during the week were Willie and Jane Good, Adelene Hanson and Lester Hanson.

Lorraine Mostrom was a caller at the Lester Hanson and Orville Christianson homes.

Lorraine Mostrom visited with Adeline Hanson one day during the week.

Ida Haugen enjoyed telephone calls during the week from Orrin Haugen of Hibbing, Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA, Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Shirley Johnsrud and Clara Peterson.

Callers and visitors at the Willis Good home for the week were Adeline Hanson, Ernest, Lorraine and Randy Mostrom and Richard Barrett.

Willis Good called at tha Orben Good home on Sunday.

We are sorry to hear that Clifford Arveson is a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. He has been a patient there all week. We all wish Clifford a complete recovery. Pastor Dan Faugstad visited with Clifford Arveson at the hospital on Friday.

Beth Wheeler of Thief River Falls visited at the Ida Haugen home on Wednesday afternoon. Other callers there during the week were Ardith Kloth and Linda and Bud Homme. Pastor Faugstad called thare briefly Friday forenoon.

Clara Peterson and Renae Marquis were shoppers in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Ida Haugen visited at tha Ardith Kloth home in Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Brian Johnson went to Jamestown, ND on Thursday. He visited at the Bradley Johnson home and he returned to his home hara on Saturday.

Hospice Light Up a Life celebration

Light Up a Life Tree celebration for Northland Community Hospice will take place Tuesday, November 28, at 7 p.m. in the lobby of Northwest Medical Center.

Suggested donation is $5 to place the name of a loved one in the Hospice Book of Memories located in the lobby throughout the holiday season. Visitors may enjoy looking up familiar names as far back as 1986 when the tree lighting ceremony first started.

Persons interested in participating are invited to clip the ad found in this issue of *The Times* and stop by the hospice office in Northwest Medical Center with the donation. The organization will also have its traditional candlelighting, carols and social gathering sponsored by hospice volunteers.

Hospice will also offer for sale an Amaryllis plant as its "Hospice Flower of Hope." All donations to the non-profit hospice are tax deductible and help fund a variety of programs in the community.

Further inquiries or other questions about hospice care can be directed to Martha Wissmann at 681-6189.

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Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA) chapter at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls recently donated $100 to Northland Community Hospice in Thief River Falls for its rose fund. Marthe Wissmenn, director of Northland community Hospice, spoke to the health occupations class taught by Ila Flesche at Lincoln on Friday, November 17, at which time the check was presented. The fund is used to purchase a rose for the families of hospice participants when the patients die. Pictured (left to right) are HOSA members Kevin Bakken, Jenny Johnson and Andrea Vigen and hospice director Martha Wissmann.

Gas prices lower during holiday

Thanksgiving holiday travelers should find lower gas prices than they did during the Labor Day holiday, according to AAA Minnesota.

A recent survey shows the average price of unleaded self-serve gasoline in the state to be $1.092 per gallon—a decrease of almost seven cents since Labor Day. Last year at Thanksgiving the price averaged $1.152.

Average prices for self-service unleaded are $1.078 in the metropolitan area, $1.103 in the central area, $1.198 in northern Minnesota and $1.094 in southern Minnesota.

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Minnesota ahead in meeting goals for immunizations

Minnesota is ahead of schedule in meeting national goals for immunizing people over 65 against influenza, according to officials at the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH).

Preliminary estimates — based on an MDH telephone survey — indicate that approximately 65 per cent of Minnesotans aged 65 or older got their influenza shots during the 1994 influenza season. That compares with 51 per cent the previous year. The goal nationally is to get at least 60 per cent of the over-65 population immunized by the year 2000.

"Obviously, we're very pleased about the progress we've made in protecting our older citizens against this illness," said Anne Barry, Minnesota Commissioner of Health. "Along with pneumonia, influenza is one of the leading causes of death for people in this age group. We recommend the influenza vaccine for all Minnesotans 65 or over, and we hope that younger persons will also consider getting immunized if they are at risk for serious complications from this disease."

Commissioner Barry praised the efforts of health care providers — and groups like the Minnesota Coalition on Adult Immunization — in raising adult immunization rates in Minnesota.

"People in our state are working on a number of fronts to improve adult immunization levels," she said. "The strategies they're using are highly innovative, and they have had a significant impact. Encouraging people to get immunized is a job for the whole community, and the community has responded in exemplary fashion."

Health officials recommend the influenza shots for all people who may be at risk of developing serious complications from the illness — including people 65 or over, and people with chronic conditions like heart disease, lung disease and diabetes. The shots are also recommended for the health care workers who take care of people in these high risk groups, and for children and teenagers with diseases like arthritis, which are commonly treated with aspirin. In children, aspirin can increase the risk of a serious influenza complication known as Reye Syndrome.

Even if you aren't at risk of developing complications, you may still want to consider getting an influenza shot, Commissioner Barry said. "Some people may choose to get a shot simply to avoid getting sick with influenza," she noted.

The influenza shots need to be repeated every fall. The vaccine is reformulated every year, to protect against those strains of the influenza virus that are most likely to make an appearance during the coming winter.

Officials also recommend that people in high risk groups be immunized against pneumococcal pneumonia, a serious illness that often follows an episode of influenza. The pneumococcal vaccine only needs to be given once, and people can get the shots any time of the year. So far, about a third of Minnesotans over 65 have received the pneumonia vaccine.

Commissioner Barry also encouraged adult Minnesotans to check their records, and make sure they've been receiving other routine adult immunizations on schedule. Boosters for diphtheria and tetanus, for example, are due every 10 years.

She urged physicians and health care providers to do a routine check of their patients' immunization status at age 50. By the time they reach that age, an estimated 40 per cent of the population should already be getting influenza shots, because of a chronic illness or some other medical condition.

Beef and dairy reproduction schools slated

A two-week series of beef and dairy reproduction schools will be held in Greenbush at the American Legion club rooms from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesdays, November 29 and December 6.

The first session will include University of Minnesota specialists discussing topics such as heat detection and controlled breeding programs, the value of good records in herd reproductive management, semen handling and artificial insemination technology and strategies for maintaining pregnancy herd reproductive health.

The second session will cover pregnancy diagnosis, postpartum problems and solutions, calving management and nutritional factors affecting herd production.

All livestock producers are encouraged to attend whether or not they are using A.I. in their breeding programs. The sessions are sponsored by the Northern Lites extension cluster.

Five-year-old cow from Dummer herd tops report from Red Lake County Dairy Herd Improvement Association

A five-year-old cow from the Richard Dummer herd topped the Red Lake County Dairy Herd Improvement Association for the month of September in terms of value of product produced.

The cow had a 305-day production record of 33,970 pounds of milk, 1,119 pounds of butterfat and 1,048 pounds of protein.

The Dummer herd also had the eighth and ninth place cows which had respective milk, butterfat and protein production records of 26,401, 860 and 806 and 27,347, 734 and 814.

Northwest Agricultural Experiment Station had the second and third place cows in the report with respective production records for pounds of milk, butterfat and protein of 31,728, 983 and 934 and 28,909, 919 and 889.

Johnston Farms had the fourth through seventh place cows with respective milk, butterfat and protein records of 27,576, 1,017 and 868, 23,960, 1,037 and 836, and 27,092, 724 and 864.

Also in the top 10 were the seventh place cow from the Don and Karen Konickson herd which produced 26,247 pounds of milk, 991 pounds of butterfat and 811 pounds of protein and the 10th place cow from the Wayne Vettleson herd which produced 23,864 pounds of milk, 828 pounds of butterfat and 825 pounds of protein.

During September there were 49 cows in the Red Lake County DHIA which had production of at least 22,000 pounds of milk, 750 pounds of butterfat or 700 pounds of protein. These cows came from the following herds:

Johnston Farms (6), Don and Karen Konickson (2), Wayne Vettleson (6), Northwest Agricultural Experiment Station (7), Richard Dummer (2), Tom and Diane Kolstoe, Gerald Visser, Harold Derosier and Sons, Gary and Grant Gullekson (2), Wayne Nelson, Beyer Farms, Greg and Susan Zak, Wesley Bring and Donald F. Tiss.

Star News

Friday Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen were visitors at the Greg and Gail Halgerson home.

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Hazel Hudl home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth spent from Wednesday until Friday visiting with JoAnn Naeseth and Dan Wellman in Motley.

Sunday night, Jared Haugen was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

NOAA weather radio may make Christmas gift

Jim Belles, warning coordination meteorologist for the new Weather Service office in Grand Forks, ND, suggests that a NOAA weather radio (priced in the $10 to $50 range) may make an appropriate gift that could save a loved one's life.

Belles said that weather radio programs provide vital information now and will be even better in the near future.

"One of several improvements we're working on is to increase the range of our coverage," Belles said. "Our broadcast wattage limits present reception to about a 40-mile radius for each weather radio transmitter, but we are working to obtain new transmitters. Our goal is to provide a clear transmission of our broadcasts over all our warning area of eastern North Dakota and northwest Minnesota."

Belles said that programming changes to be put in place this spring will improve the content of the weather radio broadcasts. The Hazardous Weather Outlook will be one addition and will be issued each morning by the Grand Forks forecast office. It will discuss in detail the probability of hazardous weather conditions occurring over the next several days.

With NOAA weather radio the warnings are received faster because they come directly from the National Weather Service. The portability of the radios makes them easy to carry on fishing, hunting, camping or other outdoor outings and they provide a source of information that can alert the user to seek shelter.

The radios can be set to be silent until a warning is issued. Then a tone alert sounds, followed by the voice broadcast. This can be especially effective for night time severe weather events."

The NOAA weather radios are available at many electronics and discount stores.

Use Aeration to control insects in stored grain

The best way to control insects in stored small grain this time of year is usually to cool the grain using aeration fans. That observation is from Bill Wilcke, agricultural engineer with the University of Minnesota's Extension Service.

The warm, humid conditions that were common earlier this fall cause insects to thrive, says Wilcke, and some insect problems in storage bins have been reported. "At grain temperatures of less than 60 degrees Fahrenheit, insect activity slows," Wilcke points out. "At temperatures less than 40 degrees, many insects go dormant and some die. The insect death rate increases at lower temperatures."

Wilcke says the normal recommendation for stored grain temperatures in Minnesota is 20 to 30 degrees Fahrenheit. "But if you have a severe insect problem, it might be worth cooling the grain to lower temperatures to kill more of the insects," he adds. "If you do cool grain to less than 20 degrees, use aeration fans to bring it back up to about 30 degrees before spring weather arrives."

If you have insect problems in a bin that doesn't have aeration fans, your options are limited, says Wilcke. "You could try running the grain through a grain cleaner to remove some insects and the fines that attract insects," he says. "If grain moisture is higher than it should be for storage of small grains, which is about 13 per cent, consider running the grain through a dryer. Be careful not to get the grain too hot, though. Grain temperatures above 140 degrees Fahrenheit will reduce milling quality and temperatures above 110 degrees Fahrenheit will reduce germination. Also, if grain will be returned to a bin without aeration fans, use the dryer fan to cool grain to the outdoor temperature before storing it."

If aeration, cleaning, or drying doesn't keep insects under control, feed or sell the grain before the problem gets worse, says Wilcke.

What about fumigation to kill stored grain insects? This involves sealing bins and applying a chemical that releases toxic gases. "If the fumigation is done properly, it can be effective at killing all insects in the bin," says Wilcke. "However, fumigation might be the best option, especially at this time of year. For one thing, some fumigants can't be used at low temperatures and some can't be used on grain that will be used for seed or malting purposes. Be sure to read the label. For another thing, fumigants are highly toxic to humans. Applying the fumigants request special training and equipment. Finally, fumigants don't provide residual insect control. If the grain is warm or damp, insects will return as soon as the gas dissipates."

Health plan licensed by Health Dep't.

Dakota Community Health Plan (DCHP)—offered as a joint venture of Dakota Clinic and Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota—has received approval from the Minnesota Department of Health to operate as a community integrated service network (CISN).

The plan will begin enrolling members immediately and will initially offer a health plan for small and medium-sized businesses. Of all the businesses in the DCHP service area, 96 per cent employ from two to 49 workers.

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According to Dr. James Knapp, MD, executive director of DCHN, community representatives make up 51 per cent of its advisory board, ensuring continued local involvement in the health plan's operations and planning.

Plummer

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XATA Corp. Announces stock offering

XATA Corp has announced that it has filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission for a public offering of 750,000 shares of its common stock.

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IRS to notify taxpayers on 1993 returns

Over the next few months, people who may have failed to report various kinds of income or properly claim mortgage interest deductions on their 1993 federal income tax returns will be receiving letters from the Internal Revenue Service.

The letters are part of a computer program that matches financial information sent to the IRS by banks and other businesses with amounts reported on 1993 returns. For example, the IRS says, when your bank sends you a form or statement showing interest earned on a savings account or interest paid on a home mortgage, it sends the same information, usually on computer tape or diskette, to the IRS. If the information reported to the tax agency by the bank doesn't match the figures on your return, you will receive one of the letters mentioned above.

Letter recipients must reply within 30 days. The letter lists the items the IRS believes were omitted or improperly reported. The IRS urges you to check your return to see if you agree with the changes listed. If so, sign the statement included with the letter and return it. If you disagree, send a letter within 30 days explaining where the IRS is wrong and giving the correct information.

AmeriCorps team assists in bullrush seed collection

Recently completing a hard-stem bullrush seed collection at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge were members of the AmeriCorps team stationed in Warren.

The group traveled to the refuge in mid-October to conduct the harvest—a project the refuge staff had not been able to find time to complete. The AmeriCorps members donned waders and winter gear and waded out into the shallow waters of Agassiz pool to collect seeds which will be used to restore native food supplies for waterfowl in other Minnesota marsh areas.

AmeriCorps is a national service program adopted by Congress that engages 20,000 Americans of diverse backgrounds in performing service that meets critical community needs in return for an educational award, which may be used to pay for college, job training or graduate school, or to pay back student loans. The majority of AmeriCorps members are working in partnerships with states, local government and non-profit organizations.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture is running three types of AmeriCorps in 38 states, composed of approximately 1,200 members: an Anti-Hunger Team, a Public Lands and Environment Team and a Rural Development Team.

Many of the AmeriCorps projects are sponsored by community-based organizations and all projects are designed to get things done while boosting community, opportunity and responsibility.

The members stationed in Warren also are seeking volunteers to help with a river beautification and flood control project in Marshall county. An outbreak of Dutch Elm disease is responsible for downed trees in the county. The project will include removal of tree debris from the Snake, Middle and Tamarac rivers. Some of the tree materials removed from the rivers will be used to construct wildlife shelters for small animals.

Persons interested in volunteer service in such local projects may contact AmeriCorps at Warren by calling 218-745-4351.

MARKETS

as of Monday, November 20

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

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Spring Wheat #2	4.55
New Crop 96	4.15
Winter Wheat	4.30
Durum	6.00
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.95
Top Milling Oats	1.85
Ordinary Oats	1.60
Oil Sunflowers	10.50
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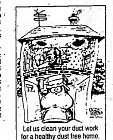
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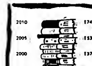

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Celebrating Donny Lefrooth's belated birthday on Tuesday evening at Elsie Lefrooth's home were Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Donny, Marlys and Greg Lefrooth. They enjoyed a nice supper and afterwards played games.

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If you wish to claim homestead on a property that was not receiving the homestead classification in the past, you must contact the county assessor's office and make application on or before December 15, 1995.

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To find out how to apply for the homestead classification and receive the proper application form contact:

MARSHALL COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE
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NOV. 27 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	NOV. 28 AERIE MEETING 8:30 P.M.	NOV. 29	NOV. 30 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 1 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 2 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M. DINNER • 5-7 P.M. DANCE • 8:30-11 P.M. "CHUCK GUST"

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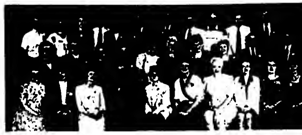

Lincoln High School Class of 1955's reunion. Back row: Evert Langelett, Della (Cork) Burstad; Doris (Pic) Pfiffner, Lyla Simon, Ivadell (Kleinvachter) Douglas, Roger Nygaard, David Henson, Jerry Vetsees, David Dyrdal, Jack Quesnell, Arvid "Louie" Wedul. Middle row: JoAnn (Sevre) Meyers, Elody (Kulseth) Olson, Louise (Knutson) Solseng, Faye (Glass) Sund, Fanche (Conners) Storheug, JoAnn (Meed) Peters, Donne (Olson) Anderson, Waoone (Wilson) Melberg, Jerry VeVea, Larry Jorgenson. Front row: Ivsdell (Christensen) Raierson, Lorraine (Chapman) Northagen, Valda (Vateve) Jorgenson, Andrew Joppru, Vare (Bolsted) Trevle, Ardelle (Dswald) Kjellberg, Norlte (Blezek) VanWert, Carol (Bjorkmen) Linthecum, Marilyn (Wasle) Hermodson, Fern (Nohre) Traverso.

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Lincoln High School Class of 1955's reunion. Back row: Delrey Senders, Doris (Belenge) Helgerson, Jim Kolden, Joe Poole, Pat (Torkelson) Swenson, Cliff Swenson, Edwin Hruby, Dick Westecott. Front row: Roberte (Pederson) Kloety, Darlene (Sjolsvold) Gunderson, Connie (Alberg) Kolden, Barbara (Droppo) Poole, Janice (Hoglo) Lamb, Jeanette (Welsberg) Walseth, Pat (Zechar) Dicken, Helen (Gullingsrud) Berstad.

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Elsie Lafrooth accompanied Peter and Pearl Thompson to the beautiful wedding reception of Jared and Monique Hagen at the Center on Saturday afternoon.

The storm isn't letting up and I saw the ambulance leave town awhile ago but this is due to go to press this afternoon so I will venture out.

Sunday dinner guests at the Isaac Thompson's were Robert, Cathy, Andrew and Lisa, Richard, Carol, Nicole and Karl Thompson of Red Lake Falls, Nelson LeDoux of Thief River Falls and Elmer Holmstrom of Newfolden.

Celebrating Donny Lafrooth's belated birthday on Tuesday evening at Elsie Lafrooth's home were Isaac and Betsy Thompson, Donny, Marlys and Greg Lafrooth. They enjoyed a nice supper and afterwards played games.

A number of friends and relatives attended the bridal shower for Michelle Johnson at the home of Peter and Pearl Thompson on Sunday afternoon. All had a good time.

Marcelyn Lindstrom visited Dr. Paul and Dianne Ditmanson in Bemidji on Friday evening.

Pearl Thompson accompanied Becky Johnson to Thief River Falls on Thursday to do some shopping.

XATA Corp. Announces stock offering

XATA Corp. has announced that it has filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission for a public offering of 750,000 shares of its common stock.

XATA Corporation develops, markets and services fully integrated mobile information systems for the fleet trucking segment of the transportation industry. XATA systems utilize proprietary software, onboard touch-screen computers, related hardware components and accessories to capture, communicate and analyze operating information that assists fleet management in improving productivity and profitability.

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IRS to notify taxpayers on 1993 returns

Over the next few months, people who may have failed to report various kinds of income or properly claim mortgage interest deductions on their 1993 federal Income tax returns will be receiving letters from the Internal Revenue Service.

The letters are part of a computer program that matches financial information sent to the IRS by banks and other businesses with amounts reported on 1993 returns. For example, the IRS says, when your bank sends you a form or statement showing interest earned on a savings account or interest paid on a home mortgage, it sends the same information, usually on computer tape or diskette, to the IRS. If the information reported to the tax agency by the bank doesn't match the figures on your return, you will receive one of the letters mentioned above.

Letter recipients must reply within 30 days. The letter lists the items the IRS believes were omitted or improperly reported. The IRS urges you to check your return to see if you agree with the changes listed. If so, sign the statement included with the letter and return it. If you disagree, send a letter within 30 days explaining where the IRS is wrong and giving the correct information.

AmeriCorps team assists in bullrush seed collection

Recently completing a hard-stem bullrush seed collection at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge were members of the AmeriCorps team stationed in Warren.

The group traveled to the refuge in mid-October to conduct the harvest—a project the refuge staff had not been able to find time to complete. The AmeriCorps members donned waders and winter gear and waded out into the shallow waters of Agassiz pool to collect seeds which will be used to restore native food supplies for waterfowl in other Minnesota marsh areas.

AmeriCorps is a national service program adopted by Congress that engages 20,000 Americans of diverse backgrounds in performing service that meets critical community needs in return for an educational award, which may be used to pay for college, job training or graduate school, or to pay back student loans. The majority of AmeriCorps members are working in partnerships with states, local government and non-profit organizations.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture is running three types of AmeriCorps in 38 states, composed of approximately 1,200 members: an Anti-Hunger Team, a Public Lands and Environment Team and a Rural Development Team.

Many of the AmeriCorps projects are sponsored by community-based organizations and all projects are designed to get things done while boosting community, opportunity and responsibility.

The members stationed in Warren also are seeking volunteers to help with a river beautification and flood control project in Marshall county. An outbreak of Dutch Elm disease is responsible for downed trees in the county. The project will include removal of tree debris from the Snake, Middle and Tamarac rivers. Some of the tree materials removed from the rivers will be used to construct wildlife shelters for small animals.

Persons interested in volunteer service in such local projects may contact AmeriCorps at Warren by calling 218-745-4351.

MARKETS

as of Monday, November 20

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to the St. Hilaire Cooperative Elevator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.95
Spring Wheat #2	4.55
New Crop 96	4.15
Winter Wheat	4.30
Durum	8.00
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.95
Top Milling Oats	1.85
Ordinary Oats	1.60
Oil Sunflowers	10.50
Corn	2.75
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.15
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Confectionery Sunflowers	14.00
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If you wish to claim homestead on a property that was not receiving the homestead classification in the past, you must contact the county assessor's office and make application on or before December 15, 1995.

You--or a "qualifying relative"-- must have moved into the home you now own and live in it as a principal residence, on or before December 1, 1995, to apply to have the property classified as a homestead.

A "qualifying relative" is defined as a parent, stepparent, child, stepchild, grandparent, grandchild, brother, sister, uncle or aunt. The relationship may be by blood or by marriage.

Because of a 1993 law change, once you have been granted the homestead classification, no further applications are necessary unless they are specifically requested by the county assessor.

If you should sell, move or for any reason no longer qualify for the homestead classification, you are required to notify the county assessor's office within 30 days of the change in homestead status.

To find out how to apply for the homestead classification and receive the proper application form contact:

MARSHALL COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE		PENNINGTON COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE
208 East Colvin Avenue		P.O. Box 616
Warren, MN 56762	or	Thief River Falls, MN 56701
Phone: 745-5331		Phone: 681-3843

INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

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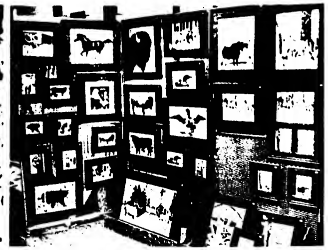
Variety was the key Saturday when crafts of many kinds were on display and for sale at several locations in Thief River Falls. This collection of dolls was at the Eagles hall.



Prints of pencil drawings by Rock Bakken of Hallock draw appreciative comments from visitors to the Holiday Fair at the city auditorium in Thief River Falls Saturday, November 18. The prints were offered either framed or matted and unframed.

Woven baskets were stacked high early in the day at the Holiday Fair craft show Saturday, November 18, at the city auditorium in Thief River Falls. The supply dwindled as the day went along and shoppers found items to their liking among the variety offered.

Creativity of crafters was on display Saturday, November 18, when craft shows were held at a number of locations in Thief River Falls. Susan Dowers of Thief River Falls makes a sale from among her offerings at the Veterans of Foreign Wars club rooms.

State wetlands plan heads into development

The projects to develop a state wetlands conservation plan is moving into the plan development phase, according to Elizabeth Carlson, project coordinator for the Ecological Services division of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

Two 16-member work teams have been formed to develop proposals in 1996 for the state wetlands conservation plan. The teams include persons from local governments, private sector interest groups and state agencies, Carlson said.

The teams will receive regular feedback and advice from a "consulting pool" that includes a wide array of stakeholders and technical resources.

"Together, the work teams and consulting pool are a diverse wetlands network of people and organizations concerned with wetlands policy in Minnesota," Carlson said. The network has become to be known as WetNet.

Kickoff meeting for the work teams and consulting pool is scheduled for November 28 and 29 in Alexandria, Carlson said, and she expects to see about 80 of the 140 participants at this meeting.

More information and a list of participants in the work teams and consulting pool are available from Wetlands Plan Project Coordinator Elizabeth Carlson, DNR Ecological Services, Box 25, 500 Lafayette Road, St. Paul, MN 55155 or by calling 612-297-4890.

Rosemaling on many items from bowls and boxes to plates, buckets, stools and even a toilet seat cover caught the eye of shoppers during the Holiday Fair craft show Saturday, November 18, at the city auditorium in Thief River Falls.

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DOT to present draft summary on state plan

Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) will present a draft version summary of the statewide transportation plan to the public Monday, November 27, from 3 to 5 p.m. at the MnDOT headquarters building in Baxter.

The meeting is intended to provide MnDOT with an opportunity to hear concerns of the public, listen to suggestions and answer questions. The current draft has been revised from earlier versions with additional information regarding economic development, preservation of the highway system and inter-regional corridors.

For a copy of the summary or to submit comments, contact Craig Collison, Transportation Planning Engineer, MnDOT—District 2, P.O. Box 490, Bemidji, MN 56601 or call 218-755-3813.

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News Items

Kathy Junaau will be writing the news for some time now as we are soon leaving to spend the winter in Texas. Please call her at 465-4246 with your news items. Our address will be Bumol and Ettla Byar, #98 Montarray, TX 78570. We'd love to hear from you and if your are in the area stop and see us. Our phone number is 210-514-0939. Have a pleasant winter!

Marian and Harold Vatthauer visited on Monday evening with Dalla Rawartz.

Rhubarb is seen as cash crop in Minnesota

Mary Beth Edman, an elementary school teacher at Warren, believes that rhubarb can be a viable commercial crop and has launched the Minnesota Rhubarb Project, according to the Agricultural Utilization Research Institute at Crookston.

While this seemingly indestructible vegetable grows in many back yards, none offer sufficient quantity to make it a commercial crop. Edman has more than a dozen farmers and gardeners interested in commercial patches.

"The supply is the biggest hurdle," noted Dan Evans, economic developer. "With enough producers, rhubarb could be harvested for food and non-food uses. I've never heard anyone say, 'My rhubarb had a bad year.'"

Using AURI's pilot plant in Crookston, Edman and McIntosh farmer Rupert Syverson processed about 1,500 pounds of rhubarb. They experimented with freezing and drying.

"We're looking at food products like jams and jellies," Edman says. "We're looking at a fresh frozen line, and possibly dehydrated products. I hope we can see rhubarb as a viable crop, an alternative to fill in five or six acres."

Rhubarb had advantages over other specialty crops. It grows for 15 to 20 years after initial planting and has few natural enemies.

"It grows like a weed," Edman says.

Only 600 acres of rhubarb are in commercial production in the United States. Edman hopes the rhubarb project will lead to a growers cooperative and processing facility in northwest Minnesota.

Fanciful decorated birdhouses by Ralph Fiskness were among the unique items for sale Saturday, November 18, during the Holiday Fair craft show at the Thief River Falls auditorium.

Fox fur items were among the many items for sale during the craft show Saturday, November 18, at the Eagles hall in Thief River Falls. Jill Larson of Crookston wore the "foxy" hat while showing the furs to customers.

Centennial items for the 100th anniversary of the City of Thief River Falls were popular choices for visitors to the Holiday Fair in the city auditorium Saturday, November 18. Dale Wannberg and Ruth Nepper are shown working at the booth. At right is the Centennial afghan.

Kids crafts table at the Veterans of Foreign Wars club rooms Saturday attracted interest from both children and adults. Amy Christenson is shown working on one of the projects which were available for sale. Craft shows in several locations in the city attracted good crowds throughout the day.

Snowmen and Santa Claus figures in many different media were offered by craftspersons at craft shows in Thief River Falls Saturday, November 18. This display of a variety of items greeted shoppers at the Veterans of Foreign Wars club rooms.

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Notice Of Proposed Property Taxes

The school board of Thief River Falls Independent School District 564 will hold a public hearing on its budget and on the amount of property taxes it is proposing to collect to pay for the costs of the district for the 1996-1997 school year.

Attend the Public Hearing

All residents of the school district are invited to attend the public hearing of the school board to express their opinions on the budget and on the proposed amount of property taxes on:

Thursday, November 30, at 7:00 p.m.
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Sports Section

TRF Youth Hockey

Regular season schedule will start this weekend for the Thief River Falls Amateur Hockey Association traveling teams.

The five teams and their 1995-96 coaches include Bantam A - Richard Holmes and Scott Novak, Bantam B - Al Erickson and Bob Geatz; Pee-Wee A - Todd O'Connell, Pee-Wee B - Jeff Vacura and Art Cloutier, Pee-Wee B2 - Clayton Molstad.

Coaches are reminded to turn results into The Times Monday mornings to be included in the Wednesday Youth Hockey Column.

TRFAHA Schedule

■ Friday, Nov. 24 - Pee Wee B2 at Bemidji (Nymore), 3 p.m. Pee Wee B vs Detroit Lakes (Old Arena) 5 p.m.

■ Saturday, Nov. 25 - Pee Wee B2 vs East Grand Forks (Old Arena) 11 a.m. Pee Wee A at East Grand Forks (VFW) 3 p.m. Bantam B at Fergus Falls 5 p.m. Bantam A at Fergus Falls 7 p.m.

■ Sunday, Nov. 26 - Bantam B at Fergus Falls, 8:15 a.m. Bantam A at Fergus Falls, 11 a.m. and at Crookston, 6 p.m. Pee Wee B2 at Crookston 1 p.m. Pee Wee A at Bemidji (City) 2 p.m. Pee Wee B at Moorhead, 6:45 p.m.

City Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	w	l
Digi Key	10	0
Middle River	8	2
Arctco	7	3
Best Western II	7	3
Northup	6	4
Forsberg's	8	4
Hartz Truckline	3	7
Best Western I	3	7
Sea Monkeys	1	8
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	10

Tuesday Women's League

	w	l
Nervrud Cleaners	14	0
Double O Bees	12	2
Thrifty White Drug	10	4
Clip N-Tan	8	5
Budweiser	8	6
Arctco	4	10
Tim Loeffler Agency	4	10
PCR Graphics	1	13
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	1	13

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	w	l
Primetime	11	1
Cellular 2000	10	2
Bud Light	11	3
Universal Screenprint	8	4
Doc's Jocks	8	6
Tunberg Motor Co	6	6
Unpredictables	6	6
Carvers	8	6
500 Club	2	10
National Guard	2	10
Cactus Club	0	12

Thursday Women's League

	w	l
Northwest Medical Center	17	1
Miller Lite	15	3
St. Hilaire Elevator	12	6
LaVonne's Grocery	12	6
Legion	10	8
St. Hilaire Supply	8	8
Evergreen Eating Emporium	7	11
Digi-Key I	4	14
Digi Key II	2	18
Robson Honey	2	16

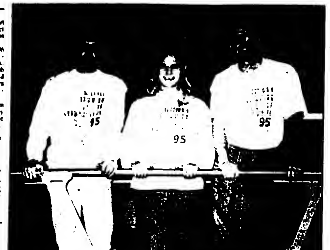
Results

■ Monday, Nov. 13 - results not reported.

■ Tuesday, Nov. 14 - (6:30 p.m.) Double O Bees def. PCR Graphics; Clip-N-Ten def. Budweiser; (7 p.m.) Nervrud Cleaners def. Double O Bees; Olene's Daycare def. PCR Graphics; (7:30 p.m.) Thrifty white Drug def. Budweiser; Clip-N-Ten def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (8 p.m.) Nervrud Cleaners def. Arctco; Tim Loeffler Agency def. Olene's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe; (8:30 p.m.) Thrifty White Drug def. Arctco. (Note: standings do not include results from Oct. 31)

■ Wednesday, Nov. 15 - (6 p.m.) Primetime def. National Guard; Cellular 2000 def. 500 Club; (6:30 p.m.) Primetime def. 500 Club, Cellular 2000 def. Universal Screenprint; (7 p.m.) Tunberg Motor Co. def. National Guard; Universal Screenprint def. Carvers; (7:30 p.m.) Bud Light def. Doc's Jocks; Carvers def. Unpredictables; (8 p.m.) Bud Light def. Tunberg Motor Co.; Doc's Jocks def. Unpredictables.

■ Thursday, Nov. 16 - (6:30 p.m.) LaVonne's Grocery def. St. Hilaire Supply; Evergreen Eating Emporium def. Digi-Key I; (7 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply def. Evergreen Eating Emporium; Northwest Medical Center def. Digi-Key I; (7:30 p.m.) LaVonne's Grocery def. Digi-Key II; Northwest Medical Center def. Miller Lite; (8 p.m.) Robson Honey def. Digi-Key II; Legion def. St. Hilaire Elevator; (8:30 p.m.) Legion def. Robson Honey; Miller Lite def. St. Hilaire Elevator.



Thief River Falls senior Jennifer Olin, flanked by diving coach Shon Thompson (left) and Prowlers head swimming coach Scott Hatherington (right) posed for The Times camera before heading to the University of Minnesota Aquatics Center in Minneapolis for the Nov. 21-22 Minnesota girls state high school swimming and diving championships. A record-breaking championship performance in the diving portion in the Section 8 meet advanced Olin to the state level for the third straight year.

TRF girls expect to field stronger team

Off-season preparation, pointed out head coach Sally Wiltse, has improved the prospects for the Thief River Falls girls high school basketball team.

"The kids worked over the summer at improving their game, and it shows," explained Wiltse. "They played some basketball, and they put in their time in the weight room. We're stronger and we're quicker. I expect us to win more ball games this year."

Thief River Falls struggled through a 4-19 season in 1994-95 when the Prowlers shot only 31.2 percent from the field and 47.5 percent at the free throw line. A commitment to an off-season shooting program should increase those figures, and an improved defense will also lend itself to a better offense.

"We have to become more aggressive on both ends of the floor, and I think we're physically capable of doing that," explained Wiltse. "We don't have a lot of height, but our inside kids are very mobile. We're going to be able to use a lot of people, and our speed and our depth should be a big help when we press."

Five returning letter winners on this year's roster include senior Lisa Swanson; juniors Kim Stenseth, Jocelyn Helgeland and Alicia Bakken; plus freshman Nicole Kopari.

Others vying for varsity playing time are seniors Cami Sorenson and Melissa Rodriguez; juniors Erica Owen and Kari Hook; along with sophomores Stephanie Leach, Amber Klinker, and Holly Bjergaard.

Swanson and Sorenson are serving as captains.

Stenseth averaged 11.3 points for game last year; Kopari 10.5 as an eighth grade varsity starter.

"We have some kids coming back," noted Wiltse. "I'm looking at the season with guarded optimism. The kids are excited; they're enthusiastic. We should be fun to watch."

The Prowlers will host a series of scrimmages Saturday. They will open the regular season Tuesday, Nov. 28, at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

1995-96 TRF Girls Basketball

Tuesday, Nov. 28 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo, 6:15/8 p.m.; Friday, Dec. 1 - at Roseau, 6:15/8 p.m.; Tuesday, Dec. 2 - at Fosston, 6:15/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Dec. 7 - Warroad, 6/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Dec. 12 - Crookston, 6/7:30 p.m.; Monday, Dec. 18 - TRF Invitational, Tuesday, Dec. 12 - TRF Invitational; Thursday, Dec. 21 - TRF Invitational; Saturday, Jan. 6 - at Moorhead; Tuesday, Jan. 9 - Marshall County Central, 6/7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 13 - Bemidji, 6/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 16 - Detroit Lakes, 6/7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 20 - at Fergus Falls, 1:30/3 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 23 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, 6/7:30 p.m.; Friday, Jan. 26 - at Crookston, 6:15/8 p.m.; Thursday, Feb. 1 - at East Grand Forks, 5:45/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Feb. 6 - at Detroit Lakes, 6/7:30 p.m.; Friday, Feb. 2 - Fergus Falls, 6/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Feb. 13 - at Bemidji, 2:45/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Feb. 12 - Kittson Central, 6/7:30 p.m.; Monday, Feb. 16 - Fertile-Beltrami, 6/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Feb. 22 - Moorhead, 6/7:30 p.m.

1995-96 Thief River Falls hockey preview...

Prowlers have veteran line-up

A roster full of veterans and a year's worth of experience for the head coach could elevate Thief River Falls into contending status in Section 8A high school hockey this winter.

The Prowlers began practice last week with 16 lettermen back from an 11-12-1 team that lost to Roseau 6-2 in the 1994-95 Section 8A semifinals. Graduation took only three seniors – second and third line forwards and a defenseman.

"Obviously with all the kids we have coming back, I think we'll be better than we were last year," said Pat Cullen, who is starting his second year as Thief River Falls head coach. "Our goal is to be one of the top teams in the section. A lot of things still have to fall into place – we have to stay away from injuries and we need a few bounces to go our way – but with so many people back, our expectations are higher."

A year of coaching under his belt will be a big benefit, too, acknowledged Cullen. "It's totally different from last year when I really didn't know any of the kids and what they were capable of doing. This year I'm familiar with the kids. We jumped right into it with our drills. We're much farther ahead at this point than we were a year ago."

Keith Anderson and Nick Chiodo lead the list of returning players. The two senior forwards were All-Section 8A picks last winter when Anderson had a 50-point season (25 goals, 25 assists) and Chiodo had 41 (10-31). Performances in summer select programs has enhanced Anderson's value in the eyes of college coaches.

Other lettermen on hand include senior forwards Jason Breiland, Aaron Ehrenstrom, Chad Hanson, and Steve Rambeck; senior forward/defenseman Adam Fulton; senior defensemen Andy Furuseth, Paul Gonsorowski, and David Halsa; senior goalie Chane Keefe; junior forwards Bryan Cleven, Curt Edwards, and Chad Nordhagen; junior defenseman Ben Furuseth; and junior goalie Brian Barry.

"We don't have a lot of holes to fill, so it stands to reason we should be stronger," said Cullen. "But we still need to improve areas of our game. Our second and third lines need to have bigger years so we don't have to rely on Keith and Nick to do all of the scoring for us."

That gap in the scoring column showed Andy Furuseth as the team's fourth-leading scorer with 14 points, while Ehrenstrom, Breiland and Gonsorowski had 11 each and Rambeck finished with 10.

Some added offensive punch might come from varsity newcomer Wade Chiodo, a freshman.

Keefe handled virtually all of the goaltending a year ago when he finished with a 4.35 goals-against average and an .857 save percentage. Pushing him for playing time this winter will be Barry, who played junior varsity hockey last year, and junior Shane Duffy, who played in the Thief River Falls youth hockey program, then made family moves to Wisconsin and now back to Minnesota.

Rest of the preseason roster includes junior forwards Chris Bruggeman, Nathan LaRoque, Nathan Ptacek, Adam Swanson, and Greg Wick; junior defensemen Josh Clark, Nathan Jordet and Jared Sunsdahl; sophomore forwards Kyle Anderson, Paul Bruggeman, Dan Carpenter, Tony Fletcher, Brandon Langlie, Trevor Lee, Eric Rouland, and Shawn Rude; sophomore defensemen Nick Daley, Brandon Gerardy, Craig Lawrence, and Adam Nordin; along with sophomore goalie Josh Holmes.

The Prowlers will play host to the annual Section 8A Jamboree Saturday at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center. Thief River Falls' 1995-96 season and home opener will be a Saturday, Dec. 2, game against Grand Forks Central.

1995-96 TRF Hockey

Saturday, Dec. 2 - Grand Forks Central, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Dec. 5 - at Warroad, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Friday, Dec. 8 - at St. Paul Johnson, 6 p.m. (varsity-only); Saturday, Dec. 2 - at Blake, 2 p.m. (varsity-only); Friday, Dec. 15 - Greenway, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 16 - Hibbing, 1/3 p.m.; Friday, Dec. 22 - Bemidji, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Dec. 27 - Holiday Classic-TRF; Thursday, Dec. 28 - Holiday Classic-EGF; Friday, Dec. 29 - Holiday Classic-Crookston; Tuesday, Jan. 2 - Roseau, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 6 - at Grand Forks Red River, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Thursday, Jan. 11 - at Crookston, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 18 - Warroad, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 20 - at Roseau, 5:15/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 23 - at East Grand Forks; Saturday, Jan. 27 - Moorhead, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Crookston, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Friday, Feb. 2 - Grafton, 5:30/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Feb. 8 - at Bemidji, 5:45/8 p.m.; Friday, Feb. 2 - at Fergus Falls, 3:30/7:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Feb. 13 - East Grand Forks, 5:30/7:30 p.m.

Hockey, basketball teams have Saturday jamborees

High school hockey and basketball scrimmages and jamborees are scheduled Saturday as teams continue their preparation for the upcoming 1995-96 winter sports season.

Hockey

All ten northwestern Minnesota Class A hockey teams will be in Thief River Falls for the annual Section 8 Jamboree.

Two-period match-ups at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center will include Indus vs. Bagley/Clearbrook-Gonvick/Fosston at 3:40 p.m.; Red Lake Falls vs. Kittson Central, 4:50 p.m.; Crookston vs. Lake of the Woods/Rainy River, 6 p.m.; Warroad vs. Roseau, 7:10 p.m.; and Thief River Falls vs. East Grand Forks, 8:20 p.m.

Girls Basketball

Kittson Central, Cass Lake-Bena, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, and Red Lake Falls will join Thief River Falls for girls basketball scrimmages in the two Lincoln High School gyms.

The day will start with 20-minute half-court offensive/defense scrimmages. At 9:30 a.m. it will be Kittson Central vs. Thief River Falls II and Cass Lake-Bena vs. Red Lake Falls in the main gym; Thief River Falls I vs. Badger Greenbush-Middle River in the auxiliary gym. At 10 a.m. it'll be Red Lake Falls vs. Thief River Falls I and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Kittson Central in the main gym; Thief River Falls II vs. Cass Lake-Bena in the auxiliary gym.

Second portion of the program, featuring full-court 20-minute, running-time scrimmages will include Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Cass Lake-Bena (main gym) and Thief River Falls vs. Red Lake Falls (auxiliary gym) at 10:30 a.m.; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Thief River Falls (main gym) and Kittson Central vs. Cass Lake-Bena (auxiliary gym) at 11 a.m.; Cass Lake-Bena vs. Red Lake Falls (main gym) and Kittson Central vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (auxiliary gym) at 11:30 a.m.; Thief River Falls vs. Cass Lake-Bena (main gym) and Kittson Central vs. Red Lake Falls (auxiliary gym); Thief River Falls vs. Kittson Central (main gym) and Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Red Lake Falls, auxiliary gym.

Boys Basketball

In Warren, the Jay Sorenson Jamboree will attract 12 area boys basketball teams.

The match-ups include Thief River Falls vs. Tri-County at 5:30 p.m.; Fisher/Climax vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, 6:15 p.m.; Crookston vs. Marshall County Central, 7 p.m.; East Grand Forks vs. Argyle, 7:45 p.m. Kittson Central vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo I, 8:30 p.m.; Warren-Alvarado Oslo II vs. Stephen, 9:15 p.m.

Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Nov. 22 - 5-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 8-9:45 a.m. public skating; 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. high school; 1:15-2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4:15 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 4:30-6 p.m. Pee-Wee B2; 6:15-7:30 p.m. Squirts Group 2; 7:45-9:45 p.m. Dence; 10-11 p.m. Old-Timers.

Thursday, Nov. 23 - 6:30-10:45 a.m. high school; 11 a.m. - 2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4:30 p.m. public skating; 4:45-6:15 p.m. public skating; 6:30-7:45 p.m. public skating; 8-9:30 p.m. public skating; 9:45-10:45 p.m. public skating.

Friday, Nov. 24 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS; 8-9:45 a.m. public skating; 10-11:45 a.m. Bantam A; 12-1:30 p.m. public skating; 1:45-2:45 p.m. OPFS; 3-6:15 p.m. high school; 6:30-7:30 p.m. high school; 7:45-9:15 p.m. Bantam B; 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Nov. 25 - 8-9:30 a.m. Squirts open hockey; 9:45-11 a.m. 7-8-year-olds open hockey; 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. public skating; 12:30-2 p.m. OPFS; 3:15 p.m. Section 8A Jamboree (3:15 p.m. Indus vs. Bagley; 4:25 p.m. Red Lake Falls vs. Kittson Central, 5:35 p.m. Crookston vs. Lake of the Woods; 6:45 p.m. Warroad vs. Roseau; 7:55 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. East Grand Forks).

Sunday, Nov. 26 - 12-1:15 p.m. public skating; 1:30-3 p.m. OPFS; 3:15-4:45 p.m. public skating; 5-6:30 p.m. public skating; 6:45 p.m. city league hockey (Silver Bullets vs Radniecki's); 8:30 p.m. city league hockey (Wennberg's vs. St. Hilaire Elevator).

Old Arena

Wednesday, Nov. 22 - 12-1 p.m. Squirts open hockey; 1:15-2:15 p.m. Pee-Wees open hockey; 2:30-3:30 p.m. Bantams open hockey, 3:45-4:45 p.m. Squirts Group 1; 5-6 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 1; 6:15-7:15 p.m. public skating; 7:15-6:15 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 2; 8:30-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wee A and B1; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Nov. 23 - closed for Thanksgiving.

Friday, Nov. 24 - 8-9 a.m. 6-under open hockey; 9:15-10:15 a.m. 7-8-year-olds open hockey; 10:30-11:30 a.m. public skating; 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Pee-Wees open hockey; 1-3 p.m. public skating; 3:15-4:30 p.m. Squirts Group 2; 4:45 p.m. Pee-Wee B1 vs. Detroit Lakes; 6:45-7:35 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 1; 7:35-8:25 p.m. 7-8-year-olds Group 2; 8:40-10 p.m. Pee-Wee A.

Saturday, Nov. 25 - 8-9 a.m. 5-6-year-olds open hockey; 9:15-10:30 a.m. girls open hockey; 10:45 a.m. Pee-Wee B2 vs. East Grand Forks; 12:45-2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4:15 p.m. Squirts open hockey; 4:30-5:45 p.m. public skating; 6-7:15 p.m. public skating; 7:30-8:30 p.m. public skating, 8:45-9:45 p.m. rental; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Nov. 26 - 12-1 p.m. 6-under open hockey; 1:15-2:15 p.m. 7-8-year-olds open hockey; 2:30-3:45 p.m. Squirts open hockey; 4-5:15 p.m. girls open hockey; 5:30-6:30 p.m. public skating; 6:45-7:45 p.m. public skating; 8 p.m. city league hockey (Rude Construction vs. Brodin's); 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

Detroit Lakes will meet St. Peter for Class A state title

Section 8A champion Detroit Lakes will take on St. Peter Friday at 5 p.m. for the Class A title in the 1995 Minnesota state high school football championship Prep Bowl at the Metrodome in Minneapolis.

The No. 2-ranked Lakers beat Northfield 32-26 and St. Peter upset top-ranked Totino Grace 22-7 in the Class A semifinals over the weekend.

Two area teams were eliminated in the Metrodome semifinals as Stephen dropped a 28-20 Nine-Man decision to Cromwell and Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail lost a 35-8 Class C match-up with Hawley.

The Friday Prep Bowl pairings include LeRoy-Ostrander vs. Cromwell (Nine-Man), 9:30 a.m.; Chatfield vs. Hawley (Class C), 12 noon; Kingsland vs. Breckenridge (Class B), 2:30 p.m.; Detroit Lakes vs. St. Peter (Class A), 5 p.m.; and Rochester Mayo vs. Stillwater (Class AA), 8 p.m.

Detroit Lakes edged Thief River Falls 21-20 in the Section 8A finals at the Fargodome back on Nov. 2 before adding state playoff wins over Delano and Northfield.

Brent Miller tops NCTC football awards

■ Sophomore runningback named to All-Region 13 squad

All-Region 13 honors won by Brent Miller highlighted the list of individual awards presented to members of the 1995 Northland Community and Technical College football team, it was announced this week by Pioneers coach Gene Klinke.

Miller, a sophomore runningback from Mahnomen, was also named First Team Minnesota Community College All-Northern Division, along with sophomore defensive lineman Scott Fowler of Thief River Falls and sophomore linebacker Brandon Baker of Miami, FL.

Pioneers named Second Team All-Northern Division were freshman linebacker John Davis, Thief River Falls; sophomore linebacker Josh Majerus, Red Lake Falls; freshman offensive lineman Werner Garcin, Miami; sophomore wide receiver Eric Hamre, Erskine; and sophomore defensive back James Zephyrin, Miami.

Team awards went to Baker, most valuable player and most valuable defensive player; Miller, most valuable offensive player; Fowler, most valuable defensive lineman; and Curtis Funk, a freshman from Red Lake Falls who was named the team's hardest worker and also received the Pioneer Coaches Award.

Davis, Funk, Garcia and Mason Thompson, a freshman runningback from Mahnomen, were named captains of the 1996 Pioneers, succeeding Miller, Baker, Brian Remick, a quarterback/defensive back from Red Lake Falls, and John Lee, a defensive lineman from Warroad.

Northland went 3-5 this fall. The Pioneers were 2-6 until an after-the-season announcement that Worthington was forfeiting all 1995 wins – including a 7-0 opening game decision over Northland – because of the use of an ineligible player.

That first-game Northland match-up with Worthington was followed by losses to Fergus Falls, Willmar, Mesabi, and Itasca before the Pioneers stunned unbeaten, nationally-ranked Vermilion 28-12. It was the only loss of the year for the eventual MCCC state champion Ironmen. Northland added a 34-0 win over Hibbing the following week, but after having been already eliminated from the state playoff picture, fell flat in a season-ending 26-6 loss to Central Lakes.

"It was very disappointing not being in the playoffs," said Klinke. "We've been accustomed to being in the playoffs the last couple of years."

Tough competition and a pile of mistakes led to the less-than-hoped-for results. "We had some good football players, but something just didn't jell as a team, and as the head coach, I have to take responsibility for that," offered Klinke.

But the Northland coaching staff is confident that Pioneers will be right back in the playoff picture in 1996. "We're positive about the whole situation," said Klinke. "We have a possibility of 31 returning sophomores next fall, and realistically we'll probably get about 25 of them. We have to go out and find the freshmen to go with them. We've got good people coming back, but we're looking for help at every position."

Key replacements will have to be found for Miller at runningback and for Remick and Eddie Fluerant, a sophomore from Miami, at quarterback. Size and depth are needed in the offensive line, the defensive line and at linebacker, according to Klinke.

The coaching staff is receiving plenty of recruiting help from the current Pioneers, who are selling Northland's academic and athletic programs to their hometown players, pointed out Klinke.

NCTC Rushing

	att	yds	ave
Brent Miller	151	759	5.0
Laurence Reid	30	135	4.5
Mason Thompson	34	111	3.3
Robert Carlson	14	56	4.0
Luke Anderson	32	56	1.8
Eddie Fluerant	34	37	1.1
Scott Lorenson	7	19	2.7
Eric Hamre	3	18	6.0
Brandon Baker	1	5	5.0
Keevney Watson	2	5	2.5
Jamie Wark	1	2	2.0
Brian Remick	15	-28	-.-
Totals	324	1175	3.8

NCTC Passing

	att	comp	yds	%	int
Eddie Fluerant	85	29	442	34	8
Brian Remick	11	1	6	09	2
Scott Lorenson	5	1	30	20	2
Brent Miller	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	102	31	479	30	12

NCTC Receiving

	recp	yds	ave
Eric Hamre	19	430	22.8
Brent Miller	5	6	1.2
Melvin Whitney	2	17	8.5
Luke Anderson	2	16	8.0
Kevin Stuckey	1	5	5.0
Jamie Wark	1	3	3.0
Laurence Reid	1	3	3.0
Totals	31	479	15.5

NCTC Scoring

	td	pat	pts
Brent Miller	5	4	38
Eric Hamre	5	0	30
Mason Thompson	3	0	18
Brandon Baker	2	0	12
Paul Barringer	2	0	12
Luke Anderson	1	0	5
Scott Fowler	1	0	6
Keevney Watson	0	1	2
Laurence Reid	0	1	2
Ela Anelegbe	0	2	2

NCTC Defensive Leaders

• Point totals - John Davis 143, Josh Majerus 141, Brandon Baker 134, Scott Fowler 122, John Lee 65, Paul Barringer 64.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Setter Construction	24	4
Rainbow Nursery	18	10
Gorseline Realty	17	11
Randall Electric	17	11
Wabeth Construction	16	12
Mabelly Dairy	14	14
Hartz Truck Line	14	14
Amoco 24	14	14
Mid. Riv. Community Club	13	15
Northwest Asphalt	8	15
B-H-R's	6	22
D-Team	8	22

High Game

Sheldon Nowacki	212
Dawn Wagner	204, 199
Diane Wagner	199
Sue Higginbotham	198
Mary Diaz	183

High Series

Dawn Wagner	186-190-204=470
Sheldon Nowacki	190-161-212=443
Bill Rasmussen	168-179-194=541
Diane Wagner	186-188-151=495
Jodi Gustafson	173-186-181=495
Cindy Vennes	143-166-169=478

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Bean's Bombers	17 1/2	6 1/2
Stompers	17 1/2	6 1/2
Hoots	15	8
Big Boys	15	10
Putters	15	10
Hogans Heroes	12 1/2	11 1/2
Bulls	12	12
Horns	12	12
Sheldon's Greaseballs	11 1/2	12 1/2
Alley Ratz	7	17
Stags	7	17
TNT's	4	20

High Game

Bob Bendickson	234
Steve Stone	222
Dave Olin	200
Billie Blankenfeld	199

High Series

Billie Blankenfeld	199-173-180=552
Tom Williams	175-193-180=548
Steve Stone	189-222-132=543
Bob Bendickson	158-234-144=536

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Family Bowl	46	31
Mr. Duane's	45	32
Busch Light	40	37
Farmer's Union	40	37
Pennington Square	33	44
Brodin's	27	50

High Game

Linda Johnson	179
Donna Mickelson	178
Roberta Kloety	178

High Series

Linda Johnson	179-178-166=523
Dollie Newland	152-167-155=474
Roberta Kloety	170-175-129=474

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	52	25
Northern Motors	50	27
Creative Clippers	46	31
Loeffler Agency	45	32
Arctco	44	33
Kwick Strip	34	43
Bud Ice	33	44
Team 66	4	73

High Game

Roberta Kloety	203
Dollie Newland	186
Ruth Weckwerth	183
Deb Pierce	121
Linda Olson	121

High Series

Dollie Newland	186-171-166=523
Roberta Kloety	136-203-170=509
Linda Olson	175-181-149=506
Deb Pierce	161-166-141=490

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Hutchy's Harem	28	12
Olin Law Office	26	14
Soap-N-Suds	29 1/2	14 1/2
Swanson Airgency	29	15
Red Lake Electric	24 1/2	15 1/2
9/90s	21	16
Larson	18	22
Styles By Amy	17	23
Northwest Asphalt	14	26

High Game

Eilene Hutchinson	202
Sheila Reich	184
Karen Wojchowski	182
Judy Evenson	179

High Series

Eilene Hutchinson	202-194-113=499
Judy Evenson	186-179-161=486
Sheila Reich	129-184-149=472
Donna Josephson	143-138-186=467

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Skalers	33	11
Tammy O's	29 1/2	15 1/2
Digi-Key	28	16
Material Girls	27	17
NW Medical Center	24	20
Imaging Plus	23	21
Farmers Union	22	22
Rusty Nail	18	26
Hill Trucking	18	26
Norwest	17 1/2	26 1/2
KTRF CAD's	17 1/2	26 1/2
NW Eye Center	17	27
Borsheim	17	27
Five Fles	16 1/2	27 1/2

High Game

Sharon Steuss	185
Sharon Odegaard	184
Deb Ernst	183
Kathy Bernard	183

High Series

Sharon Steuss	185-144-166=495
Peggy Berganev	175-193-150=491
Jan Thompson	167-186-159=484
Sharon Odegaard	146-151-184=475

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	15	0
Spare Parts	7	7
Classic Chevys	7	7
TR Salvage	6	8
Rick's Handyman Service	6	8
Four Fun	3	11

High Series

Ron Ray	210
Bromley Carr	207
Kendall Jensen	205
Polly Dehnert	208
Sharon Wold	121, 172

High Series

Ron Moen	201-121-178=558
Bromley Carr	207-140-202-549
Kendall Jensen	205-156-152=513
Sharon Wold	181-173-165=512
Polly Dehnert	132-169-206=507
Carol Moen	140-168-163=471

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	317 1/2	122 1/2
Wikstrom Telephone	239 1/2	190 1/2
Pennington Express	239	201
Germundson's Inc.	235 1/2	204 1/2
Kalinowski Construction	224 1/2	215 1/2
Thyren Auto	215 1/2	224 1/2
RV Sports	203 1/2	236 1/2
VFW	193	247
1st National Bank	166	274
No. Border Whse.	156	284

High Game

Al Baumgartner	246
Griff Newland	244
Ray Wagner	224
Kevin Melvie	224

High Series

Al Baumgartner	246-203-172-201=822
Griff Newland	159-214-244-202=819
Sheldon Peterson	191-215-220-168=794

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Amoco 24	33	11
Glass Farm	33	11
Auction-2-Sell	30	14
B & E Car Wash	23	21
Ace's Floor & Tile	12	32

High Game

Craig Peterson	257
Curt Gusewell	248
Dan Lindquist	234
Diane Peterson	197, 192
Dellie Newland	189

High Series

Craig Peterson	647
Paul Johnson	643
Dan Lindquist	640
Diane Peterson	540
Jan Olson	516
Dellie Newland	504

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Purdy's Shoe Store	7	0
S & S Espresso	5	2
Larson's Drywall	5	2
Phyllis's	2	5
Grygla Cafe	2	5
Olson's Auto	0	7

High Game

Deb Lorel	195
Sharon Wold	194
Sandy Johnson	189
Monica Swanson	167

High Series

Bonnie Blankenfeld	187-126-181=493
Sharon Wold	152-194-129=475
Sharon Loerzel	132-167-149=448
Monica Swanson	113-189-175=445

City League

	Wins	Losses
St. Hilaire Elevator	14	0
The Spot	12	2
FSA	10	4
Rick's Appliance	8	6
Milk & Cookies	8	6
Henson's Repair	7	7
Wilde Builders	6	8
Homark	4	10
MN/DOT	0	14

High Game

Arlen Sorum	229
Dan Kucera	208
Dwayne Duckworth	208

High Series

Dan Kucera	170-208-183=561
Irv Johnson	200-186-166=552
Dwayne Duckworth	176-167-206=549

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers Mutual	22	6
Peter's Backhoe	12	10
Glenn's Electric	17	11
Arctco, Inc.	14	14
Brooks Auto	13	15
Clip N'Tan	12	16
Firestone	10	18
Michelob	6	22

High Series

Chris Taylor	195-172-185=552
Griffin Newland	175-173-163=511
Lloyd Noreen	154-193-158=505
Mark Fuller	166-152-177=495
Janice Noreen	134-136-201=471
JoAnn Peters	139-159-165=463
Lucy Sylvester	133-156-153=442
Shawn Newland	146-148-139=433

City League Hockey to begin on Nov. 26

A seven-team Thief River Falls City League Hockey program will begin its 1995-96 season Nov. 26.

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Hypothermia, a life-threatening lowering of the body's core temperature, accounts for as many as 50 percent of all boating fatalities in the northern states. A float coat helps protect the victim from the effects of cold water until help arrives or the victim can climb back into the boat. Float coats can cost $120 or more, but are worth the expense for those who use their boat in the spring or fall, Smalley said. They also make great ice fishing and snowmobiling jackets.

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To enter, submit up to 20 original slides taken in Minnesota state parks of scenery, wildlife, flora, historic sites, or people enjoying outdoor recreation. Slides should be horizontal in format to best fit the calendar's format. Black-and-white or color prints are not acceptable.

Each slide should be labeled with the photographer's name, the name of the park in which the photo was taken, and the subject matter. Note the film speed, shutter speed and f-stop setting, and if a special filter was used.

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Safety tips are given for early snowmobilers

As the snow season settles in, snowmobiling enthusiasts are always anxious to get out on the trails. But the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources cautions that early season snowmobiling poses some added dangers.

DNR Safety Officer Tom Kjellberg said early season snowmobiling can be hazardous. "This time of year, snowmobilers need to be especially cautious crossing lakes and wetlands," Kjellberg noted. "Snow cover actually insulates thin ice and keeps water from freezing very thick. Ice needs to be at least five inches thick to support a snowmobile."

It's best to avoid crossing ice at all early in the season, said Tim Smalley, a DNR boat and water safety specialist. "Snowmobilers should never assume that ice is safe," Smalley said. "Our advice is to stay on the trails early in the season, and avoid traveling on ice at all until we have experienced sustained cold weather."

Kjellberg said there is another early season safety concern. "A light covering of snow doesn't shield snowmobilers from objects and unseen dangers as well as a good base will later in the season."

Excessive speed, alcohol and darkness are contributing factors in most snowmobiling fatalities in Minnesota, noted Kjellberg. Another factor is inexperience. Those new to the sport are encouraged by the DNR to take snowmobile safety training classes, offered statewide by a network of volunteers. For training class locations watch for announcements in the media or contact the local DNR conservation officer.

The DNR snowmobiling regulations booklet contains safety information. Additional publications about ice safety are also available free of charge. For those publication, call the DNR Information Center toll free at 1-800-766-6000.

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Winter Boat Storage

Winterizing a boat and motor is the most important maintenance a boat owner can perform, according to Minnesota Department of Natural Resources personnel.

"An hour or two spent putting a craft to bed will pay off next spring," said DNR boating safety specialist Tim Smalley.

Recommended procedures to help ensure safe boating next spring include:

■ Fill the fuel tanks and add the appropriate amount of stabilizer. Run the engine long enough to get treated gas into the fuel line and engine. Left untreated over the winter, gasoline deteriorates into varnish and gum, making starting difficult in the spring and possibly clogging the carburetor entirely.

■ Flush the cooling system. Remove block plugs and drain all water from engines. This is necessary to chase out accumulated sediment and rust flakes. Pump in antifreeze to avoid trapped ice pockets.

■ Unprotected cylinder walls can rust to the point of severe wall damage or outright seizing. To avoid this major expense, experienced boaters perform a rust preventing procedure called fogging. Available in bulk or aerosol cans, fogging oil is specially formulated to stick to the cylinder and not slide down the walls. Carefully follow the instructions, making certain to squirt some of the product into the cylinders through the spark plug holes after the engine has cooled down. Check the spark plugs and replace them if necessary.

■ Drain the oil, replace the oil filter and refuel the crankcase on inboard-outboards. Even a little trapped water can cause damage, especially if allowed to freeze.

■ Check the props for nicks. Even slight damage can hinder performance. Worse yet, blade damage can cause vibrations, damaging other engine parts or the drive system. Up to a point, dealers and prop shops can rebuild a prop for a fraction of the cost of a new one.

■ Store outboards in an upright position. Consider having the water pump impeller replaced every two or three years. The rubber legs get stiff, reducing water circulation, or they may break off completely, stopping coolant flow altogether.

■ Spray a moisture-displacing lubricant onto the terminals and fuse panel. Read the label to ensure the lubricant is safe for electrical use.

■ Inspect steering systems, including friction fittings on outboards; tighten if loose.

■ Clean the flame arrestor with carburetor cleaner on inboards and inboard-outboards.

■ Clean boats inside and out and cover when stored, even indoors. Allow for air circulation under the cover to prevent mildew.

■ Drain water from bilges and leave the transom drain plug out. Place a reminder note in a conspicuous place to avoid embarrassment at the boat ramp next spring.

■ Hang up personal floatation devices where they can air out.

■ Examine trailer tires and grease all bearings, replacing them as necessary. Check the electrical contacts both on the plugs as well as the light bulb contacts. Spray the contacts liberally with moisture displacing lubricant, and wrap tape around the plugs to help prevent corrosion.

■ Put the trailer on blocks and remove the tires to prolong tire life and hinder thieves.

■ If storing a boat outdoors, lock the trailer and remove a wheel to avoid theft.

Watersheds/fish populations

Main difference between lakes with good fishing and lakes with poor fishing is the quality of water entering those lakes. That's the conclusion of a recently completely study conducted by the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. The study, which looked at south-central Minnesota lakes, found a direct relationship between the type of fish that anglers catch and the size and use of the lake's watershed.

Researchers found that lakes with large, intensively cultivated watersheds – the area of land catching rainfall that drains into a lake – usually produce more undesirable fish such as black bullheads and carp. Lakes with smaller, forested watersheds contain more desirable species, such as sunfish, largemouth bass and northern pike.

"For years we've known about the strong linkages between the watersheds and fish populations," said Tim Cross, a fisheries research scientist at Hutchinson. "What this study does is take powerful information, such as extensive fish sampling data from the 1980s and the statewide database of land use, to build an even stronger case."

To understand the relationship between watersheds and fisheries of the 40 study lakes, fisheries biologists compared DNR fish population surveys with land use, soil types, watershed size, and other watershed characteristics. What they found didn't come as a surprise, but it verified an important assumption: lakes with large, intensely cultivated watersheds carry far more sediment and excess nutrients into lakes than do those with small, wooded watersheds. This creates murky lakes, favored by fish species that feed by smell, such as bullheads and carp. Species such as bass and bluegills, which rely on sight to defend their nests or to feed, don't do as well in the murky waters.

For example, Lake Charlotte in Wright County and Eden Lake in Stearns County are about the same size: 235 acres and 263 acres, respectively. Yet there the similarity ends. Charlotte is a clear lake with a small watershed (502 acres) of which only 52 percent is farmed. Eden Lake is murky, and sits within a massive watershed (24,421 acres), 76 percent of which is farmed.

And the fish populations in the two Lakes? You guessed it. Eden is packed with black bullheads. Charlotte has mostly northern pike and bluegills.

Though Cross admits there's still plenty that fisheries managers don't know about how watersheds affect fisheries – for example, the effects of the federal Conservation Reserve Program on farmland lakes – the recent studies makes one thing clear: fish populations reflect the surrounding landscape, that's important information, said Jack Skrypek, DNR Fisheries Section chief.

"The results of this study and previous research on watersheds and fish species affects how we manage the state's fishing lakes, Skrypek said. "They show that when the DNR manages a fishery, it has to take into account the watershed surrounding that fishery."

That's why the DNR currently reviews public and private land drainage and water diversion practices to find ways to prevent them from damaging the function and quality of water systems. Fisheries managers also encourage good land stewardship and provide technical expertise to landowners and municipalities looking for land-use practices that do less harm to fish populations.

Star News

Saturday, Elva Fiedler and Elода Knutson were among others that attended the Delta Gamma luncheon at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and dinner and supper guests on Sunday at the Jean Johnson home.

Sunday, Mrs. Eddy Stucy visited at the Joe and Cinda Lasteo home in Thief River Falls.

June Johnson attended the Star Homemakers held at the Ekelund Lutheran church on Monday afternoon.

Patty Smeby of Thief River Falls was an overnight guest on Friday at the Larry Kotrba home.

Visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Henford Roisland home was Leslie Iverson.

Saturday, Marlin Kotrba was a visitor and coffee guest at the Norman Kriel home.

Shirley Johnsrud visited with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls. Later Mrs. Tim Lundeen was a caller at the Bonnie Johnsrud home that afternoon.

George Ness of Gully was a caller on Monday at the Obert Hovet home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the 80th Birthday party for Clara Radniecki held at the Senior Center in Oklee. Happy Birthday Clara!

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sattad of Grygla were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday afternoon at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Monday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Kelly Dahlen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday afternoon at the Elva Fiedler home.

David Sjulested and Denny Johnsrud left on Friday for Williston, ND to hunt pheasant. While there David and Denny Stayed with Lea Gunlickson. David and Denny also visited with Shirley and Bruce Waggley in Williston, ND.

One day during the week Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rubischko were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Wednesday, Max Stucy was a visitor at the Eddy Stucy home.

Jason Kotrba was a brief caller at the Larry Kotrba home on Thursday.

During the week Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Norman Kriel home.

Tim Lundeen visited with his dad Merle Lundeen on Saturday. Later that day Tim Lundeen was a visitor at the Perry Lundeen home.

Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel, Mrs. Obert Hovst and Dennis and Bobby Johnsrud were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Mrs. David Sjulastad and Adam and Mrs. Ricky Bjerklie and Emily visited and had coffee with Gerald Sjulestad on Sunday afternoon.

Friday after school Katie Anderson left for Lutheran league retreat to Bemidji. Katie also spent the night in Bemidji returning home on Saturday night.

Those who attended a product party at the Elva Fielder home on Friday night were Agnes Eidelbes, Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes and Michelle, Mrs. Eddy Stucy, June Johnson, Elode Knutson, Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud and Dorlene Helvorson.

Friday, Kelsey Johnsrud was an overnight guest at the Gene Marquis home.

Tim Lundeen and Shirley Johnsrud were visitors with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were lunch guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Leonard Johnson and Leslie Iverson were visitors and dinner guests on Thursday at the Vernon Iverson home.

Saturday visitors and coffee guests at the Ronnie Kotrba home were Larry Kotrba and Nicky.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were visitors on Sunday at the Aldon Hyland home.

Monday afternoon, Elva Fiedler attended Star homemakers at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

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Kevin Olson convicted of sex crime

An emotional plea of a distraught mother concluded the last elements of a criminal sexual conduct case against Kevin Andreas Olson Monday.

Olson, 34, Thief River Falls, was accused of criminal sexual conduct with a three-year old girl. In an emotional appeal, the mother said she had left her daughter for only a few moments and Olson took away her security and innocence. She said her daughter suffers with that memory and is afraid of darkness and every man, other than her father and grandfather. She asked that he be put away for a long, long time.

Prior to the mother's statement in court, Pennington County Assistant County Attorney Alan Rogalla read a victim's impact statement and a request by the victim's mother, asking that the law be enforced as much as possible and to use Olson as an example to other sex offenders.

Rogalla asked for the maximum amount of time, that a DNA sample for the sex offender list be taken, and that Olson not have any contact with the mother or victim, or any unsupervised contact with any child under the age of 16.

The case was complicated in that, as Public Defender Don Aandal explained, Olson suffered from a long history of mental illness and chemical dependency. He added that the sentencing guidelines for this offense were among the toughest of any offense in Minnesota. He said there was no reason for the judge to go outside the sentencing guidelines.

Olson's mumbled comments on his own behalf included that he had a drinking problem.

Judge Dennis Murphy said that a lot of people have a drinking problem but do not commit the kind of crimes Olson did.

Murphy accepted Olson's plea of guilty to criminal sexual conduct in the second degree, and sentenced Olson to 26 months in prison, two-thirds or 17 and one-half months to be served in prison, and eight and two-thirds on supervised release. In following the sentencing guidelines, the prison sentence however, was stayed and Olson was placed on 25 years of probation, and ordered to serve one year in jail without Huber privileges or STS. Judge Murphy said he wanted the experience to match prison as much as possible. Several other conditions were added to the sentence, such as a requirement to register his address and notify agencies of any change of address, enter the sex offender treatment program, give a DNA sample for the sex offender list, no alcohol or drugs, a psychological evaluation, participation in AA, no unsupervised contact with any child under the age of 18, no contact with the family or victim unless as a result of therapy, pay the cost of counseling and treatment for the victim, participate in the polygraph program and reimburse the county for conducting the polygraph.

To buy or not to buy, that is the question. Whether it is better to purchase while the mood is right, or to shop for something else and return to find the item sold. Apologies to Shakespeare, but many persons visiting craft shows in Thief River Falls Saturday, November 18, faced that dilemma.

Assault reports listed in LEC investigations

Several domestic incidents resulting in charges of assault were reported during the past weekend.

Assault. On November 17 at 11:15 p.m. police were called to a local lounge regarding an assault. Robert Ellsworth Rowley Jr., 31, St. Hilaire, was cited for fifth degree assault.

On November 18 at 9:10 a.m. police were called to a residence in the 400 block of South Kendall. Cited for fifth degree assault was Michael Duane-Noel, 38, Thief River Falls.

On November 19 at 12:15 a.m. police were called to a residence in the 2000 block of East Greenwood. Two individuals were fighting. Arrested for fifth degree assault was Bruce Allen Dietrich, 24, Ely.

On November 19 at 12:10 p.m. police were called to the 800 block of North LaBree. Arrested for fifth degree assault was Ronnie Robert Anderson, 20, Thief River Falls.

On November 17 at 9:18 a.m. sheriff's department received a call from a young girl in Country Estates. Arrested for gross misdemeanor fifth degree assault was Oreg Rendy Johnson, 33, Thief River Falls.

Arrested. On November 18 at 2:16 a.m. East Grand Forks police department arrested Daniel James Nygord, 18, Grand Forks, for Thief River Falls in connection with a felony warrant for burglary in the second degree and felony theft. The charges stem from a burglary on the 28th of September in Numedal township at Carpenter's Corner.

Driving while intoxicated. On November 19 at 1:47 a.m. Minnesota state highway patrol brought in Christopher Lee Rux, 22, Thief River Falls, on charges of driving while intoxicated.

On November 19 at 2:38 a.m. a sheriff's deputy arrested Roger Alan Stoltman, 31, Thief River Falls, for aggravated driving while intoxicated and refusal to submit to testing.

Thefts. Pennington county sheriff's department has issued several citations for issuance of worthless checks: Deanna Marie Robinson, 27, Red Lake Falls, $442.04; Denise Kays Nissen, 21, Middle River, $247.70; Jeri Lynn Pederson, 28, Warroad, $37.32; Donovan Donald Harry Thronson, 25, Hibbing, $42; DeNae Marian Tayler, 22, Cass Lake, $101.68; Lorne Miller, 33, Thief River Falls, $79.95; Jose Anotonio Lopez, 30, Thief River Falls, $190.79; Brian V. St. George, 20, Benton, IA, $99.99; Jodi Lynn Schilling, 26, Warroad, $80.89; Timothy Miles Smith, 30, St. Hilaire, $35; Christopher Allen Keller, 23, Shelly, $88.88; Michael Joseph Sailer, 38, Gilbert, $125.

Consumption under age. On November 18 at 12:01 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped an individual at Highlanding township dance. Eric Bruce Halbert, 20, Thief River Falls, was cited for consumption under age.

Burglary. On November 21 at 8:20 a.m. an employee of Subway reported that they had had a break-in. The incident happened sometime last night. Entry was gained through a window. Taken was about $870 in cash and checks. The incident is still under investigation.

One-vehicle roll over Friday near St. Hilaire

No one was injured in a one-car roll over south of St. Hilaire Friday evening, but the driver, Shane Underdahl of Thief River Falls, was cited for driving while intoxicated.

Minnesota state patrol received a report of a one-vehicle roll over one-half mile south of St. Hilaire on Highway 32 at about 11:25 p.m. Friday, November 17. According to the accident report, Shane Underdahl, 22, Thief River Falls, was driving a 1992 Chevrolet S-10 pickup north on Highway 32 when the vehicle went into the ditch and rolled. There was extensive damage to the pickup. Underdahl was cited for driving while intoxicated.

Fire damages Northland Village apartment Monday

Firefighters dragged a smoldering mattress out of a Northland Village apartment Monday. Fire Chief Dave Bjorkman said he suspects juveniles playing with matches caused the fire.

Thief River Falls fire department received a report of a fire at about 4:08 p.m. Monday, November 20. Chief Bjorkman said a mattress was on fire in one of the individual apartments. He said the owner knocked down the flames with some water. Nevertheless, there was smoke and heat damage to the apartment. No one was injured in the fire, which was also contained to a single unit. He said the mattress was dragged outside and the apartment aired out.

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Mark Anderson and Mike Huss of Minneapolis came on Friday to spend the weekend at the Lorraine Wetne home to hunt deer. Mark and Mike were also supper guests at the Lorraine Wetne home that evening.

Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie were among others that had coffee together at the Terry Anderson home.

Visitors and coffee guests on Tuesday night at the Merle Naeseth home were Dee Naeseth of Thief River Falls, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson. They also visited with JoAnn Naeseth and Megan houseguests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Elva Fiedler left on Saturday for Sleepy Eye to visit at the Clara Hudson home. Then on Saturday night Elva Fiedler, Clara Hudson and Dennis went to visit at the Sue and Shane Hinderman home in Sleepy Eye. They also helped Jacob Hinderman celebrate his 6th birthday. Happy Birthday Jacob! Then on Sunday Clara Hudson and Dennis and Elva Fiedler, Joe and Joyce Neid, Karen and Jim Ziegler, Sue and Shane Hinderman and family all went out to eat in Sleepy Eye in honor of Clara Hudson's 85th birthday. After they had their meal Elva, Clara, Dennis, Karen and Jim, Sue and Shane and family went over to the Joyce and Joe Neid home for birthday cake. Clara also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Clara! Elva Fiedler returned home on Monday night.

Monday, Gary Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Dale Anderson and Katie visited and had coffee with Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes.

Visitors and supper guests on Sunday at the Norman Kriel home were Roger Kriel, Ryan Kriel and Steve Kriel.

Andrea Marquis spent the evening on Sunday visiting with Katie at the Dale Anderson home. Then later that evening Corey Marquis was a caller at the Dale Anderson home and later Andrea returned home with Corey.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest on Tuesday with her Grandmother Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Saturday morning, Gary Johnson was a visitor and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Adeline Pravost of Oklee visited with Rose Aaknas on Saturday forenoon. They also took in the Mt. Olive Sunday school bake sale at the Mall in Gully. On Saturday forenoon, they had dinner at the Joyce Cafe in Trail.

Judy Seyller and children and Marvel and Virginia Fletaland who all worked at the Mt. Olive Sunday school bake sale at the Gully Mall in Gully on Saturday forenoon. Thanks for the good job you did.

Wayne Bakke of Gonvick took Rose Aaknes to the Clinic at Bagley on Wednesday forenoon.

Adeline Pravost of Oklee visited with Rose Aaknes on Tuesday.

Darlene Elsbrener, rural Trail, picked up her mother, Rose Aaknes on Wednesday forenoon to Oklee. They had dinner at the Cafe in Oklee with Al and Vi Redniecki, Adeline Provost and Lillian Tanem. They also were luncheon guests with Al and Vi Redniecki.

DNR cases listed in County Citation disposition report

Citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin this week included cases from the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

Minnesota department of natural resources: Chad Michael Schultz, Red Lake Falls, 24, open bottle/passenger, $157.50; Thomas Howard Gregory, Minnetonka, 20, transporting an uncased firearm, $78; Robbie Randell Schultz, Red Lake Falls, 21, uncased, unloaded firearm, $78.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Donald Lee Learn, Jr., Red Lake Falls, 22, illegal use of plates, expired; no current registration, $279, 15 days in jail stayed for one year; Steve Todd Storhaug, Thief River Falls, 34, over tandem weight 5,700 pounds, $382.50; Jason Lee Dybedahl, Thief River Falls, 25, seat belt, $47.25; John Edward Heusner, Mahnomen, 33, 69/55, $76; James Edward Hogenson, Grand Forks, ND, 35, 65/55, $64.50; Patrick Charles McCormack, Battle Lake, 41, 65/55, $64.50; Gary Lynn Schmidt, Cloquet, 39, 65/55, $64.50; Richard Allen Strom, Spokane, WA, 37, 72/55, $87.50; Brenda LeeAnne Kecton, Becker, 33, 65/55, $64.50; Kyle Orlando Nelson, Oklee, 19, seat belt, $47.25; Lloyd Dale Anderson, Hoople, ND, 72, 65/55, $65; Troy Allen Blumhagen, Drake, ND, 27, 65/55, $64.50; Clark Michael Compton, Cheboygan, MI, 28, 68/55, $76.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Dan Jay Klopp, Thief River Falls, 18, minor in consumption, $37.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Conrad Dale Bourman, Thief River Falls, 23, issuance of worthless checks, $147.50, $950.74 restitution, 60 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Aaron Paul Furuseth, Northome, 16, 66/55, $76; Kristene Myrtle Hawk, Drayton, ND, 24, issuance of dishonored checks, $162.50, $110 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Tami Ann Inman, Middle River, 23, furnishing alcohol to minors, $267.50, 10 days in jail stayed for six months, placed on unsupervised probation for six months; Andrew James Kermen, Fosston, 35, 76/55, $99.

David Allen Lebitz, Thief River Falls, 25, 68/55, $76; Donny Ramirez, Thief River Falls, 18, minor in consumption, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Joylana Marie Beach, St. Cloud, 20, issuance of dishonored checks, $152.50, $115 restitution; Joylana Marie Beach, St. Cloud, 20, issuance of dishonored checks, $152.50, $100 restitution; Ryan Paul Duchem, Waunaske, 19, 75/55, $87.50; Daniel Ray Johnson, Grand Forks, ND, 23, issuance of dishonored checks, $142.50, $30 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Adam Christopher Killian, Plummer, 20, issuance of dishonored checks, $152.50, $80.10 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months; Scott Matthew Lorenson, Thief River Falls, 18, minor in consumption, $87.50; Mark Alan Bruggeman, Thief River Falls, 49, aggravated driving while intoxicated, $1,020, 120 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Rodney Melvin Nissen, Thief River Falls, 33, escape from custody, one year in jail with all but six months stayed for two years, to be served concorrently with other charges, placed on unsupervised probation for two years.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Devon Richard Grandbois, St. Hilaire, 21, no current registration, $51.50; Von Marvin Hutchinson, Thief River Falls, 27, no seat belt, $47.25; Craig Kenneth McMillen, Inver Grove Heights, 27, 41/30, $76; Sharon Kay Olson, Thief River Falls, 55, expired registration, $41.50; Jeremy Michael Ray, Thief River Falls, 18, 44/30, $76; Ryan Allan Ulrich, Red Lake Falls, 18, exhibition driving, $64.50; Dennis Jerome Prante, West Fargo, ND, 56, failure to stop at red light, $76; Derrell Shar Sams, Thief River Falls, 21, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Rory Glenn Wallestad, Thief River Falls, 30, fifth degree assault, $267.50, 90 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for one year; Seri Allyne Westerman, Thief River Falls, 42, no seat belt, $47.25;

Craig Allen Ellis, Thief River Falls, 38, fifth degree assault, $267.50, 60 days in jail stayed for one year; James J. Engvall, Thief River Falls, 43, espired registration, $47.25; Christopher Lee Green, Thief River Falls, 18, fifth degree assault, $267.50, 15 days in jail stayed for one year; Darla Rae Jenson, Fosston, 24, no current registration, no proof of insurance, $324, 15 days in jail stayed for one year; Gilmar Araceli Moria, Thief River Falls, 25, 50/35, $87.50; Michael Anthony Lupton, Orlando, FL, 25, 40/30, $64.50; Delvia Willis Potucek, Warren, 63, failure to yield, $122.50; Gerry Bryan Reed, Warroad, 19, 43/30, $76; Christopher Scott Reller, Little Fork, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Michelle Marie Vadnais, Thief River Falls, 23, 43/30, $76;

Eric Joseph Dahl, Thief River Falls, 19, driver allowing open bottle, $180; Chad Harold Dyrdahl, Thief River Falls, 19, open bottle/passenger, $180; Johanna Ann Ellis, Thief River Falls, 28, fifth degree assault, $267.50, 60 days in jail stayed for one year; Justin Allen Erickson, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21, $87.50; Elvis Aron Presley Hanson, Thief River Falls, 21, stop sign violation, $76; Sara Jane Johnson, Roseau, 19, disobeyed a stop sign, $122.50; Robert Lee Anderson, Thief River Falls, 27, furnishing alcohol to persons under 21, $507.50, 120 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Kim Allison Efteland, Thief River Falls, 23, theft over $200, $147.50, $289.29 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Daniel Clay Lavalier, Thief River Falls, 20, controlled substance crime in the fifth degree, $987.50, five years supervised probation; Joyce Adele Waale, Karlstad, 35, felony theft, $750, supervised probation for five years, community service for 40 hours; Rory Glenn Wallestad, Thief River Falls, 30, criminal damage to property, $500 restitution, one year in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years, 30 days.

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The Second Sectio..

Preservation Alliance of Minnesota presented the city of Thief River Falls, the Depot Preservation Committee and Don Stewart of Thief River Falls an award for their work in preserving the Soo Depot. Pictured above with the award, are from left: Mayor Robert Reeve, Dave Strong, co-chairman of the Depot Preservation Committee, and Don Stewart, community development director.

Top college jazz band to present free concert

The award-winning and highly rated Jazz Ensemble I from the University of Wisconsin—Eau Claire will present a free concert Tuesday, November 28, at 7 p.m. in the Lincoln high school auditorium in Thief River Falls.

Lincoln high school jazz band under the direction of Bruce Fell will open the evening's entertainment.

"Jazz Ensemble I is one of the finest college jazz ensembles in the region and probably in the country," Fell said. "We would love to see the auditorium filled for the performance, and have sent letters to music instructors throughout a wide area, inviting them and their students to attend."

Director of the UW group is Robert Baca, who has been guest clinician twice at instrumental music clinics in Thief River Falls.

During the past five years the band has toured throughout Europe and the Pacific Rim, presenting performances at the Montreux Jazz Festival, The Graz International Music Festival and the People's Republic of China. It was the first jazz band to visit the latter country since reopening to the Western world 11 years ago and probably since 1949.

The year's tour included a six week tour of split performances with Englishman's premier college jazz ensemble, the Trinity Jazz Orchestra under the direction of Bobby Lamb.

The Wisconsin ensemble's first two CDs entitled "Jazz in Clear Water" and "Jazz in Clear Water—In Transit" were released to critical acclaim by the jazz community. The third, released in early October, is entitled "Jazz In Clear Water—Brilliant Corners."

A review by Bob Protzman in the *St. Paul Pioneer Press* this October stated: "These musicians are undergraduates? Wow! This terrifically polished 18-member ensemble...is a product of the UW—Eau Claire's jazz studies program, which has had an excellent, widespread reputation for nearly three decades.

"It's not uncommon to hear similarly precise college/university bands, with lots of fine section playing. But most fall short when it comes to soloists. Not so this outfit. There are some exceptionally mature and gifted soloists here."

Director Baca is Associate Professor of Trumpet and Director of Jazz Studies at the University of Wisconsin—Eau Claire. His professional background includes touring as a member of the Frank Sinatra orchestra, the Buddy Rich Big Band, Mel Torme, Tony Bennett, Charlie Antolini, Pat Zabba and Andy Williams orchestras. He has performed with the Milwaukee Symphony, Phillip Morello's Plymouth Music Series Orchestra and the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

Turkey shoot winners named

Four winners earned $25 in cash, eight earned $10 and 33 received certificates for turkeys in the Turkey Shoot contest retail promotion sponsored by *The Times* and *Northern Hunter*.

Listed are the winners drawn at random and drawn at the Pennington county courthouse basement Thursday evening, November 16, for a chance to toss a dart and increase their winnings. Those who didn't were sent a turkey certificate in the mail.

Store winners included the following with those not listed with dollar amounts receiving certificates redeemable for turkeys (all are from Thief River Falls unless otherwise noted):

All Seasons Realty, Emery Hoiten; J. C. Penney, Ned Bledsoe, $10; Fleet Supply, Paul Schell; Viking, Eff's Market, Mabel Anderson, $10; McDonald's, Dave Ayers; Ekeren Drug, Gladys Reindal; Wanda's Flower & Gift Shoppe, Ruben Olson and Tacko Jokes, Sandy Carlson.

Ace Hardware, Marvin Oil Co., Mark Hoiten; Trotch, Cambridge, $25; Peter Pumpes, Fred Kullman; Champs Sporting Goods, Kasen Mueller; Dugg Insurance, Roger Sickert, $10; Sheldon's Used Auto Parts, Kathy Benson, $10; D&J Radio, Lawrence McKenzie; Medicine Shoppe, Diane Molstad; and Purdy's Shoe Store, Jackie Helm, $10.

Also Pennington Square, Lois Peterson; Mr. & Mrs. Becky Sapp; Fountain of Jewels, Chris Kourtney; Laundryland; Dale Kourtney; Stradquist; Aid Association for Lutherans, Vivian Berkey, $25; Creative Clippers, Nancy Fellman; Pizza Hut, Judy Sira, Argyle, $10; Cathy Belmont Interiors, Ben Kleinwachter, Stradquist; and Holiday, Mae Nelson.

Also Sheers, Chuck Tuthill; Super Value, Delores Mickelson, Goodridge; Sears, Gladys DeBoyer, $10; Harders, Judy Sira, Argyle; Jewel Box, David Sheridan, $25; S&S Espresso, Judd Nelson, Lancaster; Falls Liquor, Ray Hapka; Best Western, Joan Molstad; Pennington County Abstract Co., Robert Spurlock; and The Times, Scott Sheridan, $25.

Also Tunberg Motor Co., Joan C. Nelson, $10; Paint & Glass Interiors, Monica Novak, Brooke; Falls Book Store, Lloyd Wagner, Middle River; Pennington Main, Wendy Lehrer; Danny's Pizza, Shirley Vonke; First National Bank, Eva Anderson; Evergreen Eating Emporium, Gayle Wasie; Pine to Prairie Art Gallery, Lilli Lund; Electronics Plus; Mike Stien; and Hugh's, Bluish Goodie, Goodridge.

Arts council has openings listed

Arts Council of the Northwest Regional Development Commission has openings for four new members to serve three-year terms, effective immediately, as recommended by the council from Pennington, Polk and Norman counties.

The council meets six times a year and advises the commission on arts policy. Recommendations on granting funds for arts activities are made by the council to the RDC Arts Programming such as the Arts Partnership program for high school students is also provided by the council.

For more information, contact Mara Lande at the NWRDC office in Warren or call 218-745-6733 or 1-800-646-2240 or contact the county auditor's office in any of the counties listed.

Polk gets grant for waste plant

Polk county will be processing waste more effectively with the addition of an "up-front materials handling facility" at the county's solid waste resource recovery plant in Fosston, according to the Minnesota Office of Environmental Assistance (OEA).

The county has been awarded a $675,000 grant from the OEA to add the separation facility, which will support removal of problem materials such as scrap metals, small appliances, car parts and glass prior to incineration.

Owned and operated by Polk county, the plant serves the counties of Polk, Beltrami, Clearwater, Mahnomen and Norman. It is the home of the Minnesota's first waste-to-energy (WTE) generating station in the form of steam, which is utilized by local food processors.

The additional facility was deemed necessary due to the steady rise in the amount of waste being delivered to and processed at the Fosston facility. Anticipated benefits include increased capacity for burnable materials, extended life of the landfill and solid waste facility, resource recovery and a reduction in greenhouse gas emissions.

The expansion does not constitute a replacement of other source separation programs, the OEA said. The overall integrated solid waste management system of all the counties is designed to reduce the dependence on and practice of land disposal at the Polk county landfill.

Other components of the system include source-separated recycling and waste composting, household hazardous waste management and problem waste materials handling. It is essential that each component be fully supported to ensure that the overall system operates at the most efficient, environmentally-effective manner, the OEA added.

Polk county received the grant through OEA's solid waste processing facilities capital assistance program, a bond-funded program set up by the state legislature to help cities and counties finance the capital costs of environmentally-sound solid waste management facilities.

Session on diabetes at RLF

"The Latest Trends in Diabetes" is the topic for a program to be presented by Dr. Brosseau of Grand Forks Clinic and Dr. Nelson of Red Lake Falls Clinic Thursday, November 30, from 7 to 8 p.m. in the community hall in Red Lake Falls.

The session is for anyone who has diabetes or an interest in diabetes and time will be allowed for participants to ask questions following the presentation. Sponsorship is through the Red Lake County Health Promotion Coalition and Diabetes Today press.

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Star Community News

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Sunday afternoon visitors and coffee guests at the Tim Lundeen home were Mrs. Dale Lundeen and family and Jeff Lundeen.

Monica Johnson was an overnight guest with her grandmother Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Monday night.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen were visitors at the Merle Lundeen home.

Mrs. David Syvestad had coffee on Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes.

Wednesday Shirley Johnerud was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Mrs. Dary Johnson, Joanna and Kyle were visitors and dinner guests along with other relatives at the Ron Philipp home in Thief River Falls. They also helped Mrs. Ron Philipp celebrate her birthday. Then later they all attended the bridal shower for Jennifer Nelson.

Tuesday Norman Kriel was a visitor and coffee guest at the Vernon Iverson home.

Steven Weber spent the weekend at the Tim Lundeen home deer hunting.

Monday Dale Anderson was a visitor and dinner guest at the Leonard Johnson home.

Visitors and supper guests on Sunday at the Merle Naeseth home were Dean Naeseth of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Naeseth.

Tuesday afternoon Vernon Iverson was a visitor and coffee guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Shirley Johnerud and Aaron Chervestad were visitors and had dinner with Bonnie Johnerud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Tuesday visitors and dinner guests at the Leonard Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rutherford.

Jean Johnson and Michelle were overnight guests on Wednesday at the Merle Naeseth home.

The sewing group that met at the Betty Troska home on Thursday afternoon were Elva Fiedler, Elada Knutson and Mrs. Clayton Johnerud.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest on Saturday with her Grandmother Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

One night during the week Alvin Sunsdahl and Roy of Salol were visitors and coffee guests at the David Syvestad home.

Wednesday night Mrs. Clarence Johnson called and visited by phone with Mrs. Verne Holthusen of Thorhult.

Jean Johnson and Jessica were visitors and coffee guests on Friday night at the Allen Hauk home.

Thursday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Leslie Iverson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Dahlen and Cole were visitors and coffee guests on Saturday forenoon at the Leonard Johnson home.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson, Marsha Jorde and Richard Vicente of Thief River Falls were visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home.

Bob Johnson of Andover called and visited by phone with his mother Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Thursday night.

Those who spent the weekend at the Agnes Eidelbes home deer hunting were Hank Kuznia and Chad of Coon Rapids, and two friends Mike of Bemidji and Gary of Minneapolis.

Travis Kotrba of Crookston spent the weekend visiting with his parents the Ronnie Kotrba's.

Sunday afternoon, Clayton Johnerud was a visitor at the Roger Nelson home.

Those who celebrated their birthdays together on Friday night at the Jim Johnson home were Jenny and Katie Johnson. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Downs, Heather, Alisha and Tyler, Shonda Anderson, Michelle and Monica Johnson, Bill Kennel and Mrs. Clarence Johnson along with their parents Jim and Lois and sisters Elizabeth and Christine. A big supper was served in their honor and later two decorated birthday cakes and ice cream were served. Jenny and Katie also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Katie and Jenny!

Saturday afternoon, Renae Jensen and Aaron of Thief River Falls were visitors at the Gene Marquis home.

Shirley Johnerud visited at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee on Monday morning.

Sunday evening, Renae Walsh of Alaska and a friend Jeff were visitors at the Merle Naeseth home. Renae also visited with JoAnn Naeseth houseguest at her parents home. JoAnn and Renae went to college together in Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba enjoyed the lutefisk supper served by the Grace Lutheran church at the Community Center in Grygla on Saturday evening.

Church Directory

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
121 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rohlfing, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
Galen & Marcia Sylvester, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Wednesday, Nov. 22— Soup/Pie at Redeemer at 5:30 p.m.; Thanksgiving worship at Redeemer at 7 p.m.; Thanksgiving worship at 7:30 p.m. at Black River.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m. and No Sunday School: Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school is followed by worship service.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Gary Johnson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Richard Lundgren, Interim Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4718
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. - Joy 4 Kids Children's church; Sunday school (Ages 2-Adult) at 9:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Wednesday, Nov. 22— Thanksgiving Eve service at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9 a.m.; Baptismal reception at 11:30 a.m.

PRECIOUS SEED BAPTIST CHURCH
Independent
1007 County Road 62, Thief River Falls
Bob Weatherbury, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Evening services at 7 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Nondenominational
Highway 1 East, Rt. 3 Box 11A, Thief River Falls
Curtis Jacobson, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 9-3 • 681-2285
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

ST. BERNARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
105 Knight Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Father Joe DeCrane, Pastor
Father Tim Bushy, Associate Pastor
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Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

CHURCH ON THE MOVE
1563 Highway 59 Southeast, Thief River Falls
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Curtis O. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sich, Associate
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TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
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ST. PAULI LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
County Road 20 South of rural Thief River Falls
Terri Jo Skildum, Pastor
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Wednesday, Nov. 22— Joint Thanksgiving service at 7:30 at Calvary.
Saturday, Nov. 25— Open house at the parsonage in honor of 5 years of service from 3-5 p.m.
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Water Street, St. Hilaire
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George Davis, Pastor
Phone: 681-7705 Church 681-5462 Office
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

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Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

SILVERTON LUTHERAN CHURCH
Silverton Township, Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Office 681-5482
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Worship Services – Bethania: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.
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Diamonds and Designs celebrated last week with a ribbon cutting ceremony. The new jewelry store opened November 1 next to Ekeren Drug in Thief River Falls. Four employees handle a wide variety of jewelry, watches and other gifts, most of which are made in the United States. Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors showed up to congratulate the new owner LeeAnn Nelson. Pictured from left are: Jim Bilx, chamber ambassador, Bob Bergen, executive vice president of the chamber, LeeAnn Nelson, Rochelle Anderson, and Rick Gustafson, chamber ambassador.

Highlanding News

Margie Coan
378-4351

Saturday, Gertie Haugen drove to Grygla where Gertie visited with her brothers Ole and Targie Nesland later Gertie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Askeland at their apartments in Grygla. Later Gertie took in the Lutfisk supper served by the Grace Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jansen, Janice Peterson, Hilda Hoffman enjoyed supper with Bill and Olive Rehm on Tuesday evening in honor of their 59th Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations and Best Wishes to both of you!

Afternoon coffee guests on Sunday at the Ernie Swenson home were Mr. and Mrs. Royal Knutson of Ada, Al and Deb Swanson, Kari, Aaron and Michael.

Margie Coan and granddaughter Megan Culkins of Brooklyn Park visited on Saturday afternoon with Inga Coan at Valley Home.

Dartle Haugen visited with Oliver and Edna McNelly on Sunday afternoon in Thief River Falls.

Judy Shurtz of Oakdale, CA, Susan Hoffman of Nashville, TN, Hilda Hoffman were recent Sunday evening supper guests at the Bill Rehm home.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Ernie Swanson attended the Women of E.L.C.A. meeting and program held on Thank offering gifts at the Faith Lutheran church.

Dartle Haugen visited with Inga Coan, Tillie Nesland, Lilloha Anderson, Dulda Knutson at the Valley Home in Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. Gary Bruggemen was a Sunday coffee guest and visitor with Trudy Hyland.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Culkins, Jonas and Megan of Brooklyn Park spent opening weekend of hunting season at the Robert and Deanna Coan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson returned home on November 1st after spending one week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Micky Zimmerman and family at Reno, NV. While there Ernie and Lois also attended the confirmation of their granddaughter Shannon held at the Faith Lutheran church of Reno, NV on October 29th.

Russ and Thelma Culkins, Megan Culkins and Margie Coan were Saturday afternoon coffee guests with Adeline Nelson in Thief River Falls. The guests also enjoyed birthday cake with Adeline. Happy Birthday to you Adeline!

Marcia Culkins, Megan of Brooklyn Park, Deanna Coan, Michelle Coan and Margie Coan enjoyed shopping and supper together on Saturday in Grand Forks. Later they all visited with Michelle and Paul.

Ardon Anderson of Princeton was a houseguest during the hunting season at the Wally Anderson home.

Judy Ruslan visited on Sunday evening with Margie Coan.

Mrs. Ernie Swanson attended the Pennington County Homemakers Leaders Meeting held at the Home of Joe Ose.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Culkins, Jonas and Megan of Brooklyn Park spent the weekend in the area. Brian also did deer hunting with Roger, Robert and Kenny Coan and Mitchell Smsky and RoxAnn Flateland.

Debbie Raca, Kristen, Brittany of Hatton, ND visited over the weekend during deer hunting at the Wally and Darlene Anderson home.

Saturday evening, visitors at the John Hoffman home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marquette of Moorhead, Kim Lapage, girls, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Marquette and Katie of St. Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Odette, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Kellogg and Kristen of Peru, MA, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hoffman, Alissa and Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hoffman, Larry Foster of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Jagal of Iron, Andy, Rose, Shari Vagal, Alec and Johnnie were houseguests and enjoyed the hunting season over the weekend at the Joe Jagal home.

Jeanette Hoffman visited with Mable Paulson on Monday. Mable is a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. We all wish Mable a speedy get well.

Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Mrs. Dorothy Myhre hosted a special dinner in honor of Chet Brown with Chet and Lorraine Brown and Eleanore Hodgson of Red Lake Falls, and Adelaid Haas of Mentor on Friday evening to help Chet celebrate his birthday.

Gary and Danielle Parenteau and boys of Fargo were Friday to Sunday weekend guests of his parents, Marc and Connie Parenteau.

Wednesday evening, Mrs. Carolyn Myhre, Dianne Gagner and Pearl Laniel were among those who attended the American Cancer Society meeting in Plummer held in the school library.

Monday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince was Evangeline Grove and on Tuesday were Evangeline Grove and Mable Sabourin.

Mrs. Mary Jane Paradis and their niece Chelsey Paradis were Friday to Sunday guests of her daughter Heather Nelson of Fargo, ND, while Todd was hunting with his family in Oklee.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum, Joann Delage, Debbie Opdahl and mother, Vi Gagner, Dorothy Myhre, Martha Dagner, Mary Jane Paradis, Pat Proulx, and at noon they all helped Martha celebrate her birthday at Third Base.

Russell and Cheryll Hince visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday and Mrs. Evangeline Grove spent the day with her mother on Thursday.

Mrs. Sue Hegger entertained the Hollyhock Club on Tuesday evening with Mrs. Dianne Gagner, Myrtle Hamrum, Lorna Nielson, Jean Carpenter, Edna Hyde, Kathy Juneau and Karen Damerais of Plummer members answering roll call.

Mrs. Judy Olson returned home on Wednesday from Yankton, SD after visiting a few days with her daughter, Scott and Shannon Knutson, and also help her grandson Zacheray celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Mary Lu Cyr of Grafton, ND visited with Pat Larson Saturday to Wednesday and friends and family.

Frances Bourgeois of Dassel arrived on Thursday to visit with his sister Mrs. Vi Gagner.

Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Diane Planta, Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Friday.

Milo Larson visited with Martin and Evelyn Volkmer and enjoyed Pheasant hunting in Nebraska last week.

Mary Jane Capp returned to her home in Grafton, ND after a two week holiday with her brother Ray and Ann Capp.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolstad and Luke of Fosston, Marlene Harbott of Thief River Falls and Ami Harbott of Fargo visited Mrs. Mayme Berberich on Sunday.

Ernie and Anna Cardinal visited with their son, Bob and Anita Cardinal in Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Renie Grove of Mentor, Vickey Grove of Thief River Falls, Rachel Carlson of McIntosh and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Saturday.

Richard Gagner, Dave and Melissa and Loren Gagner all of Hamm Lake, Roger Gagner of Lansdale were week end hunting guests of their parents Arthur and Martha Gagner. Donna Josephson and Kelly of Thief River Falls were Sunday evening dinner guests.

Sheldon and Shirley Delage of Erskine were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Nora Delage.

On Sunday, Bill Hawkyard and Velma Kathman of Thief River Falls, Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince visited with Mrs. Lillian Hince.

John and Val Walker and family of Crookston, David Rock and Bev Borgman of Fosston and Pam Paradis visited with Dona and Joyce Rock on Sunday.

Edna Hyde of Plummer visited Mrs. Dorothy Myhre on Monday.

Pearl Laniel, Rose Mardt, Eva Mae Bergerson and Joan Brown were Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. Irma Berry in Gonvick.

Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum and Pearl Laniel were among those who attended the Red Lake County Board on Ageing in Plummer on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jud Falen returned home Friday after a month holiday with her daughters, Chet and Carmen Schilling, Ryan and Carrie Hedlund, Coleen and Cassandra Falon of Indianapolis, IN.

Leonard Novak of Warren, Steve and Mikaday Novak and family of East Grand Forks visited their parents and grandparents Walter Sr. and Monica Novak on Sunday.

A deer feed was held Saturday evening at the Cozy Lounge and was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Sheme Engen and boys were Sunday dinner guests of her parents Walter and Willie Katschke.

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Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors presented station owner Ev Ault with a Mora Progress Award. Pictured from left are: Jim Blix, chamber ambassador, Ev Ault, and Rick Gustafson, chamber ambassador.

Bullet holes found in semi trailer Tuesday

Five bullet holes were discovered in the right side of a semi trailer Tuesday. Thief River Falls police department is investigating the incident.

Rick Olds, no address listed, reported that someone had shot at his semi trailer somewhere between Perham and Thief River Falls. One bullet hole was found in the sleeping cab of the rig. Olds told police that he believes it happened in or around Thief River Falls.

Youth program at Agassiz refuge is summarized

Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge served as a work site for Region 1 Summer Youth Employee Program (SYEP) and Minnesota Youth Program (MYP) administered through Inter-County Community Council, Oklee. Seven high school carollees included Matthew Pittman, Brandi Olson, Todd Anderson, Christopher Callahan, Tracie Sannes, Desiree Kotrba and Nathan Wegge. Enrollees were from Grygla, Goodridge, Newfolden and Thief River Falls. Lois Hejlik, hired by the Minnesota Department of Rehabilitation Services, also helped with the program.

On June 12, the program began and on August 31 the program ended. total hours worked by the enrollees totaled 1,423.

Work assignments were labor intensive. Two of the larger projects included applying wood preservative on the Lansing Parker Observation deck and removing all of the old pool, road and trail signs and replacing them with new posts and signs. Other projects included improving the new office building landscape, maintaining lawns, hiking trails, vehicles, tractors, other maintenance equipment, buildings, gates, water control structures, boundary signs, painting the headquarter's propane tanks and picnic tables, repairing banding nets, testing exploders and pouring concrete slab by the refuge residence. Several youth assisted in the research projects being completed on moose and American bitterns at the refuge.

Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge depends on this program and enrollees to complete many necessary projects. In return, work experiences provided to youth will strengthen their work ethic as they prepare to enter into the American work force.

David Marshall finishes naval sea deployment

Navy Petty Officer 1st Class David Marshall, son of John Brahosky of Thief River Falls, has returned to Lemoore, CA, after completing a six-month overseas deployment with Strike Fighter Squadron 94 embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Abraham Lincoln.

On the 38,000-mile voyage, Marshall's unit was part of the battle group which included more than 80 tactical aircraft and helped enforce the international no-fly zone over southern Iraq. Aircraft from his squadron flew more than 3,500 hours and completed nearly 1,800 arrested landings aboard the carrier—nearly half of them at night. While spending 151 days at sea, Marshall also visited Hong Kong, Singapore, the United Arab Emirates and Hawaii.

Marshall is a 1975 graduate of Greensburg-Salem high school in Pennsylvania and joined the navy in June of 1975.

Plummer News

Effie Byer
465-4375

Pennsylvania Trip

Art and Avis Froiland returned last Wednesday evening after spending a week with his sister Bertha Williams of Harrisburg, PA. They reported lovely fall weather with the autumn colors in full bloom and a good visit with his only sister. Welcome back folks!

Harold and Marian Vatthauer and Margaret Greenwald attended the funeral for Burnett Helm, formerly of Plummer, on Thursday in Red Lake Falls.

Remember the young Bicyclist whom Harold and Marian Vatthauer befriended in the summer, who was traveling across the USA! They recently received a letter from him with the news that time had run out for him and he had to cut his trip short. He did, however, travel from Winnipeg to Calgary by bus, where he is enrolled in school. He also traveled to the west coast where he delivered a small bottle of Atlantic Ocean water and poured it into the mighty Pacific Ocean. He will finish his trip next summer before he gets married.

Don and Glenyce Harrington of St. Paul visited Art and Avis Froiland on Thursday, to hear all about their trip?.

Birthday

Lorraine Fisher was guest of honor at a birthday dinner at Third Base on Friday evening. Helping her celebrate were Edna Hyde, Madonne Lellier, Reinette Welter, Connie Hughes and Shar Fox.

Don and Glenyce Harrington of St. Paul visited on Friday evening with Lorene Westerlund.

Friday supper guests at the Byer home were Dan and Jan Vigstol, daughter Hailey and her friend Veronica of Cedar, Steve Vigstol of St. Francis and Tim Vigstol; David and Reid Vigstol of Lakeville. Richard Vigstol of Oak Grove came later and he, David and Reid were houseguests until Monday, hunting with the Vigstol-Froiland and gang. Dan, Steve and Tim went on to join a bunch and hunt near Viking, and Jan and girls went to her parents Fritz and Crystal Martell.

The Hanson boys of the Cities came to hunt this weekend in this area and visited Art and Alma Hanson on Tuesday. They returned to their home the following Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Andersen of Albert Lea spent the weekend at the Inga Linder home and also visited at the Otto Johnson home of Oklee and others in the Oklee and Thief River Falls areas.

Karen, Lowell and Nick Johnson came on Saturday and were overnight guests of her mother Amelia Eskell. Supper guests that evening along with the Johnsons were Eddy Eskell and Ray Nenonen and you can be sure the talk was all about the deer hunt.

Sandy and Glen Osbjornson were Saturday night visitors of her mother Frances Schiefert.

Saturday supper guests at the Byer home were David, Reid and Richard Vigstol, Rod Vigstol of Eagan, Jett Vigstol of Thief River Falls, Lorie Freeman, Amber and Nicky of Thief River Falls.

Francis and Bernice Leining of Wadena visited on Sunday with his mother Charlotte Leining.

60th Anniversary

Tom and Wilma Huotari were guests of honor at a celebration commemorating their 60 years of marriage. It was held on Sunday morning at the church following services at Immanuel. A lovley flowering plant had been given them by their grandchildren-DeeAnn Egeland, Cindy Nielson, Neil and Bryce Houtari and it graced the church chancel for the service. Coffee, cake and ice cream was served to a large number of relatives and friends. Assisting daughter-in-law, Lorna Huotari and Bryce in serving the anniversary cake were Karen, Lowell and Nick Johnson and Eddy Eskell and Lorraine Lorenson. The couple received many cards and good wishes.

Art and Norma Hemstad spent the weekend at the home of Loren and Helen LaFayette while their son David hunted.

Herb and Esther Welter visited Emie and Dorothy Pederson at Hillcrest on Sunday, later going on the the Rey Welter home of rural Thief River Falls. Dan and Renee Lindgren of Climax were there too.

A hunter's supper was held on Saturday at the Dennis Wilkens home near St. Hilaire. Gathering for the evening were Terry and Justin Rewertz, Ruth Wilkens and Della Rewertz, Barry Rewertz and children, Paula and Jon Preska, Sheila and Greg Hell, Jeff and Amy Wilkens and family of Fargo.

A potluck dinner was held on Sunday at the Joe and Helen Fisher home for all their hunters. Present were Tom and Bronda Fisher and family of Thief River Falls, Ray and Marlyn Fisher and family of Plummer, Jon and Diane Anderson and boys of Twin Valley, Linda Hemly and girls of Plummer, Kenny Fisher of Grand Forks, John Fisher of Greenbush, and Gene Fisher of Richfield, who had spent the weekend at his parental home. A fun weekend was had by all.

Marlys and Marlyn Mattison of Zumbro Falls were Sunday afternoon visitors of Della Rewertz.

Art and Norma Hemstad of Park Rapids visited on Monday at the Art Froiland home.

Senior Citizens Meet

The Plummer Senior Citizen's club met at noon on Wednesday for their regular meeting. The noon meal was furnished by members M-Z. The birthdays for the month were Laura Smith, Jean Matt, Molly Ydstie, Emie Pederson and Eddy Eskell. Following the the meal Kathy Juneau introduced Carolyn Stabnow who represented the Minnesota Department of Human Services. She spoke about and demonstrated the many devices and phones to help the hearing impaired and deaf people. These are available free by the Equipment Distribution Program (DEP) which provides special telephone equipment to people who have difficulty using a standard telephone due to a hearing loss, speech impairment and/or mobility impairment. Some of the equipment included a telephone amplifier, an amplified phone, telephone ring signaler (visual, amplified, or tactile) for the deaf or blind and a hands-free speaker phone. If you feel that you need help you may call 1-800-657-3663. Carolyn will come for an interview and show you what you should have. The EDC is funded by Minnesota telephone subscribers.

The business meeting was called to order by President Ruth Wilkens with Hazel Ollie and Esther Walter bringing the secretary and treasurer's reports. A discussion on the December meeting brought a motion to send $25 to the Social Services Department of Red Lake County. A request came from Sharon Roston, 1st grade teacher, for seniors to visit and speak about various states they've visited and there were some volunteers for this. Kathy Juneau, meal site manager announced that there will be an early supper served at 4:30 on Mondays and urged many to attend. A large group had been there last Monday. Why not make this a weekly party? Door prizes went to Emolia Eskell and Bunny DuChamp. The meeting adjourned. For entertainment there were readings by Ruth who read "When I got old I will wear purple" and by Effie Byer who read "A Tribute to Arthur". Florence Tvedt also entertained with her accordion which was greatly enjoyed. Karen Schirrick was there for Blood pressure readings, also. The next meeting will be on December 20th with A-L serving. It was suggested that others bring Christmas goodies, and please bring a friend!

Teacher's Tea

The American Legion Auxiliary sponsored its annual Teacher's Tea on Wednesday afternoon in observance of American Education Week. It was held in the school cafeteria with a nice crowd in attendance. Several new teachers have joined the faculty this year and the tea gave an opportunity for others to meet them and socialize. Karen Fossell representing both the school board and the Auxiliary, welcomed the teachers and guests and introduced themselves. A lovely lunch of snack crackers, nuts and cupcakes along with coffee and apple cider was served. We have a fine staff of teachers and we, the public, need to support them as well as our children and grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Talton Hanson of the Cities were overnight guests of Art and Alma Hanson on Tuesday returning to their home on Wednesday.

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School Lunch Menu

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Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25, Middle school/$1.40, Lincoln High/$1.40, Adult/$2.20. 25¢ Extra milk

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Breakfast:

Monday, Nov 27: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 28: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 29: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Nov 30: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 27: 1-Italian chicken pattie on a bun, special sauce, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice

Tuesday, Nov 28: 1-Deluxe nacho tray, fixings, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Nov 29: 1-Chicken stir-fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice

Thursday, Nov 30: 1-Pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, coleslaw, bread, cherry dessert. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 27: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2), milk.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 27: 1-Chicken nuggets, oven fries, bread, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: 1-Tacos and chips, fixings, bread, fruit choice. 2-Bacon cheeseburger on a bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: 1-Italian chicken pattie on a bun, spaghetti sauce, fries, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Nov. 30: 1-Pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, coleslaw, bread, cherry dessert. 2-Polish sausage on a bun, oven fries, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 27: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Juice or fruit choice, French toast (2).

Thursday, Nov. 30: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 27: Chicken nuggets, oven fries, bread, peaches.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Tacos and chips, cup of fixings, bread, pineapple tidbits.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, fruit shape-up, graham cracker.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Pork chop pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, coleslaw, bread, cherry dessert.

• Menu subject to change.

• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $5.00; 2 cartons per day is $10.00.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 27: Waffles, syrup, sausage, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Scrambled egg patti, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Bacon, fried egg, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 27: Cook's choice.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, cookie, banana, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, cranberries, blueberry dessert, bread, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Pancakes, syrup, sausage, apple sauce, carrot sticks, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov 27: Blueberry muffin, Cocoa Puffs, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 28: French toast sticks, syrup, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 29: Cinnamon rolls, corn flakes, juice, milk.

Thursday, Nov 30: Oatmeal, toast, fruit, milk.

Friday, Dec 1: Egg and cheese omelet, Long John, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 27: Pepperoni pizza, whole kernel corn, apple sauce, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Nov 28: Hamburgers, French fries, seasoned peas, pickles, fruit cup, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Nov 29: Chili Con Carne, sliced cheese, carrot sticks, pear sauce, crackers, bread and milk.

Thursday, Nov 30: Chicken nuggets, hashbrowns, sliced carrots, gelatin, bread and milk.

Friday, Dec. 1: Barbecued beef on a bun, pork and beans, peach sauce, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov 27: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 28: Caramel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 29: Scrambled eggs with sausage, toast, juice, milk.

Thursday, Nov 30: Breakfast pizza, oranges, milk.

Friday, Dec 1: Asst. rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov 27: Pizza, corn, pears, milk.

Tuesday, Nov 28: Steamed rice with sugar and cinnamon, meat and cheese sandwich, veggies, fresh fruit, cookies, milk.

Wednesday, Nov 29: Polish sausage on a bun, potato skin with cheese, peaches, milk.

Thursday, Nov 30: Crispy chicken, tossed salad, fruit, PL & PB bread, milk.

Friday, Dec. 1: Tater tot hotdish, vegetable sticks, jello, PL & PB bread, chocolate milk.

Senior Meals

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday, Nov. 27: Liver and onions, mashed potatoes, California mix, roll, Rice Krispie bar, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Salisbury steak, boiled potatoes, beets, roll, pears, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29. Spaghetti, peas, carrots, tossed salad, garlic toast, chocolate cake, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Barbecued ribs, baked potato, carrots, roll, pudding, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Nov. 27: Chicken chow mein, rice with vegetables over, lettuce salad with dressing, roll, margarine, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Swiss steak, boiled potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, bread, margarine, vanilla pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Liver and onions or S. steak, mashed potatoes, margarine, scalloped corn, bread, margarine, cherry delight, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Meatloaf, parslied potatoes, oriental blend, bread, margarine, fresh banana, milk.

Friday evening, Dec. 1: Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, dinner roll, margarine, sherbet, milk, cranberry sauce.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6.00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Nov. 27: Baked chicken with orange sauce, whipped potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, cherry cobbler with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Swiss steak with tomato sauce, parslied potatoes, cut green beans, tossed salad with Italian Dressing, carrot cake, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Roast Beef Au Jus, oven browned potatoes, sliced parslied carrots, chocolate pudding, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Nov 30: Ham loaf, Au Gratin potatoes, broccoli cuts, apple crisp, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Dec. 1: Oven crisp chicken, whipped potatoes, with gravy, baby whole carrots, marinated vegetable salad, peach sauce, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

MEALS FOR SENIORS

Breakfast:

Monday, Nov. 27: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Milk, apple juice, Rice Krispies, toast.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Milk, applesauce, Cream of Wheat, cinnamon toast.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

Friday, Dec. 1: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Nov. 27: Bean soup with ham, crackers, cheese sandwich, apple crisp, milk.

Tuesday, Nov. 28: Homemade meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans with mushroom soup, bread, butter, peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Nov. 29: Macaroni hamburger hotdish, coleslaw salad, cherry jello with mixed fruit, milk.

Thursday, Nov. 30: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, baked beans, pickles, pear halves, milk.

Friday, Dec. 1: Creamed chicken over biscuits, green beans, applesauce, milk.

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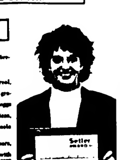

Julia Rohl, a member of the Thief River Falls Chapter of the American Cancer Society recently received an award called the Pacesetter Award. The award recognizes individuals who have carried out recommended priority activities in cancer education. Rohl is the public education coordinator for the local chapter. The award was announced at the annual meeting of the American Cancer Society in Minnesota. Volunteers are still needed by the local chapter of the American Cancer Society. Anyone interested in helping out is encouraged to contact Lucille Aasland at 681-4033.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klemer
499-3445

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott Preston and Katie of Red Lake Falls visited on Friday and Saturday at the Eugene Polansky home.

Wayne Ruud of Karlstad and Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud met Gerry Ruud of Palm Bay FL on Thursday at the airport in Grand Forks. They visited at the Harley Bulchotz home at Grand Forks and Jean Roppe home at Newfolden.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Engevik who have a new great granddaughter born to Jessica and Brian Rahmen. She has been named Cassidy Ann and has two brothers at home. Grandparents are Ronald and Naomi Beachy of Staples.

Gordon Drown of Bagley visited on Saturday at the Gene Peterson home.

Sympathy is expressed to the family of Verlyn Olson father of Mrs. Darwin Klemer.

Justin Klemenson of Ulen visited on Thursday afternoon at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus visited on Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

Lowell Larson of Minneapolis spent a week at the Karyl Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lunsetter and family of Wahpeton visited at the Eugene Polansky home on Saturday with the Ray Scott family.

Mrs. Greg Harris, Nicholas and Kayla and Megan Berg of Thief River Falls spent Saturday and Sunday at the Juel Aune home.

Gerry Ruud of Palm Bay, FL is spending sometime at the Wayne Ruud home at Karlstad and Cheslie Ruud homes.

Mrs. Dean Anderson of Newfolden visited on Saturday at the Rueben Engevik home.

Visitors on Sunday at the Gene Peterson home were Mrs. Craig Swenson, Cristy and [illegible] of [illegible] and Gary Peterson of Middle River.

Roger Gramstad of [illegible] has been a recent visitor at the Karyl Larson home.

Sunday guests on Sunday at the Juel Aune home were Megan Berg, Ron Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harris, Nicholas and Kayla of Thief River Falls.

Sunday afternoon Elaine Meger and Karyl Larson visited at the Gordon Sau home near Grygla.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polansky were dinner guests at the Ray Scott home at Red Lake Falls.

Saturday evening Betty Aren and Dawn Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud attended the Lutefisk supper at Faith Lutheran church near Badger and later they all visited at the Lloyd home.

Monday evening Ron Gilbert and Greg Harris of Thief River Falls visited at the Juel Aune home.

Tam Bratang, Jordan and Ashley of Grygla visited on Monday at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Carlson of Thief River Falls visited at the Juel Aune home.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited at the Wayne Ruud home at Karlstad. Elaine, Mand and Arlette attended the Old Time Style Show at the Karlstad Community Center.

Friday Glenn Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited at the Glenn and Charissa Limasand home to get acquainted with their new daughter.

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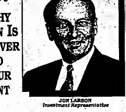
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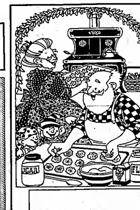

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Ethanol Reputation On Clean Air At Risk

"For years, ethanol-blended gasolines have been promoted for adding to the air quality," states an article in the November 17 edition of *Politics in Minnesota*, written and edited by Wy Spano, D. J. Leary and Sarah Janecek and published in St. Paul.

"It's a belief that was generally accepted until the Sierra Club challenged the Bush Administration on the use of ethanol because of its negative effect on ozone. Suddenly, that concern is coming close to reality in Minnesota," the article states. The remainder of the article follows:

"Almost unnoticed by the general public, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency's Air Quality Division recorded an ozone level in the Minneapolis/St. Paul area this past summer that was within 2/1000ths of a part per million of exceeding the National Ambient Air Quality Standards for ozone. That means that we were within a fraction of having to be included in those metropolitan areas, like Milwaukee, which have been forced by federal clean air standards to require the use of reformulated gasoline.

"The level achieved this past summer before the ethanol mandate came perilously close to putting us over the limit. Effective this past October 1st, every drop of gasoline sold in the 10-county metropolitan area has had to include ethanol in the blend.

"Sources inside the MPCA tell us that because of ethanol's propensity to add to ozone, had the mandate been in effect this past summer, the Twin Cities would have almost certainly violated the air quality limits for ozone.

"Farmers we talked to are confident that the 1996 Legislature won't authorize any study of ethanol's role in the Twin City ozone problems because they don't want to anger rural constituencies during an election year. However, if next summer is as warm as the summer of '95, expect to see some changes as old folks and those with breathing difficulties start complaining about the air quality."

We expect to hear more about what the use of ethanol in gasoline does and does not do in relation to the environment. Does the good outweigh the bad, or vice versa? We're sure this is a question which is far from settled and there are many more voices to be heard before the full story is told.

Support Grows For School Voucher Plan

Possible adoption of a school voucher plan for Minnesota is sure to get extensive discussion in the 1996 Legislature now that Gov. Arne Carlson has made a school choice pilot program part of his education agenda.

Gov. Carlson proposed a school choice pilot program for kindergarten through grade 12 to be tested in the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Brooklyn Center school districts and at least one rural school district to be selected by the commissioner of the Department of Children, Families and Learning.

The idea quickly gained endorsement from the Choice-in-Education League of Minnesota (CELM), an organization which purports to "represent thousands of parents and educators in Minnesota." Executive director of CELM is Eugene Piccolo.

"If we are successful in passing this legislation," Piccolo said, "Minnesota will prove once more to be a leader in education reform and in the transition to universal choice in education.

"We believe the Governor's vision for education in Minnesota is exactly what the state needs and what the majority of Minnesotans want," he added. "People want to see more focus on students rather than institutions, politics or organized interests."

Piccolo said that a 1994 statewide survey by the Gordon S. Black Corporation of Rochester, NY, indicated that 70 per cent of Minnesotans would favor a system that allows parents to send their children to any public, parochial or private school they choose.

"Despite the obvious statewide support for this issue, there are powerful interest groups opposed to this move," Piccolo said. "These interest groups have a stake in maintaining the status quo. Our task, and the task of all concerned Minnesotans, is not to let these interest groups derail the effort to bring about systemic change in education. It's time to stop playing politics where our children are concerned and time to make substantive changes that will improve the quality of their education."

According to information Gov. Carlson has released, his plan would allow students from families with incomes at or below 130 per cent of poverty ($19,700 or less for a family of four) to receive a voucher for $3,000 to be used at the non-public school of their choice. Students from families with incomes from 130 to 275 per cent of poverty will be eligible for a voucher on a sliding scale from $3,000 to $500.

The balance of the money the state would normally spend on the education of each child ($3,200 to $5,700) will remain with the government school the child would normally attend, effectively increasing the available funds per pupil in that school.

Non-public schools that would be eligible for vouchers would include sectarian, non-sectarian, non-profit and for-profit schools. Schools could not discriminate on the basis of race, religion or economic status and any private school would be eligible to participate.

Opposition to the voucher plan will come not only from institutions and organizations which could expect to be adversely affected by it, but from individuals who question the need for change and who fully expect that the government will not give free rein to schools accepting the voucher funds. Government appropriations generally have conditions attached, and one could expect voucher funds to be no different.

If nothing else, however, the push for a voucher system may rekindle extra efforts toward excellence by existing public institutions to ward off such an experiment. That could be an extra benefit in itself.

LETTERS

To The Editor:

If the school referendum vote did nothing else, it should provide all future economics classes with a perfect example of how not to sell an idea to a community.

"OK, class, here it is!"

(1) Insult the public's intelligence. Tell them it really won't cost much in the way of taxes—the state will pay most of the bill. (This is effective if done at a time when the state and federal governments appear to be having trouble meeting their financial obligations.)

(2) Insult the community's sense of fair play. Tell them "get to that trough ahead of the other hogs! Grab that state money or someone else will! Tax those country folks' land; we'll make it as difficult as possible for them to get their 'No' votes in (give them only three hours in which to vote and one table to vote at)."

(3) Strike while the iron is hot, preferably within two years of getting $15,000,000.

(4) Alienate the working class, i.e., "can" the custodial staff and replace them with badly underpaid part-time help so money is available to increase administrative pay.

(5) Talk the public into saving the school money by volunteering to help, then pay someone to coordinate the volunteers.

(6) Don't explain what changes have occurred to cause a need for more money so soon after assuring everyone that the last $15 mil would take care of things for awhile, that a great saving would be realized because of that miserly pittance. Just refer to points Nos. 1-3 and threaten more maneuvers like No. 4.

(7) After failing, and you surely will, assure future failures by going to a gathering of mostly "yes" voters and railing against them for their short-sightedness. Note: Most effective if you can disrupt a concert or something like that. Totally embarrassing a popular member of your teaching staff will also help.

"That's it, class. Tomorrow we will try to touch on forgiving, forgetting, and getting on with business. Please read Chapter 6: *How Not to Shoot Yourself in the Foot.*

I, for one, do not think we have a poor school system. I think we have a very good school district with "super" teachers. Like the man said, "what we have here is a failure to communicate."

Sincerely,
Gary Poge
Thief River Falls

To The Editor:

I attended the band concert at Franklin Middle School on Tuesday, November 14th. It seems Superintendent Hinckley felt that prior to the eighth grade band's performance he would use the time to introduce himself and offer his views on the recently defeated school referendum.

In my opinion, he picked the wrong setting to address his concerns. Before a packed gym full of parents, grandparents, other relatives and children, he felt it necessary to scold those in attendance for the referendum's defeat. He stated that out of 7,006 registered voters, we let approximately 1,700 no votes cost us the chance to better our children's education and reduce class size.

As he continued, the curtain opened behind him and with the eighth grade band seated and ready to play, he stated that because of the referendum's defeat, next year's budget would have to be cut an additional $400,000.

He insinuated that certain (band?) programs would have to be cut, and then he had the audacity to turn to several students sitting on stage, one being my daughter, shove a microphone into their faces and quiz them on the number of students in their classes to make a point. I feel that this was totally out of line.

These band students, under the direction of Mr. Lehrer, have worked hard for eight weeks to put on a quality concert and to have the Superintendent put them on the spot in front of their peers and a packed house was uncalled for.

Supt. Hinckley, I agree that the referendum's defeat is a problem, however, it's too late to do anything about it now. Hopefully by November '96 when the referendum again comes up for a vote, you will have had a program in place in plenty enough time to better educate the public and increase the chances of the referendum's passage.

To chastise the people who attended the concert—the majority of whom, I would bet, not only voted but voted for the special levy—was wrong and totally unprofessional on your part. I feel that an apology is due Mr. Lehrer and the members of the eighth grade band for cutting into their time while you made your thoughts known to those in attendance.

Incidentally, my wife and I did take the time to vote and voted YES for the special levy.

Sincerely,
Stephen J. Stone
Thief River Falls

To The Editor:

To the School District 564 tax increase advocates, I say "Nice try, but not until we, the taxpayers, hear more about how you can justify spending increases." Just because the state would grant 80% of the money doesn't justify decreasing the incomes of people who are already taxed beyond their economic means. The City of Thief River Falls is the fourth highest taxed city in Minnesota and you want to increase that economic burden even further.

Who do you suppose pays the state portion of this tax increase? We, the Minnesota citizens and businesses, do. The reason Polaris is moving a part of its operations to town just may be the increasing taxes they and all of us are extorted to pay.

When you add federal, state, city or county, sales, gas and "sin" or "user" taxes together, you will find that almost 40 per cent of your income is taken from you. When was the last time a tax that was supposed to pay for something was rescinded after its purpose was completed?

If you can't sell your ideas based on their merits, then don't hide them behind "free money."

Sincerely,
David Mehrkens
Thief River Falls

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Billy Copeland returned to Kent, WA Sunday morning after spending a week deer hunting in the Williams area with Tim and Bill Bulger.

On Friday evening, Allen Swenson and Carey Grandstrand were supper guests at Liz Swenson's home.

Saturday night, a week ago, Brad and Carey Grandstrand, Billy Copeland and Arlene Erickson visited at the Liz Swenson home.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hjelle attended the dedication services at the Evangelical Free Church on Sunday afternoon. The Sustads were coffee guests at the Hjelle home afterwards.

Dorothy Pederson, Betty Ranum, Ruth Sustad and Ardelle Anderson attended Christian Womens at the Best Western on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Skjervem attended the dedication services at the Evangelical Free Church on Sunday afternoon and went to Carey Skjervens for supper in the evening.

Marion Halvorson of Warren was an overnight guest at Liz Swensons on Saturday night and took Bill Copeland to the airport on Sunday morning for his flight back to Washington.

Billy Copeland was a caller at Allen Swensons on Saturday afternoon.

Clara Hanson of Newfolden was a caller at Liz Swensons on Thursday morning.

The Rosewood Homemakers held their November meeting at the library meeting rooms on Wednesday afternoon with Evelyn Lambert and June Holmstrom as hostesses. Those who attended were Hazel Olson, Evelyn Lambert, Thelma Dahl, Joyce Kron, Liz Swenson, Evelyn Skjervem, Clarice Rooker, Pearl Johnson, June Holmstrom, Jill Hall, Irene Holmstrom and Adelle Skjervem. We had an interesting meeting and a delicious lunch.

Brad and Carey Grandstrand, Dave Miller and Greg Schook from Dayton, were guests at the Melvin Grandstrand home this weekend for deer hunting.

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Corrections: If an error is made in news or advertising publication, The Times encourages readers to call it to our immediate attention at 681-4450. We will attempt to correct the error or clarify the misunderstanding in the next issue.

Gully Community News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Saturday visitors at Mildred Sollens were James and Stephanie Sollen of Gonvick, Stacy and Karl of Clearbrook. Sunday afternoon, Dave and Sandy Graff of Plymouth, Alma Sollen of Fosston were coffee guests there.

On Sunday forenoon, Davie and Sandy Graff and Alma Sollen came over to see Ed Haugen, Dave and Sandy ordered and picked up dinners at the Gully Cafe and enjoyed eating together with Ed, David and Alma.

Jay Haugen of Rochester, was in the area deer hunting and visited aunt Mildred Sollen during the week.

Lynn, Danielle and Nickolas Bolme of Minneapolis visited aunt Mary and Uncle Elmer Berg Saturday afternoon. Other visitors there the past week were Melvin and Leana Hamnes and Roy Halverson all of the Gonvick area.

A birthday party was held for Gilmor Ottalie Sunday at the Ken and Cheryl Nybo home. Those attending were Gilmer and Bernice, Gary, Karen and Jon of Bemidji, Kevin who is home on leave from the service, Cathy and Jeremy Bergerson and yes, Michael, Jenelle too. Cheryl served a dinner including birthday pie which Gilmer enjoyed more than cake.

Supper guests and visitors at the Arnold Brovold home on Friday were Jay Johnson of Bemidji, Les, Carol, Sanna and Luke Torgerson of Thief River Falls and Sarah Brovold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lund from Babbitt stopped in at Elmer Brovolds for a visit on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne and the Carey Hansons of Willmar were Friday supper guests of Effie Handy. The Corey Hansons and Mrs. Marty Lavine of Minneapolis spent the weekend there.

The Larry Emersons and Sonny Berg called on Effie Thursday afternoon.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Thanksgiving next Thursday.

—The Norwegian-Danish Baptists will hold a series of meetings in the Methodist church.

—Moose are being slaughtered at Thief River Falls, just back of town and the pastime engages the attention of the biggest portion of population and affords about all of the sport there is.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—A News staff writer made a trip over a portion of the eleven towns, opened for settlement a year ago last June, and reported that some settlers now have their entire quarter-sections under cultivation.

—The residents of Spruce Valley township are considering an election on the sale of $10,000 in bonds for road and bridge improvement.

—John Bye was severely burned and his small daughter killed in a prairie fire which swept trough the Grygla area last week.

—John Reme, a settler living east of town, reported being chased by a number of wolves Tuesday night.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The annual ice harvest started this week and although no packing ice has yet been cut, "wash ice" is finding a good sale.

—Phil Zeh of this city and Emil Larson of Bray township are serving on the federal jury in Fergus Falls.

—The new school building at Goodridge is nearing completion.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Mrs. Willard Bayliss, president of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs, addressed a banquet of the local club in the Evelyn hotel.

—Collection of current taxes in Thief River Falls to November 1 totaled $116,674, County Treasurer John Gullingsrud reported.

—Local high school students will present "The Lass of Limerick Town," an operetta, tomorrow evening.

—George Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson of St. Hilaire, won first place honors with his lamb at the junior livestock show in South St. Paul.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—New 1,000 horsepower diesel engine in the municipal power plant was given a test run this week, Superintendent Ole Legvold reported.

—City council approved final plans drawn by Henry C. Eckland for the proposed winter sports arena.

—A silver tea at the local library commemorated the 100th anniversary of the birth of Andrew Carnegie.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Only six reactors have been found among the 15,000 cattle tested for bovine tuberculosis to date in Pennington county.

—Memorial rites were held at Erie for Staff Sergeant Orley Kjelgren, who has been listed officially as dead after his failure to return from a mission over Germany.

—Erick A. Carlson of Minneapolis will shortly open a concrete block factory at 1121 Dewey avenue north.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—The Lincoln high school senior class play, "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," was presented Monday and Tuesday evening.

—Howard Lunsetter, 17, of Gatzke was selected as 1955 farm boy to receive a free trip to the Chicago International Livestock show by the Thief River Falls Jaycees.

—Rev. C. P. Ellertson of Gully will be commissioned as a foreign missionary Sunday in Trinity Lutheran church.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Picketers carried placards in front of Thief River Falls supermarkets to protest prices being paid dairy farmers for their milk.

—Congressman Odin Langen addressed the first convocation of the new junior college in Thief River Falls.

—Jodi Martin, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George Martin of Thief River Falls and a junior at Lincoln high school, has been accepted for participation in the third goodwill tour of Europe by students of the International Music camp.

—Work on the Thief River Falls municipal airport is virtually completed, an improvement project that has spanned two years.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Linda Carlson was hired as the local site manager for the new senior meals and activities program.

—Pennington county board of commissioners approved substantially increased tax levies to county residents in 1976, partly due to the payments toward bond retirement on the $110,000 Oakland Park Nursing Home project and the $62,000 law enforcement center project.

—Best of show in the hobby category at the ninth annual Thief River Falls coin, antique, stamp and hobby show held in the city auditorium was taken by Mrs. George Anderson and Mrs. Fred Timm of the city for an Avon bottle collection.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The annual Christmas tree lighting ceremony will be held December 5 at the Elks park.

—Al Christofferson of the Sports Boosters club accepted a plaque on behalf of the group from School District 564 which recognized the club's efforts and contributions to the school's sports programs.

—An Area Ag Information center will open next week at the Thief River Falls area vocational technical institute.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Friday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Don and Gail Larsen.

Sunday afternoon, Chuck and Sherry Olson and Lillie Olson visited with Helen Sorenson.

Last Friday, November 10th, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson to Strathcona where we enjoyed supper and then went on to the Lloyd Molby home to attend the 80th surprise birthday party for his mom Tilda Molby. It was hosted by her family, Lloyd, Harvey, Becky, Laura, Patty and her husband Vernon, Donald and Gary. There was a very good turn out and had a very nice evening seeing people we hadn't seen for years. A delicious lunch including decorated cake and ice cream was served. Pictures were taken and the honored guest opened her many cards and gifts and responded with a thank you. We also stopped in Greenbush and visited with Edward and Edna Malby awhile and had a lovely evening.

Saturday evening visitors at the Hanna Moen home were Kameron and Kathy Harstad.

Sunday evening, Frank and Harriet Kujava visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home.

Arlene Jonson visited with her mom Alice Ellingson on Sunday, they also went to Thief River Falls and did some shopping.

Aaron and Blanche Waterworth visited at the Gerald Mortinson home on Sunday.

Duane and Barb Hanson of the Cities spent the weekend visiting with his mom Clara Hanson, they left for their home on Monday.

Sunday afternoon visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Sybil Cwikla, Sue Dondalinger, Lauran, Joey and Evan.

Those that helped Ryan Olson celebrate his birthday recently at the Chuck and Sherry Olsons home were Ryan Olsen, LaDawn Hanson, Bert and Adeline Roppe and Lillie Olson.

Robbin Mathson, Renalle and Reann spent Friday, November 10th with her parents, Curt and Elaine Thompson and were dinner guests. It was fun having them here and the girls kept grandma busy.

Mervin and Betty Moon visited with Hanna Moen on Sunday evening.

Monday, Roy and Laura Roppe went to Warren to visit with Gladys Erickson.

Beverly Erickson visited at the Jason Erickson home on Monday evening.

Saturday evening, those that enjoyed supper at the Best Western were Duane and Barb Hanson of the Cities, Clara Hanson, Emil and Lyla Vacura.

Sunday, Duane and Barb Hanson, Emil and Lyla Vacura and Dave Hanson visited and enjoyed a turkey dinner at their moms, Clara Hansons.

Tuesday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Kenny and Sybil Cwikla.

Harriet Holte visited with Clara Hanson on Monday.

Curt Thompson had coffee with his mom, Olga Thompson and Aunt Emma Kammen this past week.

Beverly Erickson, Mary Anderson and Jill visited with Jane Schaumberg on Saturday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota November 22, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

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Peacetime Observance of Thanksgiving Today

"Business activities in the Thief River Falls community as well as throughout the nation came to a pause Thursday for the observance of the first peacetime Thanksgiving in four years. Citizens are assembling in many churches for special services at which thanks are being offered up for the return of peace to this nation and for the bounteous harvest of the past season. The day also is the occasion, as usual, for many family gatherings, with turkeys in plentiful supply this year, furnishing the center of attraction on the dinner table."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Johnny Weismuller
in
"Tarzan and the Amazons"
Avalon Theatre

May Send Larger Parcels to Servicemen Overseas

"Effective November 15, parcels not exceeding 11 pounds in weight or 42 inches in length or 72 inches in length and girth combined, containing articles requested by addressee, may now be accepted for mailing to army personnel overseas. This replaces the five-pound limit and also increases the size of package, says Postmaster Andrew Anderson."

4,626 Car-License Plates Issued Here Through Nov. 15

"During the period from October 1 to November 15 a total of 4,626 motor vehicle license plates were issued from the office of A. F. Barga, deputy registrar here. The number shows little change from the total of 4,746 issued during the corresponding period of 1944. A small additional fee for late registration is now in effect."

To Start Making Concrete Blocks Here in December

"Erick A. Carlson, formerly of Minneapolis, is completing arrangements for the early opening of the Thief River Concrete Products company in the building recently purchased by him at 1121 Dewey Ave. N. Carlson is now assembling equipment for the manufacture of concrete blocks for use on local building projects, and stated that the plant will produce five different types of blocks. He expects to start operations about December 15, and will employ two war veterans."

Topics of The Times
Reprinted Columns by Norman A. Holen, former Times Editor

—It's a sorry person who can't find some little thing to be grateful for at Thanksgiving time.

—If, as proposed, we are to turn over the atomic bomb secret to Russia, that country in return should lift the vail from some of its own dark secrets.

—As a colleague points out, poses of Hollywood bathing beauties suggests that a lot of talent is being bared.

—Maybe one reason why quite a few war veterans around the state are re-enlisting in the army is that they can't find a place to live in the old home town.

—If you're looking for a redcap to carry your luggage, you'll find plenty of them in the woods this week.

—Here's hoping our poker-playing president has an ace in the hole when he tackles some of the problems confronting the nation.

—It's a deep mystery to us how wages can be increased 30 percent without affecting the cost of the products of labor.

—Speaking of the manpower shortage, we notice that 40 men have applied for a rural mail carrier's job at Detroit Lakes.

—If we all gave a push, there is still time to put the Victory Loan drive over the top by the first of December.

—Bernard Baruch put the world's troubles in a nutshell when he said, "The race of selfishness is on."

—Servicemen are returning home in droves, and have you noticed all the weddings recently? It must be more than a coincidence.

—Mahnomen man, says Les Nelson, felt the first real touch of winter when he got his coal bill."

—Remember way back when you could see a lot of piles of lumber in a lumber yard?

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota November 20, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Agricultural News

"The roads have been very bad the past week, but still considerable wheat has been marketed.

"We are having a light fall of snow today. It would be a first class good thing if about a foot would fall.

"Threshing will be finished this week in this vicinity. East of here however it will take about two weeks more work to finish.

"The wheat blockade seems to be easing up and cars are more plentiful. Twenty-five cars were brought up on Monday and several again today."

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Handy, Erin and Jenny and Marlon Handy called on Effie.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrol Christopherson, Frank and JoAnn DeMarino and Marian Handy were Bemidji callers, while visiting here Emme Nyland and Marian Handy stopped in at Effies Tuesday.

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Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
379-4333

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg visited at Oisted Acres near Grygla.

Leslie Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest during the week at the Henford Rosland home.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Gene Marquis, Andrea and Megan were among others that enjoyed coffee at the Terry Anderson home.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Louella Lundeen visited with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Monday afternoon.

Michelle and Monica Johnson had dinner with their grandmother Mayme Johnson on Friday.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji spent from Thursday until Saturday visiting with his parents the Clayton Johnsruds and deer hunting.

Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and coffee guests on Sunday afternoon at the Jean Johnson home.

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams were coffee guests at the Larry Kotrba home and also brought belated birthday wishes to Mrs. Larry Kotrba, also bars for lunch, gift and a card. Happy Birthday Gilda!

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited by phone with her sister Mrs. Swen Sylvester of Phoenix, AZ on Friday forenoon.

Friday Nina Smith was an overnight guest of Joyce's at the Bruce Solberg home.

Those who visited with June Johnson and had coffee during the week were Gladys and Gail Langsworth of Thief River Falls, Joyce Owens and Scott, Tom Jensen, Olen Knet, Renae Marque and Megan.

Agnes Eidelbes visited by phone on Monday night with her daughter, Mrs. Harry DeBauer of Spring Lake Park.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson visited and had coffee with Adeline Hanson on Sunday afternoon.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson went to Hallock and were supper guests at the Harlen Iverson home. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were also overnight guests at Harlen's that night. Then on Sunday Harlen and Vernon went with other men deer hunting. Mrs. Harlen Iverson and Kyle and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were coffee guests on Sunday at the Bob Nirel home in Hallock. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson returned home on Sunday evening.

Arlen Eidelbes had supper on Monday night with his Grandmother Agnes Eidelbes.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson called and wished her son Bob Johnson of Anoka a Happy Birthday on Sunday night.

Kenneth Lind of Litchfield came on Thursday evening to the Clayton Johnsrud home for deer hunting. Kenneth left for his home on Tuesday morning.

Alissa Lundeen was an overnight guest at the Greg and Gail Helgeman home on Friday.

Wednesday Jared Haugen was a visitor at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba visited on Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Setad of Grygla.

Sunday Mrs. Vance Wieth, DeNae and Dana brought birthday greetings to Mrs. Larry Kotrba also a decorated birthday cake, gift and card. They all enjoyed birthday cake and ice cream together. Happy Birthday Gilda!

Tony Rubischko was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Sunday Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Jean Johnson home.

Joel Dahlen of Chisholm was a visitor at the Leonard Johnson home on Friday forenoon.

Wednesday Max Stucy was a visitor and coffee guest at the Eddy Stucy home.

Jean Johnson visited and had coffee with her mother Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Tuesday evening.

Tuesday evening, Jeff Dahlen was a visitor at the Leonard Johnson home.

Visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at the Tim Lundeen home were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lundeen, Tony Lundeen and Dale Lundeen.

Jean Johnson and Jessica were visitors at the Merle Naeseth home on Thursday night.

Sunday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Anderson were visitors and coffee guests at the Leonard Johnson home.

Jared Haugen and Shirley Johnsrud were visitors at the Tim Lundeen home on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed lunch with her Granddaughters Michelle and Monica at the Jean Johnson home on Friday afternoon.

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Thief River Falls

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To qualify for the federal tax credit, a minimum of 20 per cent of the project's housing units must be set aside for tenants whose incomes are 50 per cent or less of the area's median income, adjusted by family size. Or, projects must include a minimum set-aside of 40 per cent of the housing units for tenants whose incomes are 60 per cent or less of the area's median income, adjusted by family size, with restricted rents.

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VALLEY HOMES, Inc. has full and part-time positions available (with benefits) for Resident Program Assistants in Karlstad for people interested in working with adults with developmental disabilities. All shifts available. Must be 18, high school graduate or equivalent graduate, valid driver's license and insurable driving record. Apply at 402 Main St. South in Karlstad or call 218-436-2518 or 1-800-532-7655 for an application. E.O.E. 71tfc

Position Open
Special Education Teaching Assistant/Management Aide at Marshall County Central High School to begin immediately. Hours 8:00 a.m.-3:15 p.m. school days.
Applicants should contact Ron Paggen, Supt. Ind. School District No. 441, P.O. Box 277, Newfolden, MN 56738. Phone 218-874-8530.
Position open until filled.

HELP WANTED- Certified Nursing Assistants. Part-time 55-74 hours per two week pay period. Benefit package available. Combination of shifts available. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 85tfc

HELP WANTED- Someone to do snow removal at my home this winter, 681-1371. P4t95p

HELP WANTED- SWIS Corp hiring, prevailing wages and benefits, 40 plus hours weekly, 681-7177. 6t98c

HELP WANTED- Earn up to $500.00 per week assembling products at home. 1-504-646-1700. Dept. MN 8345. 4t96p

HELP WANTED- Licensed Practical Nurses. Part-time 55-74 hours per two week pay period. Benefit package available. Every other weekend, combination of shifts available. Oakland Park Nursing Home, TRF, Equal Opportunity Employer. 85tfc

HELP WANTED- Person for cleaning part-time evenings. Call 681-2319. 68tfc

TELEPHONE MESSAGE PADS- 100 sheets per pad, 95 cents per pad, $4.25 for five pads. Available at The Times, 324 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls. 1t93e

HELP WANTED- Full-time Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA) (or cert. eligible) position available. Competitive salary, excellent benefit package. To apply call: Human Resources Department, Northwest Medical Center, 120 LaBree Avenue S., Thief River Falls, MN 56701, (218) 681-4240 X406. Equal Opportunity Employer. 2t93c

Help Wanted

Highway Technician
The Pennington County Highway Department in Thief River Falls, MN will be accepting applications for a position as Highway Technician until 4:30 p.m. December 8, 1995. A detailed job description and application can be obtained at the Office of the County Engineer in the Pennington County Courthouse at 101 N. Main Ave. in Thief River Falls, MN or by mail at Pennington County Highway Department, PO Box 818, Thief River Falls, MN 56701 or by phone at 218-681-1221. Starting salary is $9.12 per hour with excellent fringe benefits. E.O.E.

NURSING ASSISTANT- Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls has nursing assistant positions open for part-time employment. Day and night positions open. Eligible applicants need to be on the Nursing Assistant Registry or eligible to be on the registry. Training available for the Nursing Assistant Registry. Apply at Hillcrest Nursing Home, 311 Broadway Ave., Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or call 253-2157. 92tfc

SELF-MOTIVATED INDIVIDUALS needed for innovative business opportunity, salary range $200.00 to $3000.00 weekly, 218-963-0791 Russ, or 218-751-8734 Jon, evenings. P4t96p

Public Notices

30 GAS AND WOODBURNING displays by Earth Stove, Heat N Glow, and others. Lowest prices. Financing. Also wood-oil and masonry. Mahnomen 1-800-446-4043. 21tfc

THANK YOU
We would like to thank all who came to our "60th Anniversary" party after church. A special thank you to Lorna and Bryce. It was very much appreciated. God bless each and everyone.
Tom & Wilma
1t93c

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all who made our 60th anniversary such a memorable event by your attendance, cards, gifts and best wishes. Special thanks to our daughters Elody Olson and Shirley Carlson and their families for arranging food, decorations and all that goes into such a special day. Thanks especially to Lilian Rux, Ruth Jones and Mavis Langaas for providing and serving the delicious lunch. Also, to Neal Fox for taking the pictures. It was wonderful seeing, visiting and hearing from so many relatives and friends. Thank you and God bless all of you.
Les and Helen Kulseth
1t93p

THANK YOU
I would like to sincerely thank all who sent cards, memorials, flowers and showed love and consideration during Harold's illness and death. Special thanks to the doctors, nurses and Hospice care takers who took such good care of Harold.
Sincerely
Edith Nabben
1t93p

Household Goods

BUNKBEDS, with mattresses, ladder, safety bar, Whirlpool electric dryer, can be seen at Kordel Furniture. P4t95p

10 USED 30-inch electric stoves, all white, ready to use, 8 used fridges, plugged in and ready to use. Quist's Trading Post, downtown Crookston. P4t94p

FOR SALE- Good used kitchen cabinets, butcher block counter tops; four good used double stainless steel kitchen sinks, complete with faucets. For information, call 681-1584. 4t96f

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Ariens, Lawn-Boy, and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair, Warren, MN 745-4298. T50tfc

Wanted To Buy

WANTED- 250 gallon propane tank, 218-449-4591. Also, 36" combination door. 4t95e

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WANTED- Pickup 1970 through 1978, prefer 6-cylinder, 4-speed, 4x4, will consider others, 218-459-3423. 1t93p

WANTED TO BUY- Arctic Cat man's large, tall snowsuit, 2-piece, in good condition, phone 681-3638. P4t96p

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PIANO LESSONS. I have openings for several piano students. Please call Jennifer at 681-6474. P4t96p

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18tfc

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WILL SHOVEL walkways and driveways, for information, call 681-8703 after 5:30, ask for Derek. P4t96p

Snowmobiles

1985 580 ZR Arctic Cat. 1979 Dodge four wheel drive 360, must sell. 218-222-3630. P4t95p

1990 ARCTIC Cat Cougar, 500 fan-cooled, carbides, studs, handwarmers, cover, excellent, $2,250.00. Call 681-8777. P4t96p

'84 COUGAR, 1,300 miles, good shape, asking $3,000.00 o.b.o. 218-465-4284. 10t96p

FOR SALE- 1991 Arctic Cat Panther in excellent condition, 1,301 miles on it, call 218-782-1641 after 4:30 p.m. P4t95p

'95 ARCTIC Cat Z440, $3,300.00 o.b.o. '76 Jeep Cherokee, 4x4, $750.00 o.b.o. 681-2194. P4t95p

1994 XLT SKS, 1,800 miles, mirrors and cover, $4,000.00. Also, 7x10 deluxe fish house at LOW. Also, wanted 18-26 older camper, 218-437-8511, please leave message. 2t93p

'93 EXT 550 snowmobile, low miles, excellent condition, has cover, hand/thumb warmers, call 681-6812. P4t96p

FOR SALE- 1990 Arctic Prowler with 1991 updates, 38mm carbs, gas shocks, 2,950 miles with cover, nice condition. $2,200.00, 681-4549. 2t94p

FOR SALE- 1989 EXT, excellent, $1,950.00...1995 ZR 580, EFI, 600 miles, very nice, $4,450.00, 681-6625. P8t95p

Snowmobiles

1995 XLT EXTRA, new carbides, 600 miles, mint condition, call evenings, 218-222-3636. P4t95p

FOR SALE- 1988 580 ZR, studs, carbides, clutch kit and cover. Also snowmobile cover for 1993 Cheetah, still in box. 681-2621. 92tfe

FOR SALE- 1994 Arctic Cat Puma, cover, hand/thumb warmers, speedometer. 218-681-4134. P4t93p

FOR SALE- 1973 Polaris TX Limited, speedometer, tach, runs great, motor and clutches just gone through. $495.00. Call 681-4791 after 6:00. P4t92p

Pets

SHIHTZU-POMERANIAN PUPS for sale 2 F, 1 M. AKC Doberman pup, male red and tan, call Roz 681-6370. P4t96p

TO GIVE AWAY- 6 week old kittens, multi colored and striped, playful and cute, call 874-7751. 1t93p

AKC DALMATION puppies, 8 weeks old, shots and wormed, will deliver, $100.00, call 253-2562. P4t95p

ROYAL PET grooming and supplies, certified groomer, 8th and Atlantic, Thief River Falls, call 681-8311. 92tfc

FOR SALE- Friendly 7-month-old blue-eyed AKC Siberian Husky, needs good home before Christmas, call 681-4579. P4t96p

Lost And Found

FOUND- Very cute, male, black, Cocker Spaniel in Basswood Tr. Ct. on Nov. 3rd. If you know the owner or can provide a good home for him, call 681-6080 and leave message. 1t93l

Hay, Feed, Seed

FOR SALE- Alfalfa mixture square bales, in shed, call 222-3790. P4t95p

FOR SALE- Big round bales of Barley straw, wrapped with plastic twine, phone 449-3945. P4t95p

FOR SALE- Straw bales at $1.00 each. Call Wesley Bring, 874-3713. P4t93p

Poultry

FOR SALE- Ducks and geese, ready to butcher. Also, dressed chickens, call 874-3713. P4t93p

DUCKS, GEESE, and Black Rex rabbits for sale. Six-month-old male puppy and 3 kittens to give away. Call 218-222-3556. P4t93p

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Contact Larry at Lee Plumbing & Heating, Inc.
1430 Main Ave. North, Thief River Falls, MN 56701
or call 218-681-1903.

SOCIAL SERVICE DIRECTOR
The Warroad Care Center, a 49-bed long-term care facility has a full-time position available for a Social Service Director. Candidates must posses MN licensure (or be eligible for) with some experience (desired) preferably in long-term care. For more information, call Lisa Newton, Administrator, at 218-386-1235 or send a resume to her at the Warroad Care Center, 611 Lake St. NE, Warroad, MN 56763. Deadline for resumes is December 8, 1995. EOE

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COSMETOLOGY SUBSTITUTE INSTRUCTOR
Northland Community and Technical College is looking for licensed cosmetologists who are interested in obtaining a vocational substitute license and are willing to serve as a substitute instructor for the Cosmetology department at the college. Interested individuals are to contact:
Becky Holthusen, Director of Human Resources, at 218-681-0844 for Information.

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HOURS PER DAY: 8
DUTIES: Sweep, mop, wet-wash, dust/polish, collect/store/dispose refuse, ensure building security and other miscellaneous tasks which fall within the scope of this job title.
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REQUIREMENTS: Position requires standing and walking for most of the work shift and also may involve heavy lifting.
Applications may be obtained in person or by writing to the Personnel Department, 230 LaBree Ave. South, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701. Applications will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., Thursday, November 23, 1995.
"Thief River Falls Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in the employment or the provision of services."

Livestock

FOR SALE: Holstein bulls, 12 months, polled, Lingen breeding, animals 218-436-2324 Tarkio

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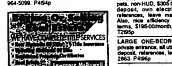
Contact: Minnesota residents (218) 281-4562 Contact: The Northwest Gateway is known as the Home of the Moose and returns approximately 1000 calls per month, so please be patient, we will return your call as soon as possible.
INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED BY CALLING DWAIN E. FAGERLUND AT THE ABOVE-REFERENCED LAW FIRM AT (218) 281-2400.

FOR SALE By owner, 1 bedroom house, excellent condition, good income or retirement home Commercial zoned, stabilizer, high traffic area, 410 E. 1st Street, TRF Please do not disturb tenant, 641-5098 R4560



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Mobile Homes

FOR SALE: 16x68 mobile home, $5,000.00 or best offer. 681-5400. R4560

FOR SALE- '72 14x60 Detroiter, 2 bedroom, need some work, $4,500, nearby to move into, located in Thief River Falls Call 626-4327, R4560

1977 AMTRAFT 14x70 mobile home, completely renovated, vinyl siding, insulated, pitched shingled roof, fireplace, new carpeting and drapes. Call 681-3435 or 681-5661. R4560

AVAILABLE DEC. 1, two-bedroom apartment, utilities included, must have a dependent or be pregnant, 681-6797. R4560

APARTMENT FOR rent above Ace Hardware, one bedroom apartment for adult single person, efficiency apartment and 1-bedroom apartment for married couple, call Rich at 681-3664 or 681-5672. 5tfn

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Real Estate

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FOR RENT- 2-bedroom trailer in TRF, available now, will accept HUD, call 449-3351, leave message. R4560

FOR RENT- Across from Northland, parking furnished, new blinds, wooden doors, game room, all utilities paid, plenty of parking, Call 681-2307. 5tfn

FOR RENT- Two-bedroom house, $250.00 a month and utilities, open Dec. 1, 681-7528 280tfc

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LARGE ONE-BEDROOM apartment, private entrance, off street parking, no pets, no children, lease required, 681-3663. 5tfn

FOR RENT- 3-bedroom apartment, most utilities furnished, no pets, call 681-6626, 280tfc

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For Rent

FOR RENT: One bedroom house - located 2 miles north of Viking 5th Car 218/523-1229 R560

Sporting Goods

FOR SALE: 1986 14 ft. Fisher fiberglass 75-hp Johnson, all accessories, $3,000 Call 687-3009

Autos, Trailers

FOR SALE: 1989 Ford Aerostar van, 7-passenger, 4 door, 4 cylinder, 5-speed, good tires, excellent, $4,500.00, phone 218-281-1110 or 218-281-1936

SIMULCAST 1995 Pontiac Sunbird LE, sport red, 2 door, V-6, 4-speed, air, cruise, cassette, rear spoiler, alloy wheels, 32,000 miles, $8,850.00, call 687-7600 days or 687-3009 evenings.

FOR SALE- 1986 Buick Park Ave., 2 door V-6 auto air, cruise blue new 53,700.00 681-5227 680tfc

1984 PONT. sedan, V-6 cloth seats p.s., cruise, a.c., e.c., 4 speed, $1,000.00, 1984 Ford Escort, 4-door, c.c. stereo, cloth seats 5-speed $1,000.00 call 681-5227 680tfc

FOR SALE- 1982 Ford F150 4x4, XL, 4-speed, good tires, runs good, $4,000 or best offer, call after 5:00 p.m. 218-436-2645 Viking R560

1989 4Dr Chevy pickup, tilt, auto shift, 350 engine, 3 inch lift, 31 inch tires, in 1982, new fiberglass, 50+ miles/gallon, $5,500.00 218-463-3624 R560

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FOR SALE- 1989 DODGE D-150, pickup, 318 engine, loaded, very clean, $1,850 negotiable, call 681-6098 after 5:00 p.m. P-560p

1988 FORD Tempo, 4-door, electric lock and seatbelts, rare excellent, great mileage, runs good, $1,000 or best offer, call 681-6098 after 5:00 p.m. P560

FOR SALE- 1990 Dodge Caravan, excellent condition, 7-passenger, 3 door, 3 seat, 3 door, 3 seat, 3 door, 3 seat, cruise, Hose Crystal, discount, Thief River Chiropractic 681-5881. P4560

FOR SALE- '93 Plymouth Acclaim, very good condition, 4-door, 4-cylinder, 5-speed, air, cruise, cassette, tilt, rear window defroster, $4,000/obo 218-281-5507. P4560

FOR SALE- '92 Mazda 626 pickup, 4-cylinder, 5-speed, good tires, excellent condition, color black, Call 218-523-4891.

1 FORD P.U., 4-wheel-drive, model 1-Dodge P.U., 8 wheel-drive, '86 Dodge Caravan, '86 Honda Accord, '85 Ford Ranger, '84 Ford Ranger, '84 Honda Accord, '81 Ford Bronco, 218-681-3200, 280p

FOR SALE- 1984 Ford van, 351-clean, $1,000.

1985 OLDSMOBILE 88, high mileage, excellent car, $4,000/obo 218-681-6107, leave message, 280p

1983 CHEV. van, new engine and tires, very good condition, with/without 7-12 ft. snowplow, $3,500 681-5400

FOR SALE- 1985 Jeep Cherokee, 4-WD, 4-door, 4-cylinder, 5-speed, air, tilt, cruise, cassette, cloth interior, $3,500 218-681-2500, 280p

FOR SALE- 1979 Ford Trucks, van, auto, air, 681-6137, P4560

FOR SALE: '85 Lincoln Continental, good condition! Can be seen at Perez Garage, consider all trade offers, call 681-5400 or 681-5661 after 5:00 p.m. call 681-6626, ask for Paul

FOR SALE: 1979 Ford Convention van, 460 engine, 4-speed, 4-door, 7-passenger, price was for big bids, 745-5372 P4560

LIKE NEW 1992 Ford Tempo GL, red, 4-door, 4-cylinder, 5-speed, air, cruise, cassette, tilt, 50,000 miles, $4,250.00, 218-463-1126 R560

FOR SALE: 1985 Chevrolet Celebrity, V-6, 4-door, auto, $1,500.00, 681-2264 after 5:30 p.m. 279p

SHOWROOM CONDITION, 1991 Ford Taurus GL, 4-door, 3.0 liter V-6, 150 horse, 4-cylinder, all options, new $0,225.00, now $7,500 obo/p.o. 218-463-1126 R560

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Legal Notices

October 19,
November 1 & 15, 22 & 29, 1995
"NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE"
FORECLOSURE SALE
Date: November 17, 1995
1. Default has occurred in the payments of principal and interest on the mortgage executed by Marie L. Lundeen, also known as Marie Lundeen, and Ronald L. Lundeen, a married person, dated April 10, 1986, in Northwest, Inc. the Pederal Land Bank Association of Grand Forks, and recorded on April 24, Four hundred forty-seven thousand, Four hundred forty-seven (447,447) in Book 1 of Mortgages, Page 1 Number 1000000 on in Book 1000 of Mortgages, Page 1 Number 1000000 in Pennington County, Minnesota.
2. This mortgage has been assigned as follows:
3. The amount now owing on the mortgage is the principal balance of $100,000.00 plus interest at the rate of 8.5 percent from the date of the foreclosure sale.
4. Notice has been given to the holder of a junior mortgage on the premises that the mortgage contains a power of sale and that the mortgagor has abandoned the premises covered by the mortgage.
5. The premises covered by the mortgage are not used for agricultural purposes.
6. The mortgagor has been supplied with all conditions precedent to assignment of the mortgage to the mortgagee and has been given all notices required by statutes and other laws and regulations of the United States.
7. At the date of the notice the amount due on the mortgage is the principal balance of $100,000.00 plus interest at the rate of 8.5 percent from the date of the foreclosure sale, Four hundred Twenty-three Thousand Three hundred Twenty-five Dollars ($423,325.00).
8. Pursuant to the power of sale in the mortgage, the land and premises described in the land described as follows: S1/2, SW1/4 NE1/4, SE1/4 NW1/4, S1/2 NE1/4, NW1/4 NE1/4 of the Section Twelve (12), Township Twenty (20) North, Range Twenty (20) West of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public auction to be held at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the Pennington County Law Enforcement Center, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in the Sheriff's Office, Conducted by Mortgagee(s) or Mortgagee's personal representative or assignee, or a person acting on behalf of the mortgagee.
9. THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032 PROVIDING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE PRIMARILY PROFITABLE, ADEQUATE DWELLING OF FIFWEEN THREE FOUR UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES, AND THE MORTGAGOR WAIVES THE RIGHT TO REDEMPTION.
Dated: October 16, 1995.
NORDEN TOWNSHIP BANK MINNESOTA WEST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee
Attorneys for Mortgagee
HUSBAND & CONNER, LTD.
Fargo, North Dakota
Taxes: North Dakota
Telephone: (701) 293-8419
ATTORNEYS FOR MORTGAGEE

November 15, 22, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Court File No.
In Re: Estate of Sophie Marie Haggstrom, Decedent.
ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNTS, LEGALIZATION OF DISTRIBUTION, APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S DISCHARGE, SUBSEQUENT ADMINISTRATION AND DETERMINATION OF HEIRS AND TO ALL CREDITORS AND CREDITORS:
IT IS ORDERED and Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December, 1995 at the 10:00 o'clock A.M. a hearing will be held on the above entitled court in Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the formal probate of the above-named decedent's will, for the allowance of the final accounts, dated October 4, 1995, and for the appointment of Gloria Hagen, whose address is 1 South St. Paul, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, as the personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent

Ag Activities Day at UMC December 1

Sponsored by the agricultural management division, Ag Activities Day at the University of Minnesota in Crookston is scheduled for Friday, December 1. All members of 4-H clubs, high school agricultural departments and FFA chapters from Minnesota and eastern North Dakota are invited to participate.

Judging contests and workshops will take place during the morning in the areas of crops, dairy, general livestock, horses, agricultural mechanics, dairy products, farm management, wildlife, forestry, horticulture, meats, soils and ag sales.

There is no limit to the number of students participating from any one school in each contest, but the team score will be tabulated from the top three individuals.

Recognition of winners will take place at 1 p.m. in Lysaker Gymnasium. Scholarship awards of $750, $600 and $450 will be given in each contest. Last year nearly 800 students from area schools competed in the annual event.

There is a $1 registration charge per student and preregistration is required. Those interested in registering should call the agricultural management division at 218-281-8101.

MDA to issue environmental permits in MN

The Environmental Quality Board determined on October 31, 1995, that the Minnesota Department of Agriculture (MDA) meets all the requirements needed to issue a "significant environmental permit". This type of permit includes an Environmental Assessment Worksheet, interdisciplinary review, authority to apply terms and conditions, and authority to revoke, suspend, modify or deny the permit. This is the final step in implementing rules for the release of genetically engineered agriculturally related organisms under MDA authority.

Changes in legislation in 1994 and adoption of rules in 1995 will reduce duplication between MDA and federal or state agencies and will result in a clear regulatory path for applicants. All releases of genetically engineered agriculturally related organisms will be regulated by MDA. EQB retains overall policy-making authority for the regulation of the release of all genetically engineered organisms.

MDA will continue to announce public comment periods in the EQB Monitor. Supplemental notices of federal comment periods will also be published in the EQB Monitor.

Empty pesticide containers recycling program ends season

Minnesota Department of Agriculture reports that 328,000 containers which represent 96 tons of plastic were recycled in 1995 through the empty pesticide container collection and recycling program. This compares to 338,592 containers recycled in 1994, the first year the program was available statewide.

With this season at an end, the empty pesticide container collection and recycling program has completed its sixth year. During those six years, a number of alternative forms of packaging for crop protection chemicals have become available. Many products are available in water soluble packets, mini bulk containers, gels or other forms. Alternative packaging has reduced the number of pesticide containers being marketed in Minnesota.

Private industry and governmental agencies, at the national, state and local level, have made great strides in addressing the issue of empty pesticide containers. "All parties involved in the program are to be commended," said Minnesota Department of Agriculture Commissioner Gene Hugoson. "The cooperation between industry and government has resulted in a program that is benefiting everyone."

Polk county led all other counties by collecting 14,254 containers. The Polk county collection nearly doubled what had been collected last year. The largest one day collection was again held at the Renville County highway garage in Bird Island where a total of 11,800 containers were collected. Other major collections were: Swift county 12,303; Watonwan county 11,924; McLeod county 10,100; and Stevens county 9,764.

The empty pesticide container collection program will continue in 1996 beginning in June. The program is open to all farmers, pesticide users and businesses. For more information, contact Steven Poncin, Minnesota Department of Agriculture, 90 West Plato Blvd., St. Paul, MN (612) 296-5136.

Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
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Silver Creek Homemakers Meet

The Silver Creek Homemakers held their November meeting on Wednesday at the home of Bernice Knutson. Jean Nelson and Mary Ann Fuller served a delicious lunch following the lesson. Margaret Rupprecht and Lorraine Sannes presented the lesson on "Family Heirlooms". Each member showed some of their own family treasures. Members present beside those already mentioned were Ethel Nelson, Ruth Hanson, Betty Swanson, Myrtle Solberg, Esther Fuller, Bernice Trochmann, Ida Rupprecht, Adeline Moe, Mabel Anderson, Carmen Gustafson and Doris Kaushagen. Esther Fuller won the door prize.

Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Trochmann attended the dedication services at the Evangelical Free church on Sunday afternoon.

Adeline Moe visited with Edith Nabben at the Good Samaritan Home in Warren on Tuesday afternoon.

Those who helped Kaleb Torgerson celebrate his 2nd Birthday were Martha and Jarvis Torgerson, Bruce and Debbie Williams, Jill Johnson, Hailey and Logan Jordan and Mariah Torgerson. Kaleb's parents, Carla and Mike Torgerson hosted a birthday supper in his honor.

Tony Gustafson spent from Thursday to Sunday at the home of his parents, Larry and Carmen Gustafson. Brad Blazek from Grand Forks was a Saturday overnight guest there.

Ida Rupprecht was a weekend guest at the home of Wendy and Bob Blue in Moorhead. She helped granddaughter Rachael celebrate her birthday. Joan and Larry Doeden and Candi Rupprecht were also visitors at the Blue home.

Monday afternoon visitors at the home of Bernice Knutson were Marlene Beedy and her mother, Bernice Danielson, from Grand Forks.

Charles and Robert Anderson from Alexandria spent from Friday thru Sunday at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Jean Nelson and Pastor Nancy Werner were Friday morning visitors and luncheon guests at the Bernice Knutson home.

Gloria Cleven from Grygla was a Monday overnight guest at the Ethel Nelson home.

Those who helped Art Moe celebrate his 88th birthday on Saturday afternoon were Arlette and Everett Kompien, Karen and Bruce Delager of Grand Forks, Randy and Karen Moe, Matthew and Marie, Konnie and Kent Christianson, Todd, Trent and Trevor, Mabel and Eddie Anderson, Mauritz and Beth Scholin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hogenson and Adeline Moe.

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Arthur, Sabrina, Bobbi Lyn, Kari Ann, and Bret.
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Killed together.
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Renee Lynn Belair
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Graduated together June 6, 1993
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Whitewater, WI

Bethany Cartledge
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T-ball slugger
Drunk driving victim
January 18, 1994
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- About two in every five Americans will be involved in an alcohol-related crash at some time in their lives.
- About 297,000 people were injured in crashes where police reported that alcohol was present – an average of one person injured approximately every two minutes in the United States in 1994.
- There were 16,589 alcohol-related fatalities in 1994 – 40.8 percent of the total traffic fatalities for the year.

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Traffic fatalities in alcohol-related crashes dropped by five percent from 1993 to 1994. The 16,589 alcohol-related fatalities in 1994 represent a 30 percent reduction from the 23,758 alcohol-related fatalities reported in 1984. However, this still represents an average of one alcohol-related fatality every 32 minutes.

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River Falls ... Wednesday, November 29, 1995

David M. Saxowsky, agricultural economist at North Dakota State University in Fargo, spoke November 21 at the Farm Management Day hosted by Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls. His topic was farm business planning and its importance in maintaining a successful farming venture.

Power Agency joins in lawsuit against MDU and coal company

Action alleges unfair pricing practices in sale of coal to operate Coyote generating plant

Northern Municipal Power Agency, headquartered in Thief River Falls and electrical supplier for this city and 11 others in North Dakota and Minnesota, has joined in a lawsuit against MDU Resources Group, Inc., of Bismarck, ND and Knife River Coal Mining Company of Beulah, ND.

The summons and complaint filed Monday in Burleigh county, ND, alleges unfair pricing practices in the sale of coal to operate the Coyote electric generating plant near Beulah.

Northern Municipal Power Agency is comprised of municipal utilities in Park River and Grafton, ND, and Bagley, Baudette, Fosston, Halstad, Hawley, Roseau, Stephen, Thief River Falls, Warren and Warroad. It owns a 30 per cent share of the Coyote plant.

Also involved in the suit are Otter Tail Power Company of Fergus Falls, which owns a 35 per cent share; Northwestern Public Service Company of Huron, SD, which owns a 10 per cent share; and Minnkota Power Cooperative of Grand Forks, ND, which serves as operating agent for the Northern Municipal Power Agency and purchases surplus power generated by the Coyote plant.

The fourth owner of the Coyote plant with a 25 per cent share is MDU Resources Group, Inc., which is the operator of the plant through Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., one of its companies. Knife River Coal Mining Company, which supplies lignite coal to the plant from the nearby Beulah mine, is a subsidiary of MDU.

In the filing against MDU and Knife River, the three owners and Minnkota contend that the 14-year-old pricing mechanism outlined in the original coal supply contract has been abandoned by all parties over the past seven years and no longer results in fair, equitable and competitive prices for the lignite coal used to generate electricity at the plant.

"Because of the inability to reach a satisfactory solution in our informal discussions with the Knife River Coal Mining Company over the past five years, we have found it necessary to take this serious step to seek resolution to our coal pricing concerns," said David Loer, general manager of Minnkota. "The contract carries provisions to ensure that the price of coal charged to the buyers is fair and equitable, however, we do not believe those contract terms are being utilized."

Cathi Christopherson, vice president of corporate communications for MDU Resources in Bismarck, told *The Times* this morning that her company is disappointed that the other partners in the plant have felt it necessary to file suit to resolve the coal pricing question.

Christopherson said MDU feels the price being charged is well within the range permitted by the contract. She added that the price fluctuates annually according to volume and other factors and that the price charged has declined in prior years.

For a number of years, MDU and Knife River reportedly have unilaterally charged a dollar per ton less than the price allowed in the contract, but the companies bringing suit allege that the price being charged is still higher than it should be under the competitive pricing terms of the contract.

John MacFarlane, president and CEO of Otter Tail Power Company, said "the contract pricing mechanism has been the subject of conflict and discussion between the plant owners and Knife River for more than five years with no mutually agreeable price having been arrived at. That being true, and with protracted negotiations at an impasse, our only recourse is to appeal to the courts."

The Coyote plant owners pay Knife River about $25 million a year for lignite from the Beulah mine. "If the claim against the coal company and MDU Resources is carried to a successful conclusion," Loer added, "the end-use customers of the Northern Municipal Power Agency and Minnkota Power could experience savings of about $1 million annually through lower electric costs."

John T. Anderson of Thief River Falls, president of Northern Municipal Power Agency, said that the local effect of success in the legal action brought Monday would likely be in deferring electrical rate increases. While the $1 million annual saving projected by Loer is certainly a significant total amount, Anderson said, its impact on the monthly electric bill of the average homeowner in Thief River Falls and the other NMPA member cities would be very minor.

Anderson said that there has been no rate increase by NMPA for several years and it is anticipated at this time that present rates can be held for the next year or two. Beyond that the question of necessary rate hikes is "iffy," he said.

Built at a cost of $385 million, the Coyote plant went on line for the first time in the spring of 1981 and the 40-year financing extends through the year 2021. The plant burns an average of 48,000 tons of lignite per week or up to 350 tons per hour for a total of approximately two million tons a year.

Economist says planning needed for farming future

"There are some bright opportunities ahead in farming if we are ready for them," David Saxowsky told his audience at Northland Community and Technical College November 21, "but the farm sector will be going through major change and different management skills will be needed to be prepared for the future."

Saxowsky was the featured speaker at the Farm Management Day sponsored by Northland Community and Technical College. His talk was intended to help farm families determine where they are, where they want to be, how they will get there and how to determine if they are on track to reach their goals.

"Business Planning For Your Farm" was developed by Saxowsky along with Dr. Cole R. Gustafson, Dr. Laurence M. Crane and Joe C. Samson, all agricultural economists in the Department of Agricultural Economics at NDSU. A summary of that plan, along with comments about the various steps, was what Saxowsky presented at the session.

Planning is an on-going process, he emphasized, and a good plan can always be changed as conditions vary and projections prove inaccurate. In fact, he said, the best plans are those that are often changed to take advantage of opportunities or avoid unnecessary costs.

He said that a major change in the future will be that the consumer will have more information on which to make decisions. They will know more about farmers and the way their food is produced and processed. "If they don't like the product you have to offer, they will find what they want somewhere else," he said.

In addition, United States food producers will have more information than they have ever had before—and so will other producers around the world. If there is a shortage in a commodity somewhere world-wide, producers will know about it and fill it.

While the technology of food production is advancing, Saxowsky said, the technology of communication and transportation is advancing even more rapidly. Producers throughout the world are learning more about improving their products and moving them to market.

"This means increased competition for the American farmer, and increased competition means tighter profits," the assistant professor said. "Farmers will have to be ready to make the change from one commodity to the next to take advantage of short supplies."

Among the most important aspects of planning, he said, is to share that planning with your spouse, parents, adult child or who ever else is involved in the farming

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Need names for several angel trees in county

Christmas for Pennington County organizers are seeking names of children for Angel Trees located at locations in Thief River Falls.

Christmas for Pennington County is about individuals and groups in Pennington county reaching out to help children and families, who might not otherwise receive gifts or have enough food, have a Merry Christmas. This project is being organized and administered through a community effort of several citizens and groups in Pennington county.

Citizens are encouraged to fill out Christmas for Pennington County forms or contacting Wendy (681-6161) or Melinda (681-2880), to help children or families have a Merry Christmas. All names will be kept confidential. Organizers would like all names to be submitted by Friday, December 16, but they can be submitted earlier.

Christmas for Pennington County forms can be found at several local churches, at The Times, or by contacting Wendy or Melinda.

Lincoln high school carolers performed during the Christmas Tree lighting ceremony held at the new gazebo in Floyd B. Olson park. Pictured from left are Kelly Almquist, Erica McGeary, Beth Goddard, Kristine Seustad, Amanda Clark, and Leslie Swanson. In addition to caroling and the tree lighting, musicians from the Northland Community band performed a few tunes until valves froze shut, and Heidi Hoks read the Christmas story.

74 on Plummer first quarter honor listing

Seventy-four students, including five with straight A averages, were listed on the first quarter scholastic honor roll at Pershing high school in Plummer, according to the office of Richard Lorenson, superintendent and principal.

Earning straight A honors were sophomore Laurel Hagge, eighth graders Daniel Linder and Heather Schiefert and seventh graders Sarah Hagge and Lindsey Hemly.

Sixteen students were named to the honor roll with A-average grades and include the following:

Grade 12—Marci DuChamp, Patty Greenwald, Ryan Halvorson, Meckenzie Malwitz and Derick Vettleson;

Grade 11—Darci Delage, Rebecca Demarais and Joseph Linder;

Grade 10—David Fox;

Grade 9—Jennifer Gallant;

Grade 8—Emily Brustad and Michael Hanson;

Grade 7—Joel Demarais, Sheena Greenwald, Tiffany Holmes and Alisha Larson.

Forty-three students with B-average grades were named to the first quarter honor roll. They include the following:

Grade 12—Branden Delage, Ginger Froiland, Stephanie Hanson, Shawn Hince, Bryce Huotari, Beth Killian, Michelle Ramsett, Justin Rewertz and Scott Waldal;

Grade 11—Jolene Fallon, Adam Gallant, Kristina Jolly, Nick Knaack, Jodi Longtin, Angela Mages, Catherine Rosten, Jenelle Seibel and Ami Tvedt;

Grade 10—Ross Arlt, Tiffany Gustafson, Lori LaCoursiere, Sylvia Lallier, Kyle Lefebvre and Eric Walter;

Grade 9—Laura Konickson, Tracy Konickson, Michael Mages and Tricia Willett;

Grade 8—Rebecca Bushelle, Emily Fisher, Erica Fisher, Stephanie Larson, Tracy Rosten, Jolene Seibel, Darren Vanek, Karl Vigstol, Wade Westlake and Cody Wichterman;

Grade 7—Stephanie Berberich, Rebekah Bruno, Emily Hagen, Daniel Konickson and Todd Willett.

Lincoln honor roll announced

Seventy-nine students at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls received a Straight A or 4.0 grade point average for the first quarter.

Straight "A" Honor Roll

Grade 9 — Toni Bachand, Eric Bjornstad, Todd Christensen, Matthew Dyer, Thomas Fogarty, Hayden Goethe, Matthew Koehmstedt, Jill Panek (Hawkinson), Matthew Winjum, Stephanie Wiseth.

Grade 10 — Kelly Almquist, Jenny Brunkhorst, Kelsey Carlson, Douglas Dehnert, Breann Fugleberg, Elizabeth Goddard, Jamie Kalsnes, Amber Klinker, Nikolas Kotz, Stephanie Leach, Trevor Lee, Rebecca Mooney, Michael Morris, Abbegail Northup, Jami Philipp, Brian Unbehaun, David Voecks.

Grade 11 — Alicia Bakken, Megan Browning, Joshua Clark, Krystal Dobson, Richard Donarski, Reid Froiland, Kate Ihle, Jacob Jacobson, Heidi Johnson, Rebecca Kenner, Paul Kopari, Michelle Mathson, Kimberly Morris, Elizabeth Odette, William Packard, Christopher Pribula, Jennifer Vad.

Grade 12 — Vicki Bitzegaio, Bobbi Dahlstrom, Reann Dargus, Jill Dekkers, Kendra Dimich, Shari Evenson, Kristine Goddard, Shelby Grinde, Angela Haugen, Leah Helgenset, Lisa Hovet, Angela Klinker, Thomas Koehmstedt, Tina Krogstad, Ester Markusova, Meagan Miller, Tamra Mooney, Darren Nelson, Misty Nelson, Jennifer Olin, Mylynda Olson, Anne Padilla, Steve Rambeck, Benjamin Schmitz, Cami Sorenson, Christopher Tsukichi, Kamille Twomey.

"A" Average

Grade 9 — Sara Anderson, Derek Berg, Richard Bolar, Colin Browning, Wade Chiodo, Katie Christensen, Kelly Cota, Erin Delmore, Justin Disterhaupt, Lindsay Drury, Ryan Evenson, Laura Follett, Teresa Friend, Rachel Grechs, Faith Grove, Katie Harbott, Shaun Hawkinson, Arron Hendricks, Tiffany Hermanson, Kinzie Hibbert, Jacki Hoglo, Marisa Holmstrom, Gregory Homme, Taya Hunt, Lacey Huschle, Lesley Ihle, Andy Janisch, Nicole Johnson, Leah Kenner, Kristine Koop, Nicole Kopari, Joshua Lawrence, Julie Martell, Holly Miller, Bethany Nelson, Curtis Ness, Garrett Novak, Andrea Olson, Jessica Olson, Treavor Peterson, Joseph Pribula, Derek Ptacek, Jarod Reierson, Jeffrey Rislov, Jessica Russell, Andrew Solem, Aaron Sorvig, CaSandra Stevenson, Andrea Stinson, Bridgette Stock, Adam Stusynski, April Weber, Rebecca Wegner, and T-Jay Wojciechowski.

Grade 10 — Desirae Alberg, Kyle Anderson, Mathew Bitzegaio, Sunny Carlson, Amanda Clark, Brad Dekkers, Ben Erickson, Kelly Fossum, Paul Frank, Tina Halsa, Kimberly Haugen, Nathan Keller, Jason Leach, Jonathan Lee, James Lehrer, Erica McGeary, Christopher Munim, Sara Rasmussen, Sarah Sabo, Jeremy Seibel, Casey Skjerven, Stephanie Stanina, Heather Torstveit, Jerilyn Unruh, Eeva Young.

Grade 11 — Karl Anderson, Brian Barry, Jonathan Blomker, Jared Brandt, Jessica Brekke, Anthony Bromen, Jason Carlson, Ross Cleven, Amanda Close, Jarohmin Eftn, Angela Erickson, Jenni Eriksen, Chantry Folkedahl, Charles Follett, Aaron Furuseth, Jordan Goldesberry, Danielle Goulet, Melissa Hams, Kelly Hanson, Kimberly Hook, Amanda Hruby, Nathan Jordet, Kristen Kaml, Erin Linden, Billy Lubitz, Crystal Miller, Stacy Narlock, Kyle Nelson, Chad Nordhagen, Caryn Omdahl, Kylie Peterson, Tinesha Porter, Jessica Pream, Wayne Rahn, Stefan Ronchetti, Amie Rumple, Loretta Stavenes, Laura Steiger, Jeremy Treitline, Tyler Vagle.

Grade 12 — Paul Adams, Kimberly Amundgaard, Lydia Balmer, Ryan Bendickson, Robin Bollesen, Nicole Burns, Lance Cota, Nicholas Dec, Matthew Dokken, Paul Donarski, Christopher Efta, Karin Eftelard, Jamie Elleson, Robby Farho, Jamie Fenrite, Jacqueline Flynn, William Fogarty, Adam Fulton, Angeline Gunstad, David Halsa, Joshua Harris, Melissa Hoffard, Heather Holthusen, Mandy Huffman, Trevor Knutson, Rebecca Mattson, Tauscha Nyland, Lisa Odegaard, Jessica Olsen, Lisa Osthy, Carisa Pederson, Amy Peterson, Amanda Rodahl, Carrie Rud, Kelsie Steiger, Ryan Swanson, Maren Thorson, Marisa Toren, Stacy Tveiten, Andrea Vigen, Michaela Westerman, and Laura Williams.

"B" Honor Roll

Grade 9 — Robert Bakken, Christina Bataldon, Darin Bjerknes, Joshua Cahalan, Kimberly Carlson, Nathan Dicken, Annie Engelstad, Brendon Engen, Teddi-Ann Erickson, Ann Gustafson, David Halverson, Gretchen Hanson, Wade Haviland, Jesse Helm, Katrina Holtan, Jesse Hornseth, Stacy Hovet, Brandon Jorgenson, Melissa Kofstad,

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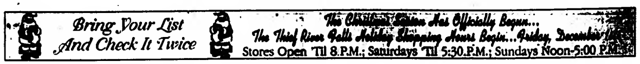


Rustad writes article for *Business Week*

Mitch Rustad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rustad and a graduate of Lincoln high school, wrote an article which appeared in the October 30 issue of *Business Week* magazine.

Entitled "Now the Ball Is In Tennis' Court," the article—which spanned two and a third pages—explores the business area of tennis from its peak in 1975 when more than 35 million Americans played the game to its present state when fewer than 18 million Americans now take to the courts.

Rustad was an avid tennis player as a member of the varsity squad at Lincoln high school and later at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. He was a key member of the 1980 Prowler tennis team which was ranked No. 1 in Minnesota and undefeated until a 3-2 opening state tournament loss to eventual state champion Edina West.

A 1980 graduate of Lincoln and 1985 graduate of UND, Rustad spent four years in Phoenix, AZ, as a teaching tennis pro. He then moved to Florida where he worked four years for the Association of Tennis Professionals on the ATP Tour, serving as a liaison between the men's professional players and the press at tournaments throughout the world. (Watch for a personal account of his experiences in a future issue of *The Times* or *Northern Watch*.)

Mitch now lives in New York City where he serves as editor of *Tennis Industry* magazine, a trade publication, and is involved in free-lance writing and public relations.

"...It was still the era of wooden rackets," Rustad writes, "and a record eight million were snatched up in 1976, mostly by the baby boomers who fueled the growth of the sport. Waiting lines were a common sight at public courts, the legendary Chris Evert-Martina Navratilova rivalry was starting to sizzle, and a brash, young upstart named John McEnroe was launching his assault on the domination of Bjorn Borg and Jimmy Connors.

"Tennis was hot.

"Then suddenly, and for no single reason, it was not. Participation dwindled to 21 million by the late 1980s, and with the dawn of the 1990s, an overall decline—both in playing and watching—continued. Streams of stories—such as *Sports Illustrated's* 1994 cover 'Is Tennis Dying?'—complained about dull, spoiled superstars and shook the industry. By the time Monica Seles was stabbed by a deranged Steffi Graf fan in Hamburg in 1993 and wunderkind Jennifer Capriati was arrested on marijuana charges in 1994, tennis had a serious image problem."

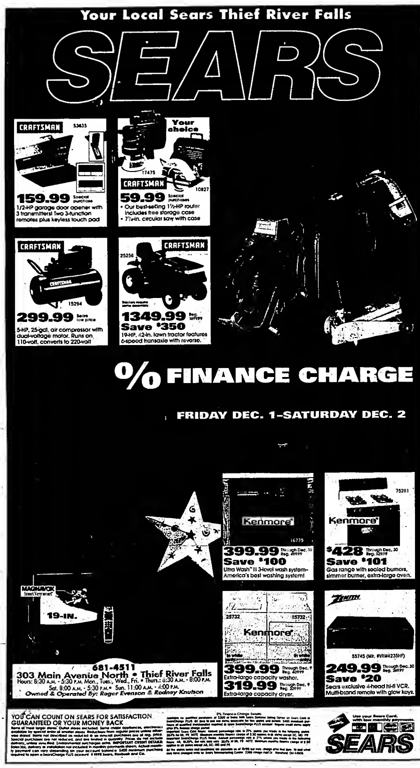
Rustad writes that tennis has plummeted from eighth most popular participant sport to 26th—now ranking behind horseshoes. So low has the game's popularity dropped that business rivals in the industry have joined in support of the Tennis Industry Association's $15 million, three-year "Initiative To Grow the Game."

Children are being targeted with promotion and free lessons in the expectation that "if the youth audience hasn't been introduced to tennis by the time they're teenagers, then you've probably lost them forever."

Today's tennis stars are people that other people are inclined to link with, Rustad's article notes. Many have signed on with various companies for promotional roles. Last year Nike noted a 102 per cent climb in sales of men's tennis apparel over 1994.

"Sure, in the era of inline skates, beach volleyball and kids glued to their PCs, a new tennis boom seems like a reach," Rustad concludes. "Yet if the image campaign can draw thousands of new players to the courts and create a more contemporary image, at least the sport could stop its slide. Who knows, it might even snag a few of those grumbling fans fed up with the hickory heads of baseball.

"Tennis, anyone?"



TRF snowmobile race Jan. 28-29

Commercial Sewing Ironman 250 Snowmobile race in Thief River Falls January 27-28 will feature a projected total purse of more than $50,000. The first place finisher in the Pro class, according to the Thief River Falls Sno-Drifters Snowmobile Club, will receive approximately $12,000. Pro 500 drivers will receive payback through 30th place, based on registration.

The race is expected to draw more than 100 of the world's fastest professional snowmobile racers including three-time ISOC Champion Kirk Hibbert, defending F-III World Champion Brian Sturgeon, defending Grand 500 Champ Brad Pake, three-time MRP Snowcross High Point Champ Aaron Scheele, three-time I-500 cross-country Champ Jack Struthers, three-time Soo 500 enduro Champ John Wicht, former F-III World Champ Steve Houle, former World Snocross Champ Toni Haikonnen, and defending Ironman Champ Jeremy Fyle.

NHRA's Fast Orange Funny Car racer Whit Bazemore competed last year in the semi-pro class. This year Bazemore will face a new challenge, as a NASCAR racer will join him in the 1996 Ironman 250. Bazemore and the NASCAR racer (to be announced) will compete against each other on the ice drag strip, and on the tight ice oval, to determine who is the better snowmobile racer, with TNN's NHRA Today filming the fray for a special T.V. presentation.

Pro, Semi-pro and amateur class race registration is 4:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Friday at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls. Last chance registration for Pro racers is Saturday morning from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m. with semi-pro and amateur registration again from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m., and 4:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday evening. However, pre-registration through ISOC is required for all classes. The first pro class flights will leave at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday. For race day schedule information call 1-800-620-0282.

The Commercial Sewing Ironman 250 is an International Series of Champions sanctioned two-day cross-country and oval racing spectacular that previews the ISOC 500 mile terrain race. The event combines more than 200 miles of cross-country racing with two days of ice oval competition. Time and points are accumulated in each of the four events to determine an overall Ironman champion in the pro class.

Major sponsors of the Commercial Sewing Ironman 250 to date are Sam Massarelli of Commercial Sewing, manufacturer of snowmobile, motorcycle, ATV and watercraft covers; Judd McKinnon of McKinnon Inc., distributor of Pabst Blue Ribbon beer for Northwest Minnesota; and Paul Rogers of Dayco, Inc., manufacturer of drive belts for snowmobiles and accessory belts for automobiles; and Arctco, Inc., manufacturer of World Class Arctic Cat snowmobiles.

Economist outlines planning strategies for farming success

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operation with you. Planning is seldom successful, he said, if it is done alone and not shared.

As farmers look to the future and their ability to remain competitive and profitable there are several points they will have to keep in mind, he said. For one, new technology is temporary. Continual change will be necessary to keep pace.

Banding together in an attempt to control product and market is not the answer. Eastern oil producing countries attempted that in forming a cartel, he said, and it broke down as soon as one of the members broke ranks. That involved several countries while agriculture involves hundreds of thousands of producers, not only in the United States but throughout the world.

Turning to the government for protection from the risk of the marketplace will be less of an option in the future, he predicted.

Processing of agricultural products—vertical integration—may offer some opportunities but in general is not an answer to maintaining a productive and profitable agriculture.

There will be increasing environmental concerns and fear of what farming practices will mean for the future, he added. All of this adds up to a farming future with tighter profit margins, less of a government safety net and greater risk.

Despite the hazards that farmers will need to consider in their planning, he said, there is room for success for those who anticipate, adjust and act to meet their goals and objectives.

Saxowsky outlined a circular farm planning summary which begins with a business inventory, adds self-assessment of skills and interests, projected operating environment, personal and business goals and current farm projections.

It adds in decision criteria such as profitability, cash flow/feasibility, goal fulfillment, equity growth and interests and skills, considers constraints, implements monitoring and control and emphasizes the importance of documenting, sharing and advising.

The activities also included a number or morning and afternoon programs which were free and open to those attending on an interest basis.

Alcoholics Anonymous schedule set

Alcoholics Anonymous has a regular meeting schedule throughout northern Minnesota and welcomes persons with alcohol problems to attend any of the sessions.

Meetings are held at 8 p.m. in Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Sunday, at St. Bernard's Catholic Rectory basement (back door) at 8 p.m. Saturday and an open meeting at the Northwest Medical Center chapel at 8 p.m. on the fourth Friday of each month.

Information is available in Thief River Falls by calling 681-5502, 681-7728 or 681-5623.

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Goodridge school schedules Christmas music programs

Elementary students at the public school in Goodridge will present their Christmas program Thursday, December 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium under the direction of Kristin Buckley, K-12 music teacher at the school.

High school band and choir concert has been scheduled for Tuesday, December 12, also at 7:30 p.m. Both concerts are free and refreshments will be served following the programs by the Goodridge Area Development Corporation.

At the elementary concert December 7, fifth and sixth graders will perform the Christmas musical "Santa's Holiday Hoedown" and the sixth grade band will perform "First Christmas Overture" and "Up on the Housetop."

Students in kindergarten through fourth grade will present a variety of Christmas songs, skits and poems.

Junior high band will open the December 12 program with three selections: "Woodland Overture," "Christmas Medley" and "Hang on Sloopy."

Four selections to be presented by the choir include "American Polk Rhapsody," "Monotone Angel," "Play for Me a Simple Melody" and "Our Gift for You."

The high school band will perform "Shenanigans," "Sleigh Ride," "Winchester Chronicles" and "State of the Art March."

Members of the high school music organizations include the following:

Junior High Band

Flute—Pam Frederick, Jennifer Kotre, Jamie Holen and Tanya Verbout;

Clarinet—Katy Brandt, Patricia Haugen, Amanda Mutnansky, Melanie Mutnansky, Sally Philipp, Heather Sunsdahl, Susan Vettleson and Danae Wiseth;

Alto Saxophone—Clifton Hanson, Alissa Hoffman, Clifton Johnsrud and Michael Lovly;

Trumpet—Irish Gallagher and Jason Nelson;

French Horn—Jessica Nelson;

Percussion—Chad Johnson, Neal Manspeaker, Kristian Solberg and Marshall Tanner;

Bells—Ashley Tharaldson;

Keyboard—Kari Swanson;

High School Band

Flute—Wendy Kaagas, Kristi Kiesow, Gena Kotrba and Melanie Nelson;

Clarinet—Jamie Berndt, Jami Bjerklie, Mandy Brandt, Jennica Gallagher, Erica Johnsrud, Jessie Johnsrud, Deanna Kotrba and Robyn Sjulestad;

Bass Clarinet—Joanna Johnson;

Alto Saxophone—Becky Brandt, Danelle Hyland, Crystelle Johnsrud and Christy Nelson;

Tenor Saxophone—Angie Holen and Andrea Johnsrud;

Baritone Saxophone—Ben Hanson and Jennifer Mutnansky;

Trumpet—Penny Frederick, John Gallagher, Tiara Kotrba, Mandy Sjulestad and Dana Wiseth;

Bass Guitar—Jeremiah Vad;

Bells—Jessica Vettleson;

Keyboard—Elizabeth Johnson;

Percussion—Grant Asp, Heather Downs, Lindsay Haugen, Bradley Johnsrud, Jessica Lee Nelson and Brent Philipp;

Choir

Katie Anderson, Kristine Anderson, Jami Bjerklie, Katy Brandt, Davina Brown, Andrea Callen, Heather Downs, Pam Frederick, Penny Frederick, Jennica Gallagher, Cody Halvorson, Ben Hanson, Clifton Hanson, Lindsay Haugen, Patricia Haugen, Alissa Hoffman, Angie Holen, Jamie Holen and Danelle Hyland;

Also Mary Jensen, Jenny Johnson, Jessica Johnson, Joanna Johnson, Michelle Johnson, Monica Johnson, Andrea Johnsrud, Crystelle Johnsrud, Adam Kasta, Kristi Kiesow, Deanna Kotrba, Gena Kotrba and Tiara Kotrba;

Also Jennifer Kotre, Michelle Limesand, Amanda Mutnansky, Jennifer Mutnansky, Melanie Mutnansky, Christy Nelson, Jason Nelson, Jessica Lee Nelson, Jessie Nelson, Melanie Nelson, Brent Philipp, Sally Philipp, Nicole Qualey, Amanda Rindahl, Mandy Sjulestad and Robyn Sjulestad;

Also Nina Smith, Kristian Solberg, Heather Sunsdahl, Kari Swanson, Ashley Tharaldson, Tanya Verbout, Jessica Vettleson, Susan Vettleson, Dana Wiseth, Danae Wiseth and Kim Zinter.

MCC students on honor roll

Thirty-nine students, grades 7 through 12, at Marshall County Central high school in Newfolden were on the "A to A-" honor roll for the first term.

"A to A-" Honor Roll

Grade 7 — Jennifer Benitt, Andy Erickson, Waylon Hirst, Jennifer Hogberg, Barry Pederson, and Amber Rybakowski; Grade 8 — Holly Augustine, Tina Beito, Mandi Blawat, Tiffany Bring, Jeannette Dahl, Christina Hagen, Jessica Hodny, Emily Kragness, Jessica Kuznia, and Kyle Muetzel; Grade 9 — Jessica Anderson, Andrew Filer, Josh Hendrickson, and Danielle Rockstad; Grade 10 — Danea Barrett, Troy Elseth, Renae Wawrzyniak, Alisha Youngstrand; Grade 11 — Ballada Jan Burrell, Kevin Engelsrud, Philip Flickiager, Erin Holthusen, Jackie Klemmetson, Tracy Kuznia, Amy Larson, Kelly Liedberg, Dominik Steinhauer, Dustin Swaa and Peter Ullrich; Grade 12 — Rachel Larson, Tricia Pederson, Jessica Rokke, and Jan Selke.

"B plus to B" Honor Roll

Grade 7 — Michael Barrett, Kayla Gast, Jesse Helm, Julie Hodny, Dustin Holmstrom, Zachary Holthusen, Kristen Johnson, Melissa Jorgenson, Emily Moehring, Carissa Olson, Shawndee Price, Jennifer Sustad, and Matthew Waterworth; Grade 8 — Jill Anderson, Andrew Bjorgaard, Ashley Donarski, Bjorn Halvorson, Dustin Jarshaw, Kristi Kilen, Amanda Larson, and Brenda Lunke; Grade 9 — Nicholas Beito, Trevor Benitt, Nicol Bennett, Micah Distel, Jacob Elseth, Randine Hall, Christopher Moose, Aaron Riesen, and Corey Skadsem;

Grade 10 — Gregory Duray, Dayton Elseth, Lucas Larson, Ibsen Vila, Michelle Waterworth, and Craig Wawrzyniak; Grade 11 — Mark Augustine, Melissa Fick, Kia Frericks, Alison Harstad, Lacey Hirst, Amber Holtan, Brock Jenkins, Brad Lunke, Natalie Nelson, Nathaniel Peterson, Matthew Raymond Rybakowski, and Steven Yonke; Grade 12 — Jason Bring, Gail Donarski, Kyle Halvorson, Sarah Larson, Jackie Magner, Tricia Mjelde, Darlene Nelson, Jill Nelson, Michael Olson, Terry Olson, Micah Ranum, Sheri Skadsem, Kari Tallum, and Heidi Tunheim.

Lincoln honor roll for first quarter has 79 with straight 'A' averages

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Kristin Langaas, Toni LeMoine, Kelli Muzzy, Jessica Nelson, Jessica Olson, Bethany Packard, Brandon Page, Michelle Peterick, Krista Phillips, Adam Sauve, Elizabeth Schoon, Crystal Sletten, Leif Spears, Jeremy Smsky, Jenny Sullivan Darren Torkelson, Stephanie Tveiten, Janna Unbehaun, Matthew Voecka, Carolyn Walrath, John Wilkinson.

Grade 10 — Darren Barth, Barry Belcher, Keith Blix, Arica Braaten, Daniel Carpenter, Rachel Dahlen, Monto Dokken, Tony Fletcher, Travis Forsberg, Jeremiah Gregerson, Michael Hahne, Jeremiah Hasnedl, Alissa Hays, Cody Hempel, Anthony Hendricks, Joshua Holmes, Rebecca Hoven, Krista Jackson, Hamilton Keefe, Anthony Kennedy, Jesaien Krankkala, Wendy Lindquist, Kimberly Nelson, Adam Nordin, Beth Olson, Jessica Ripley, Brent Rohl, Kyle Rokke, Anthony Ryan, Robert Spry, Jeremy Swanson, Jenna Tsukichi, Justin Walseth, Kyle Waterworth, Dacian Wolff.

Grade 11 — Alissa Austad, Wendy Bakken, Andy Barth, Gretchen Batalden, Keren Bloom, Lisa Boutain, Nels Brown, Christopher Bruggeman, Kelly Clark, Bryan Cleven, Ami Davis Shane Duffy, Angela Edlund, Matthew Gustafson, Shannon Hageman, Erica Haglund, Trisha Harbott, Rebecca Harger, Jocelyn Helgeland, Rynn Hendrickson, Ryan Hible, Tommy Jacobson, Eric Jelle, Melanie Johnson, Kelly Josephson, Angela Judd, Katie Kraemer, Adam Kuck, Nathan Laroque, Malissa Lawrence, Katie Lendobeja, Amy Mattson, Melissa Meyer, Alex Morken, Kelly Natvik, Felicia Palterson, Nathan Ptacek, Joshua Radeke, Randi Ringling, Lana Rodahl, Kyla Skiple, Courtney Skjerven, Kelsy Stalboerger, Ryan Stengrim, Trisha Swanson, Andrew Tri, Amber Troy, Lisa Vettleson, Cori Walseth, Amy Wessel.

Grade 12 — Keith Anderson, Christopher Bjerken, Jason Breiland, Terra Brenna, John Christianson, Aaron Ehrenstrom, Jennifer Flynn, Andy Furuseth, Chad Hanson, Ingrid Hanson, Jesse Hanson, Craig Huot, Bradley Inglis, Kara Jenkins, Peter Johnson, Chance Keefe, Brock Klein, Tracy Koivisto, Sarah Koland, Jason Koop, Chris Langness, Kari Larson, Natalie Loeffler, Derrick McFarlane, Kyle Miller, Heather Misson, Amy Momerak, Beth Nelson, Tara Nesland, Kelly Newton, Kate Nordin, Ryan Philipp, Rebecca Phillips, Carson Quesnell, Alicia Roadfeldt, Trevis Rothschadl, Kyle Sanden, Ludmila Simkova, Jaime Smith, Beth Solberg, Robert Stock, Rachael Stusynski, Lisa Swanson, and Bobbi Teiken.

Blood drive at Goodridge November 30

Goodridge Lioness Club will sponsor a blood collection drive for the Goodridge area Thursday, November 30, from 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church in Goodridge.

To make an appointment to donate at the drive, call Colleen Hoffman at 378-4324 or Sylvia Wiseth at 378-4117.

The blood donor process is easy, usually takes less than an hour and most donors find it is a painless and heart-warming experience, according to Rhonda Ellefson, public relations representative for United Blood Services of Fargo, ND, which draws the blood.

"Take a few minutes to donate blood and invite a friend to join you," she suggests. "You'll feel great knowing you've done something really special."

Show canceled but Coin Club holds drawing

Due to cancelation of the annual Thief River Falls Coin Show, a special meeting of the club was held to draw winners from the raffle conducted by the club in advance of the scheduled show date.

Winners and prizes were Gordon Peterson, Thief River Falls, $100; Karen Shetler, Thief River Falls, $50; Glen Halverson, Warren, 1995 U.S. proof set; Harry Sailor, Warren, 1994 U.S. proof set; and Les Hofstad, Plummer, 1995 Silver Eagle dollar.

Funds from the raffle are used in the coin club's scholarship program at Northland Community and Technical College.

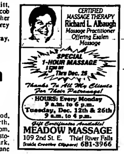
SFC Glen Barth retires from U.S. Army Engineers

SFC Glen A. Barth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barth of Thief River Falls, has retired from the United States Army Engineers after 20 years of active service. His retirement was officially recognized during the Sixteenth Annual Retiree Activity Day at the United States Army Engineer Center and Fort Leonard Wood on September 16, 1995.

Barth plans to purchase land to build a new house at Dixon, Mo. At one time he had planned to go back to Germany after retirement, but his wife and two sons, Stefan and Michael, have adapted well in the United States. In addition, they would have had to go back to German schools, which would have posed a problem as they have forgotten much of the German language. Barth spent 13 years of his army life in Germany and three years at Ft. Campbell, KY. He was in Maryland for a short time and at Ft. Leonard Wood, as well.

He married Erna Phillips in Germany in 1985 and they have two sons, Stefan, age 9, and Michael, age 7.

Barth has accepted a job and plans to go on to college for two years.



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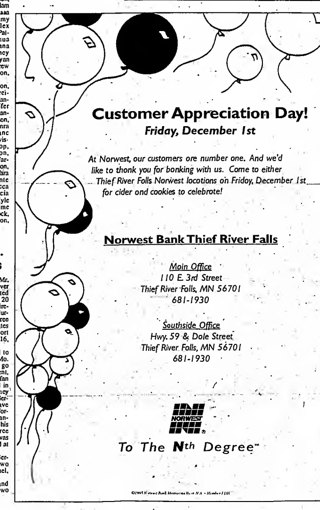

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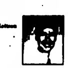
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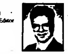
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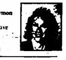
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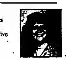
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The Elks Club and Auxiliary plan Christmas activities aimed at helping

Alvin and Bonnie Jensen of Oklee joined several World War II veterans on board the S.S. Independence for a celebration of the 50th anniversary of V-J Day. Alvin served as a merchant marine during World War II and the Gulf War.

Oklee man celebrates personal and national anniversaries

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

It's not often that a person celebrates a 50th anniversary, especially not two in one year. This summer Alvin Jensen did just that. The first was a personal anniversary, the second, a national one.

On July 13 marked 50 years since Alvin first set foot on a sea vessel. September 2 marked the 50th anniversary of V-J Day and the end of World War II.

Alvin joined the merchant marines in 1945 at the age of 17. His first job as a wiper was to pull unburned coal from the ship's furnace. Even after the war ended Alvin continued to work at sea. He has sailed to Europe, the Mediterranean and Central and South America.

After eight years as a merchant marine he moved to Oklee and married. He and his wife Bonnie raised nine kids and owned a mink ranch. When the Persian Gulf war started in 1991, Alvin read in the newspaper that there was a need for merchant marines to run the Navy cargo ships. The mink wasn't doing very well at the time so Alvin decided to answer the call and return to sea.

At age 63, he re-applied for his Engineer License and served in the Persian Gulf. After the war was over, Alvin decided to continue as a merchant marine and engineer, this time on civilian vessels.

In 1993 he began working for American Hawaii Cruises. He is Third A(Assistant)/Engineer on the S.S. Independence. Alvin explained that most the people who work on the ship are on a four month rotation. That's 126 straight days, ten hours a day. Then they typically take two months off. Alvin has been home for a few months, but he will be back at work on December 15.

Although Alvin continues to return to the S.S. Independence he could be assigned almost anywhere just by calling the union and asking what's available.

As a ship's engineer, Alvin is responsible for all the mechanical workings of the ship and its facilities. A cruise ship is like a hotel sitting on top of a ship, explains Alvin. The engineers are responsible for both parts. The first, second and third assistant engineers rotate duties in four hour shifts, or watches. Each works two shifts a day, either 12 to 4, 4 to 8 or 8 to 12. They work for four hours, have eight hours off, and return for the second shift. For example, an engineer might work from 12 a.m. to 4 a.m., rest for eight hours and work from noon to 4 p.m. That type of shift is typical for cargo, cruise and other ships. What is different about cruises is the number of crew members. A regular ship would have a crew of about 30 to 36 people. The cruise ship has a crew of about 300 people. The Independence has 40 people in the engineering department alone.

Alvin loves his job with the cruise line and working in Hawaii is certainly a benefit.

"A ship is a fascinating thing," he explains. "And what better place to go in winter time?"

The weather isn't the only thing that's warm, so are the people.

"Cruises are especially nice because there are so many friendly people on board," says Alvin. He enjoys mingling and visiting with the passengers. He used to lead tours through the engineering room. One man said the tour was the highlight of his week.

The passengers make cruises special, but so does the crew. Alvin said that the crew is like a family. He is friends with crew members from the hotel manager to the greeters.

The national anniversary that Alvin celebrated occurred while he was off duty.

Crew members are allowed one free cruise each year. Alvin and his wife Bonnie took a cruise after he finished his last tour in late August. The cruise they were on happened to be full of World War II veterans who took part in a week of events commemorating the 50th anniversary of V-J Day. Alvin and Bonnie also took part in the festivities. They met veterans from all over the country and special guests, including former USO entertainer Maxine Andrews.

Alvin pointed out that, although he was at sea during WWII, he did not receive an honorable discharge until 1988. That was the year that Congress approved veterans status for merchant marines who served prior to July 1945.

When the cruise docked at Honolulu, the Jensens continued to attend V-J Day anniversary ceremonies. On September 2 they attended the National Memorial Service at Punchbowl Cemetery where many dignitaries, including President Clinton spoke. Alvin even shook Clinton's hand.

Alvin plans to continue working as an engineer for a couple more years. He works enough days each year to qualify for a pension when he does finally retire. But it's clear that Alvin doesn't just work for the pension. He really loves his job.

"I liked going to sea before, but now, on a cruise, it's better."

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When on duty, Alvin is responsible for all mechanical and electrical workings on the ship. Alvin first joined the merchant marines during World War II. After the war he became a mink farmer. At age 64 he went back to sea as an engineer for a cruise ship.

Thief River Falls Area
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Library Storytime at 11:15 at the TRF Library.

Look Good-Feel Better program at 5 p.m. at Sylon Chateau.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m; this week's topic is Quality Child Care.

Friday

Square Dance at Lincoln School in Crookston at 8 p.m.

Saturday

A Taste of Christmas at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Merry Christmas Cookie Sale at 10 a.m. at United Methodist Church.

Benefit Supper for James Olson at Newfolden Community Center from 5-7 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Winter Safety In Your Car seminar at Crossroads office from 3-5 p.m.

Family and Friends Support Group for those caring for Alzheimer's patients meets at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church of Warren from 10-11:30 a.m.

Lincoln Orchestra Concert at 7:30 at LHS auditorium.

Senior Meal at Heritage Center is chicken dinner at 5:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.

Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:3-7:30 in Thief River Falls. Call 681-5557 or 1-800-660-6667 for questions and to register.

Foot Care Clinic at the Newfolden Community Center at 1 p.m.

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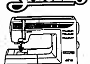
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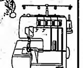
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McFarlands celebrate 40th anniversary

Esther and Arlan McFarland of Oslo celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary October 21. They were married October 21, 1955 in Minneapolis. On October 22 a dinner, hosted by their children and their families, was held at the Royal Forks in Grand Forks.

Their children and families are Brenda and Dean Qualley of Moorhead, Tammy McFarland of Grafton, ND, Terrie and Ron Clemetson of Grand Forks and Tim McFarland of Oslo.

Arnold Gunderson celebrates 90th birthday

Arnold Gunderson celebrated his 90th birthday on November 26. His three daughters, Marilyn Hanson of Bemidji, Nancy Falls of Anoka and Sandi Stordahl of Austin, TX, along with his two sons, Wayne Gunderson of Seattle, WA and David Gunderson of Minnetonka, surprised him with an open house and dinner on October 14 at the Heritage Center in Thief River Falls. Family and friends, several grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews attended the celebration. Arnold was honored by those in attendance with fond remembrances of special times spent with him, hugs, and lots of candy for his sweet tooth.

Arnold was born on November 26, 1905 at rural Glyndon, the son of Olaus and Gundhild (Swenkeson) Gunderson. He grew up and received his education in the rural Glyndon area and in Moorhead. He later moved with his family to rural Thief River Falls.

He married Anne Stene of Thief River Falls on August 8, 1936. Arnold farmed and worked at Land O' Lakes and later Bridgeman's for a number of years until retirement. Presently, Arnold resides at Valley Home in Thief River Falls. He is loved for his good and gentle ways.

Zion Leisure Fellowship to meet Dec. 6

Zion Leisure Fellowship will meet at 2 p.m. December 6. The program will be a tape, "The Glory of Christmas," made at the Crystal Cathedral.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times

• On November 20, a baby boy was born to Thomas and Laura Gullikson of Middle River. He has been named Dakota Martin.

• On November 22, a baby girl was born to Lowell and DeAnna Anderson of Newfolden. She has been named Angel DeAnna.

• On November 23, a baby boy was born to Denais and Angela Torkelson of Plummer. He has been named Travis Lee.

Surprise 40th birthday party

There will be a surprise birthday party for Dale Bergeron and Larry Klinker on Saturday, December 2 at the Thief River Falls VFW. Please be there by 8 p.m.

Ron and Sheryl Northup have a baby boy

Evan Alesander was born November 9 at home. He weighed six pounds 12 ounces. His parents are Ron and Sheryl Northup.

He has two brothers and four sisters, Ron II, Amelia, Abbegail, Aaron, Josiah and Elissa. Grandparents are Laurel and Beverly Wittman of Warren and Vyron and Helen Northup of Puposky.

Tri-Valley bus schedule set

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of December 4 through December 8. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, December 4

Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Destination Grand Forks 11 a.m. Bus departs Beltrami 8:15 a.m. and stops in Fertile 8:40, Winger 9:00, Erskine 9:20, Mentor 9:35, Crookston 10:10, Fisher 10:40. Returns to East Grand Forks for passengers at 11:15.

Marshall County Bus: Destination Thief River Falls 10 a.m. Departs Middle River at 8:00 with stops in Gatzke 8:30, Grygla 9:00 and Goodridge 9:20.

Tuesday, December 5

Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Crookston

Marshall County Bus: Destination Grand Forks 10 a.m. Departs Middle River at 7:45 and stops in Holt 8:00, Thief River Falls 8:30 and St. Hilaire 9:00.

Wednesday, December 6

Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Red Lake Falls from 1-3 p.m.

Marshall County Bus: Destination Warren 10 a.m. Departs Strandquist at 8:30 a.m. and stops in Argyle at 9:30.

Thursday, December 7

Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Marshall County Bus: Destination Thief River Falls 9:30 a.m. Departs Middle River at 8 a.m. and stops in Newfolden 8:20 and Holt 8:40

December 8

Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Destination Thief River Falls 11:15 a.m. Departs Crookston at 8:00 and stops in Mentor 8:30, Erskine 8:45, Brooks 9:05, Oklee 9:25, Plummer 9:45 and Red Lake Falls 10:15.

Marshall County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

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DIAMONDS & DESIGNS

SPEAKING OF
Sherry LaCoursiere

...Lefse Lunacy

I have great regard for all of those women (and men) out there who dare to make their own lefse. They must be extremely talented bakers and have the patience of Job.

I tried making lefse for Thanksgiving and I have never had such a mess in my kitchen and such a smell all over my house.

This was the first time I had tried lefse all by myself. When I was a little girl I remember turning the lefse when my grandma made it, and I think I did it well. But actually making the dough and then rolling it out were things I had never done.

I found a recipe in one of my good, old faithful church cookbooks and proceeded to boil and rice the potatoes and mix up the rest of the dough and then pop it into the fridge. Now what to do?

Since I am not so stupid, I called one of my aunts who makes lefse. She gave me some tips — roll as thin as possible — don't use too much flour — don't handle too much — don't turn too often while baking.

Okay, this sounded fairly easy. After all, I can roll pie dough, so I should be able to do this.

My first mistake was buying a lefse griddle at a rummage sale. I didn't stop to think that there might be some reason why they were selling the doggone thing. It didn't take long before I realized that the griddle was too hot. Of course it did not have any heat control on it, so I couldn't turn it down.

By this time, my house was filled with smoke from burning flour.

The second problem was that my dough was too soft. I had made the rolls of dough that my aunt suggested instead of the little balls that my recipe said. I should have been suspicious when the little pieces I cut off of the roll stuck to the counter, the knife and my hands (yes, I did refrigerate that dough for a long, long time, so I don't know why it stuck so).

Anyway, my aunt's advice to use as little flour as possible was soon abandoned as I struggled to roll the sticky little pieces of dough into a large, flat lefse. It took cups of flour to keep the little things in one piece and keep them from sticking to everything they touched.

With plenty of flour, I eventually had a thin circle that somewhat resembled those lefse I baked for my grandmother, so on the griddle it went, along with plenty of excess flour, which immediately began to burn and smoke. It was done in no time, long before I had time to cut out another chunk of lefse and roll it out.

Soon there were three of us trying to make this lefse — me, my son and his girlfriend. One of us would try to roll as fast as possible, the other was baking the lefse, and the third was taking the lefse off to the dining room table to pile up and keep from drying out.

Soon it was so smokey in the house that we could hardly see the dining room table, let alone anything else. We found that we had to scrape the griddle after cooking each lefse so that the burned flour would not get stuck in the next lefse. My kitchen was soon festooned with that blackened flour.

I also found I had to clean the turning stick and the lifting stick after making each lefse, so I accumulated a huge amount of dish cloths and towels that were filled with lefse dough. The lefse dough is like sticky paste.

After all was said and done, we came out with 18 strange lefse (lefse — is it plural as it is or does one add an "s"? I don't know, so I will not add an "s".) Some of the lefse looked quite good and others looked like burned napkins.

We did serve the best of it for our Thanksgiving feast, however, and everyone said it was very good. I hope they were telling the truth. I still have a package of the strange-looking ones in my refrigerator, but they are gradually getting eaten too.

I wonder if I will make lefse again for Christmas. Gosh, every time I think of doing all of that work again I think how nice it would be just to go buy it at the store.

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The Christmas pet: What to expect when the holiday is over

Thinking about buying or adopting a new furry friend for your children this Christmas? You might want to do some research to avoid making a rash decision.

"Many parents, caught up in the holiday spirit, buy a pet without considering whether or not their family is ready for one," says Dr. Dan Carey, a veterinarian with The Iams Company. "Truth is, a new puppy or kitten is like a baby, they require a tremendous amount of attention, time and money, but the rewards of having one are immeasurable."

Is your family ready for a pet? Here are some things worth considering.

• **Do you have time, time and more time?** All new pets command a lot of attention, but this is especially true of puppies. Until a puppy is housebroken and comfortable with his surroundings, he will need constant supervision. A comfortable crate is effective while everyone is at work or school (providing that someone is on hand to walk and feed the dog at certain times during the day). Remember, puppies thrive on human companionship and will not hesitate to let you know this, at any time of the day or night.

It will be your job, not your children's to properly housebreak your pet. This takes time and patience. Good training from the start means less headaches for you, fewer messes on your carpet and a happier Fido or Fluffy.

• **Veterinarian visits are vital to your pet's good health.** It is important to remember that pets need yearly veterinary check-ups, even if nothing is wrong. Preventive medicine is easier, and often less expensive, than curing an illness or correcting a problem. At the yearly check-up, make sure your pet receives its proper vaccinations.

Also, unless you plan to breed your dog or cat professionally, spaying and neutering is essential. Along with helping to alleviate the growing number of unwanted pets in this country, spaying can help prevent some forms of cancer in pets. The operation is safe; your veterinarian can advise you of the proper age for your pet to be spayed or neutered.

• **The right match.** Here's the situation: you live in an apartment in the city. Your kids have been begging Santa to stuff their stocking with a Siberian Husky this Christmas. Against your better judgement, you get them the husky pup. Really, a puppy so little and cute can't get that big. Right?

Many people purchase puppies based on pressure from their kids or on the puppy's appearance. They do not take into account how big that puppy will get, that the breed may not adapt to young children, or is high-spirited and needs room to run. It is best to research the breed before you purchase the puppy and save yourself the heartache of owning an animal that's not a good match for your family's lifestyle.

• **Some (pet) food for thought.** You spend plenty of time picking out the best foods for your family and chances are you'll do the same for your pet. Hers are some tips: Growing and active pets need a high-protein, high-fat diet. What's good for you is not necessarily good for your pet. Read pet food labels carefully to be sure your cat or dog food is high in animal based protein. It should appear at the top of the list.

To prevent stomach upsets, find a well-balanced, dry pet food and stick with it, using a nutritious canned food for variety. Foods with better quality ingredients are more readily absorbed and utilized, which means pets need less food and produce less waste.

Owning a pet can be a wonderful, rewarding experience, if you do your homework. Also giving your children a pet not only gives them a best friend, but teaches them the basics of responsibility and reliability.

If you have more questions about adding a dog or cat to the family call the Iams Pet Nutrition Center and Hotline at 1-800-863-4267, Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Maxine Andrews of the Andrews Sisters was one of the special guests on board the S.S. Independence when its crew and passengers calabrated the 50th anniversary of V-J Day. Alvin and Bonnie Jensen of Oklee and their son Alan met Ms. Andrews while on the cruise. Seated from left to right are Ms. Andrews, Bonnie, Alan and Alvin Jensen.

Crookston Squarenaders to host dance

The Crookston Squarenaders will dance on December 1 at 8 p.m. at Lincoln School with Jack Jirak calling the tips and Doris Muir cueing the rounds. All area dancers are welcome.

ON MY MIND
Kim Chadwick-Quade

The Best Tree We Ever Had!

O Christmas tree, your branches are lovely. On second thought, maybe that tree over there is lovelier. No. No. Maybe the other one is more shapely. But that tree has a fine, pointed top.

Oh, the joys of the once-a-year search for the perfect Christmas tree. When I was a child, we visited every tree lot in town. Dad held the prospective tree while Mom gave it the eye, deciding if this would be the ONE. We enjoyed tree shopping then and viewed it as a fun night.

As teens, we traipsed along because our parents wanted us to. We always hoped the ONE could be found at the first gas station. We acted bored and uninterested and oohed and aahed unenthusiastically over any tree just to get the job done.

Now, as adults we bring our children to choose a tree because it's a family outing, a tradition and it's just what you do.

After our son was born five years ago, my husband and I revived his family's tradition of cutting our own tree. Of course, his family hiked into the forest near their home in rural Montana; we sought out a local tree farm.

We discovered that cutting our own tree can be an adventure. There are literally hundreds of trees from which to choose – and they're so far apart.

The weather determines how far you venture off the road to locate your special tree. Thirty degrees below zero makes you appreciate that scrawny, but personable tree, two feet from the road. Maybe the saw would reach without having to leave the warmth of the car.

A mild day means that even though the perfect tree stands right next to the car, there has to be a better one just a little farther. I think: "We can always come back and get this one." The question is: Can we?

After 10 or 15 minutes of searching, all the trees begin to look alike. I've been tempted to bring colored string to mark all the trees under consideration. If we don't find a better one, we try to go back and cut that first or second choice. Somehow it doesn't work right. Maybe it was that one over there. No, I don't think so; it's too short. Maybe it was off to the left a little bit. I can't remember.

Soon, the car is nowhere in sight and I wish I would have left a popcorn trail leading back to the car. We might need flares to signal for help.

We also need the help of a tape measure. Trees growing in a field can be deceiving in size. Still attached to roots, the tree appears to be a six-footer and there shouldn't be a problem getting it into the living room. Wrong. The first clue should be the fact it doesn't fit well in the trunk or on the roof of the car. The second and final clue is when we have to cut the branches off to get it through the front door and chop off the top so it doesn't touch the ceiling. These extra branches can be wired in later to fill any bare spots.

These trees with the bare spots attract the children, who make the Christmas tree hunt interesting. Our son insisted on choosing our family tree, but he preferred the ones that were about three feet tall and on the lean side. We gently steered him to some of the larger models worth the $15 investment.

There's a certain satisfaction driving home with a freshly-cut tree. There's also a slight worry; we don't want this year's tree to be someone else's hood ornament before we get the tree home and in the tree stand.

Once in the house and decorated, each year we say: "This is the best tree we've ever had."

Senior meal at Heritage Center

The senior meal at the Heritage Center on Monday, December 4 is a chicken dinner at 5:30 p.m. with entertainment to follow. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

95th birthday party on Dec. 1 for Albina Hruby

There will be an open house on Friday, December 1 at the Chenney Hruby home in honor of Albina Hruby's 95th birthday. All friends and family are invited.

RL Watershed represented at state meeting

Five representatives of the Red Lake Watershed District headquartered in Thief River Falls will be among more than 100 to attend the annual meeting of the Minnesota Association of Watershed District (THAN) December 1 and 2 at the Radisson Arrowwood resort in Alexandria.

Vern Johnson of Clearbrook, a member of the Red Lake Watershed District board, will preside at the state meeting as president of the state association.

"This meeting is a perfect opportunity for watershed district managers to get together and discuss issues that concern us all, Johnson said. "Although some issues vary according to the area of the state, many—such as water quality, wetlands, flood control and financing projects—remain the same.

In addition to conducting business of the state association, managers will be able to attend a number of training seminars on topics such as water drainage systems, project permitting, watershed management and selecting professional contractors.

Representing the Red Lake Watershed District in addition to Johnson will be managers Leonard Moe of Grygla, Russell Sander of Fosston and Don Schirrick of Red Lake Falls and administrator Lowell Enerson. Moe is president of the district's board of managers.

Watershed districts are local units of government that manage water within the natural hydrologic boundaries of a watershed. Minnesota has 42 such districts, each of which is governed by a board of three to nine managers.

A Taste of Christmas at OSL

Second annual "A Taste of Christmas will take place Saturday, December 2, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls.

Cider and coffee will be served and baked goods, crafts, candy and other items offered for sale. Lefse will be baked and served all day. To order for pick-up that day call Deb Carlson at 681-8762. Proceeds from the sale will go toward the church building fund.

Cantata at Our Saviour's church on Sunday

Senior, Youth and Children's choirs of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church will perform a Christmas cantata entitled "Come, Let Us Adore Him" Sunday, December 3, at 5 p.m. in the church at 401 St. Paul Avenue South.

Avis Dyrud will direct the cantata which will also include organ, piano, trumpets and flute. A potluck supper will follow the presentation and the public is welcome to bring family and friends to the evening of music and fellowship.

The church will also have Christmas Eve services at 4 p.m. on Sunday, December 24.

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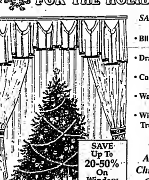

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TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Whipped Snow Painting

The following activity is a way to play with "snow" when it's too cold to go outside and play in the real snow.

You will need Ivory Soap Flakes, a bowl, a hand mixer, warm water and dark paper.

Mix one cup of Ivory Soap Flakes with 1/2 cup warm water. Beat with a hand mixer until the mixture is light and fluffy. Scoop mixture onto dark paper or even the kitchen table and allow the child to fingerpaint with it and create sculptures and designs. This is fun and a very clean activity.

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need brown, white and red paper; crayons, scissors and glue.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

McCully, Emily. **My Real Family.** Thinking she might be adopted, Sarah sets off in search of her real family taking only her backpack and some cold ravioli (to leave a trail).

Archambault, John. **A Beautiful Feast For a Big King Cat.** Only trouble can follow when you put a mischievous little mouse together with a big fat cat who is hungry for dinner.

VIDEO VARIETY

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**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Using Songs To Spend Time With Children

Songs are one of the most powerful, most accessible, most fun and most economical ways to spend time with children! Just sing, while driving in the car, while giving a bath or cooking dinner, while tucking someone in at night or waking them up in the morning. Just sing, anywhere, any time!

Often the problem is that we feel that we can't sing very well, or at least not as well as someone else. Many of us worry that we can't carry a tune. Well, I have good news for you. Young children are not major critics of our voice tones or whether we sound sharp or flat. They simply like to sing and clap and dance around and feel pleasure in the time and attention we are giving them.

When singing with children we should learn to take pleasure in the children's response to the song as much as we take pleasure in the song. Take time to simply watch the child. There is often a focus and a vitality that really are wondrous to see. Noticing what a song does to a child is a key way to be pulled outside ourselves, to leave behind our worries about our own musical abilities and simply be with our children.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Make up your own songs about whatever you are doing at the moment. Or just change the words of a familiar song. Ask your child for suggestions.

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Open house to celebrate Mary Ann Myhrer's birthday

An open house will be held to wish Mary Ann (Sis) Myhrer a Happy Birthday on Sunday, December 3 from 2 to 4 p.m. at her home, 109 W. Greenwood Boulevard, Thief River Falls. The event is hosted by her daughters, Bev and Barb, and their families.

Look Good-Feel Better program at Stylon Chateau

Pennington County Cancer Society will present their Look Good Feel Better program on Wednesday, November 29 at 5 p.m. at the Stylon Chateau. For more information call Diane Freeman at 681-7129.

American Legion Auxiliary to meet on December 5

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday evening, December 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the Post. There will be a Christmas gift exchange. Everyone please bring half a dozen Christmas goodies for the lunch.

Foot care clinic in Newfolden

Appointments are now necessary for foot care. To make an appointment, call Senora Elseth at 874-8305. The foot care clinic is scheduled for Newfolden area residents on Tuesday, December 5 at 1 p.m. at the Community Center. Nurses from North Valley Home Health will soak feet and trim nails. There is a $6 charge per person.

Friends & Family support group meets Dec. 4

Friends and Family Support group will meet at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Warren on December 4 from 10-11:30 a.m. The meeting is for family members or friends who provide care and/or support to elderly persons. Many of the group's members have a loved one diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or other related disorder. Individuals with a loved one in a nursing home are welcome.

Benefit supper for James Olson planned

A scalloped potatoes and ham benefit supper will be held Saturday, December 2 from 5-7 p.m. at the Newfolden Community Center for James Olson of Viking. Westaker Free Lutheran Church is sponsoring the event with AAL Branch 7090 providing matching funds. James injured his hand this summer in a farm accident.

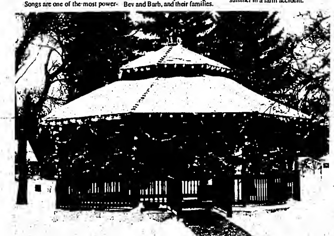
Haldi Hoks read the Christmas story of Christ's birth at the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony. The ceremony was held at the new gazebo in Floyd B. Olson park in Thief River Falls Sunday evening. Following the ceremony, which included caroling and prayer, hot chocolate donated by Bridgaman's, and SuperValu provided the cookies.

Elks activities for Christmas aim at helping

Elks Lodge and the Women of the Elks have make plans to participate in several community activities to help less fortunate people during the Christmas holiday season.

To provide additional funds for the Christmas for Pennington County program—which provides gifts to children who might otherwise not receive any—the Elks will donate $1 from the sale of each hamburger, cheeseburger or chicken sandwich sold from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. during the four Saturdays in December preceding Christmas. Members who would be willing to cook and/or serve are asked to contact Steve Wilson at 681-3562 or 681-8460.

Women of the Elks will participate in the Christmas Toy Drop as well as purchasing gifts for residents of Valley Home and enter the Christmas tree contest. Proceeds from this contest go to Northland Community Hospice and the decorated trees are given to families in need.



The Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony in Thief River Falls was held at Floyd B. Olson park this year in the new gazebo. More than 50 people attended the event, which included caroling, prayer, the reading of the Christmas story, speeches, and tunes from members of the Northland Community band. Following the event, cookies and hot chocolate were served in the basement of St. Bernard's church.

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Obituaries

Neoma Madunich, 75 — Pervin C. Quam, 68
Eunice C. Hagen, 78 — Marie Desrosier, 96
Leone W. Murphy, 94 — Charles Sorenson, 96
LaVern J. Rambeck, 76 — Albert Fisher, 32

Leone Wilde Murphy, 94

Thief River Falls — Leone Wilde Murphy, 94, died peacefully on Thursday, November 16 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, May 11, 1996 at 2:30 p.m. at United Methodist Church in Thief River Falls. Interment will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

Leone Wilde Murphy was born on February 11, 1901 in Park River, ND to Wilbur and Alice (Cox) Wilde.

She was united in marriage to Jackson Murphy on November 26, 1923 in Minneapolis. Business took Leone and Jack to Chicago, IL, New York, NY, Minneapolis, Seattle, WA and Spokane, WA.

Leone was a charge nurse at Seattle General Hospital during World War II.

The couple returned to Minneapolis in 1946 and in 1966 retired and bought a farm in Mayfield township, Pennington County. In 1972 they sold the farm and moved to Thief River Falls. Her husband Jackson died February 2, 1990 and Leone continued to live in Thief River Falls.

Leone was extremely giving to her family and a great homemaker. She was a member of the United Methodist Church and its Ladies Aid.

She is survived by one son, G. W. "Bert" Murphy of Spokane, WA; six grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; two brothers, Fred Wilde of Thief River Falls and Milo Wilde of Fosston.

She was preceded in death by her husband Jackson; two infant daughters; one son, 1st Lt. Raymond Blanchard Murphy (killed in Korea); her parents; two brothers, Lawrence and David, and two sisters, Harriet and Grace.

Neoma Madunich, 75

Thief River Falls — Neoma Madunich, 75, died on Saturday, November 25 at United Hospital in Grand Forks, ND.

Mass of Christian burial will be held on Wednesday, November 29 at 1 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church with Fr. Joe DeCrans as celebrant. Special music will be provided by organist Carol Amundson and the Resurrection Choir.

Visitation will be one hour prior to services.

Honorary casketbearers are Carl "Sonny" Carlson, Bill Durheim, Bob Elliot, Leland Guyer, Jr., Jerry Sandahl, Jim Sale and John Sale. Active casketbearers are Tom Durheim, Rich Durheim, John Lulf, Jared Sandahl, Scott Suronen and Steve Terrian. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery with arrangements by Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls.

Neoma Madeline Durheim was born on January 17, 1920 in Bovey to Arthur and Velma "Lea" (Sale) Durheim. Neoma lived in Bovey until she was 10, then moved with her family to Thief River Falls and later to Poplar, MT. She attended local schools in these areas. In 1937 she moved with her family to Keewatin.

On June 16, 1941 she was united in marriage to Anthony "Tony" Madunich in Hibbing. The couple moved to Thief River Falls in 1953 and Neoma worked for a period at Riverside Grocery and Arctic Enterprises.

She was a member of the Christian Women's Club, American Legion Auxiliary and St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls.

She is survived by her husband Tony; three daughters, Marlys Terrian of Newberry, MI, Marcie Madunich of Thief River Falls and Kerry Juneau of St. Hilaire; one son Tony of Meade, WA; seven grandchildren; two brothers, Harold Durheim of Keewatin and Wilton Durheim of Thief River Falls and lifelong special friend, Ruth Oen of Thief River Falls.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one niece Andrea Guyer and one nephew Mark Durheim.

Eunice C. Hagen, 78

Gatzke — Eunice C. Hagen, 78, died Thursday, November 23 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Services were held on Sunday, November 26 at United Lutheran Church at Gatzke with Rev. Arlen Lloyd officiating. Special music was provided by organist Melanie Lunsetter and soloist Colleen Johnson. Selections were "It Is Well With My Soul" and "Finally Home." "Amazing Grace" was sung by the United Church Choir. Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Casketbearers were her grandchildren Mark Overgaard, Scott Overgaard, Kelly Englund, Lon Englund, Lance Englund, Kurt Englund, Lori Hagen and Troy Johnson. Honorary casketbearers were all of Eunice's friends in attendance. Interment was in Moose River Cemetery, Rollis township, Marshall county.

Eunice C. Johnson was born March 3, 1917 in Holt to Hjalmer and Emma (Stokke) Johnson. She was baptized at the Folden Church and confirmed into the Lutheran faith at the Nazareth Lutheran Church. Eunice attended elementary school in Holt, graduated from high school and normal teachers training in East Grand Forks. She taught rural school in Mud Lake and Gatzke areas for several years.

On December 28, 1936, she was united in marriage to Delmar B. Hagen at Holt. At that time Eunice and Delmar began farming in the Gatzke area and she remained on the farm until the time of her death.

Eunice was an active member of United Lutheran Church, where she taught Sunday School and was active in the United Church Women of the ELCA. She was also a member of the Eastern Marshall County Homemakers, Marshall County Historical Society, 4-H Club leader, Grygla Lioness and Gatzke Senior Citizens. Eunice enjoyed traveling, family activities and homemaking.

In appreciation for nursing care, Eunice continued to sustain the Sue Stigen scholarship fund at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

She is survived by one son, Larry Hagen of Gatzke; two daughters, Harlene Overgaard of Roseville and Penny Johnson of Eagan; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; two sisters, Ethel Hyatt of Thief River Falls and Yvonne Green of Middle River; one brother Francis Johnson of Newfolden and many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Delmar, September 2, 1988; her parents; granddaughter, Lana Celinda Johnson; brother Vernon Johnson and sister Eloise Gilbert.

Goodridge

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedborg and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedborg of Thief River Falls were among a group that took the Carpenters Bus to Grand Forks to the Chester Fritz Auditorium where they attended the Will Rogers Follies.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Clarence Dahlen home were Mrs. Neil Liedberg and Sheri and Leo Haugen of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Galles, Jill, Karen and Aaron of Moorhead came on Thanksgiving Day to visit and have dinner at the Norman Liedberg home. Jim Liedborg spent the Thanksgiving Day weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedborg. Jim returned to his home on Sunday at Warren.

Dear Readers,
The casket serves the dual purpose of protecting the mortal remains of the deceased and as being the focal point of the final memory of the funeral service. One's desire to honor the dead should be kept in proper perspective. In selecting a casket, the family of the deceased should be guided by a realistic consideration of their living standard and financial circumstances.
Respectfully,
Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Marie "Rose" Desrosier, 96

Crookston — Marie "Rose" Desrosier, 96, of Crookston, died early Tuesday morning, November 21 at the Riverview Nursing Home in Crookston.

Services were Saturday, November 25 at the Cathedral of Immaculate Conception. Interment was in the Gentilly Cemetery.

Rose was born on July 30, 1899 at Gentilly, the daughter of Remi and Julie (Gagner) Fortier. She was baptized and confirmed in the Catholic faith. Rose grew up in the Gentilly-Terrebonne area and attended rural school.

She worked as a housekeeper for area priests for many years and in the homes of several prominent families in Minneapolis and St Paul.

In 1972 Rose was united in marriage to David Desrosier and the couple moved to Saginaw, MI. David died in May of 1987 and Rose moved back to Crookston in August of that year. Rose was a member of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception.

She is survived by a sister-in-law, Florence Fortier of St. Paul and many nieces and nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband, David; her parents; two sisters, Eva Lamarre and Victoria Murman, and five brothers, Raymond, Leo, Octave, Albert and infant Leo.

Pervin Clarence Quam, 68

Fosston — Pervin Clarence Quam, 68, died Monday, November 20 after a lengthy battle with cancer.

Services were Friday, November 24 at Kingo Lutheran Church in Fosston with Pastor Thomas Anderson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Colette Fish and vocalists Vernon Wold and Lloyd Wold. Congregational hymns were "On Eagle's Wings" and "How Great Thou Art." Selections were "One Day at a Time" and "Come Home It's Supper Time."

Honorary pallbearers were Orvis Bjerklie, Wendell Opdahl, Orville Skadsem and Steve LaVoi. Active pallbearers were John Blaser, Allen Hemmingsen, Dennis Hemmingson, Donald Bolmo, Lloyd Dunrud and Kenneth Wold. Flag presentation was by Tagen-Walstrom American Legion Post #114, Fosston. Interment was in Kingo Lutheran Cemetery, Fosston.

Pervin Clarence Quam was born September 3, 1927 in Eden township, Polk county to Edwin and Alice Larson Quam. He was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith. He grew up and attended school in the Trail area. Pervin served his country during the Korean Conflict and attained the rank of Corporal.

Pervin was united in marriage to Jean Torkelson on September 3, 1955 in Trail. Pervin worked wonders with a hammer, wood and nails. He touched many lives and businesses in the area with his woodworking and building talents.

He was an active member of the Kingo Lutheran Church in Fosston where he was a former Deacon, a member of the building committee and a member of the Men's Club.

He was also a member of the Tangen-Walstrom American Legion Post #114 in Fosston.

Pervin adored his four grandchildren and enjoyed fishing and playing the guitar. His wonderful smile and positive attitude will live in the memories of those who knew him.

He is survived by his wife, Jean of Fosston; one daughter, Deb Waine of Moorhead; two sons, Curt of Fosston and Gary of Eagan; four grandchildren; one brother, Art Quam of Fosston; one sister Delores Bjerklie of Cherry and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Edwin and Alice, and one sister Irene.

LaVern J. Rambeck, 76

Glenwood — LaVerne J. Rambeck, 76, of Glenwood died Monday, November 20 at his home on Pelican Lake after a heroic battle with cancer.

Services were Friday, November 24 at Glenwood Lutheran Church with Rev. Andrew Hermodson-Olsen officiating. Interment with full military honors was at Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis. Arrangements were by Hoplin Funeral Chapel, Glenwood.

LaVern was born on August 7, 1919 in Thief River Falls, the eldest son of Arthur and Clara (Hamre) Rambeck. He was baptized and confirmed into the Lutheran faith in Thief River Falls. He graduated from Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls.

After attending the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks, he entered the U.S. Army at Fort Snelling on April 2, 1942. He was a radio operator and a half-track driver in the 13th Armored Division of Patton's Third Army in Central Europe and Rhineland during World War II. He was honorably discharged in October of 1945.

He was a fireman and an engineer with the Soo Line Railroad in Thief River Falls and Glenwood from 1946 to 1986. He was the local chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers in Glenwood.

He married Evelyn Pauline Johnson in Thief River Falls on February 15, 1942. They had five children.

On June 30, 1984, he married Dorothy Robarge Brattland in Minneapolis.

LaVerne loved the challenge of fixing anything that needed repair. Since retirement he also enjoyed yard work, his friends and traveling during the winter months. He was a member of the American Legion, VFW, Masonic Lodge in Thief River Falls, Glenwood Lutheran Church, the Pelican Lake Association, and the 13th Armored Division Association.

LaVern is survived by his wife Dorothy of Glenwood; daughters, Judy Neufeld of Newcastle, WA; Carol Stumpf of Thief River Falls and Joan Rambeck of Minneapolis; sons, Dr. Lynn John of Eden Prairie; and James Rambeck of Savage; eight grandchildren; brother Raymond of Thief River Falls; sister Elaine Pederson of Twin Valley; stepdaughter Susan Moore of Burnsville; stepson, William Brottland of Minneapolis and two step grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; stepmother, Julia, and step-brother, Howard Haugen.

Charles "Charlie" Sorenson, 96

Coon Rapids — Charles "Charlie" Sorenson, 96, died Tuesday, November 21 at Camilia Rose Convalescent Home, Coon Rapids.

Services were held Saturday, November 25 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Gory Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and soloist Dione Johnson. Selections were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "The Old Rugged Cross." Congregational hymns were "Amazing Grace" and How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Scott Olson, Bryan Olson, Roger Lundstrom, Alden Carlson, Dahlen Green, Keith Maidment and David Furuseth. Honorary casketbearers were all Charlie's friends and neighbors.

Charles Senius Sorenson was born November 11, 1899 in Norden township, Pennington county, to Soren and Mattie (Larson) Sorenson. He attended Norden/City View rural school through eighth grade.

Charles married Evelyn Saugen (a school teacher) on June 16, 1931 in Thief River Falls. The couple made their home on the farm in Norden township.

Evelyn died May 6, 1973. Charles continued to live on the farm until he was 92. In April 1992, he moved to Minneapolis to live with his two daughters. On August 28, 1994, he moved to Camilia Rose Convalescent Home in Coon Rapids where he has since resided.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls. He was also a member of Farmers Union and Director on the Thief River Falls Elevator Board for several years.

He is survived by two daughters, Brunell Allerson of Anoka and Elaine Maidment of Fridley; two grandchildren, Charles "Chuck" and Lori Allerson; one sister, Ethel Larson of Thief River Falls and several nieces and nephews.

Charles was preceded in death by his wife Evelyn; one son Wendell; his parents, Soren and Mattie; three brothers, Samuel, Ole and Henry; eight sisters, Mary Swanson, Anna Olson, Carrie Hollander, Minnie Myrom, Ina Ness, Mabel Ness, Gladys Malchow, and a sister in infancy; and son-in-law Robert Allerson

Albert G. Fisher, 32

Flagstaff, AZ — Albert Gene Fisher, 32, died as the result of an apartment fire on Sunday, November 19.

Private services will be held in the spring with arrangements by Green Funeral Home.

Albert was born December 18, 1962 at Breckenridge to Kenneth Fisher and Marilyn (Ewert) Fisher Karel. He was baptized at Nashua Lutheran Church near Breckenridge and confirmed at Bethany Lutheran Church near Thief River Falls. He attended school for two years at Breckenridge and the family moved to Fergus Falls where he attended school for two more years.

In 1971 they moved to Smiley township, Pennington county and he attended school in Thief River Falls.

In 1983 he moved to Arizona and has since lived in the Flagstaff and Phoenix areas.

He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Marilyn and Richard Karel of rural Thief River Falls; sisters, Kandace Hazard, Lisbon, ND, Kathy Miller, Bird Island, Kay Richland, Portland, OR, Karin Garthus, Salol and Leah Karel, Warroad; grandmother Myrtle Ewert, Breckenridge; 11 nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father; two brothers, Joseph and Mark Karel, and grandparents, LaVern and Mable Fisher and Albert Ewert.

Q&A SOCIAL SECURITY

Provided by the Social Security District Office In Grand Forks, ND

Q. Recently my sister applied for Social Security and told me that she gets from her own earnings and then one-half of her husband's. If this is true can I get part of my wife's SSA to go with mine?

A. There is some misunderstanding here. When SSA processes any retirement application we always ask about the person's marital status so that we can check on the possibility of the person receiving on someone else's record based on a current or former marriage and also to check if someone else could receive on the retiree's record. It is a very popular, but wrong, misconception that a wife will receive one-half of a husband's benefit amount. It is possible that a spouse could receive one-half of a husband's (or wife's) benefit amount—but it is not usually so.

Whenever Social Security computes the amount of the wage earner's retirement check (your sister's in this case), we first determine how much would be received on their own earnings record if they were age 65. This figure is their primary insurance amount (PIA). When both the husband and wife are alive, the smaller PIA would have to be less than one-half the higher PIA for any spousal benefit to be payable.

For example: His PIA is $800 and hers is $600. No spousal benefit is payable because one-half of the higher PIA ($800 divided by 2 equals $400) is less than the $600 of the smaller PIA. Here she would receive on her record and he would receive on his. Using this example, the wife's own PIA would have to be less than $400 before a spousal benefit was payable and then her own SSA would lower the amount of spousal benefit payable.

If the retiree is younger than age 65, the retirement amount is reduced for the number of months that they are younger than 65. Any potential spousal benefit to either the husband or wife is further reduced based on the amount payable from their own retirement as well as age if younger than 65. In other words, the amount of your sister's benefit as a wife would have been lowered based on how much she received from her own earnings record plus an additional reduction if she is less than age 65.

The spouse would receive approximately one-half of the wage earner's amount only if both start Social Security retirement at age 65 and if the spouse did not work under Social Security or a different government pension. Survivor benefits are computed in a different manner.

Q. My brother does not have a birth certificate but can get a delayed one established with the state. Should he?

A. For Social Security purposes a delayed birth certificate would not be any help. We would use the same basic information to establish his age for Social Security as he would need to get the delayed certificate.

Q. As a snowbird, my check automatically goes to my North Dakota bank. Is it really useful to notify Social Security whenever I leave or return to North Dakota? I'm usually gone every winter for about four months.

A. Yes, keep Social Security advised of your address changes even though you use direct deposit. During the year Social Security often sends informational mailings to the residence address of record.

Q. What legislative changes will be coming up soon concerning Social Security?

A. Your guess is as good as mine.

Reminder: Children and others planning on getting a summer job should be sure that they have their Social Security card to show employers. To replace a missing card at no charge complete form SS-5 (Application for a Social Security Number). You need to provide some form of current ID when submitting the application and a list of acceptable ID's is on the form. Examples could include school activity cards or report cards.

The process can be completed by either mail or in person but be aware that local offices do not immediately issue you a replacement card. The card will be mailed in about 2-3 weeks.

Q. I understand that the Social Security system is not designed to provide complete retirement income. For how many people is Social Security the only income?

A. For age related retirement/Survivor benefits, the Social Security program pays monthly checks to more than 90 per cent of those aged 65 or older. Using 1990 figures, Social Security provides at least 50 per cent of total income for 59 per cent of beneficiaries; contributes 90 per cent or more of all income for 24 per cent of beneficiaries; and is the only income for 13 per cent.

According to 1990 information, overall income sources for those receiving age based retirement/survivor benefits are from the following sources:

Social Security Benefits, 36%; private pensions, 9%; Government employee pensions, 9%; personal assets, 24%; earnings, 18%; and other, 4%.

Just over one-third (36%) of the aged are kept out of poverty by their Social Security benefits, a proportion that varies little by marital status or race. Overall, 14% of the aged are poor; without Social Security, the total poverty rate would be 50 per cent.

This information is from statistical data compiled by the research and statistics component of Social Security.

Q. Does Medicare pay for cervical and breast cancer screenings?

A. Yes. Medicare Part B helps pay for Pap smears to screen for the detection of cervical cancer and for X-ray screenings (mammograms) for the detection of breast cancer.

Q. Will Medicare pay for services in Canada?

A. Except for very limited circumstances Medicare will not pay for medical services outside of the United States or its territories. The three exceptions, including both Mexico and Canada are:

(1) You are in the United States when an emergency occurs, and a Canadian or Mexican hospital is closer to, or substantially more accessible from, the site of the emergency than the nearest U.S. hospital that can provide the emergency services you need.

(2) You live in the United States and a Canadian or Mexican hospital is closer to, or substantially more accessible from, your home than the nearest U.S. hospital that can provide the care you need, regardless of whether an emergency exists, and without regard to where the illness or injury occurs.

(3) You are in Canada traveling by the most direct route between Alaska and another state when an emergency occurs, and a Canadian hospital is closer to, or substantially more accessible from, the site of the emergency than the nearest U.S. hospital that can provide emergency services you need.

For more information request the free HCFA booklet "Medicare Q/A - 85 Commonly Asked Questions" (publication #HCFA 02172). Request this via the SSA national number 1-800-772-1213 or by sending me a postcard.

Strandquist . . . .

Glen and Audray Rasmussen of Walker and Verna Rasmussen of Illinois visited Peter and Pearl Thompson on Monday.

Tuesday visitors at Frank and Judy Kleinvechter's were Jim and Joelo Kleinvechter of Sauk Center, Rennie and Lisa Kleinvechter of Stacy and Claudia Berggren.

U of M scientists use Asian wheat to fight Scab

Wheat varieties from China and Japan are offering hope to Minnesota farmers in their fight against scab, a disease that's causing crop losses in the millions of dollars.

Scab has been devastating for Minnesota wheat producers in recent years. It cut yields across Minnesota by about a third in 1993, according to Roger Jones, plant pathologist with the University of Minnesota's Extension Service. The total economic impact of the disease in Minnesota in 1993 was an estimated 1.8 billion dollar loss, says Jones.

In 1994, scab took a bite of about 18 per cent out of normal yields of 55 bushels per acre, Jones adds. Losses this year were about eight per cent.

For wheat producers in some geographic areas, planting varieties resistant to scab is an effective strategy against the disease. Unfortunately, most of the varieties currently available and adapted to Minnesota have only limited resistance to scab.

Developing varieties that have more scab resistance is an ongoing project of University of Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station scientists. "Our best sources of resistance are lines coming from China and Japan," says Ruth Dill-Macky, U of M plant pathologist. "These lines are adapted to a very different environment and have very different end uses than the varieties we grow in Minnesota. The Asian varieties are spring wheats with very different head shapes. They shatter easily and tend to yield poorly under our conditions."

Dill-Macky also screens barley varieties for scab infection. She's confident that some of the lines will lead to more scab resistance in Minnesota wheat and barley. "In the wheat program, some lines that are better than currently available varieties could be released in two years. In barley, there may be varieties with improved resistance available in three to four years.

"It takes eight years from the time resistant lines are first crossed with varieties adapted to Minnesota until a new variety incorporating the resistance is commercially available. So while we're making good progress in the short term, long-term progress should be much greater."

Greg Dally (right), president of the Thief River Falls chapter of the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association receives a check for $700 from John Lubitz, sporting goods sales representative at the Hardware Hank store in Thief River Falls. The check represents the proceeds from a deer rifle raffle which the store conducted for the local chapter. Winner of the M-77 rifle in .338 caliber with a 4X Leupold scope was Ed Lorenson of Strathcone. With deep snow in the woods already, the chapter anticipates another deer feeding effort may become necessary later this winter.

Cases of flu are confirmed in MN

The first laboratory-confirmed cases of influenza have been reported this fall in Minnesota, and health officials are reminding people over 65 — and others who may be at risk of influenza complications — that it's still not too late to get their shots.

The Public Health Laboratories at the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) have confirmed three cases of Influenza in the Forest Lake school district, and ViroMed — a commercial laboratory in Minneapolis — has confirmed a fourth case from Hennepin County. All four cases were caused by the A Johannesburg strain of the Influenza virus.

MDH officials have also received informal reports of additional influenza-like illness in the northeast portion of the Twin City metro area, but they cautioned that the illness will probably be making an appearance soon in other parts of the Twin Cities and the rest of the state. Officials emphasized that it isn't possible to make any predictions right now about the severity of the upcoming influenza season. The illness usually shows up — and quickly begins to spread — around this time of the year, they noted.

The newly reported cases underscore the importance of getting immunized against influenza — as well as pneumococcal pneumonia, a common complication of the illness. The shots are recommended for people over 65, and people with heart disease, lung disease, diabetes or immune system problems. The shots are also recommended for some health care workers, and for children and teenagers with diseases like arthritis, which are commonly treated with aspirin. In children, aspirin can increase the risk of developing a serious complication of influenza called Reye syndrome.

Although it's still not too late to get immunized, it's important to act quickly, and get the shots before the influenza season gets fully underway. Although the pneumococcal pneumonia shots only have to be given once, the influenza shots have to be repeated every year. Anyone still needing the shots should contact their physician or their local health department, according to MDH officials.

Influenza vaccines are reformulated each year to protect against those strains of the virus that are most likely to show up during the upcoming influenza season. This year's vaccine protects against A Johannesburg — the strain found in the four newly reported Minnesota cases — as well as A Texas and B Bejing.

The symptoms of influenza — which tend to appear suddenly — can include a sore throat, coughing, fever, headache, muscle aches and fatigue. People who become severely ill with influenza-like symptoms should see a physician.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vegle
436-2133

Today in Northwest Minnesota the sky is as blue as a Montana sky. Only night before last the TV sent out warnings about the snow and cold which made us older folks glad to be safe and warm at home. It has been an unusual early winter the old comers say and that reminds me of the weather phrase I heard about 60 years ago in California, "This is so unusual" when the waves became so severe that it washed the lovely beach homes off their pilings until they tipped over. Sometimes I wondered how it hadn't done so before and again they would say "It is so unusual". The Pacific Palisades outside of Santa Monica kept falling down until some houses were hanging out over the highway. Last year the highway was moved farther inland than it used to be. Maybe the snow will go away and we will return to another Indian Summer before we take on the real winter.

Besides the weather, programs and eating has been taking up the most of our time. Before too long a lot of us may be looking for a faulty scale. We heard of a slightly obese female who stepped on one and it only registered 75 pounds. A young lad standing near-by exclaimed "Oh oh, she must be hollow." I think we would do better just to turn our own scales back about 10 pounds and enjoy the season and spend the rest of the winter on the treadmill for 10 to 15 minutes longer each day or make a couple of extra laps around town.

Thanksgiving dinner at Mike and Betty Johnson in Warroad was enjoyed by Elphie, Linda and Stanley Adlis, Richard Johnson of Lake Lakes, George and Joyce Wikstrom of Karlstad, Cory and Lori Wikstrom and family, Alan and Kelly Rogalla and family of Thief River Falls.

Lowell Lofreath enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at Frank and Judy Kleinvechter's. On Saturday, Pat Larsen stopped to visit them and brought some good homemade lefse. Lefse doesn't stay around long in this country and some who came to have a taste of them were Brian Nelson, Karl Kasprowicz and Marcus.

Morris and Marcelyn Lindstrom went to Monagha on Wednesday to visit Tod and Lori Johnson and family and were Thanksgiving guests of son Jeff, Peg and Jarad Lindstrom of Akeley on Thursday. Also there were Ted and Lori Johnson and family, and Dr. Paul and Dianne Ditmansen and family of Bemidji. On Friday, Morris and Marcelyn drove on to Anoka and were houseguests of David and Sharon Lindstrom. They also visited Wilt and Dianne Lindstrom of St. Paul and Paul and Carol Lindstrom and family of Maple Park, IL who were visiting there. Morris and Marcelyn returned home Saturday evening.

Dayhard and Irene Nelson enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the Brian Nelson home in Karlstad.

Among the Thanksgiving guests at Donny and Marlys Lofreath were Elsie Lofreath, Walter Thompson, Donny Larson and Greg Lofreath.

Becky Johnson dined at Peter and Pearl Thompson's on Tuesday evening. On Thanksgiving Day David Thompson, Danny, Becky and Jeremy Johnson had dinner with them.

On Tuesday, Brian Nelson, Karl Kasprowicz and Marcus visited at Frank and Judy Kleinvachter's. Also Claudia Borggren, Joasie and Kali stopped by.

Nan Hamberg of Thief River Falls and Lillian Oermundsen visited Elsie Lofreath on Wednesday afternoon.

On Thursday, the Christmas party at the Strandquist Center will be a potluck dinner and an exchange of gifts. Come and bring a gift for not over $5.00 for one of your own sex—Men bring a present for a men and ladies for ladies. I'm sure we will have a great time. Drawings will be held for prizes.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
378-4367

Guests at the Rodney Bjerklie home for Thanksgiving Day dinner were Clara Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Bjerklie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie, Jamie and Bryan, Leon Peterson.

Megan and Andrea Marquis spent the Thanksgiving Day night with their grandma Clara Peterson. On Friday Renee Marquis came and got the girls.

Orrin Haugen of Hibbing visited at the Gary Johnson home on Friday.

Pastor Dan and Julie Faugstad visited briefly at the Ida Haugen home Tuesday afternoon. Other visitors there recently was Sharron Johnson, Ardith Kloth and Bud and Linda Homme.

Guests at the Ida Haugen home on Thanksgiving Day for a ham and turkey dinner and supper were Orrin and Janice Haugen of Hibbing, Keith Haugen, Mike Goerdt of Duluth, Gary and Sharron Johnson, Ardith Kloth, Bob and Lois Burstad, Bruce Burstad, Brian Johnson, Dave and Mishawn Shasko and Bud and Linda Homme. The afternoon was spent visiting.

Dave and Mishawn Shasko left Friday morning for Faribault where they will visit with relatives over the weekend.

Orrin and Janice Haugen of Hibbing, Mike Goerdt and Keith Haugen of Duluth arrived at the Ida Haugen home Thanksgiving Day and they stayed until Saturday when they returned to their homes.

Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie visited at the Clara Peterson home on Sunday afternoon.

Willie and Jane Good were dinner guests at the Ernest Mostrom home on Thanksgiving Day.

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home recently were Orville Christianson and Willie and Jane Good.

Willie Good visited at the Orban Good home on Sunday.

Dinner guests at the David Arveson home on Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wolden, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wolden and family, Allen Wold en and Annie Arveson of Gonvick.

Those that come to wish David Arveson a happy birthday last week were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mostrom, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Arveson, Mr. and Mrs. David Rindahl. Happy Birthday David!

Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen visited at the Pastor Dan Faugstad home near Oklee last Saturday.

School Lunch Menu

Thief River Falls
Breakfast: Served daily in all schools from 7:45-8:22 a.m.
Breakfast Prices: Elementary, Middle school and Lincoln 75¢/Student $2.20/Adult.
Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25; Middle school/$1.40, Lincoln High/$1.40; Adult/$2.20. 25¢ Extra milk.

LINCOLN
Toppings for Potato Bar: Chili, sour cream, shredded cheese, bacon bits, chopped ham.
"Teen Thursday" - Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2-tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.
In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes, and snack items.

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 4: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: Juice or fruit choice, French toast sticks, syrup, egg pattie, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 7: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Dec. 8: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 4: 1-Italian chicken on a bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: 1-Tacos, chips, fixings, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: 1-Lasagna, garlic toast, salad, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice.
Thursday, Dec. 7: 1-Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.
Friday, Dec. 8: 1-Cheesy burrito, refried beans, shredded lettuce, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL
Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 4: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: Juice or fruit choice, French toast sticks, syrup, egg pattie, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 7: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Dec. 8: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 4: 1-Chicken grill pattie on a bun, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: 1-Mini tacos, fixings, fruit choice, mini carrots and donuts. 2-Polish sausage on a bun, potato rounds, veggies and dip, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: 1-Submarine sandwich, shredded lettuce and tomato slices, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Thursday, Dec. 7: 1-Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, bread, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Friday, Dec. 8: 1-Turkey club sandwich, spicy potato wedges, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY
Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 4: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: Juice or fruit choice, French toast sticks, syrup, egg pattie.
Thursday, Dec. 7: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.
Friday, Dec. 8: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 4: Hamburger on a bun, oven fries, apple slices with caramel dip.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: Italian dunkers with meat sauce, golden corn, pear sauce, graham cracker.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup with crackers, banana.
Thursday, Dec. 7: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, bread, peaches.
Friday, Dec. 8: Hot dog on a bun, baked beans, coleslaw, fruit shape-up.
• Menu subject to change.
• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $5.00; 2 cartons per day is $10.00.

St. Bernard's
Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 4: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 6: Fried egg, bacon, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 6: Breakfast pizza, pear sauce, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 7: French toast, syrup, sausage, juice, milk.
Friday, Dec. 8: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, cheese slices, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 4: Hamburger on a bun, chips, lettuce, pickles, peach sauce, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 5: Long spaghetti, meat sauce, garlic bread, shredded cheese, pudding, milk.
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Friday, Dec. 8: Hot dogs on a bun, French fries, pear sauce, cake, milk.

Rep. Tunheim on Education subcommittee

State Rep. Jim Tunheim, Kennedy, has been appointed to the Education Subcommittee on Quality Initiatives by Rep. Lyndon Carlson, chairman of the committee.

"I'm pleased to be named to this subcommittee," Rep. Tunheim said. "The 1995 Omnibus Education Finance bill included a number of provisions to strengthen the quality of our children's education, but the effort to improve this system is an ongoing process."

Anyone with questions or comments about the Quality Initiatives Subcommittee can contact Rep. Tunheim at home at (218) 674-4480, or in St. Paul at (612) 296-9635. Written comments can be sent to 509 State Office building, 100 Constitution Ave., St. Paul, MN 55155-1298.

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Sheri Liedberg
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Visitors on Sunday afternoon at the Neil Liedberg home were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg, Mike Kazmierczak, Jodi Gustafson, Elaine Purdy and Lee Haugen.

Late Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg visited at the Clarence Dahlen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dahlen visited at the Clarence Dahlen home Tuesday.

Mrs. Gary Johnson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Neil Liedberg home during the week.

The Ekelund Sunday School Christmas Program will be presented at the church on Sunday evening, December 17th at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lovly and family and Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Lovly spent Thanksgiving Day at the Ivar Iverson home at Bemidji.

Monday Leslie Iverson visited at the Neil Liedberg home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg and Mrs. Neil Liedberg of Thief River Falls visited at the Clarence Dahlen home one Sunday afternoon.

Saturday afternoon Gene Fjeld of rural Thief River Falls visited at the Clarence Dahlen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Liedberg of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Ruth Liedberg accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg to Grygla on Saturday evening and enjoyed lutefisk supper put on by the Grace Lutheran church of Grygla.

Friday Mr. and Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited and were coffee guests at the Clarence Dahlen home.

Monday visitors at the Norman Liedberg home in Thief River Falls were Mike Kazmierczak and Mrs. Neil Liedberg.

Tuesday, Jodi Gustafson and Mrs. Neil Liedberg attended Christian Women at the American Legion in Thief River Falls.

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DEC. 4 AUXILIARY MEETING; WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	DEC. 5 OLD TYME DANCE 7-10 P.M.	DEC. 6	DEC. 7 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 8 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 9 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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Thanksgiving Day guests at the Therese and Virgil Radniecki home were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Parenteau, Ryan and Marc of Fargo, ND, John Radniecki of Fargo, and Bruce Radniecki of Roseau.

Those that gathered on Thanksgiving evening at the Fred Sorenson's of Red Lake Falls were Geri Radniecki and family and also joining them was Tom Radniecki of Oklee. Home for the weekend were Jessica and Stephanie Sorenson from Duluth and Greg Sorenson from Roseau.

Guests at the Jim Dulka home over Thanksgiving weekend were Andy Dulka of St. Joseph, Annie Witrock of Collegeville and Annita Guntel of Milwaukee.

John and Darlene Eisbrener and their cats left Wednesday for the Steve and Virginia Royse home in Mason City, IA.

On Thanksgiving Day they joined Steve, Virginia and Dean Royse, Sam, Ben and Jon Foust all of Mason City, IA, Brian Royse of Cedar Falls, IA, JoAnn and Darla Foust of Laramie, WY at the Tom Barber home in Charles City, IA for Thanksgiving dinner. It would of been an uneventful meal if the electrode in the oven hadn't burnt out when the turkey was only half done. The local HyVee Grocery Store was kind enough to sell us a fully cooked turkey. It will be a Thanksgiving all of us will remember with laughter and joy.

Enroute home John and Darlene enjoyed a meal with Mike, Mary Jo, Emily, Ellen and Elaine DeRusha at Perkins in West St. Paul. On Friday evening Jeff and Staci Eisbrener of South St. Paul came to the DeRusha home in South St. Paul for pie and coffee.

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CAPITOL COMMENTARY

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State Senator, District 1

One of the most frustrating roadblocks for people who want change is an administrative rule or law that prevents an improvement. In Minnesota, a new organization is helping people move some of those roadblocks out of the way.

The board of Government Innovation and Cooperation was set up by the legislature in 1993. It was given limited power to waive state administrative rules and procedural laws that slow down innovation in local government.

The board has received 38 requests for rule waivers or legal exemptions. Eighteen have been approved. To get a waiver, the local government has to show that it will achieve an improvement in service if the rule is waived.

In some cases, the waivers involve cutting down the burden of paperwork. For example, in one county fixed-income medical assistance recipients are no longer required to fill out income verification forms every six months. (Most of these recipients are senior citizens.)

In another case, the board waived a rule that specifies on-site time requirements for school psychologists. The county that asked for the waiver is building an interactive television system to allow its school psychologist to spend less time on the road, and more time connected with schools through television.

In addition to its waiver authority, the board also reviews grant proposals from local governments that are working out new ways to combine services. The pilot projects that are approved, if successful, could later be copied statewide.

For example, the board has approved a request from fourteen northwestern Minnesota counties for a grant to support a shared computer back-up system. By working together, the counties are able to rely on each other in times of a "computer crash" or similar emergency.

Business development in Kittson county was the focus of another grant proposal. Hallock, Karlstad, Kennedy, Lake Bronson, and Lancaster received a grant to work together on regional economic development. By working together on something of mutual benefit to the region, the communities are setting a good example for others to follow.

These are just a few of the ways that local governments are working together. In the future, let's hope the lessons that are learned can be applied for better service in other areas.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Sunday afternoon those that helped Don Larson celebrate his birthday were Arnold and Varnice Larson, Ruby Swenson, Todd and Keri Jesme and Collin, Jessica Swenson and Brady Swanson.

Vernice Stokke and Elaine Thompson attended the Home Interior Open House at the Westaker church on Tuesday afternoon.

Peter and Frances Oarszewski motored to Grand Forks on Sunday afternoon and visited with Verna and Judy Slominski.

Saturday afternoon, Roy and Laura Roppe visited with Bert and Adeline Roppe.

Sunday afternoon, Beverly Erickson visited at the Dean Anderson home.

Sunday visitors and dinner guests at the Arnold and Varnica Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin.

Last Sunday afternoon the 19th of November, Lisa Wilson and children drove out to visit awhile with Grandpa and Grandma Curt and Elaine Thompson. Jeramy will spend the Thanksgiving vacation week with us and we will take him home next Sunday evening in the afternoon Marvin and Rose Nelson came over and we all had a nice visit and lunch. Lisa's stayed and had supper with us.

Elaine Thompson brought birthday wishes and gifts to Gladys Stromberg on Tuesday evening, November 21st.

Saturday forenoon visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Shelley Staebler and Ashley and Mary Anderson.

Tuesday, Beverly Erickson and Matt Schaumberg visited with Jeanette Kasprowicz at the United Hospital in Grand Forks. Afterwards Beverly took Matt home.

Tuesday, Arnold and Varnice went to Thief River Falls where Varnice had a doctors appointment. Afterwards they visited and enjoyed coffee with Tom and Sue Dondelinger.

Thursday those that enjoyed Thanksgiving Day dinner at the Kenny and Sybil Cwikla home were Arnold and Varnice Larson, Paul and Frances Cwikla, Tom and Sue Dondelinger, Shane, Lauren, Joey and Evan, Todd and Keri Jesme and Collin enjoyed a Delicious dinner, afterwards we visited and took some pictures and had a very enjoyable day.

Michael and Debbie Waterworth and Reed visited with Aaron and Blanche Waterworth on Saturday afternoon.

Sunday evening supper guests at the Chuck and Sherry Olson home were Bert and Adeline Roppe, Lillie Olson, LaDawn Hanson, Jared Olson and Ryan Olson.

Russell Elsath visited and enjoyed coffee with Clara Hanson one day last week.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Kenneth Erickson home in Strathcona on Saturday evening.

Area officials attend township conference

Harvey Casavan, Wylie township, and Ray Lessard, Lambert township of Red Lake county; Eugene Jorgenson of Alma township, and Marville Magnusson of Alma township in Marshall county attended the Annual Township conference in LaGrand township near Alexandria. They were among at least 500 grassroot officials that participated in the Minnesota Association of Townships annual meeting and educational conference on November 17-18.

Attendees attended educational workshops on everything from township government operations, to updates, and general discussion. Attendees discussed improvements on the following issues: land use planning, annexation, transportation, sustainable economic development and others.

The conference also allowed officials the opportunity to meet with other local officials and hear about what they are doing to make local government better and more responsive to the needs of residents in local townships.

"Grassroots Government continues to become more complex. We are confronted with more regulations every day, regulations that affect every person in our townships. It is important for local officials to try to learn everything possible to help their local government run efficiently," said Magnusson, district 13 director.

Some legislators making presentations were Sen. LeRoy Stumpf, Sen. Jim Vickerman, Dean Johnson, Keith Langseth, Rep. Bernie Lieder, Ken Otremba, and Becky Lourey. Chet Larson, chairman of the National Association of townships was also in attendance.

Beef Cattle Day at NW Experiment Station Dec. 5

The 28th annual Beef Cattle Day at the Northwest Experiment Station is set for Tuesday, December 5. Registration and refreshments begin at 8:30 a.m. in the auditorium of the Agricultural Research Center, University of Minnesota at Crookston. The meeting will run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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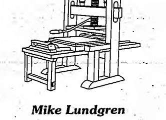

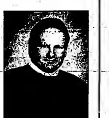

Mike Lundgren

Mike Lundgren
Sports Editor

Mike Lundgren is the one-man sports staff at *The Times-Northern Watch*. He is in charge of writing, photography and lay-out and design for the sports pages. He covers sports for Northland Community and Technical College and area high schools including Thief River Falls, Marshall County Central, Red Lake County Central, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, Goodridge, and Grygla-Gatzke. He attends many events in person, or receives information from coaches.

When Mike isn't attending an event, working in the dark room or typing at his computer, he enjoys hunting, fishing, reading, painting, yard work, and spending time with his family. Mike's wife, Shirley is a Medical Secretary at Northwest Medical Center. They have two sons, Charlie, an accountant in Fargo, ND, and Jeff, a sophomore at the University of North Dakota.

Mike grew up in Brainerd. After high school he attended Thief River Falls, AVTI, now NCTC, where he studied radio broadcasting. Mike has been working at *The Times* for 26 years.

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Sports Section

Prowlers will open with Central

Grand Forks Central will be at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center Saturday as Thief River Falls' season-opening high school hockey opponent. Game time is 7:30 p.m. Junior varsity game starts at 5:30.

The Prowlers are coming off a busy scrimmage-filled weekend in which they hosted Holy Angels Academy Friday, went to Crookston Saturday to skate against Roseau, Crookston and Alexandria, then returned home that night for the annual Section 8A Jamboree when they were again matched up against the Rams after poor weather conditions kept East Grand Forks from making a scheduled appearance.

"It was a good weekend for us," said Thief River Falls coach Pat Cullen. "We played fairly well against some good competition. You're never really completely satisfied, but we're definitely ahead of where we were last year at this time."

The Prowlers, who lost only three seniors off last year's 11-12-1 team, will start a veteran line-up against the Knights. Up front, it will be Nick Chiodo centering Keith Anderson and Aaron Ehrenstrom on an all-senior unit, senior Steve Rambeck between junior Chad Nordhagen and senior Jason Breiland, senior Chad Hanson with freshman Wade Chiodo and sophomore Kyle Anderson.

On defense, seniors David Halsa and Andy Furuseth will form one starting tandem, along with senior Paul Gonsorowski junior Bre Furuseth. Senior Adam Fulton and sophomore Adam Nordin will be rotated into the blue line pairings.

Senior Chanc Keefe will be in goal.

New coach directing wrestlers

John Belyea will make his debut as Thief River Falls head high school wrestling coach Saturday when the Prowlers start the 1995-96 season with an appearance at the Hillsboro Invitational. Home opener will be Tuesday vs. Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

Belyea, a former University of North Dakota wrestler who is continuing his eduction at UND, was ticketed for a position as an assistant high school wrestling coach at Grand Forks Central this winter before being named the Prowlers' head coach. He succeeds John Anderson, who resigned after the 1994-95 season to accept a position in Pelican Rapids.

"I'm looking forward to the opportunity," said Belyea, who said the Thief River Falls program presents a challenge. "We're real young, we've got a lot of work to do," he acknowledged. "We have to cover a lot of bases."

The team's three seniors – Nick Dee, Billy Fogarty, Matt Lawrence – are serving as captains. Dee is a returning letterman. Fogarty and Lawrence lettered previously, but did not wrestle last year.

The 21 wrestlers in the program includes middle school participants, some of whom will be filling the lower weights for the Prowlers.

Belyea looks for strong years from Dee, Lawrence and Fogarty, along with juniors Adam Kuck and Luke Davis, figuring they have legitimate state tournament hopes under the new three-class Minnesota State High School League format this winter.

The Prowlers are grouped in Section 8A, along with Cass Lake-Bena/Blackduck, Crookston, Deer River, Detroit Lakes, East Grand Forks, Fosston/Bagley, Greenway/Nashwauk-Keewatin, Mahnomen/Waubun, Park Rapids Area, Roseau, and Walker-Hackensack-Akeley/Nevis.

1995-96 TRF Wrestling

Saturday, Dec. 2 - Hillsboro Invitational. Tuesday, Dec. 5 - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 6:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 15 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 21 - at Larimore. Thursday, Jan. 4 - at Roseau. Saturday, Jan. 6 - Prowler Invitational, 9 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 11 - Fertile-Beltrami, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 18 - Mahnomen/Waubun, 2:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 19 - at Red Lake County Central. Thursday, Jan. 25 - at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 7 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 27 - East Grand Forks, 1 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Red Lake County Central Quadrangular, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 1 - Detroit Lakes Triangular, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Feb. 3 - Fertile-Beltrami Northwest Invitational, 9 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 10 - at Moorhead, 1 p.m.

NCTC teams start season with twinbill

A doubleheader against NDSU-Bottineau tonight (Wednesday) in Thief River Falls will kick off the 1995-96 season for the Northland Community and Technical College basketball teams.

Rick Nikunen-coached Northland women will play the 5:30 p.m. opener. Mark Danahoff-coached Northland men will play the 7:30 nightcap.

The Pioneers will head south for weekend games against Normandale and Rochester – Minnesota Community College Conference teams who do not normally appear on the Northland schedule.

Friday at Normandale, the women's game starts at 6 p.m. and the men play at 8. Saturday at Rochester, the men's game begins at 1 p.m. and the women play at 3.

"We're probably not ready," admitted Danahoff. "If you can believe it, that after 5 1/2 weeks of practice, the coaching staff still doesn't think we're ready. We've got great athletic ability, but we're disappointed that we're not coming together as a team yet. I think we're going to be okay, but we're stalled right now."

Danahoff will start sophomore Jake Rantanen (Marshall County Central) and freshmen Macy Ford (Detroit, MI), Don Beverly (Temple Hills, MD), Keith Parris (Largo, MD), and Joey Welebski (Kittson County North), but said he would be subbing freely.

Nikunen will also make use of his bench. "Of the ten players on the roster, we could play any combination and not see a drop in performance," he explained.

The starters, however, will be sophomore Marcy Olsen (Minnewaska Area) and freshman Ali Hietala (Badger/Greenbush-Middle River) at the guards, sophomore Gina Salverson (Fosston) and freshman Jenny Smith (Stephen) at the forwards, and sophomore Angel Mickelson (Red Lake County Central) at center.

"We're making progress," said Nikunen. "It's really hard to tell at this point without having played anybody yet, but I think we have some potential."

Krissi Super leads B/G-MR girls team

Graduation losses cut a path through the Badger/Greenbush-Middle River line-up, but the cupboard is hardly bare. The Gators head into the 1995-96 girls high school basketball season behind Krissi Super, whose talents have already landed the 5-10 senior a scholarship from the University of North Dakota.

But before heading to the college ranks, Super will complete a high school career that has already produced 2,139 points. She averaged 21.3 points per game as a junior when the 23-4 Gators reached the Section 8A finals before losing a 43-42 decision to Fertile-Beltrami.

"We lost three kids who played for us for three years, and we're replacing them with sophomores" noted Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Tom Neibauer. "It's going to take us a while to get going. But when you have a Krissi Super in the line-up, you're never out of a game. She's tough. She'll make us competitive."

And given time, the Gators could *likely climb from competitive* to contender, according to Neibauer. "We're not as dominant as we have been the last couple of years," he acknowledged, "but we're not that bad. You don't contend every year like we have by sitting on your butt all summer. These kids played a lot of basketball in the off-season. We may take a few lumps early, but we'll be tough by January."

Nikki Wold, a 5-10 junior, is the only other returning starter, and Robin Kilen, a 5-5 junior, is the only other current Gator with any varsity experience to speak of.

Tiffany Hagen, a 5-7 sophomore, will be given the chance to run the offense at point guard. Others contending for early season starting status include junior Amber Berg, sophomores Kate Super and Stefanie Sparby, and freshman Melissa Smith.

The Gators will open the season Friday vs. Lake of the Woods in Badger.

1995-96 B/G-MR Girls

Friday, Dec. 1 - Lake of the Woods (at Badger). Monday, Dec. 4 - Roseau (at Greenbush). Thursday, Dec. 7 - Fertile-Beltrami Invitational. Friday, Dec. 8 - Fertile-Beltrami Invitational. Thursday, Dec. 14 - W-A-O Invitational. Friday, Dec. 15 - W-A-O Invitational. Saturday, Dec. 16 - W-A-O Invitational. Thursday, Jan. 4 - Warroad (at Greenbush). Saturday, Jan. 6 - at Lake of the Woods. Thursday, Jan. 11 - Marshall County Central (at Greenbush). Monday, Jan. 15 - Kittson County North (at Middle River). Saturday, Jan. 20 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo. Monday, Jan. 22 - Stephen (at Greenbush). Tuesday, Jan. 23 - at Thief River Falls. Thursday, Jan. 25 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Greenbush). Monday, Jan. 29 - Argyle (at Greenbush). Thursday, Feb. 1 - at Roseau. Monday, Feb. 5 - at Marshall County Central. Thursday, Feb. 8 - Kittson Central (at Greenbush). Friday, Feb. 9 - at Warroad. Monday, Feb. 12 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Goodridge). Thursday, Feb. 15 - Tri-County (at Greenbush).

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River boys basketball...

Young Gators have potential

Eldon Sparby may find coaching the 1995-96 Badger/Greenbush-Middle River boys high school basketball team much like trying to start a car on a cold winter morning – it might not run real well to begin with, but you know once it warms up, the ride will be a lot smoother.

Sparby begins his 25th year of coaching with a young, experienced roster, but with plenty of optimism. "We've got a lot of work to do, but I think they'll come around," he said. "We may struggle early, but we've got a chance to be a pretty good team toward the end of the year. It's just going to take some time."

Matt Kujava, a 6-0 junior guard who moved into the starting line-up toward the end of last year, is the only regular back. Justan Rose, a 6-1 senior, and Aaron Rislov, a 6-1 junior, both played off the bench on last year's 18-7 team that placed third in Section 8A Sub-Section 4. Six seniors graduated off that team.

Other lettermen on hand are juniors Sean Everson, Jed Geer and Chris Haarstick. Sophomores Daryl Wockenfuss, Adam Holmes and Andy Schenkey are candidates for starting jobs.

"We're not big, but we have better quickness than we had before, and we've got some good athletes," noted Sparby. "The ability is there. It's just going to take some time."

It's Sparby's fourth year as coach of the Gators' area combination. He coached Middle River 21 years before the merger/cooperative took effect.

The season starts Saturday with a game against Lake of the Woods in Badger.

1995-96 B/G-MR Boys

Saturday, Dec. 2 - Lake of the Woods (at Badger). Friday, Dec. 8 - Goodridge (at Middle River). Monday, Dec. 11 - Roseau (at Greenbush). Tuesday, Dec. 12 - Kittson Central (at Greenbush). Tuesday, Dec. 19 - at Warroad. Thursday, Dec. 21 - Stephen (at Greenbush). Wednesday, Dec. 27 - TRF Invitational. Thursday, Dec. 28 - TRF Invitational. Friday, Dec. 29 - TRF Invitational. Friday, Jan. 5 - at Grygla-Gatzke. Tuesday, Jan. 9 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo. Tuesday, Jan. 16 - at Marshall County Central. Friday, Jan. 19 - Warroad (at Greenbush). Tuesday, Jan. 23 - at Stephen. Friday, Jan. 26 - at Lake of the Woods. Tuesday, Jan. 30 - at Kittson County North. Tuesday, Feb. 6 - at Roseau. Friday, Feb. 9 - Grygla-Gatzke (at Greenbush). Tuesday, Feb. 13 - Marshall County Central. Friday, Feb. 16 - at Red Lake Falls. Tuesday, Feb. 20 - Tri-County (at Greenbush). Friday, Feb. 23 - Argyle (at Greenbush).

Quickness, depth carry Wolverines

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke girls high school basketball coach Mike Gast figures the Wolverines will field an improved product this year... if the cooperative program can do a better job shooting and rebounding.

Three full-time starters and several others who were in and out of the starting line-up return from a 9-12 team.

Seniors Deanna Kotrba and Melissa Berntson, along with junior Jenny Johnson return as starters. Seniors Desiree Kotrba and Jamie Berndt, plus sophomore Jenny Nelson, are next in line on the depth chart. Berndt, however, re-injured a shoulder in a preseason jamboree and her status is uncertain. Juniors Erica Holte and Jaclyn Haack are expected to see considerable playing time off the bench.

Johnson is the top returning scorer, averaging 10.2 points per game last winter.

"I definitely hope to do better than we did last year," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Mike Gast. "I think we'll be competitive. We have to improve our rebounding and out shooting. If we can do that, we'll be okay."

The Wolverines lack size, acknowledged Gast, but their depth and their quickness will be utilized in an up-tempo game with a fast break offense and a pressing defense.

After opening the season at Argyle Tuesday, the first of the Wolverines' two home openers will be played Thursday vs. Marshall County Central in Goodridge. Their Grygla opener will be Monday against Lake of the Woods.

1995-96 G/G-G Girls

Tuesday, Nov. 28 - at Argyle. Thursday, Nov. 30 - Marshall County Central (at Goodridge). Monday, Dec. 4 - Lake of the Woods (at Grygla). Thursday, Dec. 7 - Red Lake County Central (at Plummer). Monday, Dec. 11 - Red Lake Falls (at Goodridge). Monday, Dec. 18 - NCTC Invitational. Tuesday, Dec. 19 - NCTC Invitational. Thursday, Dec. 21 - NCTC Invitational. Monday, Jan. 8 - Roseau (at Grygla). Thursday, Jan. 11 - at Tri-County. Monday, Jan. 15 - at Marshall County Central. Tuesday, Jan. 16 - Red Lake County Central (at Grygla). Thursday, Jan. 18 - at Warroad. Monday, Jan. 22 - at Lake of the Woods. Thursday, Jan. 25 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Greenbush). Monday, Jan. 29 - at Kittson County North. Saturday, Feb. 3 - Warroad (at Grygla). Monday, Feb. 5 - at Roseau. Thursday, Feb. 8 - at Red Lake Falls. Monday, Feb. 12 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Goodridge). Thursday, Feb. 15 - at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart. Saturday, Feb. 17 - Kittson Central (at Goodridge).

RLCC girls line-up is intact

If nothing else, Red Lake County Central will start the 1995-96 girls high school basketball season with an experienced team. The Mustangs struggled at times in finishing 8-13 a year ago, but did it without a senior on the roster.

"We've got everybody back," noted Red Lake County Central coach Rick Koivisto. "The experience should help. Last year we didn't have any."

Angie Chervestad, a 6-0 sophomore, and Meckenzie Malwitz, a 5-9 senior, lead the list of veterans. Chervestad scored 14 points per game as a freshman varsity starter and Meckenzie averaged 11.

"If we can protect the ball and get it inside to Angie and Meckenzie, we'll be all right," explained Koivisto. "We'll be tough inside. But we've got to prove we can handle the ball."

Seniors Marci DuChamp and Maria Austad, along with juniors Catherine Rosten and Ami Tvedt join Chervestad and Malwitz in the Mustangs' primary talent pool, with several promising sophomores also looking for playing time.

The Oklee-Plummer cooperative begins the season with a Thursday game at Mahnomen.

1995-96 RLCC Girls

Thursday, Nov. 30 - at Mahnomen. Monday, Dec. 4 - at Clearbrook Gonvick-Trail. Thursday, Dec. 7 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Plummer); Thursday, Dec. 14 - at Red Lake Falls. Monday, Dec. 18 - NCTC Invitational; Tuesday, Dec. 19 - NCTC Invitational. Thursday, Dec. 21 - NCTC Invitational. Tuesday, Jan. 9 - East Grand Forks (at Plummer); Thursday, Jan. 11 - East Grand Forks Sacred Heart (at Plummer); Tuesday, Jan. 16 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Goodridge). Thursday, Jan. 18 - Fosston (at Oklee); Monday, Jan. 22 - Red Lake Falls (at Oklee). Thursday, Jan. 25 - at Tri-County; Saturday, Jan. 27 - at Ulen-Hitterdal; Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail (at Oklee); Thursday, Feb. 1 - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo (at Plummer); Saturday, Feb. 3 - Crookston (at UMC). Thursday, Feb. 8 - at Win-E-Mac; Tuesday, Feb. 13 - at Norman County East; Thursday, Feb. 15 - Fisher/Climax (at Oklee); Tuesday, Feb. 20 - Bagley (at Plummer); Thursday, Feb. 22 - at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart

Boys basketball...

Veterans will lead MCC in Friday debut

Experience will be a big plus for Marshall County Central Friday when the Nordics begin the 1995-96 boys high school basketball season with a game against Red Lake County Central in Plummer.

Four players – the top four in terms of minutes played – return from last year's 8-18 team that struggled through much of the regular season, but made a run to reach the Section 8A Sub-Section 4 semifinals.

"We've got some kids coming back who have played a lot of basketball together throughout their careers," noted Ron Ueland, who begins his 31st year as head coach – his 29th leading the Nordics.

The four players forming the nucleus for Ueland's current squad are seniors Trevor Magner, Micah Ranum, Terry Olson, and Kyle Halvorson. Junior Phil Flickinger is also a returning letterman.

Ranum averaged 19.9 points per game last winter; Magner, adept at hitting the three-pointer, finished with an 8.6 average.

"We're stronger up front this year," explained Ueland. "We've got the experience, and we've got fair size. We should be tough defensively and tough on the boards."

Scoring remains a question mark, admitted Ueland, although the Nordics did put points on the board in preseason jamboree work.

A wide-open battle shapes up in the North Border Conference this winter, figures Ueland. "It should be very competition," he said. "There are no bad teams in the conference. All six will be tough."

The Nordics' home opener will be a Dec. 12 game with Tri-County.

1995-96 MCC Boys

Friday, Dec. 1 - Red Lake County Central (at Plummer); Friday, Dec. 8 - at Lake of the Woods; Tuesday, Dec. 12 - Tri-County; Wednesday, Dec. 27 - TRF Invitational; Thursday, Dec. 28 - TRF Invitational; Friday, Dec. 29 - TRF Invitational, Friday, Jan. 5 - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo; Saturday, Jan. 6 - at Warroad; Tuesday, Jan. 9 - Grygla-Gatzke; Friday, Jan. 12 - Roseau; Tuesday, Jan. 16 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Friday, Jan. 19 - Lake of the Woods; Tuesday, Jan. 23 - Warroad, Friday, Jan. 26 - at East Grand Forks, Saturday, Jan. 27 - at Kittson Central, Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Argyle; Friday, Feb. 2 - at Grygla-Gatzke; Friday, Feb. 9 - at Roseau; Monday, Feb. 12 - at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart, Tuesday, Feb. 13 - at Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Tuesday, Feb. 20 - Thief River Falls; Friday, Feb. 23 - Stephen.

Interest is high in Eagles basketball

Basketball interest may be at all all-time high at Grygla-Gatzke. A season like the Eagles had 1994-95 when they won their first-ever post-season title and reached the Section 8A finals will do that to a school, where 44 of the approximately 60 boys in grades 7-through-12 are currently involved in the sport.

Last winter the scrappy Eagles used a pressing defense and fast break offense to compensate for lack of size. Expect more of the same when they make their 1995-96 debut Friday, Dec. 8, at Stephen.

"We're still not very big," acknowledged Grygla-Gatzke coach Vern Johnson. "We'll be relying on the fast break and the press again this year. We have no choice. We've managed to take away the other teams' height advantage with our running game in the past, and we'll try to do the same thing this year. But we're going to have to execute a half-court game, too, if we have to be successful. Some teams are going to take the fast break away from us, and we're going to have to be able to run a half-court game."

Returning starters from last year's Section 8A-Sub-Section 4 championship team are 5-10 seniors Jamie Lunsetter and Scott Hoganson. Others returning include Anthony Holthusen, a 6-0 senior; Shaun Verbout, a 6-1 junior; Aaron Holthusen, a 6-0 junior; and Jim Engelstad, a 6-1 junior. Hoganson averaged 10.8 points per game last winter.

"We have 10 seniors and 10 juniors on the roster," explained Johnson. "Kids will be sharing playing time; they will have roles to fill. There are no real standouts, but it's a group of good, solid basketball players."

Team speed will once again be the Eagles' strong suit. "We will have to be able to run to be successful," said Johnson. "I don't know if we'll be back where we were last year, but as a coach you have to be optimistic. They showed last year that it can be done. We would like to think we would have a chance to do it again."

1995-96 Grygla-Gatzke Boys

Friday, Dec. 8 - Stephen; Thursday, Dec. 14 - NCTC Invitational, Friday, Dec. 15 - NCTC Invitational, Saturday, Dec. 16 - NCTC Invitational. Thursday, Dec. 21 - Warroad; Friday, Jan. 5 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Tuesday, Jan. 9 - at Marshall County Central, Friday, Jan. 12 - Lake of the Woods; Saturday, Jan. 13 - at Red Lake Falls; Tuesday, Jan. 16 - at Warroad; Friday, Jan. 19 - Tri-County. Saturday, Jan. 20 - at Argyle; Tuesday, Jan. 23 - at Kittson County North, Friday, Jan. 26 - Roseau; Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Kittson Central, Friday, Feb. 2 - Marshall County Central; Monday, Feb. 5 - Red Lake Falls; Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Lake of the Woods, Friday, Feb. 9 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Greenbush); Tuesday, Feb. 13 - Red Lake County Central, Tuesday, Feb. 20 - at East Grand Forks Sacred Heart, Friday, Feb. 22 - at Roseau.

Nordics hope to be improved

■ MCC girls have four returning starters

Four returning starters should help the 1995-96 Marshall County Central girls high school basketball team bounce back from a 9-13 season.

"We're shooting for a better record," said Marshall County Central coach Tom Mjelde. "We have some kids back, and we have some depth. That should make us competitive."

Returning starters include three seniors – 5-10 Tricia Pederson, 5-9 Darlene Nelson and 5-5 Jackie Magner – and one junior – 5-4 Lacey Hirst. Pederson and Nelson, who last year averaged 15.5 and 12.4 points per game, respectively, give the Nordics a strong 1-2 inside punch.

Brandi Olson, a 5-6 junior, will likely round out the starting line-up for the Thursday season opener vs. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke. Miki Waterworth, a 5-10 sophomore, is also expected to contribute and add another inside threat.

Mjelde said the Nordics' primary goal is to improve upon last year's 42-point scoring average. "We're quicker this year, and that should help us open up our offense," he pointed out. "We'll try to use the transition game more – full court pressure and a little run-and-gun offense."

1995-96 MCC Girls

Thursday, Nov. 30 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Goodridge). Thursday, Dec. 7 - at Roseau. Monday, Dec. 11 - Tri-County; Monday, Dec. 18 - NCTC Invitational. Tuesday, Dec. 19 - NCTC Invitational. Thursday, Dec. 21 - NCTC Invitational. Tuesday, Jan. 2 - at Stephen; Thursday, Jan. 4 - East Grand Forks; Tuesday, Jan 9 - at Thief River Falls. Thursday, Jan. 11 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Greenbush), Monday, Jan. 15 - Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke; Thursday, Jan. 18 - Lake of the Woods; Saturday, Jan. 20 - Kittson County North, Monday, Jan. 22 - at Argyle. Thursday, Jan. 25 - Roseau, Monday, Jan. 29 - Kittson Central, Thursday, Feb. 1 - at Warroad, Monday, Feb. 5 - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River; Tuesday, Feb. 6 - East Grand Forks Sacred Heart; Thursday, Feb. 8 - at Lake of the Woods; Thursday, Feb. 15 - Warroad, Tuesday, Feb. 20 - at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Nov. 30 - girls basketball at Mahnomen.

■ Friday, Dec. 1 - boys basketball vs. Marshall County Central (at Plummer)

■ Saturday, Dec. 2 - wrestling at Fosston/Bagley Invitational (at Fosston)

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Friday, Dec. 1 - girls basketball vs Lake of the Woods (at Badger).

■ Saturday, Dec 2 - boys basketball vs Lake of the Woods (at Badger).

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Nov. 30 - girls basketball vs Marshall County Central (at Goodridge).

Goodridge

■ Saturday, Dec. 2 - boys basketball at Northome

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Nov. 30 - girls basketball vs Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke (at Goodridge)

■ Friday, Dec 1 - boys basketball vs. Red Lake County Central (at Plummer).

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Nov. 29

■ Basketball - NCTC women vs. NDSU-Bottineau, 5:30 p.m.; NCTC men vs. NDSU-Bottineau, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 1

■ Basketball - NCTC women at Normandale, 6 p.m.; TRF girls at Roseau, 6:15/8 p.m.; NCTC men at Normandale, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 2

■ Hockey - TRF vs. Grand Forks Central, 5:30/7:30 p.m.

■ Basketball - NCTC men at Rochester, 1 p.m.; NCTC women at Rochester, 3 p.m.

■ Wrestling - TRF at Hillsboro Invitational.

Ila Anderson will be speaker at Boosters

Ila Anderson, program director for the Thief River Falls Rec Skating program, will be the guest speaker at the 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club luncheon meeting Thursday at the Elks.

The public is invited.

Youth Hockey

Bantam A

Thief River Falls Bantam A hockey team lost a pair of one-goal games in a season-opening weekend series at Fergus Falls.

Mike Dowers had two strong games in goal for Thief River Falls as Fergus Falls won 1-0 Saturday night and came up with a 2-1 overtime decision Sunday morning while out-shooting Thief River Falls 35-19.

Bantam B

Beaten 7-1 Saturday night by Fergus Falls, the Thief River Falls Bantam B team rebounded with a 4-3 win in a Sunday morning rematch for a season-opening weekend split.

Derek Berg scored the lone Thief River Falls goal in the opener. Matt Trontvet had the hat trick in the win, with Bennett Pagnac picking up one goal.

Pee-Wee A

East Grand Forks and Bemidji handed the Thief River Falls Pee-Wee A team weekend losts to start the 1995-96 season.

Scott Rambeck, Mike Langlund and Mike Nelson scored in a 4-3 Saturday loss at East Grand Forks. Rambeck and Dewey Worker had assists. Paul Leinter scored the lone goal in a 4-1 defeat at Bemidji. Worker picked up an assist.

Thief River Falls goalie Ben Owen had 38 saves vs. East Grand Forks and 16 against Bemidji.

TRFAHA Traveling Team Schedules

■ Friday, Dec. 1 - Pee-Wee B vs. Park Rapids, 7 p.m., Old Arena, Bantam B vs. Park Rapids, 5:30 p.m., Huck Olson MCC. Bantam A at Moorhead Invitational.

■ Saturday, Dec. 2 - Pee-Wee B at Bemidji, 1 p.m., Pee-Wee B2 at East Grand Forks, 3:15 p.m., Pee-Wee A at Red Lake Falls, 5 p.m., Bantam A at Moorhead Invitational.

■ Sunday, Dec. 3 - Pee-Wee B at Warroad, 1:45 p.m.; Pee-Wee B2 vs. Bemidji, 3 p.m., Huck Olson MCC; Bantam B at Halleck, 3 p.m.; Pee-Wee A at Moorhead, 3:30 p.m., Bantam A at Moorhead Invitational.

Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Nov. 29 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS; 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-1:15 p.m. open hockey 6-under; 1:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-6:15 p.m. high school; 6:30-7:30 p.m. Squirt Group 2; 7:45-8:45 p.m. Dance; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Nov. 30 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS; 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-5:15 p.m. high school; 5:30-6 p.m. Junior Advanced Patch, S1, S2; 6-6:30 p.m. S3, B1, Junior Advanced Freestyle; 6:30-7 p.m. B2, B3, Junior Advanced Team; 7-7:30 p.m. B4, B5, B6; 7:30-8:30 p.m. high school; 8:45-9:45 p.m. Bantam B; 10-11 p.m. Old-Timers.

Friday, Dec. 1 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS; 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-6:45 p.m. high school; 7-8:15 p.m. Squirt Group 1; 8:30 p.m. Bantam B vs. Park Rapids.

Saturday, Dec. 2 - 8-9:15 a.m. Squirts; 9:30-10:45 a.m. Squirts; 11 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Squirts; 12:30-2 p.m. DPFS; 2:15-4 p.m. public skating; 5:30 p.m. Prowler JV vs. Grand Forks Central; 7:30 p.m. Prowlers vs. Grand Forks Central.

Sunday, Dec. 3 - 12-1:15 p.m. public skating; 1:30-2:45 p.m. public skating; 3-4:45 p.m. Pee-Wee B2 vs. Bemidji; 5-6:30 p.m. DPFS; 8:45 p.m. city league hockey (Rude Construction vs. Wennberg's); 9:30 p.m. city league hockey (Brodin's/Budget Electronics vs. St. Hilaire Elevator).

Old Arena

Wednesday, Nov. 29 - 6:20-7:30 a.m. Pee-Wee B2; 6:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball; 3:45-4:45 p.m. Squirt Group 1; 6-6 p.m. 7-year-olds; 6-7 p.m. 8-year-olds; 7:15-8:15 p.m. public skating; 8:30-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wee A and B; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Nov. 30 - 5:30-7:30 a.m. cheerleaders; 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball; 3:45-5 p.m. Pee-Wee B2; 5:15-6:15 p.m. 6-under Group 2; 6:10-7:15 p.m. 6-under Group 1; 7:25-8:25 p.m. 7-year-olds; 8:40-10 p.m. Bantam A.

Friday, Dec. 1 - 5:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball; 3:30-4:30 p.m. open hockey 6-under; 4:30-5:30 p.m. Squirt Group 2; 5:45-6:45 p.m. 6-year-olds; 7-8:30 p.m. Pee-Wee B vs. Park Rapids; 8:45-10 p.m. Pee-Wee A.

Saturday, Dec. 2 - 8-9 a.m. 6-under; 9:15-10:15 a.m. 6-under; 10:30-11:30 a.m. 7-8-year-olds; 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. 7-8-year-olds; 1-2:15 p.m. 7-year-olds; 2:30-3:45 p.m. public skating; 4-5:15 p.m. public skating; 5:30-6:45 p.m. public skating; 7-8:15 p.m. public skating; 8:30-9:30 p.m. rental; 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Dec. 3 - 12-1 p.m. open hockey 6-under; 1:15-2:15 p.m. open hockey 7-8-year-olds; 3:30-3:30 p.m. open hockey Squirts; 3:45-4:45 p.m. open hockey girls; 5-6:15 p.m. public skating; 6:30-7:45 p.m. public skating; 6-6:30 p.m. city league hockey (Silver Bullets vs. The Spot); 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

1995 firearms deer figures announced for Thief Lake area

Deer registration for Thief Lake stations recorded 2,770 deer for the 1995 firearms season, it was reported this week by area wildlife officials.

The total represents better than a 7 percent increase from the 1994 season. About 43 percent of the harvest were adult males; 38 percent were adult females; and the remaining 19 percent were fawns. In 1994, the buck harvest was 50 percent adult male deer.

Car counts taken during the 1995 season indicated that hunting pressure in the Thief Lake area was nearly identical to 1994 despite the colder temperatures and deeper than average snow cover. The Saturday opener found temperatures at the zero mark, with winds 10-15 miles per hour. Many hunters were out of the stands early and headed back to camp by 8:30 a.m.

Higher deer populations in 1995 allowed for an increase in antlerless permits, which contributed to the 7 percent increase in harvest. Hunters had favorable reports regarding numbers of deer seen afield, and many camps were filled out by season's end.

Thief Lake Deer Registration

Station totals, with percentage of change over 1994 figures: Roseau County Co-Op, Badger - 310 (+10 percent); Gatzke Grocery - 283 (+24 percent); Bob's Bait, Greenbush - 287 (+42 percent); Jeff's Super Service, Greenbush - 272 (-26 percent); Young's Store, Middle River - 398 (-5 percent); Roseau Coast to Coast - 71 (+31 percent); Jim's Fishing Headquarters, Roseau - 489 (+2 percent); Paradis Mall, Strathcona - 280 (+16 percent); River Front, Wannaska - 348 (+26 percent); Thief Lake Headquarters - 82 (+118 percent).

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High Game

Sheila Roesch	[illegible]
LeAnn Hemstly	[illegible]
Rose Wold	[illegible]
Carol Moen	[illegible]

High Series

Sheila Roesch	[illegible]
Darlene Bottom	[illegible]
Beth Skalet	[illegible]
Laura Carlson	[illegible]
Judy Evenson	[illegible]
LeAnn Hemstly	[illegible]

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rick's Handyman Service	[illegible]	[illegible]
TR Salvage	[illegible]	[illegible]
Spare Parts	[illegible]	[illegible]
Classic Chevy's	[illegible]	[illegible]
Four Fun	[illegible]	[illegible]

High Series

Rocky Ammerman	[illegible]
Ron Moen	[illegible]
Carol Moen	[illegible]
Sharon Wold	[illegible]

High Series

Rocky Ammerman	[illegible]
Ron Moen	[illegible]
Bromley Carr	[illegible]
Carol Moen	[illegible]
Sharon Wold	[illegible]
Patty Dahmen	[illegible]

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

High Game

Lisa Stapleton	[illegible]
Laura Carlson	[illegible]
Deb Lerol	[illegible]
Cheryl Ruston	[illegible]

High Series

Lisa Stapleton	[illegible]
Deb Lerol	[illegible]
Cheryl Ruston	[illegible]
Laura Carlson	[illegible]

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers Mutual Health	22	[illegible]
Gemini Electric	18	18
Action Inc	18	18
Peter's Back Hoe	15	[illegible]
Brooks Auto	[illegible]	15
Michelob	13	22
Firestone	13	22
Clip N Tan	12	23

High Series

Griffin Newland	212-172-179=563
Wayne Peters	174-177-162=513
Chris Taylor	153-179-156=488
Mike Anderson	173-170-143=486
Kerry Newland	158-180-162=500

JoAnn Peters	[illegible]
Jerald Nelson	[illegible]
Carol Spilde	[illegible]

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Sutter Construction	29	6
Gateway Realty	22	13
Wahlin Construction	21	14
Russell Electric	20	11
Rainbow Nursery	20	11
Mahutz Dairy	19	16
Hartz Truck Line	18	17
Amoco 24	16	16
Mid Riv Community Club	15	20
Northwest Asphalt	14	21
8 H R's	8	27
O Team	8	27

High Game

Darren Wagner	226
Lloyd Wagner	222
Jerald Hagen	200
Gil Diaz	200
Marge Rasmussen	180 182
Marie Nowacki	183

High Series

Darren Wagner	225-187-176=[illegible]
Jerald Hagen	188-191-[illegible]
Lloyd Wagner	161-172-222=[illegible]
Marge Rasmussen	158-160-182=[illegible]
Rosemary Nabseth	173-170-182=[illegible]
Arlene Walseth	177-138-180=[illegible]

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Bronx Bombers	18 1/2	6 1/2
Stompers	18 1/2	6 1/2
Rutters	17	11
Hacks	18	12
Grease Balls	15 1/2	12 1/2
Hogans Heroes	15 1/2	12 1/2
Horns	15	13
Big Boys	15	13
Bulls	12	16
Alley Rats	[illegible]	17
Stags	10	18
TNT's	4	24

High Game

Sheldon Peterson	254, 225
Tim Hogen	212, 211

High Series

Sheldon Peterson	158-254-225=634
Tim Hogen	170-212-211=593
LL Jones	199-176-170=545
Jeff Lyden	183-151-201=535
Jerry Jensen	169-194-172=535

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Mr. Duane's	50	34
[illegible]	46	38
Farmer's Union	45	39
[illegible]	42	42
Pennington Square	38	46
Brodie's	29	55

High Game

Bunny Dondelinger	193
Linda Johnson	187
Deb Pierce	180

High Series

Roberta [illegible]	171-168-156=495
Deb Pierce	126-172-180=478
Arlene Peterson	176-156-134=466

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Detroit Lakes wins Class A title, 30-15

Detroit Lakes won its third state high school football title in four years Friday with a 30-15 win over St. Peter in the Class A final of the 1995 Prep Bowl at the Metrodome.

It was an unbeaten season for the Lakers, who edged Thief River Falls 21-20 in the Section 8A finals to qualifying for the state playoffs.

In other Prep Bowl title games, Cromwell defeated LeRoy-Ostrander 26-18 in Nine-Man. Chatfield got by Hawley 12-6 in Class C. Kingsland handled Breckenridge 22-3 in Class C, and Stillwater stopped Rochester Mayo 31-7 in Class AA.

Blaze orange clothing requirement will be in effect through Dec. 10

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources reminds everyone that Minnesota state law requires all hunters and trappers to wear blaze orange during the open season in areas where deer may be taken by firearms. This includes the muzzleloader deer season from Nov. 25 through Dec. 10.

Minnesota muzzleloader deer season is open statewide except for a few permit areas in the northeast. Game refuges and other areas closed to firearms hunting are also closed to muzzleloaders. Between 5,000 to 10,000 muzzleloader licenses are sold in an average season. Deadline for license application this year was Nov. 3.

The law requires wearing a blaze orange cap and outer wear above the waist, excluding sleeves and gloves. Camouflage clothing must be at least 50 percent blaze orange per square foot. Red is no longer a legal color for hunter safety.

"The law only pertains to persons engaged in hunting and trapping activities," said Capt. Byron Dyrland, Northwest Regional Enforcement Supervisor with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

"Even though there are far fewer hunters during the muzzleloader season, the weapons themselves are every bit as deadly as regular firearms within a couple hundred yards," cautioned Dyrland.

City Hockey

Standings

	W	L	T
Silver Bullets	1	0	0
St. Hilaire Elevator	1	0	0
Braden's/Budget Electronics	1	0	0
The Spot	0	0	0
Radnecki's	0	1	0
Wennberg's	0	1	0
Rudis Construction	0	1	0

Results

Sunday, Nov. 26 - Silver Bullets 7 Radnecki's 6. St. Hilaire Elevator 12 Wennberg's 2. Braden's/Budget Electronics 25 Rudis Construction 3

City Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Digi-Key	10	0
Middle River	8	2
Arctco	7	3
Best Western II	7	3
Northup	6	4
Fernberg's	6	4
Hartz Trucking	3	7
Best Western I	3	7
Sea Monkeys	1	9
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	10

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	18	0
Double O Bees	16	2
Thrifty White Drug	12	6
Clip N Tan	12	6
Budweiser	11	7
Tim Loeffler Agency	5	13
Arctco	5	13
PCR Graphics	1	17
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	1	17

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	11	1
Cellular 2000	10	2
Bud Light	11	3
Universal Screenprint	8	4
Doc's Jocks	6	6
Tunberg Motor Co.	6	6
Unpredictables	6	6
Carvers	6	8
500 Club	2	10
National Guard	2	10
Cactus Club	0	12

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Northwest Medical Center	17	1
Miller Lite	15	3
St. Hilaire Elevator	12	6
LaVonne's Grocery	12	6
Legion	10	8
St. Hilaire Supply	9	9
Evergreen Eating Emporium	7	11
Digi-Key I	4	14
Digi Key II	2	16
Robson Honey	2	16

Results

■ Tuesday, Nov. 21 - (6:30 p.m.) Double O Bees def. Thrifty White Drug, Budweiser def. Tim Loeffler Agency; (7 p.m.) Double O Bees def. Tim Loeffler Agency; Narverud Cleaners def. Budweiser; (7:30 p.m.) Thrifty White Drug def. PCR Graphics; Narverud Cleaners def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Grocery; (8 p.m.) Arctco def. PCR Graphics; Clip-N-Tan def. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Grocery; (8:30 p.m.) Clip-N-Tan def. Arctco.

Newfolden

Last Saturday, November 11th Grandpa Curt Thompson went to Thief River Falls early in the morning and got Amber Wilson who will spend the weekend with us. Sunday afternoon, Marvin and Rose Nelson came over and were also supper guests enjoying the weekend we took Amber home later Sunday evening.

Peter and Frances Garszewski attended the Legion membership dinner at the Legion in Thief River Falls on Veterans Day.

Those that helped Kathy Harstad celebrate her birthday on Sunday and enjoyed lunch and birthday cake were Hanna Moen, Gerald and Diane Nelson.

Friday afternoon, Frank and Harriet Kujava visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Gladys Stromberg visited with Alice Ellingson on Sunday.

Tuesday, Della Elseth and Clara Hanson visited and enjoyed coffee with Vivian Sagstuen.

Brian Gillund visited at the Milton Erickson home on Tuesday.

Brooks

Doug and Karen Rock and Heidi of Mentor were Thursday evening guests of his parents Dona and Joyce Rock to help Joyce celebrate her birthday with a birthday cake.

On Sunday, Mrs. Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Milo and Pat Larson attended a 40th Wedding Anniversary of some friends in Blackduck on Saturday.

Sunday morning, Little Blair, son of Todd and Heather Nelson was dedicated in the Bethel church in Fargo, ND with sponsor Heidi Paradis, Jeff and Shari Nelson of Moorhead. Those who attended the service were Wallace and Doris Nelson of Oklee. Roger and Mary Jane Paradis. "Congratulations Little Blair."

Mrs. Lillian Hince, Russell and Cheryll Hince and Shawn attended the birthday party in honor of Kevin, son of Michelle Hince and Lonnie Longton of Terrebonne, who celebrated his 3rd birthday Sunday afternoon. Happy Birthday Kevin!

On Friday, Ronald and Judy Boucher of Erskine, Arnie and Pam Paradis, Dona and Joyce Rock celebrated Joyce's birthday at the 3rd Base. Happy Birthday Joyce!

Highlanding

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Kellogg and Kristen left for their home on Thursday at Peru, MA after spending one week visiting at the home of Mrs. Kellogg's parents John and Jeanette Hoffman and also with other relatives.

Saturday evening supper guests and visitors at the Joe Jagol home were Brian Culkins and Megan of Brooklyn Park, Roger Coen, RoxAnn Flateland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coen, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smaky and Mitchell.

Friday evening supper guests and visitors at the John and Jeanette Hoffman home were Mr. and Mrs. Brian Kellogg and Kristen of Peru, MA, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hoffman, Alissa and Lecoy, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hoffman and Larry Foster of Rochester.

Goodridge

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Liedberg spent Thanksgiving at the Henry Kazmierczak home at rural Stevon.

Thanksgiving Day afternoon, Mrs. Neil Liedberg visited at the Norman Liedberg home and joined the Gelles family and Jim Liedberg for lunch at the Liedberg home.

Nathan Liedberg, Scot Grochow and Casey visited at the Neil Liedberg home on Friday afternoon.

Howard Liedberg of Bonson visited at the Neil Liedberg home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Duane Toso and Mrs. James Marty of Pelican Rapids visited at the Justin and Clarence Oehlen homes on Friday.

Saturday, Mrs. Duane Toso and Mrs. James Marty, Mrs. Justin Oehlen and Jim Dahlen went to the funeral of Greg Roisland at the Ebenezer Lutheran church at rural Plummer. Sincere sympathy to the family.

Nathan Liedberg and Leo Haugen visited at the Neil Liedberg home on Wednesday afternoon.

Jodi Gustafson and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Jonson were visitors at the Neil Liedberg home on Tuesday.

Trail News

Jerry Soyllor of Wells spent a week with his wife, Judy and family.

Kathy Bekke of Gonvick visited with her mother Rosa Aaknes after services at the Mt. Olive church.

Doris Evje visited Wednesday at the Phillip Schmit home. Mabel had been to the doctor and they told her that her bones may be healing slowly, so she was more hopeful. She has to have this cast on for two more months.

Plummer

Another Saturday morning was spent by Bunny DuChamp, Amelia Eskell, Edna Hyde and Kathy Juneau going all over Thief River Falls to the many craft shows. (It sure is hard sometimes being a woman!)

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Physically Challenged Bowhunt challenges hunters and helpers

by Dana Klos

Perched high as we were in a tree stand with every nerve on edge for the possible approach of deer, I thought I was ready for just about anything. James and I had become well acquainted through our conversations and archery practice sessions and I was confident of his capabilities.

We had been silent for a long time when James signalled that he wanted to say something to me. I leaned close and his whispered question almost knocked me out of the stand.

"Is it dark yet?" he asked.

When I was invited to serve as a guide for a handicapped hunter on a bow hunt for deer, I quickly visualized a person in a wheelchair. It turned out that my assigned hunter, 35-year-old James Meacham of Millbrook, Alabama, was blind—as were five of the other 25 participants in this special hunt. Eleven were in wheelchairs and nine were missing a limb or had other physical problems. They came to Minnesota from 14 states to fulfill a desire to hunt whitetail deer.

Hunt Held Near Park Rapids

Held October 4-7 at the Boy Scouts of America Camp Wilderness near Park Rapids, the Physically Challenged Bowhunt was open to anyone. Since a bowhunt for disabled members of the military has been held previously at Camp Ripley, this was not really a first handicapped deer hunt in Minnesota, but it was the first open hunt of its type.

The idea for this special hunt came from a conversation with John Felck, Boy Scout camp director, and Dan Hendricks of Glenwood during the winter of 1993. Following that initial conversation, several things happened:

(1) John asked for, and received, permission from the Boy Scouts of America to use the camp and allow hunting on the 2,800 acres for the first time.

(2) Dan assembled a group of interested bowhunters to form the core group to plan and organize the event. A diverse group of archers from all parts of Minnesota was drawn together with a unifed cause and the goal of making the hunt a memorable experience for all involved.

(3) Dates for the hunt were selected, the place to hunt was secured, and all that remained was to determine who would participate. Contact was made with the Physically Challenged Bowhunters of America, a nationwide organization with more than 400 members. The organization agreed to ask its members if they would be interested in participating in the hunt. Response was so great that it was necessary to hold a lottery to select 25 participants.

Facilities Limit Participation

The limit of 25 participants was not due to the lack of hunting area, but the limited facilities at the camp to accommodate the disabled. The Boy Scouts of America is struggling to madify facilities to comply with federal ADA laws just as cities, counties and schools are.

I was contacted by Dan Hendricks in December of 1994 and asked to volunteer a week of my vacation time to help guide a disabled person on a deer hunt in northern Minnesota. My first reaction was immediately "Yes!"

Then I asked, "Why me?" He said he knew I had experience as a hunter safety instructor and registered guide and that I had volunteered in the past to help Boy Scout, Girl Scout and 4-H shooting sports programs. And he knew I had a life-long devotion to the sport of archery. I must admit that I am willing to talk to anyone about hunting and offer assistance and advice about bowhunting almost any time, so I was eager to get started.

Guides Selected By Lottery

There was to be a guide for each of the 25 hunters and we held a lottery drawing for names on June 10. This would give us time to contact our hunter and begin a working relationship over the phone so that we could better understand needs and problems to be encountered.

Over several months I talked with James many times. I admitted to him that I had never assisted a blind person before, but he was very reassuring and sent me a video of how he shot his bow with the aid of a person with sight. He also explained what he had to do to get into the woods and enjoy a hunt. This was very helpful as I planned how to get James and his sighter into a tree stand near some whitetail deer.

"Can You Be My Sighter?"

The shock came on September 13 when James called and said that none of his hunting buddies could afford to take time off work to travel with him as his sighter. He asked me if I could try. This meant we would have to spend a day or two shooting at some targets and allowing me to become accustomed to him and his equipment before we could get out into the woods to actually hunt.

James was able to adjust his schedule to catch a ride with some people from Mississippi who were also coming up here for the hunt. They arrived on the afternoon of October 4, and after getting their gear packed away into the cabins at the camp, we got his bow and arrows and set up a target to get started. James was very good at telling me what signals he was using for communication so that deer would not see or hear us in the stand.

Hitting The Bullseye

To our amazement, the bow sight his friend used matched me very closely and in less than an hour we were hitting the bullseye on the target consistently. With renewed confidence we could hardly wait for the next morning and the hunt to begin.

We spent the remaining time that evening getting James acquainted with with his cabin and the general camp layout. We spent several hours talking and reminiscing about past hunts and adventures. I was amazed to find out that James had taken several deer and javelinas since he has been blind. He is 35 years old and became blind at the age of 23, so his memories of hunts with his dad and brothers are very dear to him. I left James with a promise to pick him up at 5:30 a.m. for breakfast.

Morning arrived with a heavy mist, but it could not dampen our spirits. The mess hall was full of good food, hot coffee and very anxious hunters. The look of enthusiasm of the faces of these hunters—like the look on the face of a 12-year-old at his first deer camp—was just too much to hide.

Guides Set Up Blinds, Stands

The guides had been at the camp for three or four days setting up ground blinds for the wheelchairs and tree stands for the rest of the hunters and now these hunters were heading out into the early morning mist to experience what every able-bodied hunter takes for granted each day of the season. With the aid of four-wheelers and golf carts, the guides took the hunters into the woods.

The plan was that each day the hunters would be on post from 6:30 until 10 a.m. and then return to camp. When they started returning to camp, everyone headed for the mess hall for hot coffee and the stories of deer seen and heard. Listening to these people talk about their lives and difficulties made my small aches and pains seem trivial by comparison.

Delaware Hunter Gets Deer

The afternoon brought wind and drizzle once again. However, the deer were moving and some shots were taken. A doe was harvested by John Barret from Wilmington, DE, using a crossbow and hunting out of his wheelchair from a ground blind. The excitement around the dinner table was just unbelievable. Everyone wanted to hear the stories of the day—not just about the deer on the meat pole but also the missed shots and deer seen moving through the area the hunters were in.

One evening I was sitting in the tree stand with James. Some deer had moved through the trees about 60 yards from us in the afternoon but it had been two hours since there was anything near us. James was finding it hard to sit still. It was then he asked me if it was dark yet. Regaining my composure after the unexpected question, I explained that there was still an hour left before quitting time.

I had moved our stand for each morning and evening hunting session in hopes of putting us closer to some of the animals. We were rewarded with an opportunity on Saturday evening when three deer started working up the ridge, grazing and feeding in our direction. I got James to stand up and get ready. They worked closer and at last were in good range.

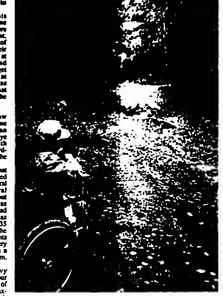
The Moment Of Truth

James was shaking, but drew his bow back, got to his anchor point and I lined him up on the deer. I signaled him to shoot by squeezing his arm and he released the arrow. It burrowed into the ground directly under the deer. His excessive shaking contributed to the miss, and I was made very aware that a hunter needn't have sight to get buck fever!

I was terribly disappointed by missing the opportunity for him to get his deer, but James was excited and happy just to be able to be in the woods. Getting the shot was just as important to him as having meat in the freezer.

Of the 25 hunters involved in the hunt, six were rewarded with shots and two deer were harvested. These were not tame deer, as attested to by the snorts and stomping the animals made repeatedly during the week.

Sunday arrived and the hunt ended. As we parted company and their positive attitudes about life and their sincere appreciation to us for assisting in a special hunt they will not soon forget. We can only hope that this activity helped them to regain some of the quality of life that we all too often seem to take for granted.



25 physically challenged archers from throughout the United States gathered at the Boy Scout camp near Park Rapids in October for a special whitetail deer hunt. Eleven were in wheelchairs, five were blind and nine others had a missing limb or some other physical problem. Authorized to use a crossbow, one of the hunters takes aim at life size targets during a practice session before being guided into the woods for morning and afternoon hunts. Six of the hunters had shooting opportunities and two harvested deer.

Dana Klos (left) of Thief River Falls assists blind archer James Meacham of Millbrook, Alabama, in practicing shooting from a tree stand. Meacham was one of 25 physically challenged archers from around the country to participate in a whitetail deer hunt near Park Rapids this October. Klos was one of 25 able-bodied hunters who served as volunteer guides and assistants.

4-H leaders attend forum

"Youth—What We're All About" was the theme for the North Central Regional 4-H Leaders forum attended by Pennington county 4-H leaders Barb Natvik, Joan Lubitz, Sharon Larson and Linda Helgeland / November 9-12 at the Radisson South in Minneapolis. Mrs. Natvik was also part of the planning committee for the forum.

More than 600 4-H volunteers from 12 states and the province of Manitoba in Canada took part in workshops and tours.

The theme emphasized youth as our greatest natural resource and used the Norway Pine as a comparison because of its strength, hardiness and straight tall trunk.

Like trees, young people need deep roots, broad cultivation and sturdy growth, those attending the forum were told. The program centered on giving volunteers in-depth training to increase their effectiveness with youth, including creating supportive environments and developing programming that is diverse and relevant.

HATS OFF TO 4-H

The Kratka 4-H club held its monthly meeting on November 13 at the Myles Olson home. The meeting was called to order by Myndy Olson. The secretary's report was given by Katie Hruby and approved. Roll call was taken by naming a favorite dessert. The treasurer's report was given by Lynnet Solberg and approved. Old business included a discussion of the awards banquet and knowledge bowl. New business included discussion of a Christmas Party at Bethany Church on December 11. An exchange of $1 gifts and sharing gifts for Valley Home of $2 was also discussed. A pot luck meal will be shared. Cookbooks are for sale at the extension office. The meeting was adjourned and a demonstration was given by Katy Olson. For recreation, the group made door decorations for the CNC unit at Northwest Medical Center. Lunch was served by Susan Olson.

Vanessa Tieman, reporter.

The New Solum 4-H club held its monthly meeting on November 16 at the Randy Jorde home. The meeting was called to order by President Jenny Klaven. The secretary's report was given by Randine Hall and approved. The roll call was in response to their favorite Thanksgiving food. The treasurer's report was given by Barb Natvik and approved. The club will participate in the Angel Tree project. It's Christmas party will be held December 3. The club will meet at the First Street rink at 2 p.m. for skating and broom ball and at 4 p.m. go to the Pizza Hut for pizza. If the weather is bad, the party will be held on December 10. The club will be 50-years old in 1997, so the members have begun thinking of special events. The meeting was adjourned. Demonstrations were given by Sammy Jorde and Katie Jorde. Lunch was served by Corey Jorde.

Brian Hall, reporter.

Smiley 4-H Club

Smiley 4-H club held its monthly meeting November 13. The meeting was called to order by president Laura Steiger. Treasurer's report was given by Lisa Sorteberg and approved. Old business discussed included the 4-H carnival and awards banquet.

New business included the Holiday Fair, Christmas wrapping, December meeting plans, gifts for nursing homes, Ag Activities Day, Family 4-H Day at Buena Vista Ski Resort, Knowledge Bowl, 4-H cookbooks, records, birthdays and 4-H books.

Business meeting was adjourned and demonstrations were given by Senja Lopac and Chelsey Helgeland. Recreation was led by Linda Helgeland and Sharon Larson. Lunch was served by the Helgeland and Larson families.

Kay Steiger, reporter

Happy Acres 4-H Club

Happy Acres 4-H club held its monthly meeting Monday, November 13, at Valhall. Allyson Torstveit and Heather Bjerken gave a demonstration on the Heimlich Maneuver.

Meeting was called to order by president Cami Sorenson. Secretary's report was given by Heather Torstveit and approved. Roll call was taken with the response of donating a comb or brush to the Violence Intervention Project. Treasurer's report was given by Sonny Carlson and approved.

Members decided to help serve at the Thanksgiving dinner for the Little Brother/Little Sister group on Thursday, November 16. The club will also help wrap Christmas presents at the law enforcement center when needed. There will be a 4-H ski day December 3 at Buena Vista and the Regional Project Bowl will be held March 16 in Crookston.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Cathy Erickson and seconded by Derek Sorenson. New members were initiated into the club and lunch was served by the Mohsknes and Bjerken families.

Lindsey Swanson, reporter

Viking

Irwin and Pearl Johnson were guests at the Lyle Johnson home for supper to celebrate grandson Chad's 8th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson went to Oslo to attend the Lutheran Brotherhood meeting and also visited Evangeline Tasegen.

Irene Grandstrand enjoyed her birthday Sunday with granddaughters Stacie Berbench, children Stephanie, Britney and Ben, Angie Hoglo, Liza and Seth and Ward and Barb Sinn.

Pearl Johnson, Christine Bersted, Lyla Quam and Rebecca Solum visited Martha Helgeland at her home last week.

Pastor Paul Chell escorted several people on a tour of Norsk Haus which was interesting and different for this area.

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Several accidents reported to law enforcement last week

Law enforcement officials received several reports of accidents during the past week.

Accidents. On November 21 at 4:19 p.m. police received a report of an accident on Highway 59 south. According to the accident report, Lisa M. Swanson, Thief River Falls, was driving a 1988 Mazda and coming off a frontage road. Swanson stopped and proceeded into the intersection where her vehicle collided with a car driven by Ronnie Walter McBride, Thief River Falls, who was driving north on Highway 59. Swanson was cited for inattentive driving. Damages were estimated at $1,800 to the Swanson vehicle and $300 to the McBride vehicle.

On November 22 at 2:50 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Sixth and LaBree. Gerald Anthony Crech, Cushing, was driving a pickup south on LaBree when the vehicle collided with a car driven by Jody Lynn Stenvik, Thief River Falls. Stenvik was going west on Sixth Street. Damages were estimated $1,000 to each vehicle.

On November 22 at 3:28 p.m. police received a report of a pedestrian being struck by a car at First and Main. Catherine Ann Qualley, Thief River Falls, was driving a Blazer and making a left turn onto Main from First Street when it struck James H. Trousdale III, 60, Atlanta, GA. Trousdale was taken by ambulance to Northwest Medical Center.

On November 22 at 6:08 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Third and Davis. Michelle Lee Sorenson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on Highway 59 South (Third Street), when her vehicle collided with a vehicle driven by Jeremiah Ole Coykendall, Thief River Falls, who was turning east onto Third Street. Coykendall was stopped in traffic at the stop sign and had then pulled out into traffic. Damages were estimated at $1,200 to the Sorenson vheicle and $1,000 to the Coykendall vehicle. Sorenson complained of a sore neck. Coykendall was cited for failure to yield and no proof of insurance.

On November 24 at 6:09 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the comer of Second and Main. Justin Allen Phillips, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup north on Main when his vehicle collided with Carie Bertine Farbo, Thief River Falls, who was driving a car south on Main and making a left hand turn. Damages were estimated at $300 to the Phillips vehicle, and $1,500 to the Farbo vehicle.

On November 24 at 11:16 p.m. a sheriff's deputy was dispatched to a snowmobile accident three to four miles south of Thief River Falls on Highway 59 in a field in Smiley township. Apparently a driver on a snowmobile had driven through a wire fence while driving in an unfamiliar field at a high rate of speed. The victim was taken to the hospital by private vehicle. Keith Roger True, 24, Thief River Falls, had a large cut above his right eye. The collision shattered his helmet. Damage to the 1995 snowmobile was minimal. True was transported to United Hospital in Grand Forks. He received approximately 200 stitches.

On November 21 at 12:05 p.m. Nathan Michael Johnson, 17, Thief River Falls, was driving a 1995 Arctic Cat, at an excessive speed southbound along County road 17 in a ditch. The snowmobile hit an approach and went over a field crossing throwing the driver and injuring the driver's right leg.

On November 26 at 3:39 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Hughes and Maple. Jonathan Wade Varnson, Lakota, ND, was driving a pickup south on Maple and at the intersection collided with a vehicle driven by Nathan Peter Anderson, Thief River Falls, who was driving a van west on Hughes. Both drivers did not see each other. Damages were estimated at $500 to the Varnson vehicle and $1,500 to the Anderson vehicle.

On November 27 at 8:56 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Fourth and Davis. William Arthur Kramer, Goodridge, was driving a car south on Davis, lost control and his vehicle collided with a parked blazer owned by Gary Michael Reed, Thief River Falls. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to each vehicle.

On November 27 at 3:35 p.m. police received a report of an accident in the 700 block of North State. Annie Marie Halvorson, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west and turned into an alley and the vehicle slid into a building. Damages were estimated at $1,500 to the car and $20 to the apartment building.

Alcohol. On November 21 at 9:54 p.m. police were called to Northland Village where some young people were drinking alcohol. Charged with consumption by a minor was Chad Allen King, 20, Halma. Arrested for furnishing alcohol to a minor was Michael Allen Gunnarson, 22, Thief River Falls.

On November 21 at 10:48 p.m. police were called to a party at Greenwood Apartments. Cited for consumption by a minor were Lavonne Ruth Nelson, 18, Thief River Falls, Amy Faye Schmalz, 18, Thief River Falls, and Karlea Marie Brateng, 20, Thief River Falls, and Melissa Jill Waage, 20, Greenbush.

On November 22 at 10:54 p.m. police received a complaint of a party at Northland Village. Cited for consumption under age were: Jason Lee Blomquist, 19, Thief River Falls; two 17-year-old males of Lake Bronson, a 17-year-old female, and a 16-year-old female all of Thief River Falls.

Thefts. On November 21 at 2:25 p.m. police were called to the Challenger Elementary school parking lot where two juveniles were caught going through cars. Charged with theft were a 10-year-old male of Thief River Falls, and a 12-year-old female of Thief River Falls.

Driving while intoxicated. On November 22 at 10:50 p.m. police arrested Steven Donald Devitt, 25, Thief River Falls, for gross driving while intoxicated.

On November 28 at 1:43 a.m. a sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle on Dewey Avenue. Arrested for driving while intoxicated Katrina Marie Estling, 22, Thief River Falls.

Assault. On November 23 at 1 p.m. police were called to a residence on the 2000 block of East Greenwood. A 12-year-old male is being charged with fifth degree assault following the incident.

Disorderly conduct. On November 24 at 11:11 p.m. police received a complaint about a person in a taxi. Arrested was Jonathon Jonas McIlam, 33, Thief River Falls, on possible charges of disorderly conduct on a citizen's complaint and terroristic theats after allegedly threatening the arresting officer and possession of marijuana after it was discovered in his possession during booking.

Vandalism. On November 27 Randy Wright, Viking, reported that between November 18 and 24 an oil plug had been removed from his catepillar track hoe. The oil drained and the engine was damaged. It had been parked along State Aid 3. Damage loss was estimated at between $8,000 to $10,000. The incident is under investigation.

Visitors from several areas of the former Soviet Union, including St. Petersburg, the Moscow area and the Ukraine, were in Thief River Falls last week to visit the farm management program at Northland Community and Technical College. They are spending several months in the United States while training in meat processing, farm management and agricultural economics and were in Minnesota in cooperation with Land O'Lakes International. For the most part they are studying at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln. Their visit here coincided with the Farm Management Day at the college. Pictured (left to right) are, front row, Lioudmila Krasnoguk, Irine Tkachanko and Lubov Bogomolova; back row, Dell Christlenson, instructor in specialty crops management for NCTC in Detroit Lakes; Victor Maliukhin, Elana Fedaeva and Tom Risdal, director of the farm management program at Northland college. Also part of the visiting group but not present when the above photo was taken are Nadazhda Novorotova and Sergij Buriaka.

Traffic violations listed in county citation bulletin

Many traffic violations appeared in the last Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Michael Duane Noel, Thief River Falls, 38, 40/30, $64.50; James Michael Richardson, East Grand Forks, 29, driving after revocation, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Barbara Ann Rodahl, Thief River Falls, 45, stop sign violation, $76; Torrey Robert Winger, Thief River Falls, 20, no current registration, $41.50; Carrie Lynn Anderson, Thief River Falls, 18, possession of stolen property, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Robby Grant Bakken, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21/passenger, 15 days in jail; Bruce Allen Dietrich, Ely, 24, fifth degree assault, $147.50, 30 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for two years; Jonathan Gary Erickson, Thief River Falls, 21, no proof of insurance, 30 days stayed; Harland Perry Lee, Thief River Falls, 94, failure to yield right of way, fine and surcharges stayed for one year; Erik Chad Nelson, Thief River Falls, 21, 45/35, $64.50;

Milissa Marie Skarsten, East Grand Forks, 18, 43/30, $76; Nanette Marie Torrez, Newfolden, 22, no current registration, $41.50; Tara Lynn Wittman, Fargo, ND, 18, possession of stolen property, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Angela Marie Dahlen, Thief River Falls, 20, minor in liquor establishment, $68.50; Brandi Lynn Johnson, Thief River Falls, 19, fifth degree assault, $137.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Kelly Charles Josephson, Thief River Falls, 16, 45/35, $64.50; Eric Bruno Lehto, Thief River Falls, 24, 28/15 snowmobile, $68.50; Lori Ann Risdal, Thief River Falls, 17, 38/30, $64.50; Ryan Michael Rude, Thief River Falls, 18, stop sign violation, $87.50; Rebecca Jean Anderson, Karlstad, 41, failure to stop at a red light, $76; Jeremy Wade Larson, Strandquist, 28, consumption by a minor, $87.50.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Jay Jerald Hayek, Strandquist, 37, 65/55, $64.50; Travis Raymond Housey, Thief River Falls, 25, seat belt violation, $47.25; Shane Michael Underdahl, Thief River Falls, 22, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Dean Carl Wind, Cass Lake, 51, 69/55, $76; Richard Willie Benson, McIntosh, 49, stop sign violation, $76; David Lee Armstrong, Red Lake Falls, 46, no seat belt use, $47.25.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Robert John Bruun, Thief River Falls, 19, issuance of dishonored checks, $142.50, $23.60 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Reyes Barron Alvarado, Warren, 38, no Minnesota driver's license, $122.50; Cynthia Jane Bruun, Thief River Falls, 42, issuance of dishonored checks, $142.50, $28.39 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Aaron Michael Hyland, Goodridge, disorderly conduct, $137.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Glen Edward Limesand, Goodridge, 41, disorderly conduct, $137.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Traci Ann Olson, Newfolden, 19, minor in consumption, $87.50, or 10 days in jail; Joshua Gene Bothum, Halma, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50.

Warren man faces several criminal charges

Bond has been set at $20,000 for Jeffrey Oliver Jevne, 34, Warren, following a report of a domestic assault in Warren.

According to Warren Police Chief Dewayne Kostrzewski, at about 1 a.m. on November 25, police and a Marshall County deputy sheriff responded to a report of a domestic assault at the Jeffrey Oliver Jevne residence in Warren. Jevne was taken into custody.

Jevne faces one count of attempted second degree assault, three counts of terroristic threats, and one count of pattern of harassment. Jevne is being held in the Marshall County Jail in Warren on $20,000 bond.

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Animals held at TRF pound

Three cats and a dog are being held at the animal pound. They can be claimed by their owner or someone who would like to care for the animal. Held at the city pound are: a white male cat caught November 18 in Countryside Trailer court; a gray female cat caught November 21 in St. Hilaire, a black female cat caught November 26 in the 100 block of Nora, and a brown peek-a-pooh female caught November 22 in the 700 block of East Eighth Street.

FINPACK training in TRF

A FINPACK training session for farmers will be held in the computer room at Thief River Falls Aviation Center on December 5 and 6 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Farmers who have FINPACK or who are planning to purchase the program are encouraged to attend this training session to learn more about using the software to help manage their farm finances.

FINPACK is a computerized farm financial planning and analysis system developed by the Center for Farm Financial Management at the University of Minnesota. It helps farmers evaluate their financial situation, explore alternatives and make informed decisions about the future direction of their farm. FINPACK has been used by more than 100,000 farmers in the past 10 years through the Extension Service, Farm Business Management Instructors, lenders, and other agricultural professionals. Two years ago FINPACK became available for individual farmers to purchase.

Participants in the two-day training session will have the opportunity to use FINPACK with their own farm with instruction and assistance from Center for Farm Financial Management staff and local Extension Educators.

In the past year nearly 1,000 Minnesota farmers have contacted the Center for Farm Financial Management about obtaining FINPACK. If you have FINPACK or have thought about purchasing it, this is a great opportunity to learn more about applying it on your farm. The cost for the training session is $115 per family. The cost for the personal version of the computer program is $275.

Registration is required to attend this session. For more information or to register, call Lake of the Woods County Extension office at (218) 634-1511 or 1-800-493-1511.

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The Second Sectio

Merlyn Adamson of Thief River Falls has been a constant blood supply for many years, dating back to the days of the local Northern Blood Bank at the hospital in Thief River Falls. He was recognized by United Blood Services of Fargo, ND, Tuesday with a gift in appreciation of his blood donations. On Tuesday he donated his 252nd unit of blood—making a total donation of 31 1/2 gallons over the years. The drive sponsored by Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2793 and Auxiliary Tuesday and Wednesday resulted in 136 donors giving blood. Pictured with Adamson are (left to right) Harold Anderson, hospital and blood drive chairman for Post 2793; Ken Dunrud, Post Quartermaster; Rhonda Ellafson, community relations representative for United Blood Services; and Lorraine Mocban, president of the Thief River Falls VFW Auxiliary unit and blood drive chairman.

Commerce Dept. releases area business statistics

Area counties are seeing a larger number of people being employed, but mixed results as far as the number of businesses.

The number of businesses in Minnesota totaled 120,532 in 1993, an increase of 2.6 per cent from 1992 according to a new County Business Patterns reported released by the United States Commerce Department's Census Bureau.

In Kittson county reported 170 establishments in 1992, but 169 in 1993. Although the number of businesses declined, the number of employees for the week including March 12 totaled 1,082 in 1992 and 1,164 in 1993. Total annual payroll for the same period jumped from $15,439,000 to $16,839,000.

In Marshall county, the number of businesses jumped from 264 in 1992 to 274 in 1993. Number of employees for the week, including March 12, jumped from 1,429 to 1,611. Total annual payroll jumped from $22,350,000 to $24,281,000.

In Pennington county, number of establishments fell from 400 in 1992 to 392 in 1993: Number of employees for the week, including March 12 totaled 4,520 in 1992 to 5,100 in 1993. Total annual payroll jumped from 83,575,000 in 1992 to 91,509,000 in 1993.

In Red Lake county, the number of establishments climbed from 113 to 1992 to 121 in 1993. Number of employees for week including March 12 totaled 1,886 in 1992, and 2,061 in 1993. Total annual payroll jumped from $9,481,000 to $10,508,000 in 1993.

In Roseau county the number of establishments rose from 315 in 1992 to 330 in 1993. Number of employees for the week including March 12 totaled 6,081 in 1992 and 6,563 in 1993. Total annual payroll rose from $114,212,000 in 1992 to $122,107,000 in 1993.

Total annual payroll increase for the four counties ranged from 1.06 to 1.1 per cent.

Private sector employment for the state, as of March 1993, was 1,944,630 compared with 1,862,438 in March 1992. Annual payroll per employee was $24,595, up 1.3 per cent from $24,290 the year before, while payroll for the state totaled $47.8 billion, up 5.7 per cent from $45.2 billion in 1992.

The services sector employed the largest portion of the state's private work force at 34.6 per cent, with an average annual payroll per employee of $21,224.

Hennepin county had the largest number of employees at 721,312, and 37.0 per cent of these employees worked in the services sector.

The Minnesota report, one of the 1993 County Business Patterns series, provides data by detailed industry in nine major economic divisions: agriculture services, forestry, and fishing; mining; construction, manufacturing; transportation and public utilities; wholesale trade, retail trade; finance, insurance, and real estate; and services. Data are not provided for self-employed persons, agricultural production workers, domestic service workers, railroad employees, and most government employees.

The data are useful to businesses and agencies in analyzing market potential, determining location and size of sales territories; locating production, marketing, and service facilities; and geographically profiling the business sector.

Lincoln High school freshman, Shannan Lofberg (right), discusses graduation requirements and SCANS options with Bill Stock, who is part of the SCANS team at Lincoln High school. District 564 was recently awarded a federal grant to implement a model that could be used to meet new Minnesota graduation requirements and link high school skills to the performance expectations of employers.

Area Mayors proclaim month of November as Hospice Month

Mayors of Brooks, Plummer, and Thief River Falls have proclaimed the month of November as National Hospice Month.

Mayor Clarence Gagner of Brooks proclaimed, "the Brooks city council does hereby recognize the benefits attained for residents, relatives and friends of our city and community because of Hospice. . .".

Mayor John Helley, Sr. of Plummer, stated, "We as a community can pay tribute to the physicians, nurses, social workers, therapists, clergy and especially the Hospice volunteers who do so much to serve patients and their families. . . ."

Mayor Bob Reeve of Thief River Falls stated, "Our community is now a part of the Hospice of the Red River Valley. It is my privilege to proclaim November as Hospice Month in the city of Thief River Falls."

Northland Community Hospice is a satellite of Hospice of the Red River Valley which provides care and support to patients and families facing a life threatening illness in the home setting of their choice. The entire service area of Hospice of the Red River Valley includes Cass, Traill, Steele and a portion of Griggs counties in North Dakota, Clay, Becker, Mahnomen, Norman, a portion of Ottertail, Red Lake, Pennington and a portion of Marshall counties in Minnesota. Hospice of the Red River Valley has been providing services since 1981.

Area teachers to attend MSBA delegate assembly

Three area teachers will be among the delegates to the Minnesota School Board Association (MSBA) 33rd Delegate Assembly December 3-4. Betty Halvorson of Plummer, Donna Nelson of Greenbush-Middle River, and Gary Anderson of Grygla-Gatzke are expected to attend the event.

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Plummer Community News

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Houseguest of Martin and Fern Eskeli for hunting were Randy Eskeli, son Chad Eskeli of Elk Grove Village IL, also son Craig Eskeli and wife Derlynne of Beach Park, IL.

Concert Series

Attending the concert of "The Shoppe" quartet were Florence Tvedt, Amelia Eskeli, Della Rewertz, Ruth Wilkens, Margaret Greenwald, Esther Walter, Harriet Norman, Hazel Olie, Ron and Kathy Juneau.

The Shoppe has their home base at Dallas, TX and was one of the five concerts to be held at Lincoln high school at Thief River Falls. The next concert will be held on Thursday February 8, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. in the evening. The performances will be the "Helios" four New York chamber musicians. There will be free bus service leaving Plummer at 6:45 p.m. that evening.

Annual Meeting

Effie and Burnel Byer attended the annual meeting of the "Lutheran Brotherhood Branch #8219 on Sunday afternoon at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls. Ed Sisler presided and others got up to-date information on the many projects benefiting from Lutheran Brotherhood such as the matching funds program. Care and Share Easter baskets, mitten project, quilt work, ditch cleaning and many others.

Election of Officers were held with Ken Poole as president, Marion Gusa as Vice President, Joanne Kohler as secretary and Winton Forsberg as treasurer.

Jim Olsen of Bemidji played guitar, sang, and told stories. Lunch was served following the program.

Jennie Ullestad of Mankato and Martha Hamre of Mankato left on Saturday after visiting since Tuesday at the home of there sister, Alice and brother-in-law Clarence Johnson.

Birthday

Mr and Mrs. Burnel Byer visited Sunday at the Eldon Vigstol home bringing birthday greetings to grandson Karl and enjoying cake and coffee.

Sunday evening visitors at the home of Pastor and Alice Johnson were Burnel and Effie Byer.

Sunday guests at Rick Froiland home were Shannon Froiland of Valley City ND, Mike Nelson of Lakota, ND and Art and Ava Froiland.

Sherry and Dennis Wilkens, Paula Praska, Sheila Hall and Ruth Wilkens all got together to make lefse. Ruth said, "It is nice to see grandchildren learning to take over this job."

Effie and Burnel Byer visited Monday morning with Myron and Ragna Haraldson of Thief River Falls.

Community Club

Plummer Community Club met Monday evening at 7:00 p.m. Rick Lorenson, president, brought the meeting to order. Fern Whitney gave her secretary-treasurer report. The names of the people that won the turkey drawing this year was read, and is as follows, from the Plummer State Bank - Wayne Malwitz, Culligan - Ron Juneau, A Cut Above - Rita Kruse, Plummer Coop Creamery - Fern Whitney, Red River Grain Company - Howard Kvasager, Plummer Elevator - Joe Nelson, Plummer Agency - Rick Lorenson, East Side Service - Kevin Tvedt, Bob and Jan's Grocery - Edna Hyde, Plummer Locker Plant - Randy Konickson, Plummer Liquor Store - Esther Walters, Karen's Kitchen - Brian Peterson.

The Community Club will again this year have a Christmas light contest. You may start signing up at the Plummer State Bank on December 1st 17th on the 18th the judge will decide on the winner's. Good Luck! The meeting came to a close and all enjoyed the delicious pineapple bars from Fern Eskeli and to wonderful poppy seed breads from Ruth Wilkens. Please come join us for our next meeting on December 18th! (A Community is only as great as the people make it).

Recently Marvin and wife Lisa of St. Cloud visited in the Plummer area. They enjoyed a supper at Third Base with his brother Warren and wife Lisa. After the meal they returned to Warren and Lisa's home for a game of whist a very enjoyable evening was had by all!

Ham Dinner

Thirty three people enjoved the Ham dinner at the Plummer Senior meal on Monday evening at 4:30 p.m. Plummer will be serving meals every Monday from now on, along with the Tuesday and Thursday noon meals.

At today's meal, Kathy Juneau, site manager, excepted a check from Lois Budish, RN, Doreen Bardwell, RN and Lorie Sundbom, RN and Director of Home Health Care. The check of $100.00 is to be used to help out the meal program.

On behalf of our Seniors we say Thank You not just for your gift of $100.00, but for all the personalized, professional health care you all give along with your smiles and hugs. Thank You!

After the meal we drew the four door prizes. Winners were Bunny DuChamp, Lorraine Lorenson, Sylvester Hesse and Howard Greenwald. This weeks door prizes were made by Clara Hesse (Her homemade lefse, what a treat!)

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Worship Services – Ebenezer: Sundays at 11 a.m.

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Del Palmer, Pastor
681-4643
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Nancy Werner, Pastor
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Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

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Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 9:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Oak Park: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.

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459-3314
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Worship Services – Our Savior's: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

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Diamonds & Designs is newest T.R.F. business

Newest retail business in downtown Thief River Falls is Diamonds & Designs, a retail jewelry store owned by LeeAnn Nelson and located in space created especially for it in the Ekeren Drug area of the Elks building at Third Street and LaBree Avenue.

A new entrance has been created on Third Street and the store is also accessible—and handicapped accessible—through Ekeren Drug. The store officially opened November 1, thanks in large part to extra effort by contractors and employees of the store.

"It was unbelievable," marveled LeeAnn Nelson, who has 18 years of experience in the jewelry business in Thief River Falls. "There were people working in here until 11 o'clock at night. The employees helped with the decorating in so many ways and refurbished some of the fixtures as well. I can't believe they got it all done in the time they did."

Nelson credited Ram Builders with the effort to create the front door and the large octagonal windows that flank it, and noted the help and cooperation of Bob Ekeren and Ray Nelson of Ekeren Drug in making the space available.

Among the others which had a hand in store preparation in some way were Falls Decorators, Carpetbagger, Paint & Glass Interiors, Inc., Home Lumber Company, Skalsky Electric, Kip and Chuck's Lock & Key Shop, Electronics Plus, Kenny's Floor Service, Henry Linder, Bob Stoffel, Norwest Bank and Northern State Bank.

The store offers a full range of services such as cleaning and repair and a free check of diamond settings to determine wear or damage which could cause loss of the stone.

Featured are a large selection of 14 kt. gold chains, Black Hills Gold items created by Landstrom's, watches and diamond engagement or wedding rings. LeeAnn also emphasizes design of jewelry, an area which she especially enjoys.

"That's how our name came about," she said. "I wanted to emphasize diamonds—and we are doing that—but I want to be more involved in personal design of items for individuals so their purchase is unique."

LeeAnn said the compass in the store's logo points to the four emphasis areas of the business—integrity, reliability, quality and service.

"My dad used to have a compass when he would go hunting, and I remember asking him about it when I was a little girl," she said. "It seemed to me to be a good way to show our customers the direction we are trying to take in serving them."

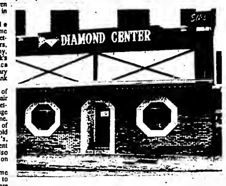
In addition to LeeAnn, four primary employees are involved in the store operation and all are experienced. Lylion Richards has more than 30 years of experience while Kristy Monson and Rochelle Anderson each has five years and Rebecca Fischer has four years in the jewelry business.

Louise Solseng is the bookkeeper and LeeAnn's sister-in-law, Shirly Holte, also helps out on occasion.

"We have received so many good comments that it adds to the excitement we all feel about finally being open and operating," LeeAnn said. "We hope people continue to stop in and see what we we have to offer in merchandise and service."

Staff of Diamonds & Designs, Thief River Falls newest downtown retailer, includes, left to right: Seated, LeeAnn Nelson, owner; and Lyllen Richards; standing, Rebecca Fischer, Rochelle Anderson and Kristy Monson. All are experienced in the retail jewelry business and dedicated to customer service.

Interior of Diamonds & Designs in Thief River Falls has been comfortably decorated in addition to showing off the many jewelry items on display. Owner LeeAnn Nelson complimented her staff and the various contractors who put in extra effort to get the store ready for its official opening November 1. It is located in the Elks building at Third and LaBree.



Diamonds & Designs is the newest retail business in downtown Thief River Falls. It is located in the Elks club building at the corner of Third Street and LaBree Avenue in space leased from Ekeren Drug. Access to the store is through the main entrance on Third Street (pictured) or through Ekeren Drug, which is handicapped accessible.

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December Birthday's and Anniversaries

December Birthday's 2-Sonore Elsoth. 4-Vernice Stokke, Marshall Myhrer. 7-Julie Tunheim, Hilton Hjelle, Emma Kammen. 8-Heidi Tunheim. Florence Myhrer. 10-Lucille Skadsem. 11-Brent Hanson. 13-Doyle Harstad, Tricia Mjolde, Darrell Rasmussen. 15-Carol Hanson, Dawn Donarski. 17-Richard Larson, Wendy Nelson. 18-Dave Myhrer, Jeff Dahl, Pearl Elsoth. 20-Corey Olson, Karen Busch. 21-Jim Larson, Tommi Berggren, David Lokstad. 22-Roger Bring, Gail Bjorgaard. 24-Kari Hanson. 25-David Sethre, Harriet Hodne, Gorry Anderson, Margarette Collins. 26-Reed Weterworth. 27-Glen Mookma. 28-Michael Bring, Chad Nelson. 29-Darlene Olson. 30-Corey Swenson, Paula Gustafson. 31-Travis Knutson.

Anniversaries 6-Arnold and Vernice Larson. 9-Floyd and Adeline Nelson. 11-Bob and Marie Engen. 12-Emie and Nadine Nelson. 14-Leslie and Beverly Folden. 21-Harvey and Myrtle Dyrud. 27-Gary and Dawn Donarski. 31-Stuart and Joan Sethre.

Saturday afternoon, Shirley Lofrooth visited and was a luncheon guest of Arnold and Vernice Larson. Don Larson was also a coffee guest there.

Sunday forenoon, Vincent and Sue Larson and Marie visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Sunday evening, Milton and Beverly Erickson visited with Mark and Jona Schaumberg and Matt. Matt came home with them to spend a few days.

Sunday evening, Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Shirley Lofrooth.

Tuesday, November 21st, Curt and Elaine Thompson and grandson Jeremy Wilson and Emma Kammen drove to Thief River Falls were Emma Kammen had a Eye Doctor appointment, did some shopping and had dinner at the Dairy Queen.

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Attend the Public Hearing

All Thief River Falls residents are invited to attend the public hearing of the city council to express their opinions on the budget and on the proposed amount of property taxes on:

**Tuesday, December 5, at 5:00 p.m.
Northwest Regional Library Meeting Room
101 First Street East
Thief River Falls**

Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
681-4449

Mary Ann Norum and Jill Hanson from Bemidji were overnight guests at the home of Mabel and Eddie Anderson on Friday.

Judy Jones, David and Casey were Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Ida Rupprecht.

Myrtle Solberg and Bernice Trachmann attended the annual meeting of the Lutheran Brotherhood at the Redeemer church on Sunday afternoon.

Larry and Terry Gustafson were among a group of men from Our Savior's church who attended a "Promise Keepers" meeting at the Civic Center in Grand Forks on Saturday evening.

Karen Muetzel and her mother Mrs. Dalgren from Roseau were morning visitors and coffee guests at the home of Eddie and Mabel Anderson. Steven Anderson was also a visitor there on Friday morning.

Margaret and Don Rupprecht were among those who enjoyed birthday dinner together at the Dale and Sherri Rupprecht home honoring their son Reese on his 3rd birthday. Melodee Rupprecht and Shara brought him birthday greetings later in the afternoon and had birthday cake and ice cream with Reese.

Debbie and Bruce Williams were dinner guests on Sunday at the Martha and Jannie Torgerson home.

Mary Ann Norum, Jill Hanson, Mabel and Eddie Anderson, Adeline Moe and Art Moe went to Moorhead on Saturday afternoon and attended the Golden Wedding celebration for Wilma and Clayton Antiquehi at the Christ the King Lutheran church. Wilma is a niece of the Andersons and Moes.

Ida Rupprecht was a Monday afternoon visitor and coffee guest at the home of Dawn and Joe Ose. She also enjoyed visiting with their houseguests, Betty Vaitneon and her niece Bethany from St. Paul and with Ivan Ose who was on vacation from the Cape Verde Islands.

Bernice Knutson and Marlene Bendy went to Grand Forks on Friday to visit at the home of Bernice Danielson. Bernice remained at the Danielson home for a longer visit.

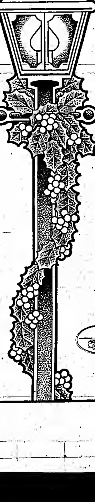
Ruth and Lowell Hanson were among those who attended the Golden Wedding Celebration honoring Joan and Kermit Maidment at St. John's Lutheran church on Saturday evening.

Adeline Moe and Cheryl Smsky visited with Victor Nabben at the United Hospital in Grand Forks on Sunday afternoon. Later they were luncheon guests at the home of Johanna Green.

Those who helped Margaret Rupprecht celebrate her birthday on Tuesday evening were Donald Rupprecht, Melodee Rupprecht, Shara Goldry, Dale and Sherri Rupprecht and Reese.

Arlen Able from Main was a caller at the Bernice and Ray Barth home on Monday. In the evening Annette and Ken Kostrzewski and Brandon from Viking were supper guests there.

Christmas is just Around the Corner



All over town, people are enjoying the beauty of the season with their near and dear ones. We'd like to send our best wishes for wonderful holidays to our friends everywhere!

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Deadline: Friday, December 8

The Times
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Meals [illegible]

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday evening, Dec. 4: Chicken, dressing, whipped potatoes with gravy, corn, roll, apple raisin crumble, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Hot beef sandwich, whipped potatoes, mixed veggies, bread, mandarin oranges, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Swiss steak, potatoes, beets, roll, peaches, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Barbecue ribs, baked potatoes, creamed corn, roll, pumpkin bars, milk.

Friday, Dec. 8: Tuna casserole and peas, California mix, tossed salad, roll, pears, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Newfolden

Monday, Dec. 4: Macaroni hotdish, green beans, apple ring garnish, banana bread, margarine, gingerbread with topping, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Beef cubes in gravy, noodles, lemon fruited gelatin, cornmeal muffin, apricot halves, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: French fry casserole, creamed corn, lettuce salad with dressing, French bread and margarine, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Chicken ala king over biscuit, peas, strawberry jello banana, rice pudding, milk.

Friday evening, Dec. 8: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, California blend, bread, margarine, chilled pineapple, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Meals On Wheels

Monday, Dec. 4: Beef burgundy, egg noodles, tiny whole carrots, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, fresh fruit in season, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Sliced turkey, escalloped potatoes, seasoned peas, fruited strawberry gelatin with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Swedish meatballs with gravy, whipped potatoes, beets, calico coleslaw, orange sherbet, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Orange and grapefruit juice, sliced ham with pineapple glaze, whipped potatoes, seasoned spinach, chocolate chip cookie, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Friday, Dec. 8: Baked fish, tater tots, peas and carrots, banana cream dessert, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.

Meals on Wheels will deliver meals Monday through Friday including holidays. For more information, call 681-4336 or 681-6861.

School Lunch Menu

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 4: Donut, Cheerios, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Toast, Lucky Charms, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Caramel roll, Rice Krispies, juice, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Toast, oatmeal, juice, milk.

Friday, Dec. 8: Egg and sausage biscuit, fruit, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 4: Chicken pattie on a bun, chips, green beans, cherry cutie pie, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Italian spaghetti, meat sauce, lettuce salad, apple sauce, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Chicken noodle soup, meat sandwiches, carrot sticks, fruit salad, crackers, bread and milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Mashed potatoes, pork steak and gravy, peas and carrots, pudding, bread and milk.

Friday, Dec. 8: Turkey deli on whole wheat, lettuce, seasoned potato wedges, fruit, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 4: Choice of cereal, muffins, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: French toast, butter, syrup, fresh fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Egg McBiscuit with ham, oranges, milk.

Friday, Dec. 8: Choice of cereal, donuts, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 4: Chicken nuggets, mixed vegetables, peaches, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Hot ham and cheese, tossed salad, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Italian dunkers, cheesey buns, green beans, pears, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Scalloped potatoes with ham, cheese slices, pineapple, milk, PL & PB bread.

Friday, Dec. 8: Chili, cheese, crackers, vegetable tray, milk, fresh fruit, brownies.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 4: Milk, apple juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Milk, apple juice, French toast, syrup.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Milk, scrambled eggs, toast, orange juice.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Milk, grape juice, Rice Krispies, muffin.

Friday, Dec. 8: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 4: Tuna hotdish with cheese and peas, raw veggies, bread and butter, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Hamburger gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Homemade vegetable beef soup, cheese sandwiches, jello with fruit, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Macaroni and cheese, green beans, bread and butter, pears, milk.

Friday, Dec. 8: Hamburger pizza hotdish, lettuce with dressing, sliced peaches, milk.

Newfolden

Monday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Edward and Janice Carlson.

Grandpa Curt Thompson went to Thief River Falls early Saturday morning November 11th and picked up Ambar Wilson. Then on Sunday evening Marvin and Rosa Nelson and Amber Wilson had supper with us. We took Amber home later that evening. We enjoyed having her come.

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The Times' Editorial Opinion

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High Costs Of Alcohol Use In Minnesota

"Even though per capita alcohol use has declined in recent years, our report shows that alcohol use continues to be one of our most serious public health issues," states Anne Barry, Minnesota Health Commissioner. "What's most disturbing is that young Minnesotans appear to be especially hard hit by alcohol-related problems."

Commissioner Barry said that alcohol-related problems are often underestimated because alcohol is a legal drug.

"Since alcohol is legal for adults, I think many people tend to underestimate its risks and costs," the commissioner added. "Our report shows that we need to tackle alcohol-related problems as aggressively as we tackle illegal drug use."

The report to which Barry refers is a 200-page volume titled *Alcohol Use in Minnesota: Extent and Cost*. It explains that the problems associated with alcohol use affect not only individuals but families and communities as well. According to the report, alcohol use contributes to a variety of public health threats, including unintentional injuries, violent acts, chronic diseases, unintended pregnancies, sexually transmitted diseases and alcohol-related birth defects.

In summary, the report indicates that alcohol use contributed to 1,581 deaths in 1991, the latest year studies. The cost of alcohol-related diseases, injuries, lost work productivity and crime amounted to approximately $1.74 billion, or nearly $400 per resident, for that year. Here are some other key findings from the report:

- Nationally, the economic cost of alcohol use greatly exceeds the cost of all illegal drug use combined. The national cost of alcohol and illicit drug use in 1990 amounted to approximately $165.5 billion. More than half of these costs (60%) were related to alcohol use.
- Minnesota men and women report more binge drinking (five or more drinks at one time) than residents of most other states. The majority of 18 to 24-year-old men statewide report binge drinking, which points to an alarming pattern of alcohol use in Minnesota communities.
- 45 per cent of alcohol-related deaths were from chronic medical conditions such as cancer, heart disease and digestive disease. An additional 41 per cent were from injury or acts of violence. (Even if the contribution of alcohol to chronic diseases is totally discounted, the deaths from injury or acts of violence alone make the cost of alcohol use extremely high.)
- Young people accounted for a disproportionate share of alcohol-related fatalities. Although Minnesotans younger than 34 accounted for only five per cent of deaths from all causes in 1991, they accounted for approximately 17 per cent of all alcohol-related deaths.

The report is based on comprehensive literature reviews, Minnesota population and mortality data and national and Minnesota cost data. Estimates of the number of alcohol-related deaths and the economic costs associated with alcohol use were calculated using specialized computer software. It was funded through a state appropriation to the Chemical Abuse and Violence Prevention Council. Its content was strengthened and validated through contributions from numerous public, private and academic researchers and practitioners.

Commissioner Barry said the report should serve as a call to action to communities to prevent such devastating alcohol-related problems.

"Alcohol-related problems are like most social problems," she said. "Communities need to be at the core of the solution. Communities need to mobilize people and groups to encourage a positive social environment and to promote personal behaviors that reduce the hazards of alcohol and drug use. We at the Department of Health are committed to helping communities accomplish that goal."

We often hear people say that prohibition was a bad experiment that didn't work. Perhaps in total that is true. But it doesn't appear that legal alcohol sales are any boon to society. The tax revenue generated is miniscule compared to the cost to society in dollars lost, not to mention the human toll in pain and suffering which is even more significant.

Basic Review For Jump Starting Vehicles

Those overnight lows of around 15 degrees below zero the past couple days are a reminder that we are in for the really cold stuff ahead, and that means balky vehicles that refuse to start without some added assistance.

In this part of the country, frost plug heaters and jumper cables should be issued as standard equipment with every vehicle sold. Jump starting vehicles in northern Minnesota ranks right up there with whist games and coffee parties as social activity, although not usually planned as far in advance.

Those engaging in this common and often necessary activity, however, should be aware that there are hazards to be considered. Minnesota AAA offers the following general tips which are worth noting (and perhaps clipping to keep in your ear):

- Keep open flames (cigarettes, matches, etc.) away from the vehicles. Batteries can produce explosive hydrogen gas.
- Make sure the two vehicles are not touching. Contact could cause gasoline in the fuel tank to ignite.
- Check both batteries for cracks, freezing and damaged terminals.
- Carefully inspect the condition of the jumper cables for missing or frayed insulation.
- Never lean over the battery when jump-starting.
- Disconnect electrical add-on equipment such as cellular phones, alarms and stereo amplifiers before jump-starting. Failure to do this may damage the circuitry of these components.
- When connecting and disconnecting jumper cables, avoid letting the loose ends touch each other or other metal parts.

And although the list fails to mention it, be certain to connect positive (+) to positive and negative (-) to negative posts on the two vehicles.

LETTERS

To The Editor:

You posed two important questions in your Saturday, October 14, editorial ("First the Action, Then the Study...."). These questions have been asked and discussed frequently during the first two years of the wetlands planning project while the project coordinator has met with citizens throughout the state.

You asked, "Why was a state law passed before the results of such a study could be made available?" First, the development of a state wetlands conservation plan is not a study. It is a voluntary planning initiative sponsored by several state agencies, including the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Board of Water & Soil Resources, Pollution Control Agency and Department of Transportation. Grant funding for state wetlands planning has only been available in recent years and the agencies took advantage of this funding opportunity to develop a state wetlands conservation plan now.

Second, the Wetland Conservation Act (WCA) of 1991 was passed to stop the continual loss of ecologically and economically valuable wetlands, many of which were previously unprotected under state law. One result for northern Minnesotans is protection for wetlands that play a critical role in assuring clean water and wildlife habitat for recreation and the resort industry.

Which brings us to your second question, "What purpose does the study have now that the law is in existence and being enforced?" One reason that existing wetlands protection has been controversial is that it doesn't take into account regional differences, the permitting system is confusing and there are no clear, long-term goals for wetland conservation in Minnesota. Challenging issues like these will be addressed through the wetlands planning project.

The wetlands planning project is designed to look at the whole wetlands picture and make suggestions on how the management of wetlands can be made simpler and more effective. The plan is being developed with broad-based participation by citizens and local and state officials. State legislators will be able to use its conclusions to improve wetlands-related laws and state agencies can use it to adjust various regulations and direct program dollars to improve wetland conservation without creating undue hardship for landowners. The result will be resource management that is more fair, more efficient and more cost-effective.

I have proposed amendments to the WCA that will address many immediate concerns that cannot wait for the state wetlands conservation plan to be finished. In the meantime, however, I do not support repeal or any significant weakening of our wetland protection laws.

Yours Truly,
Rodney W. Sando
Commissioner
Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

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LETTERS

To The Editor:

What a year I have just completed—graduating from Partners in Policy Making, attending workshops in Fargo, Minneapolis and Hibbing, and now being named to the board of directors of Options.

One thing you have to do is use what works the best for you. I like talk radio. We had one of the best hostesses in Sylvia Olson when she was on "Coffee Time" on KTRF. She always heard both sides of a question. I'm sure many others also miss her on that program.

Sincerely,
Vern Kappes
Thief River Falls

To The Editor:

We are grateful to everyone who contributed to the Lynne and Dan Bylander Family Benefit held recently. The event was very successful, due to all who gave their time, money and supplies. This event is another fine example of a community that comes together to care for friends. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Bylander Family Benefit Committee
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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—E. A. Moran's family has moved to Red Lake Falls for winter quarters.

—The ice on the river is 10 inches thick and the thermometer registered 14 degrees below zero on Friday night.

—A Big Bowl of Vegetable Soup is advertised for 5 cents at the City restaurant, Frank Albert, proprietor.

—More than 1,000 deer hunting licenses were issued by Pennington County Auditor A. M. Senstad.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Peter Martinson, homesteader, was killed and his wife and six-year-old niece severely beaten on his claim in Cloverleaf township Thursday night. Martinson, the victim of an apparent suicide or a possible murder, died from a shotgun blast. Much mystery is involved, since Mrs. Martinson and her niece, Edna, the only witnesses, claim to know nothing of the matter. The News devoted its entire front page to details and background of the affair, including a topview sketch of the farmhouse where the tragedy occurred.

—A Thanksgiving ball will be held tonight at the Evenson hall with music by the orchestra.

—The dance given by the Thief River Falls Orchestra Friday was largely attended and the orchestra netted $60.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—A big minstrel show will be presented by the Elks club December 14 and 15.

—A crew of well diggers is sinking a well just south of the mechanical building at the high school.

—The ladies of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold their annual silver medal contest at the city auditorium December 10.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—The Elks lodge will sponsor a carnival next week for three days.

—Over 800,000 pounds of butter was produced by the local creamery during the first eight months of this year.

—The local Elks club will hold a memorial service on December 6 at the Elks hall.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—The local telephone exchange reports that it handles 6,000 calls a day.

—The Zion Lutheran church was badly damaged by fire Tuesday.

—The Civic and Commerce association is sponsoring a contest for Christmas decorations in local yards.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—The Elks lodge will host a wild game dinner Saturday evening.

—A civic group, with L. B. Hartz as chairman, recommended a merger of St. Luke's and Mercy hospitals.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—The body of Kenneth E. Lindberg, Northern state bank cashier, was found on the shore of Crescent Lake, three miles south of the village of Clear Lake, by a trio of rabbit hunters. He had been brutally murdered. Sherburne county Sheriff notified the FBI and an intensive manhunt is underway. Found at the scene was $200 in silver dollars. He had been missing for two weeks after being kidnapped, along with $1,750 in silver coins taken from the bank. Earlier $1,530 of the money was found in his abandoned car in Minneapolis.

—Voters of the newly consolidated School District 18 approved by a margin of 1,080 to 211 a bond issue of $1,190,000 for construction of additional school facilities in Thief River Falls.

—Ralph A. Luhman has been named chairman of the 1956 Heart Fund drive here.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—City taxes will remain at 40 mills for the coming year, the same as 1964.

—Northwestern Bell Telephone company announced the appointment of Thomas R. Perrier as Thief River Falls manager.

—Senator Walter F. Mondale addressed a breakfast session of the Thief River Falls chamber of commerce.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—William Hogan was elected secretary of the Pennington county fair association to succeed Milan Borsheim.

—Northwestern hospital association board of trustees adopted a resolution in support of city housing facilities for elderly and low income people.

—Housing still appears to be the most critical problem as Thief River Falls prepares for the third day stopover of the 1976 St. Paul to Winnipeg International 500 mile snowmobile race January 21.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Mr. and Mrs. Tim Rittenour are the parents of a six pound, five ounce baby girl who arrived a little earlier than expected when she was born in the car enroute to Thief River Falls with temperatures dipping to 20 degrees below zero Friday night.

—School District 564 has been informed by the Employee Benefit Administration company of serious deficiencies that exist in portions of the Lincoln high school complex after a recent inspection.

—Engine number 1024, permanently parked at the old Soo Line depot in Thief River Falls, will get new Christmas lights purchased by the chamber of commerce this year.

Brooks

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Marc and Connie Perenteau drove to Rochester on Tuesday where Connie entered the St. Mary's Hospital for treatment. Those who joined them in Rochester were Marc and Connie Perenteau and girls of Shell Lake, WI, Drag and Donna Porenteau of Crookston, Jill Wisdorf and Jordon of Cheyenne, WY, Gary and Dennille Perenteau and boys of Fargo, ND.

Tuesday forenoon guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. JoAnn Delage, Vi Gagner, Dorothy Myhre, Pat Proulx, Mary Jane Paradis, Memie Riendeau, Debbie Opdahl and mother, Martha Gagner and Myrtle Hamrum.

Mrs. Jeanie Gramer of Crookston visited her brother Aurel and Diarie Paronteau on Thursday.

Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Monday.

Ronnie and Dallas Peradis entertained an early Thanksgiving party with Bryin Paradis, Leland and Carol Saga, Lea, Lacey and Kaye Lee of Fertile, Amie and Pam Paradis, Ryan, Chelsey and Ethan, Lennie and Kenya Paradis and little Amanda, Roger and Mary Jane Paradis as guest.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Iona Berry, Eva Mae Bergeron, Rose Mandt, Irene Noyes, Evelyn Gibeau all of Oklee, Evelyn's daughter Betty of Ely and Mrs. Audrey Bachand.

Tuesday guests at Mrs. Lillian Hince were Ronia Grove of Erskine, Evangeline Drave and Jeff Burthwick of Mentor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolstad and Luke and Mrs. Sue Olsan all of Fosston visited their mother, Mrs. Mayme Berberick and brothers.

Leonard and Veronica Boucher, Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum and Pearl Laniel attended the Grandparents Day held in the Plummer School on Friday.

Duane and Delores Delage at White Bear Lake spent Friday to Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Nora Delage.

On Thursday, Mrs. Diane Plante, Mrs. George Burthwick of Oklee and Evangeline Grove were visitors of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Delores Grimm and Pearl Laniel were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ann Hince of Oklee.

Roger and Mary Jane Paradis spent the weekend with Todd and Heather Nelson and Baby Blair of Fargo, ND and Heidi Paradis of Moorhead.

Mrs. Phyllis Melby and Mrs. Doris Lajambe of Oklee, Shawn Hince and Evangeline Drove were Saturday guests of Mrs. Lillien Hince.

Jason and Sherrie Engen and boys of Thief River Falls were Sunday evening dinner guests of her parents, Walter and Willie Ketschka, Sherrie was enroute home from North Judson, IN, where she visited her brother Rodney Keck, who is a patient in a hospital in South Bend, IN.

Linus and Ruth Carriere of Spring Lake Park visited with her mother Mrs. Pearl Laniel Saturday afternoon, enroute to Oklee and Alvarado.

Mrs. Robin Korbs and Alyssas of Grand Forks visited her mother, Mrs. Joann Delage Friday and Saturday, Alyssas remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Joannie Gramer of Crookston, Clora and Petit,Jo Thompson, Steve and Vicki Paronteau all of Grand Forks were Sunday guests of Aurel and Gloria Paronteau.

Arnie and Pam Paradis hosted a Sunday breakfast with her parents, Dena and Joyce Rock and Nephew Tyler Rock of Mentor as guests.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — November 29, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week: December 6, 1945

An announcement will be made about a Christmas present from the city of Thief River Falls to its citizens. What local service was being billed at a substantial discount for this gift for the month of December?

Advanced question: What was the total percentage of each bill being discounted if paid on time?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library in the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Exhibit of Art in City Auditorium Week of Dec. 3rd

"The Zehlian group of the Woman's club in connection with the public schools, is sponsoring an art exhibit of fine prints during the week of December 3 through 7 in the city auditorium. This collection consists of 150 large-sized reproductions of the world's greatest masterpieces by famous painters. The reproductions are of the finest type produced, showing the original color as well as the brush strokes of the original canvas. In the collection are portraits, marines, landscapes, and pastoral scenes. Each child in the school system will be given an opportunity to see the exhibit sometime during the week."

Over 1,000 Deer Hunters in County Get Licenses

"The last of a huge army of northwest deer hunters returned to their homes Sunday night with varying reports of success in bagging their quarry during the season just closed. In most cases a lot of hard work was necessary, owing to the absence of sufficient snow to facilitate tracking. County Auditor A. M. Senstad reported that his office has issued a total of 1,043 licenses to Pennington county hunters and 110 to residents of eastern Marshall county."

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Avalon Theatre

NAA Chapter Here Is Inaugurating Scout Air Patrol

"Board of directors of the local chapter of the National Aeronautics association, at a meeting Tuesday evening, voted to sponsor a Boy Scout Air Patrol, which will devote its attention to study of the ground work of flying, Paul A. Lundgren, chapter president, announced today. Gordon Camp, instructor at the airport, will assist in the organization of the patrol, membership in which is open to boys 15 years of age or older, who have attained the rating of second class scouts. The NAA chapter also voted to extend an invitation to Vernon Welch, president of the Minneapolis chapter, to address the annual meeting of the local group February 7, 1946."

Meat Rationing Ended, But Save Ration Books

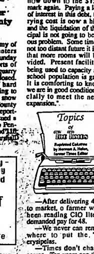
"'Don't throw away your ration books!' That was the warning issued by the manager of the district Office of Price Administration at Fargo upon receipt of word that meats, fats and oils were not to be rationed after 12:01 a.m. Saturday, November 24. Ration books will be required for sugar, the only food still rationed, the district director said. Tires also will continue to be rationed."

Highlanding Man Traps Valuable Silver Fox

"E. W. Heden of the Highlanding community last week brought into the Times office the pelt of an excellent specimen of silver fox which he had been fortunate enough to trap near his home. In addition to this valuable animal he also has trapped a number of red fox."

From the Editorial Page

"Total debt of the Thief River Falls school district is now down to the $150,000 mark again. Paying a low rate of interest in this debt, the carrying cost is now a big item and the liquidation of the principal is not going to be a serious problem. Some time in the not too distant future it is likely that more rooms will be provided. Present facilities are being used to capacity and the school population is growing. It is comforting to know that we are in good condition financially to meet the needs of expansion."



—After delivering 40 hogs to market, a farmer who had been reading CIO literature demanded pay for 48.

—We never can remember where to put the "y" in erysipelas.

—Times don't change, it seems. Ten years ago this column reported local people had enjoyed a gorge-ous Thanksgiving.

—Youngsters are hoping that that eastern professor won't get far with his campaign to end the myth of Santa Claus.

—Only a person who has suffered, they tell us, can write a modern novel, which impels a commentator to remark that anyone who has read a modern novel can write one.

—That old Becker county court house at Detroit Lakes, erected 60 years ago, was sold recently for $531. Wonder what the Pennington county edifice would fetch.

—Simile: As busy as a coroner in the deer country up north during the hunting season.

—It would be nice if the advent of winter could be postponed until underwear becomes more plentiful on the dealers' shelves.

—The National Safety Council addressing motorists, has changed the old wise crack to "Quit your skidding."

—Remember way back before the postoffice department got dizzy when all three-cent stamps were printed in purple ink?

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — November 27, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Thanksgiving

"Tomorrow is our national Thanksgiving Day and we have many things to be thankful for. Nature has this year been overabundant. We have raised the largest and best crop of everything this country has ever seen. Were it not for the cupidity of mankind our people would be the most prosperous and happy on earth. Let us be thankful that few will suffer want the coming winter which is a great deal more than many localities can say."

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FOSSTON...Thurs., Dec. 7 Embassy Center 10 A.M. - 2 P.M.
WARREN...Tues., Dec. 12 Senior Center 10 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.
Rd. Lk. Falls Thurs., Dec. 14 Clinic, 8 A.M. - 3 P.M.
NEWFOLDEN...Mon., Dec. 18 Community Center, 2-4 P.M.
KARLSTAD...Tues., Dec. 19 Hospital, 10 A.M. - 3 P.M.
FOSSTON Thurs., Dec. 21 Embassy Center 10 A.M. - Noon
FOSSTON Thurs., Dec. 21 Civic Center 1 - 3 P.M.
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HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Pine to Prairie Hospice, Inc., a multi-county Hospice provider, is seeking an individual with proven Health Care management/administration education and experience who is knowledgeable and supportive of the Hospice philosophy. Contact: Allen Potvin, President, 201 Hillestad Ave. N., Fosston, MN 56542. E.O.E. 4t97c

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The Pennington County Highway Department in Thief River Falls, MN will be accepting applications for a position as Highway Technician until 4:30 p.m. December 8, 1995. A detailed job description and application can be obtained at the Office of the County Engineer in the Pennington County Courthouse at 101 N. Main Ave. in Thief River Falls, MN or by mail at Pennington County Highway Department, PO Box 810, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, or by phone at (218) 681-1221. Starting salary is $9.12 per hour with excellent fringe benefits. E.O.E.

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Telephone: 874-8805

SOCIAL SERVICE DIRECTOR

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THANK YOU

Larry & Vivian Smisek would like to thank everyone for their caring thoughts for our son Jeffrey during his stay in the Twin Cities hospital. For your cards, gifts, the phone calls, the food brought home, those that helped out with our farm chores. For your prayers We thank you.

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November 15 & 29, 1995
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(MS CHAPTER 280)

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF NORMAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That I shall sell to the highest bidder at my office in the Courthouse in Ada, Minnesota, on the 12th day of December, 1995, the following described real estate situated in Norman County, Minnesota, to satisfy the following delinquent real estate taxes and assessments, and costs and disbursements, as provided by Law, to wit:

Township	Description of Property	Amount Subject To Redemption	Amount Required To Redemption
(1) Gondenier (Township)	Original Township Lots 15, 16 and 17 Block 1	$77.08	$80.00
(2) Gondenier (Township)	Original Township Lot 13 Lot 14 Block 2	$77.08	$80.00
(3) Gondenier (City)	Original Lots 1 and 2 Block 3	$479.18	$500.00
(4) Gondenier (City)	Original Township Lots 15, 16 & 17, Block 3	$992.06	$1,000.00
(5) Gondenier (City)	Gondenier Field addition, Lots 26, 27, 28 & 29 & 30, Blk. 2	$2,999.50	$60.00
(6) Gondenier (City)	Gondenier Field addition, Lots 1 & 2 Blk. 3	$2,189.79	$150.00
(7) Gondenier (City)	Gondenier Field addition, Lots 3 & 4 Blk. 3	$2,271.95	$50.00
(8) Gondenier (City)	Gondenier Field addition, Lots 5 & 6 Blk. 3	$1,995.87	$800.00
(9) Gondenier (City)	Gondenier Field addition, Lots 7 & 8 Blk. 3	$1,263.87	$50.00
(10) Mc Hugh (Township)	Original Township Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, Block 41	$1,184.14, Int. 31.154, $2.00	$80.00
(11) Rustad (Township)	Rustad & Tassart's Addition Lots 7 & 8 Block 2	$1.92	$100.00
(12) Rustad (Township)	Rustad & Tassart's Addition Lots 9 & 10 Block 2	$2.00	$100.00
(13) Smiley (Township)	County Estates Subdivision Lot 24, Blk. 3	$100.00	$100.00
(14) Smiley (Township)	County Estates Subdivision Lots 11, 12 & 13 Block 13	$1,160.90	$750.00
(15) Smiley (Township)	Mesman's Addition, Lot 10 Block 2	$1,238.01	$1.00
(16) Smiley (Township)	Mesman's Addition, Lot 10, Block 8	$878.97	$500.00
(17) Thief River Falls (City)	Zaiss Addition, E1/2 Lot 8, Blk. 3	$100.00	$100.00
(18) Thief River Falls (City)	Tessum's Addition, Lots 18,21, Blk. 5	$163.34	$250.00
(19) Thief River Falls (City)	Tessum's Replat of Lot's 5, 6, 7 & 8 of Tessum's Addition, Lot 2 Blk. 1	$38.54	$250.00
(20) Thief River Falls (City)	Tessum's Addition, Lot 2 & 23, Block 9	$569.18	100.00
(21) Thief River Falls (City)	Fairfield Addition, E1/2 Lot 63	$608.98	$250.00
(22) Thief River Falls (City)	Fairfield Addition, Lots 11, 12 & 13 Block 1	$4,361.21	$1,500.00
(23) Thief River Falls (City)	Eshleby's Re-Arrangement, N50' Lot 21	$610.34	$250.00
(24) Thief River Falls (City)	Eshleby's Re-Arrangement, Lot 45 & Center 100'	$500.00	$500.00
(25) Thief River Falls (City)	Eshleby's Re-Arrangement, Lot 50	$1,200.79	$500.00
(26) Thief River Falls (City)	Eshleby's Re-Arrangement, Lot 51	$1,200.79	$500.00
(27) Thief River Falls (City)	Eshleby's Re-Arrangement, Lot 52	$250.00	$250.00
(28) Thief River Falls (City)	A tract of land which is a part of the division line between Lots 1 & 2, Block 6, Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, Lot 2 of Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, and the vacated alley in Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, which is the same as the South 20 feet of the North 40 feet of the East 140 feet of said Lot 2 of said Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, and the East 140 feet of said Lot 1 of said Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, and the vacated alley in said Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, which is the same as the North 20 feet of said Lot 1 of said Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, and the East 140 feet of the South 20 feet of the North 40 feet of said Lot 2 of said Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, and the East 140 feet of the South 20 feet of said Lot 1 of said Block 6 Meehan's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, and the East 140 feet of the North 20

Star News

Mrs. Terry Anderson was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gene Marquis home on Monday.

Monday afternoon, Amanda Rindahl was a caller at the Vernon Iverson home.

Tuesday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Alfred Iverson home.

Todd Anderson was a visitor on Saturday afternoon at the Dale Anderson home.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Gene Marquis, Megan and Andrea visited with June Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel were visitors at the Leonard Johnson home on Monday night.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest with her grandmother Mrs. Clarence Johnson on Monday and Sunday.

Monday afternoon, Norman Kriel was a visitor and coffee guest at the Vernon Iverson home.

Visitors and dinner guests on Thursday at the Leonard Johnson home were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson.

Margaret Stock (right) was recently awarded the "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" by her bus driver, Terry Blacklance.

Viking Community News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the John Gustafson home were Annie Gustafson daughters, Sandy and Jan and LeWayne Gustafson.

LeRoy and Ruth Sustad were callers at the Liz Swenson home on Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hjelle and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad attended services Sunday evening at the Evangelical Free Church in Newfolden where former Pastor Eveland was a guest speaker.

Last weekend Joe and Rhonda Erickson from Bottineau, ND visited at the George Erickson home.

On behalf of the Covenant Women Sunshine Committee, Ruth Sustad brought Thanksgiving greetings to Dagne Irvin at Valley Home and Emma Kalbakdalen at Oakland Park and Alma Drotts at her home.

On Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. George Erickson drove to Drafton to their son Russ a home to help granddaughter Kelsey celebrate her eighth birthday.

Last Saturday, Joyce Erickson went to Greenbush with Evonne Radniecki and Beattie Mickelson to attend the horticultural board meeting.

Liz Swanson attended the Harvest Festival and dinner at the Viking Covenant church on Sunday afternoon.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson attended the Band Concert at Franklin school where granddaughter Katie plays in the band.

Arlene Erickson was a caller at Liz Swenson a on Monday night.

Thanksgiving Day guests at the Arnold Weleslu home were Gordon and Adelle Skjerven, Dan, Kathy Olson and Tim and Terry and Darran and Tricia Lee of Grand Forks.

Leonard Larson was a breakfast guest at James Olsons on Thanksgiving Day and enjoyed dinner at the Thales Grindeland home.

LeWayne and John Gustafson were callers at Leonard Larsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand were Thanksgiving Day guests at the Ward Sinn home. Other guests were Jim and Angie Hoglo, Liza and Seth, Ray and Keith Grandstrand, Earl Grandstrand of Minneapolis, Jason Grandstrand, Cheri Mercel and Dean and Pattie Grandstrand and children.

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If you wish to claim homestead on a property that was not receiving the homestead classification in the past, you must contact the county assessor's office and make application on or before December 15, 1995.

You--or a "qualifying relative"-- must have moved into the home you now own and live in it as a principal residence, on or before December 1, 1995, to apply to have the property classified as a homestead.

A "qualifying relative" is defined as a parent, stepparent, child, stepchild, grandparent, grandchild, brother, sister, uncle or aunt. The relationship may be by blood or by marriage.

Because of a 1993 law change, once you have been granted the homestead classification, no further applications are necessary unless they are specifically requested by the county assessor.

If you should sell, move or for any reason no longer qualify for the homestead classification, you are required to notify the county assessor's office within 30 days of the change in homestead status.

To find out how to apply for the homestead classification and receive the proper application form contact:

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Rural Life Outreach — Page 18
Rural Life Outreach of Crookston has developed information on early recognition/intervention of financial problems on the farm.

Tennis dreams — Page 12
Mitch Rustad, formerly of Thief River Falls, tells of his experiences as media manager for Association of Tennis Professionals Tour.

Sports — Pages 14-17
- Prowlers lose hockey opener to EGF Central 6-4
- TRF swimmers, boy's basketball openers this week
- Ron Novak Invitational this weekend

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Wednesday, December 6, 1995

Quartet for "Advent Motet" to be performed by the Lincoln high school concert choir Monday, December 11, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium includes (left to right) Jim Lehrer, bass; Tony Bromen, tenor; Haidi Johnson, alto; and Anne Padilla, soprano.

Council OKs water rate increase starting in '96

Tuesday, Thief River Falls City Council approved a water rate increase, acknowledged receipt of a recommendation to adopt the Capital Improvements plan, and studied a drug and alcohol policy.

A water rate increase for citizens of Thief River Falls will go into effect in January. It is projected that the proposed increase will raise an additional $75,000. The rate changes affect usage and service charges.

Arlo Rude, superintendent of utilities, explained that the usage rate increase would amount to about a 5 to 6 per cent increase for residential customers, and about an 8 per cent increase for commercial customers. In terms of dollars and cents, the usage fee would increase from $1.83 to $2.00 for usage below 10,000 gallons, and from $1.93 to $2.10 for usage above 10,000 gallons.

Service charge rates will also increase. A customer with a five-eighths-inch to three-quarters-inch meter currently pays $9.10, but would pay an additional $.25 per month or $9.35. A customer with a two-inch meter currently pays $118.50 per month, but would pay an extra $8.50 or $127.00 under the new rate being proposed.

Sami Haj, a resident in the audience, asked to have the rate increase explained.

Council representative Don Barron, and Rude explained that this is the third rate increase since improvements to the water treatment plant were completed. Those increases were needed to pay off the cost of the improvements.

The improvements were, in effect, said Council Representative Ken Schmalz, another unfunded mandate.

Several years ago now, the EPA said the improvements had to be made. The city was able to obtain loans with reasonable interest rates from the FmHA. At the time, it was predicted that three to four rate increases were needed. At this time, it is not anticipated that a fourth rate increase will be needed.

The difference between what residential and commercial users pay is due to the break at 10,000 gallons. Individuals or businesses using more than 10,000 gallons will pay a higher rate.

Thief River Falls city council acknowledged, but did not take action on, a recommendation from Planning Commission to adopt the 1996-2001 Capital Improvements Plan. The recommendation also put ADA improvements to the city auditorium on the back burner for another year.

The city council will take some more time to study the plan. Of particular concern was encouragement from the Planning Commission to conduct a more detailed transportation planning and traffic study as to the need and timing for construction of a Greenwood Street Bridge.

Putting off for another year required ADA improvements to the city auditorium concerned city council representative Dale Wennberg. Wennberg compared the city auditorium improvements to EPA required improvements to the water treatment plant. He wanted to know why the city council would act so quickly on the water treatment plant, but not the auditorium. He also wondered what the result would be if the city council decided not to move into the Soo Depot building? Wennberg noted that by putting it back another year, it will be probably another three years before the improvements are completed at the auditorium.

Council Representative Don Barron explained the city made improvements to the water treatment plant because of a threatened

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Padilla nominated for PLA leadership award scholarship

Anne Padilla, a Lincoln High school senior, has been nominated to compete in the national Principal's Leadership Award Scholarship Program (PLA), sponsored by the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP). The Principals Leadership Award Program is funded by Herff Jones, Inc.

Terry Soine, principal at Lincoln High school, announced the nomination which places Padilla in the national competition. One hundred fifth national PLA winners will be chosen this spring to receive $1,000 college scholarships.

Principals in high schools throughout the country could nominate one of their student leaders. Winners were selected based on their participation in service organizations, clubs, and athletics; achievements in the arts and sciences; employment experience; and academic record. They also had to write an essay.

"Padilla has demonstrated outstanding ability in her academic work and service to her school and community." "She's a fine example of the outstanding caliber of young people in America's high schools."

While at Lincoln High school, Padilla has been on the girls tennis team, girls golf team, vice-president of the student senate, a member of the National Honor Society Chapter, a member of the concert Choir, Target, Project 4 Teens, Close Up, Speech, Northern Expressions School of the Arts, and Peer Tutoring. Next fall she plans to continue her education in a college yet to be selected.

School board seeks input on budget cutting

Parental and community input into the budget reduction process for School District 564 was requested by the board of education at its regular meeting November 27.

Committees will be formed for each of four school areas—Challenger Elementary and Preschool, Franklin Middle School, Lincoln High School and the Northwest Area Learning Center.

Any parent or other community member interested in serving on one of these four committees is asked to contact the superintendent's office in the School District Service Center by calling 681-8711 before December 21.

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Newfolden post office pictorial to note centennial

To commemorate "100 Years of Service," the Newfolden post office will offer a centennial pictorial cancellation on Jan. 6, 1996, according to Pat Passa, postmaster. An open house will also be held that day at the Newfolden post office from 8 to 10:30 a.m. and refreshments will be served.

Out-of-town collectors may submit a mail order request for the pictorial cancellation observing the 100th anniversary of the Newfolden post office. Requests must be postmarked no later than 30 days following the requested pictorial cancellation date.

All requests must include a stamped envelope or postcard bearing at least the minimum First Class postage (32 cents per envelope or 20 cents per postcard). Items submitted for cancellation may not include postage issued after the date of the requested cancellation. Such items will be returned unserviced.

Customers wishing to obtain a cancellation should affix stamps to any envelope or postcard of choice, address the envelope or postcard to one's self or others, insert a card of postcard thickness in the envelope and tuck in the flap, place the envelope or postcard in a larger envelope and address it to Centennial of Newfolden Post Office, P. O. Box 9998, Newfolden, MN 56738-9998.

After applying the pictorial cancellation, the Postal Service returns the envelope or postcard through the mail. Customers who want their serviced item returned under protected cover should include a larger, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Lincoln choirs present "Echoes of the Season"

Concert choir, Varsity Singers, freshman choir and Swingsations jazz choir in concert Monday, December 11

"The Echoes of the Season" is the theme for Lincoln high school choirs in concert Monday, December 11, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. The choirs are under the direction of Darcy Reese and the public is encouraged to attend. There is no admission charge.

Participating in the concert will be the concert choir comprised primarily of juniors and seniors, the sophomore Varsity Singers, the freshman choir and the Swingsations jazz choir. All groups will form a 130-voice mass choir for the final numbers of the evening.

As those attending the concert enter the auditorium (doors open at 6:20 p.m.), they will see decorated trees and be entertained prior to the concert by the a capella carolers, dressed in authentic costume and singing in four-part harmony. Carolers are Leslie Swanson, Erica McGeary, Kelly Almquist, Amanda Clark, Kristen Saustad and Beth Goddard.

"Each choir has its own unique highlights," Mrs. Reese said. "One of those for the concert choir will be a major work of Mozart entitled 'Regina Coeli.' Kendra Dimich will be accompanist on the piano and a featured quartet will include Heidi Johnson, alto; Vicki Bitzegaio, soprano; Matt Bitzegnio, tenor; and Jim Lehrer, bass."

Another concert choir highlight with be "Advent Motet," an a capella selection which will include up to 12 parts being sung at once. The quartet for this selection includes Anne Padilla, soprano; Tony Bromen, tenor; Heidi Johnson and Jim Lehrer.

The concert choir will also perform other sacred and secular selections throughout the evening.

Varsity Singers also utilize a variety of musical instruments to add to their selections. ReAnn Dargus will perform on the French horn as the Singers present the secular piece, "Life Has Loveliness to Sell." "Silent Night" will have the addition of Brian Unbehnun on guitar, Jill Dekkers on flute, Cathy Hagen on piano and Leslie Swanson singing descant.

The 1995-96 freshman choir will impress listeners with four selections, including the popular spiritual "Shut De Do" with Jon Danielson on conga drums and Katie Christensen singing the soprano solo. Jill Dekkers will be accompanist for this enthusiastic young choir.

Swingsations jazz choir made its first public performance of the school year at the high school music department's "Remember When" concert and dance. Songs from that show will include "Java Jive" and "All the Things You Are," with Anne Padilla and Matt Bitzegaio singing a combined solo. Also performed will be "I'll Be Home for Christmas," which Reese says is back by popular demand and "will surely put you in the holiday mood."

The grand finale by the 130-voice combined choir will include "O Holy Night," accompanied by Jill Dekkers; "Carol of the Bells;" and "Anthem for a Nativity" with soprano soloist Vicki Bitzegnio accompanied by Laura Williams on piano and Jill Dekkers on synthesizer.

The audience will also be invited to participated in the concert by joining the mass choir for two carols, accompanied by Mandi Rodahl on piano.

Following the concert, those attending are invited to socialize with the performers when coffee, cider and cookies are served in the school cafeteria. A pie auction will be held with choir members donating pies and Maryel Anderson serving as auctioneer. Proceeds will go to the choir's New York City trip to

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Carrie Rud

Carson Quesnell

Robert Spry

Katie Toren

Brian Unbehaun

Mika Westerman

Lisa Ostby

Adam Fulton

Santa Surprises Saturday, Dec. 9 – Santaland & Pictures – 11 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. FREE Movies for the Kids - 11 a.m. & 2 p.m. At The Galaxy Twin Theatre
Thief River Falls Holiday Shopping Hours: Stores Open 'Til 8 P.M.; Saturdays 'Til 5:30 P.M.; Sundays (Most Stores) Noon-5:00 P.M.

Lincoln choirs to present "Echoes of the Season"

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perform at Carnegie Hall.

Mrs. Reese and her choirs extend a special invitation to attend the concert as an addition to the festivities of the holiday season.

Members of the performing choirs include the following:

Concert Choir

Sam Adams, Keith Anderson, Kyle Anderson, Ryan Belmont, Mathew Bitzegaio, Vicki Bitzegaio, Anthony Bromen, Megan Browning, Nicholas Chiodo, Pauline Cullen, Bobby Dahlstrom, ReAnn Dargue, Paul Dehnert, Brad Dekkers, Jill Dekkers, Kendra Dimich and Richard Donarski;

Also Shari Evenson, Robby Farbo, Jacqueline Flynn, Adam Fallon, Aaron Faraseth, Andy Faraseth, Benjamin Furuseth, Kristine Goddard, Jordan Goldesberry, Danielle Goulet, Chad Hanson, Stephanie Henney, Heidi Johnson, Melanie Johnson, Miranda Johnson, James Jorgenson and Darwin Klemetson;

Also Jonathan Lee, James Lehrer, Katie Lendobeja, Michelle Mathson, Rebecca Mattson, Adam Nordin, Kate Nordin, Mylynda Olson, Lisa Ostby, Erica Owen, Anne Padilla, Amy Peterson, Jessica Pream, Carson Quesnell, Steve Rambeck, Amanda Rodahl, Lana Rodahl, Kyle Rokke and Carrie Rud.

Also Benjamin Schmitz, Cami Sorenson, Robert Spry, Kelsy Stalboerger, Lisa Swanson, Ryan Swanson, Katie Toren, Marisa Toren, Christopher Tsukichi, Nicholas Tveitbakk, Stacy Tveten, Kamille Twomey, Brian Unbehaun, Brock Walseth, Cora Walseth, Michaela Westerman and Laura Williams.

Varsity Singers

Kelly Almquist, Jenny Brunkhorst, Sunny Carlson, Amanda Clark, Angela Erickson, Lynsey Forsberg, Elizabeth Goddard, Sarah Hagen, Alissa Halbert, Tina Halsa, Alissa Hays, Rebecca Hoven, Carrie Irelan, Krissy Johnson, Jamie Kalsnes, Jessica Krankkala, Wendy Lindquist, Erica McGeary, Kristen Odegaard, Jami Phillipp, Sara Rasmussen, Delaine Rosten, Kristen Saustad, Leslie Swanson, Trisha Swanson and Jeana Tsukichi.

Freshman Choir

Ruth Balmer, Katie Christensen, Todd Christensen, John Danielson, Teddi-Ann Erickson, Shelli Eriksen, Ryan Evenson, Richella Fitzloff, Katie Furuseth, Ann Gustafson, David Halverson, Katie Harbott, Wade Haviland, Marisa Holmstrom, Andy Janisch, Melissa Kofstad and Mya Krantz;

Also Alicia Lampe, Toni LeMoine, Julie Martell, Dustin Melby, Bethany Nelson, Garrett Novak, Andrea Olson, Jarrod Peterson, Casey Reed, Angela Rendulich, Kristine Risdal, Leif Spears, Andrea Stinson, Bridgette Stock, Jenny Sullivan, Jennifer Swanson, Kyle Wold and Janna Unbehaun.

Book fair at Franklin MS December 5-8

Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls will host a Scholastic Book Fair Tuesday through Friday, December 5-8. Hours will be 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, 8 to 8:30 a.m., 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 3 to 3:30 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday and 8 to 8:30 a.m. Friday.

The event will offer students, parents and teachers the opportunity to see the latest works by popular authors and illustrators of books. Books featured are carefully selected by a committee of editors and educators which spends many hours considering hundreds of books from around the world in search of selections expected to excite and motivate students to become lifelong readers.

"Along with winners of state and national awards, the book fair will present hundreds of titles from more than 100 publishers. Included will be how-to books, biographies, timeless classics and a wonderful variety of the newest titles in young people's literature," states Jan Ness, volunteer coordinator for the event.

Career Center at LHS lists evening hours

The Lincoln High school Career Center will be open six continuous Mondays starting on Monday, January 8, and continuing through February 12 from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. On February 12 the hours will change to 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. to accommodate the band concert at 7:30 p.m.

The Career Center volunteer staff and the Lincoln high school counseling staff see this as a time when parents and students can research and plan together their education and career plans.

The Career Center offers career information, catalogs to check out, financial aid and scholarship information as well as videos on schools and career opportunities.

Kmart sponsors Little Brother/ Sister shopping

A number of participants in the Little Brother/Little Sister program in the Thief River Falls area were given an opportunity to do some shopping for other members of their families Saturday at the Kmart store in Thief River Falls.

Kmart made $20 available to each of the 15 to 20 youngsters to select gifts under the supervision of adult helpers.

City council approves increase in water rates

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$25,000 a day penalty.

Mayor Robert Reeve noted that the city wasn't just sitting around doing nothing. He said the city has a number of buildings and is in the process of making improvements to those buildings. Improvements have been made to the library and the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center, for example, he said.

Ron Lindberg, public works director, informed the city council that the state intends to open bids on the pedestrian footbridge across the Red Lake river at Hartz park on January 18. Lindberg said the bad news is that the bridge should have been up by now. The delay has increased the projected cost, but the state has decided it will pay more of the cost of the project. Instead of an anticipated one-third - two thirds formula, the state will now pick up about 80 per cent of the cost, leaving the remaining 20 per cent to the Zehlians.

The Zehlians, a local chapter of General Federation of Women's Clubs, has dedicated much of their activities in the past several years to developing a series of walkways called Riverwalk along the river in Thief River Falls. It also included building a pedestrian bridge across the Red Lake river below the dam and at Hartz park. To this end, the club has raised over $80,000. The city of Thief River Falls has not put any money into the project. It has acted as an agent for the Zehlians so that the club could access Federal Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act funds.

Lindberg said permits were in hand and all studies had been completed. A tentative time table for completion has been set at June 29.

The council studied a request to allow a Bed and Breakfast in Thief River Falls to serve meals by reservation.

Council representatives were concerned what precedent would be set by granting a request to allow a Bed and Breakfast to serve meals by reservation only? Norsk Hus Inn, operated by Dr. Dixie Klein, Thief River Falls, has requested an opportunity to serve meals at the establishment. The request would be in accordance with the Minnesota Department of Health's Specifications for licensure as a "small menu establishment". The maximum number of persons that could be served at any one seating would be 10. It would be anticipated that Dr. Klein would also apply for a wine and beer license. Council representatives wanted to hear from Dr. Klein regarding parking, and how many seatings there would be at the establishment.

The issue has been tabled until Dr. Klein can appear before the city council.

A request from Peterson Lumber and Norwest Bank for a variance at 1221 Main Avenue North was also tabled. Peterson Lumber is proposing to purchase property located south and across 13th Street and proposing to construct a 96-foot by 40 foot storage building. Ron Lindberg, public works director, raised a number of concerns about the variance request.

The city council has received a draft policy on drug and alcohol testing. The policy will conform to the requirements of state law and federal Drug Free Workplace Act of 1988.

Basically, the rule states that: "No employee shall be under the influence of any drug or alcohol while the employee is working or while the employee is on the city's premises or operating city vehicles, machinery or equipment, except to the extent authorized by a valid medical prescription.

"No employee shall use, possess, manufacture, distribute, dispense, sell or transfer drugs, alcohol or drug paraphernalia while the employee is working or while the employee is on the city's premises or operating city vehicles, machinery or equipment, except pursuant to a valid medical prescription.

"An employee shall notify the city in writing of any criminal drug or alcohol statute conviction or plea agreement for a drug or alcohol violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction. The city shall notify the appropriate federal agency of such conviction within 10 days of receiving notice from the employee."

The statutes further details the persons subject to testing, circumstances for drug or alcohol testing, rights of the employee, and consequences.

The council reviewed the policy, but did not take any action.

Allen Kangas, Midwest Minnesota Community Development Corporation, and other representatives of the agency provided a report on their activities to the Thief River Falls city council. Kangas said the goal of the organization is to provide an opportunity for people, but it isn't a social service organization. Their expertise is in lending. He explained that the CDC does not have owners but members. At the conclusion, he said he looks forward to doing business in Thief River Falls. No specific project was mentioned.

Mayor Reeve has asked the council representatives to review the city's committee structure, and in anticipation of the new year, indicate their preferences. The city will officially adjust to a new committee structure in January.

Eleven Boy Scouts from Troop 199 in Thief River Falls and two adult leaders were at the council meeting. The Boy Scouts were fulfilling requirements for a merit badge.

More work to be done on bypass plans

More groundwork needs to be done before the county advertises for bids on the alternate route for Highway 59 around the west edge of Thief River Falls.

Wednesday, the county board met with city representatives, the county engineer, and property owners to discuss progress on the project. It became apparant that cost estimates and issues regarding ditches need to be addressed before bid letting.

Delton Schulz, county engineer, said he expects those questions to be answered prior to the next meeting on the alternate route for Highway 59 on February 1. Work on the project could begin next summer.

Fire damages conveyor belt at SwisPenCo.

Fire early Friday morning caused damage to a conveyor system at SwisPenCo, formerly known as Future Fuel.

A fire department spokesperson said they received a report of the fire at 5:17 a.m. Friday, December 1. The spokesperson said the fire started near the conveyor system. The blaze, he said, was contained by the company's sprinkler system.

The fire department believes the fire was caused from hot slag. Apparently work was being done on the conveyor the previous night and some hot slag had fallen into debris.

Plummer groups plan creative writing contest

National Honor Society and SADD chapters at Plummer school are sponsoring a creative writing contest open to all students in grades 3-12.

All entrants will receive a prize for entering and two winners will be selected from each grade on the basis of creativity and originality. Grade winners will receive $5 gift certificates to the recreation center.

Entries are to be submitted to Mrs. Brustad at the Plummer school by Friday, December 8.

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Linda Bentson recognized by area businesswomen

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

"I never planned on owning a business." It's probably the last thing most people expect to hear from Thief River Falls businesswoman Linda Bentson, but she says she never planned to become a businesswoman. She started her business, Thief River Linen about eight years ago and has come a long way since then.

Her success has been recognized locally in the past and now regionally. WIND, Women In New Development, named Linda runner-up for Entrepreneur of the Year. 64 women throughout the region were nominated in six different categories and were awarded at a banquet on October 17. Linda is married to Scott Bentson, a psychologist at Northwest Medical Center. They have two daughters, Sara Bentson-Rutz who is majoring in Peace Studies and Jane Bentson who is in the Intergrated Studies program at UND.

Linda started working in the home furnishing business in the early 1980's working for Heritage Design in the marketing department. At Heritage Design, Linda received a lot of on the job training on marketing and the home furnishing market. It was while she was working for Heritage Design that the popularity of davet covers, French-style, down-filled comforters, started to grow.

In 1987 she began her own business custom making duvet covers, pillow shams and bed skirts. The company began building a stock of fabrics and now has over 300 fabrics from which to choose. The fabrics vary in weave, texture, color and pattern from traditional to contemporary. Linda focuses on featuring unique materials and her company's ability to customize items, giving her "customers a wide variety of choices."

The company's products have expanded to include bed linen sets, decorative pillows, sofa scarves and rugs. They also work with other designers and companies to create items for special collections.

Running her own business requires that Linda travel regularly and that she works well with people. Linda loves to do both. In fact, she says that it was the "people side, not the business, that got me going."

She also loves to travel. This week she will be traveling to Thailand to research ideas for a project with Hickory White, a top-quality furniture manufacturer. She has traveled extensively in her quest to find fabrics and ideas for her products. Linda is fortunate to have contacts around the world. While in Thailand she will have the opportunity to meet with a Thai woman she knows and tour a textile mill.

"I'm struck by how you meet people you need at the right time," she says of her global contacts.

She says she started the business because she likes "a complicated existence."

"I found a very effective way to complicate my life," she says of her career as a business executive.

When the business started eight years ago, Linda hired four sewers, she now employs 20-25 part-time and full-time sewers. Thief River Linen also employs 10 full-time people in the office and cutting room. The company has just developed and begun to implement an incentive program for the sewers. All the sewers work in their own home and bring the finished products to the office be inspected by production manager Liisa Aumundson. Most of the sewers are women, but Linda is very proud of the fact that the company is not gender-biased. There are two men who sew as well. She is also proud that three of the four original sewers still work for Thief River Linen, the fourth has retired.

Much of the growth the company has experienced has been in the last year alone, during which time the company has nearly doubled its sales. The company's growth includes expansion in the national and international markets. The center of the worldwide market in home furnishing is High Point, NC, where Thief River Linen has a showroom. The company also has a network of representatives working with furniture stores, specialty shops, department stores, catalogs, designers and designer showrooms. Linda explained that the company sells to a wide variety of customers, so they are not heavily dependent on one particular customer. For example, Thief River Linen's biggest customer, Room and Board, only represents 12 per cent of its business.

What makes Linda Bentson such a good business woman?

"Problem solving," Linda said. She firmly believes that "almost without exception" any problem can be solved.

She also says that liking people is an asset and she feels it is important to help people to function in a world of changing technology. In other words, she believes in the importance of the human element. Linda flourishes in the positive energy that comes from trying to make work a pleasant place for employees, vendors and customers. She credits Mark Larson of Digi-Key and John Gabbert of Room and Board for being examples of people who create positive energy in the work environment.

"I get so fired up from people sometimes," says Linda. "It's like being on drugs without the drugs." She is quick to admit that she has the gift of more energy than the

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Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday
Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.
Library Storytime at 11:15 at the TRF Library.
Academic Boosters meet at noon at Evergreen Eating Emporium.
Zion Leisure Fellowship meets at noon for potluck and program.
Minnesota Senior Federation Open House at the Heritage Center from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Thursday
TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club, guest speakers are Mark Dannhoff, NCTC Men's Basketball, and Rick Nikunen, NCTC Women's Basketball.
Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is Time Management.
Senior Dance at Heritage Center from 7 to 10 p.m. Music by Hazel Chesley.
AKC Breed Identification program at 7 p.m. at the public library in TRF.

Friday
Falls Squares dance at 8 p.m. at the City Auditorium.

Saturday
Bake Sale at Zion Lutheran Church from 9 a.m. to noon.
AAUW Christmas Brunch at Nancy Tofte's at 10 a.m. Bring a guest.

Sunday
St. Lucia Family Festival at Redeemer Church, at 6:30 p.m.
Senior Meal at Heritage Center is a ham dinner at noon.
Christmas Program at Precious Seed Baptist Church at 7 p.m.
"His Name Is Jesus" performed by the Youth of Zion at 4 p.m. Zion Church.

Monday
Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.
Lincoln Choir Concert at LHS Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday
Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:3-7:30 in Thief River Falls. Call 681-5557 or 1-800-660-6667 for questions and to register.
Christian Women luncheon and program at noon at the Legion.
After 5 Club dinner and program at the Best Western at 6:30 p.m.

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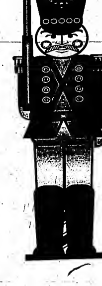

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Linda Bentson and Cindy Wojciechowski check the progress on an order of fabric that's due at the shop this week and go over shipping schedules for finished products.

Jan Skjarping is one of the women who cuts the fabric to be sewn into the rich pillows, duvet covers, and other home furnishings produced by Thief River Linen, Inc. Behind her are some of the unique fabrics used by the company.

Linda Bentson recognized for business success

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average person, and that extra energy comes in handy when she is preparing for a show.

Linda credits her husband Scott with being very supportive of her career.

"(He was) willing to let me forge the path I had to to make this business work," says Linda, "without suggesting I shouldn't."

Few people realize the amount of work it takes to get a business going on a national and international level. Scott has seen the work Linda has put into her business and understands what she has been through. That's why she says that his compliments are the best ones.

Linda's future plans for Thief River Linen include working with designer Vicente Wolf of New York. Wolf is a highly respected interior designer who has worked in some very distinguished homes, including the White House. Linda is opening a permanent showroom in Atlanta, GA, another growing market for home furnishings. As the business grows, it is always looking for more people to sew in their homes, creating more local jobs with flexible hours. As the business grows, Linda continues to stay busy.

She compares starting a business to having a baby. "Once the labor starts, there's no way out."

Trinity Golden Years Club to meet Dec. 12

Trinity Lutheran Golden Years Club will meet at 12 noon on Tuesday, December 12 in the church dining room for food and fellowship. Lillian Rux will cater the ham dinner and December troops will serve it.

Pastor John Wollenzien will lead in devotion, Christmas carols will be sung, and portions of a video tape of the Concordia Christmas Concert, "Sent Forth By God's Blessing," will be viewed. Members and guests are encouraged to attend, for rides call 681-1310.

Michelle Lynn Lundeen and Ryan Lynn Bakken were united in marriage in August at Grace Lutheran Church, Grygla. Pastor Roberta Johnson officiated at the 5 p.m. ceremony. Parents of the bride are David and Mary Jo Mugaas of Thief River Falls and Arden Lundeen of Oklee. Parents of the groom are Raymond and Blanche Bakken of Grygla.

Craig Helms and Angela Echola have a baby boy

Joshua Helms announces the arrival of a baby brother. Nicholas John Helms was born November 17 to Craig Helms and Angela Echola of St. Cloud. He weighed five pounds, six ounces. Grandparents are Louise Echola of St. Cloud and Jackie Helms of Thief River Falls.

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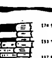

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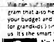
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Christian Women to have program, December 12

All women of the Thief River Falls area are invited to a luncheon Tuesday, December 12, from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the American Legion club. Cost is $4.50.

Program theme "Coming...Coming...It's Here!" reflects the mood of anticipation of Christmas. The program will feature "Place Your Bid" and love auction by Maryel Anderson. "Here We Come A'Caroling" is the musical presentation by Heidi Hoks. Speaker LaVonne Wagenman of Cando, ND, will give "Glad Tidings."

Reservations should be made by December 8, cancellations by December 11. Call Clarice Rooker at 964-5357 or Anna Marie Hestad at 681-2135. Reservations must be kept, cancelled, or paid for.

Free nursery is provided at United Methodist church by reservation only.

Christian Women's After 5 Club plans a "Merry Christmas"

The Christian Business and Professional Women's "After 5 Club," cordially invites area women to a dinner Tuesday, December 12, at 6:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn. Cost will be $6.

Theme for the program is "Merry Christmas." Jan Nelson will present the world of miniatures in "Deck the Halls." Everyone will be able to carol together for "Sing We now of Christmas." And speaker LaVonne Wagenman of Cando, ND will inspire everyone to "Go Tell It on the Mountain."

Reservations must be made by Friday, December 8, and cancelled by Monday noon, December 11. For reservations call Cathy Christensen at 681-8061 or Edna Rondorf at 964-5519.

Birthdays at Riverside Terrace

The November birthdays celebrated at Riverside Terrace were John Geroux, 10, Sue Wolbeck, 12, Minnie Wold, 14, Caroline Drangstveit, 19, Eva Lendobeja, 22, Leora Osse, 30.

The December birthdays are Rebecca Solem, 2, Gertrude Bolstad, 3, Bernice Lasha, 7, Mae Lallier, 7, Hereen Clausen, 15, Mabel Weggo, 29.

Entertainment was provided by Ida Nordvall and Ray Hedlund.

ON MY MIND
Kim Chadwick-Quade

Worries On My Mind

I worry about the weather. I worry about my son's health. I fret over deadlines. I worry about my husband. I worry about almost everything. I have to face it: I'm a worrywart.

I've been worrying since I was a youngster. The first inkling I had about my "worries" was in elementary school. My family lived two blocks from the school, and each morning my two sisters and I walked together. I always worried about being late. They never worried; they were always carefree. On the days I was feeling particularly anxious, I started walking before them; I didn't want to be late.

Of course, I always arrived at school on time, sometimes even before the doors opened, and had to stand outside. My sisters, too, always arrived on time, but they didn't have to wait. They constantly teased me about my "worries."

Then there was the time in sixth grade when my friend and I tried out for the same solo part in the Christmas program. Somehow (I think my voice sounds like a sick puppy's) I was chosen for the part. But because I was worried about my friend's feelings, I volunteered to have her sing the part with me as a duet. Because she had a bad cold, I thought we sounded terrible, but sharing the song eased my worries.

My worrying followed me through high school, during college and into my marriage. Of course, while planning my wedding I worried about all that could go wrong. The only mishap was that one of the ushers didn't show.

The biggest worries materialized when I was pregnant. My husband threatened to disconnect the television. Every news report or television talk show seemed to revolve around pregnancy and birth defects. I was certain I exhibited symptoms of these afflictions and always asked for his diagnosis. He usually laughed and said I was just a worrywart.

Even today, I'll hear a news report about something and start to worry. After a big snowfall, I make my husband crawl up on the roof to check the vents. That is of course, after a news story about the dangers of plugged vents.

Though my husband's attitude is "what ever happens, happens," he's a good sport and humors my worries. There might be that one instance when my worries actually have some merit.

The holidays provide ample opportunities for me to worry. I worry that the Christmas tree is too close to the electric heat. So I turn off the electric heat and use the furnace. Then I worry about carbon monoxide poisoning from the furnace, even if it was serviced just yesterday. During Christmas baking, I worry about my son eating raw cookie dough. Could get salmonella poisoning, you know.

Other times, I worry when my printer squeaks or when the inside of my dryer turns green. I worry when the wind blows strongly or when there's a funny smell coming from the garage. I just worry.

I guess I'm not happy unless I have something to worry about. I recently read an article about worrywarts like me. It detailed a plan to help us to quit wasting time worrying. The article suggested listing all your worries. For me that would take a lot of paper.

The article recommended evaluating each worry. If there's nothing you can do about it, write the worry on a slip of paper and throw it away. Don't worry about that one anymore.

With the solvable worries, you're supposed to write down steps to solve the problem and then work on it.

The idea does have merit, but for me it sounds too much like work. I'm talented; I can worry and do a lot of other things at the same time. In fact, maybe I can even worry for you.

Academic Boosters meet December 6

Academic Boosters will meet at 12 noon on Wednesday, December 6 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. Lynn Dyer will be presenting on the SCANS program being implemented at Lincoln High School. Everyone is welcome to attend. For more information, contact Cheryl Lee at 681-5461.

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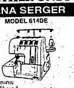
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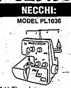
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Tri-Valley gets two new buses

They are the newest addition to public transportation in the region and they have already logged thousands of miles. The Heartland Express recently added two new buses to their fleet in northern Minnesota. The new Ford Eldorados, each with a 400 V-8 gas engine, serve the city of Thief River Falls and Polk and Red Lake counties.

Dennis DeMers, Executive Director of the Tri-Valley Opportunity Council, which administers the Heartland Express, says the vehicles are a welcome addition. "The buses are identical, with a quieter ride and safety features including anti-lock brakes." Both buses are fully accessible. "The Heartland Express is available to everyone. People across the region need the Heartland Express to get to work, to get to their college classes, to appointments, to community events. The Heartland Express is very inexpensive and it's only a phone call away."

Drivers Duaine Aubol, on the Polk and Red Lake county routes, and Debbie Dahlen, in Thief River Falls, invite everyone to give the new buses a try. Aubol says, for a nominal fee, anyone can ride. "No age requirements, no economic guidelines, we're open to all." Aubol's route takes him through cities in Polk and Red Lake County, as well as a weekly trip to Thief River Falls and city-wide routes one day a week in Crookston and one day a week in Red Lake Falls. Dahlen's route takes her daily through a scheduled round of stops in Thief River Falls, as well as occasional trips to St. Hilaire.

Dahlen says her riders enjoy their time on the bus and appreciate the service. "The ride is smoother and there is no odor from the gas engine like there was with the diesel."

Aubol says he has also been pleased with the performance of his bus. "The anti-lock brakes make a real difference. We've already put seven thousand miles on her."

Both Dahlen and Aubol have been with the Heartland Express for more than fourteen years. Each is specially licensed with classes in defensive driving and emergency C.P.R. and first aid training.

Riders are charged a nominal fee for the Heartland Express. Beginning January 1, in-town routes will be charged at 75 cents per stop or a dollar fifty per round trip. City-to-city riders are charged per mile, with most trips under five dollars. All city-to-city routes return the same day, with reservations made one day ahead by calling 1-800-584-7020.

Tri-Valley Heartland Express drivers Duaine Aubol (left) and Debbie Dahlen (right) show off new buses for public transportation in Thief River Falls (front) and in Polk and Red Lake counties (rear bus). The identical Ford Eldorados are equipped with 400 V-8 gas engines and new safety features, including anti-lock brakes. Both buses are fully accessible and are available to all riders, regardless of age or income. For route information and fee schedule, contact Tri-Valley toll free at 1-800-584-7020.

Baby shower for Marie Ness on December 6

There will be a baby shower for Marie (Mrs. Bradley) Ness on Sunday, December 10 in the basement of the First Lutheran Church, Middle River at 2 p.m.

Rhineberger in Sociology Club at St. Ben's

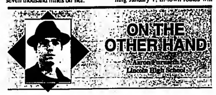
Gayle Marie Rhineberger, daughter of Karen Rhineberger of Thief River Falls, is a member of the Sociology Club at the College of St. Benedict and St. John's University for the 1995-96 academic year. Rhineberger is a senior sociology major at CSB.

Senior dance at Heritage Center on December 7

There will be a senior citizen dance at the Heritage Center on Thursday, December 7 from 7-10 p.m. Music will be by Hazel Chesley. All seniors are welcome.

Eagles meeting postponed until December 11

Due to the cancelation of the Eagles meeting last week, the group will meet on Monday, December 11 at 7 p.m.



People often bother me. Now I'm not saying that people are bad. I'm just saying that we have forgotten one of the most important rules of all-the rule that should dictate our lives, the rule that even is in the Bible. We are responsible for everything that we say. Everything that we say out loud affects another person, no matter how small it may seem to us.

Now I subscribe to the belief that you can't make others happy all the time so you shouldn't even try. That does not mean, however, that we can swear and put others down and say negative things all the time. We need to stop and think about every word that we utter before we utter it.

Every word that we say also will upset someone. If we say something nice about someone, we could offend somebody who doesn't like that person. If we say something mean about someone, we could offend somebody who likes that person. Our words, no matter what they are, will be offensive to somebody. A christian offends the Satan worshipper, and a Satan worshipper's words usually offend the Christian.

We need, above all else, to keep an open mind about all things. We can make life for everyone, including ourselves, much easier if we honestly take the time to control the words that we speak. I'm not suggesting that we lie, or just say what other people want to hear. I'm merely suggesting that we need to "tame our tongue," so to speak, when we are around certain people.

Anything we say that might be offensive to those around us should not be said if it is simply for the sake of offending. We should always speak our mind and tell the truth. We just don't need to be vulgar about. Do not live your life to please other people, and do not live your life to offend other people.

If we always speak as though God were standing next to us, then it is very hard to go astray.

Also when speaking we should remember that we are affecting somebody with our speech. If a child hears negative things over and over, the child will usually grow up to be more at ease with negativity. On the other hand, if a child grows up with nothing but positive things, he or she is more likely to be optimistic later on in life. If the world had more optimists, then it would be better not just for individual people, but for the entire world.

There is a quote that goes; "The optimist proclaims that we live in the best of all possible worlds, and the pessimists fears that this is true." That quote, while sad, is true. If we make more children optimistic, then even the pessimist will have to love our beautiful life here on the wonderful earth.

So, please, remember the song that even little children know; "Oh be careful little tongue what you speak." Retain the child-like innocence in all things, but especially in your words.

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BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On November 27, a baby boy was born to Donovan and Audrey Cieklinski of Strandquist. He has been named Jake Donovan.

• On November 29, a baby boy was born to Tommy and Brenda Ose of Thief River Falls. He has been named Logan Tom.

Falls Squares to host dance Dec. 8

Falls Squares will host a square dance on Friday, December 8 at the City Auditorium, Main Avenue and Second Street, Thief River Falls. The dance will start at 8 p.m. with Jerome Polucek calling the tips. Lunch will be served following the dance. All square dancers and spectators are welcome.

Students invited to UMYF every Wednesday

All students in grades six through 12 are invited to attend UMYF at the United Methodist Church every Wednesday from 3-7 p.m. Supper will be served at the cost of $1. Transportation will be provided from the Franklin Middle School.

Star Homemakers Christmas party on December 13

The Star Homemakers will have a potluck dinner and Christmas party at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 13 at the Elvn Fiedler home. There will be a gift exchange and guests are welcome.

Bake sale at Zion Lutheran church

Zion Lutheran Church is holding a bake sale on Saturday, December 9 from 9 a.m. to noon. There will be breads, cookies, candy and lefse for sale. Coffee, muffins, rolls and bars will be served throughout the morning.

Change in time for Zion Leisure Dec. 6 meeting

Zion Leisure will meet at 12 noon for a potluck lunch on December 6, not at 2 p.m. as reported last week.

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SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

Where Is My Christmas Spirit?

Am I the only person with the Christmas crabbies? Yes, I have them again this year. I think they come when I haven't finished shopping, started baking or even put up my tree.

Once I get all of that done, along with a few other things, I hope I will be able to find the Christmas spirit I seem to have lost.

It doesn't seem to matter that it is only the first part of December. Actually, it seems to get worse every year and I feel more and more pressured earlier and earlier. Soon I will be stressed out at Halloween because I haven't finished shopping, started baking or put up my tree.

Do you suppose it is all of the pre-Christmas advertising that makes us so pressured? Could it be that they are starting it earlier every year so that we will rush right out and start buying things?

I noticed that there were some Christmas things lurking in the corners of stores when I did my Halloween shopping and I think that is just too early. It seems like we can hardly enjoy the holidays preceding Christmas because Christmas starts creeping into all of them.

Thanksgiving is just a little pop on the calendar between Halloween and Christmas now. Didn't it used to be a special family holiday that we spent some time preparing for? Now it seems to be over in the blink of an eye and then ...on to Christmas.

Don't get me wrong, I love Christmas. Remember, I'm the one who even puts up Christmas curtains (which may well be a little much and one of the reasons I feel so pressured and have the Christmas crabbies).

But I think that there is too much pressure at Christmas -- and much of the pressure comes from advertising in magazines and on television. We start to feel that we absolutely must do this and that, we must bake and cook, we must decorate every nook and cranny of our houses with all of the fancy things we see.

We see all of the perfect Christmases in the advertisements and start to feel that we must do the same. We are made to feel that if we don't have everything the way we see it in pictures, we aren't celebrating properly.

There is just too much Christmas hype and not enough of the old-fashioned Christmas spirit.

In the old days, houses had natural decorations, not fancy, glittering things bought in stores. Pine branches and cones were brought indoors to trim the house, and Christmas trees were decorated with hand-made paper chains, popcorn and cranberries. Christmas gifts were made with loving care, or bought with the little money that had been hoarded through the year. The Christmas feast was special because the entire family took part in creating it.

I feel like part of the spirit of Christmas has gotten lost somewhere in those glitzy magazine ads. I wonder, could it be that the expensive gifts and decorations are nothing more than a substitute for the real spirit of Christmas? (Which is, after all, just good, old-fashioned love, isn't it?)

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Rudolph

This is a great tracing and cutting activity to make our favorite reindeer.

You will need brown, white and red paper, crayons, scissors and glue.

Begin by tracing one of your child's shoes on a piece of brown paper. This will be used for Rudolph's face. Next trace both of the child's hands on white paper. These will become Rudoph's antlers. Finally cut a red circle to be used for the nose. Glue all the pieces together and you will have a red-nosed reindeer as soon as the facial features (mouth, eyes) are colored in.

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need your time.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Schotter, Roni. **The Extraordinary Pig of Paris.** An amazing pig finds out that life in Paris, a place where pigs are happily turned into sausage, can be a very dangerous place to live.

Johnston, Tony. **The Old Lady and the Birds.** The day just doesn't get any better for an old lady while she sits under a pepper tree, enjoying coffee and tortillas as she watches the birds.

VIDEO VARIETY

Dinosaurs: Those Big Boneheads! Dig deeper than ever into the "lifestyles of the large and extinct" as Bill Nye, the science guy, uncovers those big boneheads.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Reading Readiness Through Play

Children's play will actually help them to develop one of the most complex of symbolic activites: reading! Learning to read means understanding that a combination of squiggly marks (c-h-a-i-r) means "chair." The symbols aren't a picture of a chair but anyone reading the marks knows that they mean "chair." How complex!

How does play help children prepare for reading? During play most toys are symbols. Plastic food is a symbol for the real thing. It looks (sort of) like the real thing. However, the child may decide that the blocks can be used for toast. Blocks don't look like toast, but the child has chosen the block to be a symbol. The child may develop other pretend items. Whenever an object "becomes" something else it is a symbol. The farther the item is from the real thing, the more complex the symbol is. The development of this symbolic thinking is necessary for children to learn to read!

Parents can help their children to use symbols. Don't always buy realistic play props. Instead ask, "what can we use for food?" or "what would make a good airplane?" Make suggestions that will help the child add new scenes or keep the play on track. However, be careful to suggest, but not direct.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Encourage conversation. Words can become symbols when substituted for actions, feelings or objects.

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Sons of Norway Christmas party scheduled for December 9

On Saturday, December 9, at 7 p.m., the Area Sons of Norway Nordlys Lodge, will celebrate Christmas at Four Seasons Senior Center. The brief program will include carol singing led by Thorall Melby, accompanied by Alice Halvorson.

They will also perform Jeg Er Saa Glad, a piano rendition of a Grieg selection, a simple Christmas game and a short entertaining video. The program has been planned by Ardelle Snare and May Anderson.

Several excellent, but inexpensive videos about Norway will be available for purchase. For the voluntary gift exchange, participants may bring a gift ($3 price range) marked "for man" or "for woman".

A potluck smorgasbord of holiday baked goodies and fruit salads will round out the evening.

Two new members will be welcomed. Members are encouraged to bring visitors, especially former members and folks who are considering joining. Anyone seeking information on dues, should contact Clifford Skime.

Scandinavian books and videos ordered for Roseau public library as a Sons of Norway Centennial project will be displayed.

Retiring president Pastor Lou Hermansen will install new officers. The nominating committee secured a slate of candidates immediately after the September meeting.

AAUW Christmas Brunch Dec. 9

American Association of University Women will meet for Christmas Brunch on Saturday, December 9 at 10 a.m. at Nancy Tofte's home. Members are asked to bring a wrapped Christmas mug and invite a guest. $5 brunch donation will go to scholarship fund. For more information call Kim Quade, 681-4465 or Eloda Knutson, 681-5939.

TRF Quilters Guild meeting and Christmas party

The Thief River Falls Quilters Guild will hold their December meeting and Christmas party on December 12 at the United Methodist Church at 6:30 p.m. There will be a gift exchange and potluck supper. All members welcome.

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Precious Seed Christmas program

Precious Seed Baptist Church of Thief River Falls will hold its Christmas Program during the evening service on Sunday, December 10 at 7 p.m. The program will include a Christmas pageant, congregational singing, special music, Christmas readings and preaching from God's word.

The church meets at 1007 County Road 62. The public is cordially invited to attend this Christmas program. For more information call 681-3842.

Choose dog to fit lifestyle

Anyone who is considering buying a dog should do some research into what dog will fit his or her lifestyle. On Thursday, December 7 at 7 p.m. there will be a presentation at the library on the characteristics and temperaments of over 100 purebred dogs "AKC Breed Identification" videos will be shown by the TRF Kennel Club.

Foot care clinic scheduled

Thursday, December 14, there will be a blood pressure and foot-care clinic from 9-1 a.m. at the Goodridge Senior Center. Nurses will soak feet and trim nails only. Call Inter-County Nursing Service for a foot care appointment at 681-5950. The public is welcome.

Senior meal at Heritage center

The senior meal at the Heritage Center will be a ham dinner on Sunday, December 10 at 12:30 p.m. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

Olin elected to MCAA board

David M. Olin, Pennington County Attorney, has been elected to serve as a director for the Minnesota County Attorneys Association. Olin and other officers and directors were elected by the membership at the MCAA annual meeting held November 17.

The MCAA is a statewide organization of county attorneys providing training and organization services to county attorneys' offices throughout Minnesota.

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Dale Ranum, 62

Thief River Falls — Dale Ranum, 62, died Tuesday, December 5 at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.

Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home.

Clarence Breiland, 77

Thief River Falls — Mr. Clarence Breiland, 77, died Friday, December 1 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Services were held on Monday, December 4 at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Gaylen Sylvester officiating. Special music was provided by organist Joyce Halbasch and soloist Joel Kezar. Selections were "On Eagle's Wings" and "One Day at a Time." Congregational hymns were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "How Great Thou Art."

Casketbearers were Harold Anderson, Bradley Brouse, Herb Geethe, Mike Mongoven, Mike Looker and Myles Olson. Honorary casketbearers were Mike Bauman, Conrad Skyberg and Freeman Lanska. Military honors accorded by the American Legion and VFW of Thief River Falls. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery with arrangements by Green Funeral Home.

Clarence Selmer Breiland was born October 14, 1918 in Kratka township, Pennington county to Andrew and Mable (Olson) Breiland. He attended school in Kratka township, Pennington county. Clarence worked on farms in North Dakota until he entered the United States Army during World War II.

On October 19, 1946 he was united in marriage to Mae Anderson at Roseau and the couple lived in Thief River Falls. From 1946-1950 Clarence worked at the Pontiac Garage. From 1950-1965 he worked for the Thief River Falls street and water department and from 1965-1967 he owned and operated his own plumbing and heating business. Clarence worked as a foreman for the Park and Recreation Department for the city of Thief River Falls from 1967-1983. He retired in 1983.

He was a member of the VFW, American Legion and the Eagles in Thief River Falls. Clarence was an avid gardener and loved working with his hands and could master any trade.

He is survived by the mother of his children, Mae of Thief River Falls; one son, Steven, Thief River Falls; four daughters, Linda Harrison, Cape Coral, FL, Donna Konickson, Thief River Falls, Peggy Noel, Stephen and Cindy Antes, Rockledge, FL; a special person, Renay Erickson; 10 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two sisters, Evelyn Bloom and Helen Dowden, both of Carmel, IN; one brother Tim of Thief River Falls and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Kenneth and one sister Thelma Breiland.

Helmer Kalbakdalen, 90

Thief River Falls — Helmer Kalbakdalen, 90, died on Tuesday, November 28 at the CNC Unit of Northwest Medical Center.

Services were held on Sunday, December 3 at 2 p.m. at the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Reverend Gerald Deppa officiating. Special music was by the Trochmann family. Selections were "How Great Thau Art" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Gregory Trochmann, Timothy Trochmann, Byron Trochmann, Maynard Kalbakdalen, Jim Kalbakdalen and Dean Kalbakdalen. Interment was at Rindal Cemetery, New Solum township, Marshall county.

Helmer Kalbakdalen was born May 21, 1905 near Hoople, ND, to Halvor and Gunhild (Kassa) Kalbakdalen. He attended school and grew to adulthood in the Hoople area. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith at Hoople and worked as a farm laborer.

On November 12, 1935 he was united in marriage to Alma Blomberg in Grand Forks, ND. The couple lived in Edinburg, ND until 1945 when they moved to Rosewood. In 1961 they moved to Georgetown and operated a store. Alma died on March 29, 1965.

Helmer returned to Thief River Falls and worked in construction.

In 1968 he married Emma Trochmann.

He is survived by his wife Emma of Thief River Falls; five stepsons, Richard Trochmann of Minnetonka and John Trochmann and David Trochmann of Noxon, MT; three sisters, Myrtle Kalbakdalen of Grafton, ND, Rose Wilson of Modesto, CA and Gladys Syverson of Flint, TX; sister-in-law Gladys Kalbakdalen, Red Lake Falls; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his first wife; brothers, Gilbert, Ole, Melvin, Henry and Edwin in infancy, and sister Gladys in infancy.

Marietta Sally Schulz, 55

Goodridge — Marietta Schulz, 55, died on Monday, December 4 at her home in Grand Plain township, Marshall county.

Mass of Christian burial will be held on Friday, December 8 at 2 p.m. at St. Anne's Catholic Church in Goodridge with Fr. Tim Bushy as celebrant.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, December 6 from 4-8 p.m. with a 7 p.m. wake service at St. Anne's in Goodridge and at the church on Friday for one hour prior to services. Arrangements are with Green Funeral Home of Thief River Falls.

Casketbearers will be Wally Jones, Donald Johnson, Eldon Johnson, Leon Johnson, Rodney Wayne and Randy Ryan.

Marietta Sally Matturro was born on April 23, 1940 in Greenwich, CT. Marie lived in Connecticut for 10 years before moving with her family to Tucson, AZ.

On July 23, 1966 she was united in marriage to Steve Schulz in Stafford, AZ. The couple made their home in Tucson, AZ for 10 years before moving to the Goodridge area in 1975 where they have since resided.

She was a member of St. Anne's Catholic Church.

Marie is survived by her husband Steve, Goodridge; brothers, Bill of Tucson, AZ, Ron of Vista, AZ and David of Tucson, AZ; sisters, Vita Luna of Tucson, AZ, Rose Peabody of Sierra Vista, AZ, Vicki Grimes of Phoenix, AZ, Marlene Elgus of California, Elizabeth Hunter, Tucson, AZ and Mary Ann Morgan, Germany; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father Sal Matturro and brother Dennis Matturro.

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Bernice Knutson attended the Campanula Garden Club meeting on Friday afternoon at the Maxine Wicklander home.

Dear Readers,

In periods of stress, you need time to be alone. Solitude gives one the opportunity to reflect on life, sort things out, and adjust emotionally. Solitude means different things to different people. Some find a darkened room where they can relax, undisturbed. Others take long walks and enjoy the beauty of nature. It isn't important how you spend your "quiet time" it is important that you take time to rest your body and mind.

Respectfully,

Belmont Funeral Home
Larry Belmont

Henry Engelsrud, 85

Newfolden — Henry Engelsrud, 85, died on Sunday, December 3 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Services will be held on Thursday, December 7 at 10:30 a.m. at Bethania Lutheran Church, rural Newfolden, with Reverends LeRoy Flickinger and Rasward Hagen officiating.

Visitation will be on Wednesday from 2-9 p.m. with a 7 p.m. prayer service at Green Funeral Home, Thief River Falls and one hour prior to services at the church. Interment will be in Bethania Lutheran Cemetery.

Henry Engelsrud was born on April 14, 1910 at Hlasah Grove township, Marshall county, to Herman and Jeanie (Holt) Engelsrud. He was baptized at Westaker on July 17, 1910 and confirmed at Westaker also. He attended school at Sunnyside School District #142. Henry graduated in the first graduating class in Newfolden in 1928. Henry was a graduate of Aakers Business College in Grand Forks, ND, after which he returned to the family farm. Henry ran an egg business for many years.

In the fall of 1975, Henry traveled to Norway where he visited relatives and toured the Oslo-Namestad area where his father was born. This trip inspired Heaty to do extensive research of his own family background as well as for others. He also did translating from Norwegian to English for many friends and strangers alike.

His chickens and delivering of farm fresh eggs to his many friends and neighbors brought many hours of enjoyment for Henry. He will also be remembered for his love of nature, his kind and gentle manner and his beautiful penmanship.

He was a member of Bethania Lutheran Church, serving as church secretary, and the Farmers Co-Op Board.

He is survived by his nephews, Jim Engelsrud, Newfolden; nieces Avis Holum, Thief River Falls, Verna Elseth, Albert Lea, LuAnn Broderson, Atlanta, GA; grandnieces, grandnephews; great-grandnieces and nephews; several cousins and relatives in Norway.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother Conrad; sister Betsy; nephews, Harlan and LeRoy Engelsrud; grandnephew Jon Engelsrud.

Anna Linnea Rud, 84

Strandquist — Anna Linnea Rud, 84, died at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls, on Saturday, December 2.

Services were held on Tuesday, December 5 at 10 a.m. at Bethesda Lutheran Church, Strandquist, with Pastor Doug Norquist officiating. Music was provided by organist Ellen Johnson and vocalists Corrienne Jacobson and Yvonne Boen. Selections were "In the Garden" and "He the Pearly Gates Will Open." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Jesus Still Lead On."

Casketbearers were Dick Weiler, Ivan Kimbrough, Billy Olson, Norman Roppe, Eldor Westman and Vance Lefrooth. Interment was in Bethesda Cemetery, Strandquist.

Anna Linnea Rud was born October 4, 1911, at West Valley township, Marshall county, near Strandquist, the daughter of John and Ingeborg (Olson) Stromberg. She was baptized and confirmed in the English Lutheran Church and attended the former Sunnyside School near her home.

On August 3, 1937, Anna was united in marriage to Andrew Rud at Newfolden. Following their marriage, the couple farmed in West Valley township, and several years later purchased a farm in West Valley township. In 1972, the couple retired and moved into Strandquist. Anna loved to crochet and garden and was active in the Strandquist Senior Citizens Group. She was a long-time member of the Bethesda Lutheran Church of Strandquist and active in a variety of church affairs.

Andrew passed away March 10, 1979 and Anna continued to make her home in Strandquist. This past October, she entered the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Center.

She is survived by three sons, Phillip, Auroro, CO and Wallace and Palmer, both of Strandquist; two daughters, Louise Ellingson, Aurora, MN and Sandra Rud, South St. Paul; 15 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mabel Stromberg and Sally Weiler, both of Strandquist; one sister-in-law, Gladys Stromberg, Newfolden; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; two sons, Daryl and Dennis; three brothers, Art, Willard and Maynard and one grandson, Bruce Ellingson.

Clarence Lundby, 77

Warren — Clarence Lundby, 77, died Friday, December 1 at North Valley Health Center in Warren.

Services were Tuesday, December 5 at the First Lutheran Church of Warren with Quanrud-DuBore Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Interment was in Concordia South Cemetery, Fertile.

Clarence Lundby was born on January 8, 1918, near Fertile, the son of Elmer and Maria Lundby. He attended and graduated from Fertile High School. He worked in and around Fertile until he entered the US Army in 1942. He served four years in the military with two years in Europe.

After he was discharged from the Army, he moved to Fertile and became a meat cutter. In 1955, he moved to Warren and worked at the Red Owl store for two years and operated the Locker Plant for two years.

He was united in marriage to Ruth Lundby on August 24, 1957 at Warren. They made their home in Warren. Clarence worked at the Warren Post Office for 15 years until becoming Postmaster at the Angus Post Office. He retired in 1987. Ruth died on March 26, 1993.

He was a member of the First Lutheran Church, Warren, American Legion and the Senior Citizens Club.

He is survived by his brother Melvin of Fertile; three sisters, Esther Lundby, Amy Morvig and Ellen O'Dwyer, all of Fertile; three step children, many nieces and nephews and special friends, Myrtle Ritko and Sue Morgan, both of Warren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; two brothers, Edwin and Alvin and sister Muriel Braaten.

Lillie Marie Carlson, 89

Badger — Lillie Marie Carlson, 89, of Badger died Monday, December 4 at the Warroad Care Center.

Services will be Thursday, December 7 at 1 p.m. at Badger Creek Lutheran Church, Badger. Interment will be in the Swedish Cemetery, Badger. Visitation will be Wednesday, December 6 at Gieseke Funeral Chapel in Greenbush from 5-9 p.m.

Lillie was born September 21, 1906 at Badger to John and Anna (Kindberg) Anderson. She grew up and attended school in Badger. She graduated from Badger High School, Class of 1925.

She worked at the Badger Cafe and did custom house cleaning. She also cared for ill persons in the area for many years.

She is survived by her grandson Larry Hensrud of Flandreau, SD; her brother John R. Anderson of Badger and other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her daughter Jeanette Lorraine Hensrud in 1958 and her brother Alf Anderson in infancy.

Paul Einar Breidfjord, 52

Blackduck — Paul Einar Breidfjord, 52, of Blackduck, formerly of the Iron Range, died Saturday, November 25 at the Arrowhead Health Care Center in Eveleth.

Private family services were held and burial was in Blackduck.

Mr. Breidfjord was born November 23, 1943, to William S. and Amy T. (Severson) Breidfjord in Minot, ND. He grew up and attended school in Thief River Falls.

Following school he enlisted in the Armed Forces. He was a US Army veteran. Paul was an avid rock collector from which he designed and manufactured gifts and jewelry.

Paul is survived by his mothers Amy T. Breidfjord of Petosky, MI; one daughter, LaDonna Perez of Minneapolis; one son, William of Minneapolis; three grandchildren, Amanda, Luis and Lia Perez; two sisters, LaDonna Backmeyer of Rock Island, IL and Julie Peurasaari of Alanson, MI; one brother Daniel of Blackduck; four nieces and four nephews and many other relatives.

Paul was preceded in death by his father, William S. Breidfjord on February 15, 1980.

Gully . . . .

The Lund Ladies Aid met on Wednesday. The "necktie" quilt was given away that day and was won by Charles Raad of Gonvick. Hostesses were Adrianna Hansen, Olive Kolling, Noreen Carlson, Mavis Halvorson and Dianna Watno.

Claude Roscoe Davidson

Princeton — Funeral services for Claude Roscoe Davidson will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, December 6 at Williams-Hanson-Kaun Funeral Chapel, Princeton with Reverend Henry Mayer. Interment will follow in St. Francis River Cemetery, Glendorado township, Benton county.

Daniel G. Kotlan, 75

Anchorage, AK — Daniel G. Kotlan, 75, formerly of Thief River Falls, died November 8 at his home in Anchorage, AK.

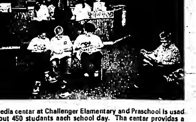
Daniel G. Kotlan was born September 7, 1920 in Mavie and graduated from Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls.

He served in the US Army with the 23rd General Hospital in Europe. He was a member of Local 367 Plumber and Steamfitters Union, he retired in 1985. He was a member of the American Legion #28. Daniel moved to Alaska in 1947 and worked throughout the state, including a stint on the Alaska Pipeline.

Survivors include his nephew, Matthew Mangiat and family of Seattle; sisters, Ardith Ille of Shelton, WA, Eva Bland of Green Cove Springs, FL and Darlene Stein of Santa Barbara, CA; brother, Dennis of Valley, WA and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Doris Mack in 1975 and Evely Kamenero in 1994.

Henry Michalowski, a touring presenter of educational programs on endangered species and other forms of animal, bird and insect life presented a program recently at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls. In the top photo he allows a tarantula spider to crawl up his arm. In the bottom photo, he shows the wing feathers of a bird. Michalowski also showed lizards and other animals and birds in emphasizing the importance of caring for animals and their habitats.



The media center at Challenger Elementary and Preschool is used by about 450 students each school day. The center provides a place where students can research class projects or simply enjoy reading, according to Dave Hadin, assistant principal.

60 people give blood for Goodridge blood drive

At the Goodridge Lioness Club blood drive held November 30 at Faith Lutheran Church, 71 people volunteered to donate and 60 were able to give blood, including 17 who donated for the first time.

Cindy Kotrba coordinated the drive with assistance from Sylvia Wiseth, Colleen Hoffman, Donna Horachek, Deb Swanson, Marlys Drangsiveit, Audrey Rogalla, Duane Kjono and Lloyd Wiseth.

Students and faculty at the Goodridge school were allowed time during the day to be blood donors.

"Communities like Goodridge make a regional blood program work," stated Rhonda Ellefson, community relations representative for United Blood Services. "People volunteer to donate when there has been a well-organized campaign, informing the public of the need for blood. United Blood Services appreciates all the thoughtful people who volunteered to help others by giving of themselves."

Candle Light activities at Old Mill park

Candlelight and moonlight ski and ice skating will be offered 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, January 6 at Old Mill State park. Trails will be lighted by candles and if lucky, moonlight.

Great Minnesota Ski Passes are required for all people ages 16 to 65 and may be purchased at the park. Daily passes for the ski trails are $1. One year and three year passes are also available.

Skis are now available to rent at the park office. Approximately 20 sets of skis, boots and poles in a variety of sizes, from children's to adult's may be rented for $6.50 per set. Call or write to the park to reserve sets.

The candlelight and moonlight ski and ice skating event will be cancelled if temperatures become dangerously low or there is a lack of snow cover.

The picnic shelter will be the warming house for the winter months. Snowmobilers may ride down to the shelter and warm up, but they are asked not to use cross-country ski trails as it destroys the ski track.

Vehicle permits are required to enter the park. The 1996 annual permits may be purchased and will allow entry at 64 Minnesota State Parks from now until December 31, 1996.

For more information call (218) 437-8174, or write: Old Mill State Park, route 1 Box 43, Argyle, MN 56713.

Jeff Hitland (right) will serve as president of the Thief River Falls Sno Drifters snowmobile club for a two-year term extending through 1997. He succeeds Kevin Johnson as president of the club. Hitland and Johnson are pictured during the club's white elephant sale conducted Monday evening, December 4, at the Elks club rooms. Hitland said the club's trail groomer has been out preparing trails and a club ride is being planned for January 1 in coordination with the 1996 Thief River Falls Centennial kick-off celebration. The club also sponsors the Ironman 250 snowmobile race which is scheduled for January 27 and 28, 1996.

Fairmont Speeder donated to model Railroad club

Dennis Kezar has donated a Fairmont Speeder to the Thief River Falls Model Railroad Club.

Kezar said the Fairmont Speeder used to be used by railroad section crews on the Wheatland track, which is located between Fordville and Kenmare, ND. He said it was also used on the Drake line between Fordville and Drake, ND.

Charles Naplin said the club will remodel the vehicle and two push carts donated along with the speeder.

The railroad club meets the first Tuesday of every month at A & E Model Railroad (Al's Repair) store on Highway 32 South. Currently, there are 29 members in the club.

The club will hold its second annual Christmas Show December 9 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the City Auditorium. The event is open to the general public and there is no admission charge.

Dump used oil in free waste oil tank in county

Changing the oil on your car or truck? Pennington County has set up a 500 gallon tank to collect used oil — no charge.

The lined tank, which sits on a pad, was purchased with a matching grant from the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency and local SCORE funds. It is located outside of the fence around the west side of the former Future Fuel plant.

Citizens are encouraged to dump their used oil in the tank instead of placing it the garbage or dumping it in storm drains. There is no charge.

Used oil contained in the tank is periodically picked up by oil waste haulers free of charge.

Local student is member of St. Olaf College Bowl

Ben Sjoberg of Thief River Falls is a member of the nationally ranked St. Olaf College Bowl team that will compete in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota early next year.

Sjoberg, a sophomore history major at St. Olaf College is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Sjoberg.

Currently ranked 70th in the nation, the St. Olaf College Bowl competed this year against several other highly ranked teams including Brigham Young, ranked fifth, and Oklahoma, ranked 18th in the United States.

The team will travel to Michigan during the January interim, will compete in Wisconsin in Early February, and in late February will be at the University of Minnesota for regional competition.

Four-member teams from colleges and universities throughout the nation participate in College Bowl tournaments, answering questions in order to earn points. Ninety per cent of the questions are "academic"; the remaining questions are about entertainment, sports and current events.

The first team to correctly answer a "tossup" question gets the opportunity to answer a more difficult "bonus" question. Correct answers are worth points; the value of each correct answer depends on the question's difficulty. the team with the most points at the end of a specified time period wins the tournament.

Snowshoe hike offered at Old Mill State Park

A Snowshoe Interpretive hike will be offered free at 4 p.m. Sunday, January 21, at Old Mill State Park.

Follow the Lake Agassiz Interpretive Trail to explore the riverine winter landscape of the Red River Valley of the North. Space is limited. Please register in advance by calling (218) 437-8174, or writing to: Old Mill State Park, Route 1 Box 43, Argyle, MN 56713.

The event will be cancelled if temperatures become dangerously low or there is a lack of snow cover.

Snowshoes may be rented for $5 per day at the park on days not scheduled for interpretive hikes.

Vehicle permits are required to enter the park. The 1996 annual permits may be purchased and will allow entry at 64 Minnesota State Parks from now until December 31, 1996.

Norwest Banks announced fund for scholarships

As part of an ongoing commitment to education, students and communities, Norwest Bank in North Dakota and Northwestern Minnesota has announced its fourth year of the Norwest Community Scholarship Fund. This year, 64, $500 scholarships will be awarded to high school seniors in North Dakota and Northwestern Minnesota.

The call for applications is open through January 16, 1996. Students will be chosen based on their academic record, leadership, and an essay. The essay asks students to outline what dream they would make come true for their community or state.

Roger Reuter, president in Thief River Falls, stated that three scholarships will be awarded by the Thief River Falls office. They emphasized the scholarship program is another part of Norwest's ongoing efforts to make higher education a reality and to help students reach their dreams. Norwest is also active in the student loan area with several local options available for students or their parents.

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LETTERS

To The Editor:

While enjoying dinner out with my wife and some friends the other evening, something I'm sure most of us never think about happened. A piece of meat got stuck in my throat.

A desperate attempt to wash it down with a glass of milk only resulted in the milk coming out the same way it went in, only not as neatly. Choking, I stood up, clutched my throat, looked across the table at my darling wife Ann, who knew I was in trouble and needed help immediately.

As she was coming to my aid, the gentleman seated next to me, David Dupree (known hereafter as one of my very best friends), jumped up, grabbed me from behind and performed his first ever Heimlich Maneuver. His first mighty thrust resulted in bruising some ribs.

As his wife shouted to lower his arms, he let me have it again. Out came the chunk of meat, in came the fresh air and boy, was I relieved! Weird feeling, not being able to breathe. I hope none of you will ever have to experience it.

Chew your food well and maybe just in case the situation arises, learn the Heimlich maneuver and how to perform it on yourself if you are alone and choking. This fairly simple procedure could save someone else's life or your own.

Thank you, David, for your heroic act and may you and Judy have a blessed Christmas season.

Sincerely,
Glen Haugen

Plummer school plans elementary program Dec. 11

Annual Christmas program presented by elementary students of the Plummer school will be presented Monday, December 11, at 7 p.m. in the high school gymnasium.

The concert is under the direction of JoyAnn Dahl and the public is invited to attend. The high school concert under the direction of Gene Lunsetter was performed in November with a good attendance.

Plummer schools will be closed for the holidays from Friday, December 22, through Monday, January 1.

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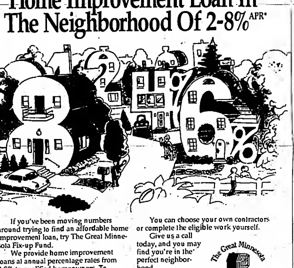

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Goodridge Community News

Shari Lindberg
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Saturday afternoon Dawn Hanson and Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel attended a products party at the Clifford and Gunda Hegge home of Rural Oklee. Others there were Sharon Burback of White Bear Lake, Ellen Hegge and Lindsey, Leona Bietto and Linda Ventura of Oklee.

Saturday night Gunda Hegge, Laine Sietto, Sharon Burback, Linda Ventura and Dawn Hanson attended the Crookston Community Play "The Odd Couple" at the Central High School Auditorium in Crookston. Mike Sietto was in the cast as Oscar Madison in the Play. Mike's daughter Adrianna was also in the play.

Sunday afternoon Dawn Hanson, Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel visited at the David Frederick home.

Tuesday evening Dawn Hanson attended the Fall Music Concert at the Oklee Public school.

Thursday Dale and Dawn Hanson, Benjamin, Clifton, Andrew, Brittany, Tiffany and Rachel enjoyed Thanksgiving with Linda Ventura, Jason and Jeremy at their home in Oklee. Clifford and Gunda Hegge of rural Oklee were also guests there.

Friday Brittany Hanson enjoyed shopping with her aunt Linda Ventura in honor of Brittany's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dahlen and Travis of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Opdahl of rural Trail, Edwin Sivlestad and Carl Elg visited at the Justin Dahlen home a week ago Sunday.

Galen and Jim Dahlen and Palmer Paulson visited at the Justin Dahlen home during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Anderson and Kayla visited at the Justin Dahlen home on Sunday afternoon.

Monday afternoon David Dahlen of Thief River Falls was a visitor at the Justin Dahlen home.

Wednesday, Dawn Hanson and Cindy Bjerkle and Linda Bergeson of rural Trail were dinner guests of Jean Halverson and Amy.

Saturday fourteen members of the Highlanding 4-H club with guests and four leaders and parents enjoyed an afternoon of bowling and pizza in Thief River Falls.

Sunday, Brittany Hanson, daughter of Dale and Dawn Hanson celebrated her 8th birthday. Those who came for a birthday dinner included Grandma and grandpa Hanson and Uncle Dean of Goodridge, Grandpa and Grandma Hegge, Uncle Ron and Aunt Ellen and cousin Lindsey and Aunt Linda Ventura of Oklee, Lynn and Lori Vad and Jennifer and Doug and Heidi Horachek, Corey, Adam and Tony of Goodridge.

Supper guests at the Neil Lindberg home Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Lindberg and Lee Haugen.

Monday Brittany Hanson celebrated her 8th birthday with her school friends. After school those who came included Mary Beth Kuske, Jessika Forsberg, Sara Rindahl, Maria Dahlen and Brittany Pearson. Mary Beth, Jessika and Sara were overnight guests at the Dale Hanson home.

Sunday evening employees and directors at the Farmers Coop Creamery of Goodridge enjoyed a holiday supper at DW's in Goodridge. Those who attended were Bruce and Diane Solberg, Kevin and Sheila Thorstadson, Leroy and Jeannine Johnson and Tom and Lori Race, Dale and Dawn Hanson, Orin and Marcella Hanson and Dean Hanson.

Davis accepted at National College

Jason Davis of Thief River Falls has been accepted for enrollment in the four-year bachelor's degree Computer Information System career program beginning in the fall of 1996 at National College in Rapid City, SD.

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DEC. 11 WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	DEC. 12 AERIE MEETING	DEC. 13	DEC. 14 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 15 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 16 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 8 – DANCE 9:00-1:00 P.M. "J. BOBBY HAMILTON"
SATURDAY, DEC. 9 – BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M.
MONDAY, DEC. 11 – BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M.; POST & AUX. MTG. 8:00 P.M.
TUESDAY, DEC. 12 – BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M.; REGULAR BINGO 7:00 P.M.

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Northwest 4-H district retreat at Best Western

Northwest 4-H district retreat has been scheduled for January 6 and 7, 1996, at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls. The event is open to all Minnesota 4-H and non-4-H youth groups in grades seven through 12.

Cost is $30 per participant and registration is due by December 20, according to Myndy Olson, a member of the Kratka 4-H club and secretary of the Minnesota 4-H Federation. The retreat is coordinated and presented by the federation's officer team and supported through the Minnesota 4-H Ambassador program. Cami Sorenson of the Happy Acres 4-H club is a state 4-H Ambassador.

At the retreat, participants will:

• Get to know their current state officers and officers-elect and meet potential candidates for state office in 1996;
• Learn about how to become a state officer and Ambassador and provide input concerning the process;
• Develop leadership skills;
• Experience the 4-H spirit during the school year on the state level;
• Learn about other 4-H state events; and
• Strengthen ties within the district, keep in touch with old friends and meet new people.

Events will include a talk by a keynote speaker, leadership workshops, question and answer session on how to become a state officer or Ambassador, inspirational service and social activities.

To register, call the Pennington county extension office at 681-2116. For additional information, call Myndy Olson at 681-7507.

Murray Hogenson (left) of Thief River Falls won the .22 caliber rifle awarded by the Thief River Falls chapter of the Minnesota Deer Hunters Association as the annual membership prize. Members of the chapter may register once at each regular meeting for the prize which is awarded by drawing at the end of the year. Making the presentation is Greg Dally, chapter president.

Sanders 4-H club Christmas party, collection Dec. 11

The Sanders 4-H club will host their annual Christmas Party and Food Shelf collection on Monday, December 11, beginning with a sledding party at the National Guard Armory in Thief River Falls.

4-Hers are reminded to bring non-perishable food items to donate to the Food Shelf. Sledding will be followed by a Christmas potluck at the Matthew Langevin home, Christmas activities, and the regular meeting. All Sanders 4-H club members, their families, guests and new members are welcome.

For more information and directions, or to arrange transportation, call 681-2136.

Truth in taxation meet at Plummer

Annual truth in taxation meeting for the Plummer school district will be held December 11 at 7 p.m. in the school library with final adoption meeting scheduled for December 22 at 9 a.m. in the superintendent's office.

According to Supt./Principal Richard Lorenson, the school certified levy is proposed to decrease 9.91 per cent for next year.

Worker's comp seminar for employers Thursday

Employer seminar on workers' compensation will be presented Thursday, December 7, from 7:30 to 9:30 a.m. in Room 131 of Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls. A continental breakfast will be provided.

The program is sponsored and paid for by the Minnesota Department of Economic Security and Minnesota Job Service. To register, call 681-0909 by 4:30 p.m. today (Wednesday, December 6).

Guest speaker will be Dennis Mitchell, customer assistant specialist with the compliance service division of Minnesota Workers Compensation.

A similar presentation took place this morning at the Ottertail Power Company building community room in Crookston.

Zion Sunday School program scheduled

"His Name Is Jesus!" will be presented by the youth and young at heart of Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls. The Sunday School Christmas Program will be performed 4 p.m. December 10 at the church. Following the program, a potluck will be held in the Fellowship hall.

NWPIC board to meet

Northwest Private Industry Council/Workforce Council board of directors will meet at the administrative offices at 424 North Broadway, Suite A, in Crookston on December 12 at 7 p.m. to evaluate the responses received for the provision of MIS and accounting services.

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Rustad's tennis dream left little time for sleep

Former Thief River Falls tennis enthusiast jetted, fretted and sweated with the top men' pro stars in the game

Edmund Rustad, a former Thief River Falls resident who developed his enthusiasm for tennis at Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls and was a tennis pro at Lincoln High school and at the University of North Dakota, recently competed after retirement as a media manager for the Texas union of Tennis Professionals Tour. He wrote most of the following article for Jerry and Joyce's magazine in London, England and has modified it as our request for public about in the Times.

by Mitch Rustad

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Tearing off one of the ends, I pulled out a sleek, sheet protector commemorating the ATP Tour World Championship, the year-end extravaganza for the men's tennis tour which had recently concluded in Frankfurt, Germany. Eight superstar players, including Andre Agassi, Pete Sampras, Michael Chang and the rest of the superstars who competed at Lincoln high school and the University of North Dakota, recently competed after retirement as a media manager for the Texas union of Tennis Professionals Tour. The whole event of the following article by Jerry and Joyce's magazine in London, England and has modified it as our request for public about in the Times.

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Several DWIs reported by local law enforcement

During the past week, several individuals were arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Arrest. Jennifer Bucitta, 23, reported November 28 in Glenco, McCloud county, on a Bemidji county warrant for felony check forgery in Thief River Falls. The charge stems from an incident in June in which 10 forged checks were reported.

On November 21 police received a report from Sidwye of a burglary. Nearly $870 was taken. After investigation and in conjunction with Roseau county sheriff's department, police charged Jeffrey Allen Griffith, 33, Thief River Falls, burglary in the third degree and theft over $500. He is in custody in Roseau county on warrants for furnishing alcohol to minors and theft. Griffith was a former employee of Sidwye.

Shoplifting. November 27 at 2:22 p.m. Brandon Middle school reported a shoplifting offense. A 12-year-old male had a live 22 caliber of ammunition. Ammunition is listed in the school's weapon offense policy. The child was playing with it in class. He faces a charge of weapons offense in school and was suspended for five days.

Accidents. On November 28 at 3:51 p.m. a three car accident was reported at 5th and Rinnea. Benjamin Francis Bren, Thief River Falls, was driving a car south on Horace and his vehicle struck a vehicle driven by Kenton Wayne Chinenseo, Thief River Falls, which was traveling east. The Chinenseo vehicle then struck a third vehicle. The third vehicle, owned by Paul Smeby, Thief River Falls, was parked and was unoccupied at the time. Damage was listed as $1000 to the Chinenseo vehicle and $600 to the Smeby vehicle. Damage to the Bren vehicle was unknown.

On December 1 at 12:40 p.m. police received a report of an accident at a Highway 59 frontage road 50 feet north of Dale Street. Daniel Joseph Zemcik, Thief River Falls, was driving a car when Darrell Sunn, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup and pulled out onto the frontage road. Sun's vision was obscured by a snow pile when the vehicles collided. Sunn was cited for driving after revocation, no insurance and failure to yield right of way. Damage was estimated at $800 to the Zemcik vehicle and $900 to the Sunn vehicle.

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On December 3 at 2:19 p.m. law enforcement center received a report of a snowmobile accident right miles west of Highway 1 in field. Ryan Allen Hible, Thief River Falls, was driving a 1990 Arctic cat in the road right-of-way. Hible reported that snowmobile had been when he landed on the back of the machine. Brian Scott Sheridan was driving a 1991 Arctic Cat which also went over the cutbank. The snowmobile sustained $1,000 damage when it landed.

Terroristic threats. On November 30 at 8:38 p.m. police were called to a residence in Riverview water court regarding a domestic dispute. Paul Allen Perez, 24, Thief River Falls, was arrested for terroristic threats following an alleged threat to kill a boyfriend.

Driving while intoxicated. On November 30 at 3:45 a.m. Polk county sheriff's deputy stopped a vehicle and arrested for Jon Charles Hien, 51, Redlake, for aggravated driving while intoxicated.

On December 1 at 12:47 a.m. a police officer stopped a vehicle at Eighth and Pine. Joseph Allen Lars, 25, Thief River Falls, was arrested for failure to stop at a stop sign, aggravated driving while intoxicated, refusal to submit to test, and driving after revocation. It was also discovered that he was wanted on a warrant for open bottle.

On December 1 at 7:45 p.m. Marshall county sheriff's deputy responded to a suburban vehicle drawn by Keston Wayne Chinenseo, Thief River Falls, which was traveling east. The Chinenseo vehicle then struck a third vehicle. The third vehicle, owned by Paul Smeby, Thief River Falls, was parked and was unoccupied at the time. Damage was listed as $1000 to the Chinenseo vehicle and $600 to the Smeby vehicle. Damage to the Bren vehicle was unknown.

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The cast of "Christmas on Erie Street" and director Norma Hanson will present the one-act play on Saturday, December 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the old gym in Goodridge. The play is the final event in a week long celebration of "Christmas on the Prairie." The cast is J.O. Prestebak as George, Dean Hanson as Tony, Marcella Hanson as Mrs. Beamer, Dawn Hanson as Lady Bountiful, a society matron, David Jones as Frankie, Ben Hanson as Duke, Doug Horechek in duel roles as the Crotchety Old Man and the Distinguished Looking Man, Clifton Hanson as Rodney, Lady Bountiful's chauffeur, Nathan Peters as Lorenzo, Heidi Horeschek as Mabel, Brian Nelson as a Man from Society, Colin Hanson as the violin playing Bum and Andy and Brittany Hanson and Jeremiah Ved (not pictured) as children. Advance tickets to the play are available through members of the Goodridge Historical Society. Props and costumes are also provided by the members of the historical society.

Crop Update seminars set in many cities

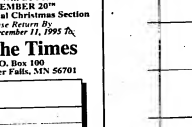
Crop producers and interested persons are encouraged to attend one of several "No Frost Update" Seminars scheduled throughout Northwest Minnesota December 11-18.

The Minnesota Extension Service sponsored seminars will feature topics of wheat midge control, aphid control and disease management, noted crop specialists, crop insect update, tillage considerations, weed failures and other crop topics.

A local session is scheduled for Wednesday, December 13 on Wednesday at the Senior Citizens Center starting at 9:30 a.m.

Program participants include Jochum Wiemann, small grain specialist, University of Minnesota, Curtis Nygaard, plant pathologist, Jochum Wiemann, extension entomologist, Jerry Kaufman, extension weed specialist, Dave Wilson, extension agronomist, Carlyle Nygaard, plant pathologist, and other area extension specialists.

Crop updates dates and locations are as follows: 9:30 a.m. on December 11 at Red Lake Falls, 9:30 a.m. on December 14 at Warren, 9:30 a.m. on December 15 at Roseau, 9:30 a.m. on December 15 at Thief River Falls, 9:30 a.m. on December 15 at Bemidji, 9:30 a.m. on December 18 at Crookston, 9:30 a.m. on December 18 at Fosston, 9:30 a.m. on December 18 at Goodridge. 1:30 p.m.



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Downtown project wins award

Thief River Falls has been notified that a paving project in Thief River Falls was judged best Urban State Aid Project in Minnesota for 1995.

Ron Lindberg, public works director has reported that the Minnesota Department of Transportation and Asphalt Pavement Association has judged the 1995 Central Business District bituminous paving project as the best Urban State Aid project for 1995.

The pavement merit awards program was established in 1986 marking the 36th year that owners and operators of asphalt paving companies and producers of asphalt mixtures have conducted the best bituminous paving projects among the previous construction season.

The award winners are determined by a six member bituminous paving panel whose ratings are based on "tractability", construction joints, general appearance of the project, compatibility and design complexity.

Representatives of Christiansen Industrial Developers and Northern Paving accepted awards at the annual Minnesota Asphalt Paving Convention on behalf of the contractors involved in the Thief River Falls project.

Lindberg commended Mark Borseth of the city's engineering technical services department for his dedication to achieving project quality excellence. Lindberg expects that the award will be presented to the City at a December City Council meeting.

TRF snowmobile safety course set for Dec. 11

Snowmobile Safety will be taught beginning 3 p.m. December 11 in Lincoln Jr. High School Middle school. The course is sponsored by the Snowflitter Snowmobile club. Snowmobilers ages 12 to 16 must have a snowmobile safety certificate to legally operate a snowmobile. The snowmobile safety certificate can be earned by taking this course. The course can be completed on December 11.

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CORRECTION:

Randy Wright notified The Times that a report in the law enforcement reports was in error. Wright reported that his caterpillar tract hoe had been damaged when someone had loosened the oil plug. When he started the machine it vibrated loose and the oil drained from the machine. He said the report in The Times incorrectly implied that he did not check the oil before he started it. The Times regrets the error and any embarrassment it may cause.

MARKETS

as of Monday, December 4

(This listing of market prices is the most current available, according to Mike Hergert, Extension Educator. It is intended to indicate price trends and provide a record for the future. Actual prices paid for commodities may vary.)

Spring Wheat #1	4.65
Spring Wheat #2	4.70
Winter Wheat	4.50
Durum	4.00
Top Malting Barley	3.30
Feed Barley	2.70
Top Milling Oats	1.90
Ordinary Oats	1.65
Oil Sunflowers	10.20
Soybeans	5.10
Rye	2.10
Flax	5.15
Soybeans	5.10
Buckwheat	12.60
Confectionery Sunflowers	14.00
Canola	11.25

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Sports Section

Grand Forks Central forward Ryan Kuhl stayed ahead of Thief River Falls' Wade Chiodo to score on a breakaway into an open net in the final minute of Saturday's high school hockey game played at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center. It was Kuhl's third goal of the night, wrapping up a come-from-behind 6-4 win over the Prowlers.

Prowlers lose 6-4 season-opening hockey game...

Central goalie stops TRF

Grand Forks Central overcame a rash of first period penalties and a 2-0 Thief River Falls lead Saturday to beat the Prowlers 6-4 in high school hockey at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

The Knights, out-shot 45-20, won on the strength of goaltending by senior Tony Bina. He repeatedly turned back Thief River Falls scoring opportunities on breakaways and scrambles around the net in handing the Prowlers a frustrating season-opening loss. Central is 2-0.

"That kid (Bina) played an outstanding game," said Thief River Falls coach Pat Cullen. "Those weren't lucky saves he was making; they were great saves. We were the better team. We out-played them. We dominated. We just didn't win on the scoreboard."

Central took 12 of the game's 15 penalties, with seven of them coming in the first period when power play goals by Nick Chiodo and Wade Chiodo gave Thief River Falls a 2-0 head start. Nick Chiodo scored during a 5-on-3 advantage when he deflected in a shot from the point by Andy Furuseth at 9:54 and freshman Wade Chiodo came up with a memorable varsity debut with a rebound goal at 14:02.

The Knights, out-shot 20-4 in the first period, bounced back to gain a 2-2 tie when a bouncing puck shot by Casey Bartholomew eluded Thief River Falls goalie Chanc Keefe at 4:31 and a long shot by Ryan Kuhl as he crossed the blue line found the net at 7:06 – during a 4-on-4 situation.

Thief River Falls came up with another power play goal at 12:14 to regain the lead when Keith Anderson, coming from behind a screen set by Aaron Ehrenstrom, skated in front of the goal mouth and scored on a point-blank backhand.

Central tied it again at 13:31 on a shorthanded breakaway goal by Joey Melcher, and took the lead for the first time just 43 seconds into the third period when Kuhl slipped a soft shot under Keefe's pads for a 4-3 game.

Set up in front of the net on a pass from Nick Chiodo, Ehrenstrom came up with the Prowlers' fourth power play goal of the night for a 4-4 tie at 9:10, only to see Bartholomew put a tough-angle shot from the side into the net at 10:39.

The Prowlers pulled Keefe for an extra attacker in the final minute, but Kuhl completed a hat trick performance by hitting the open net on a breakaway with just eight seconds remaining.

Thief River Falls defensemen supplied the offense with five assists – three by Paul Gonsorowski and two by Andy Furuseth.

"We made the plays," noted Cullen. "We just didn't put the puck in the net. But it's early. We'll rebound."

Scoring

First period - TRF, Nick Chiodo (Andy Furuseth-Paul Gonsorowski), 9:54. TRF, Wade Chiodo (Kyle Anderson-Gonsorowski), 14:02.

Second period - GFC, Casey Bartholomew (Jeremy Hangsleben), 4:31. GFC, Ryan Kuhl (Dylan Spicer), 7:06. TRF, Keith Anderson (Andy Furuseth-Gonsorowski), 12:14. GFC, Joey Melcher (un), 13:31.

Third period - GFC, Kuhl (Marc LaMoure), :43. TRF, Aaron Ehrenstrom (Nick Chiodo-Keith Anderson), 9:10. GFC, Bartholomew (Mark Lindgren-Kuhl), 10:39. GFC, Kuhl (un), 14:52.

Goalie saves - TRF, Chanc Keefe 4-3-7-14. GFC, Tony Bina 18-13-10-41.

Swimmers host Prowler Relays

Thief River Falls boys will open their 1995-96 high school swimming season Saturday by playing host to the Prowler Relays. The meet starts at 1 p.m. in the Franklin Middle School pool.

It will be the debut of first-year Thief River Falls co-head coaches Brian Olson and Shon Thompson, who have succeeded Ryan Lokken. Olson, a Grand Forks native who swam at the University of North Dakota, will handle the swimmers. Thompson, a former state meet qualifier for the Prowlers, will direct the divers.

Thompson has worked with the Thief River Falls swim programs in the past. It's a new ball game for Olson, in his first coaching stint. His first order of business is simply learning names.

"I haven't gotten to know many of the names, yet," said Olson during first-week workouts. "My first priority is to sit down and talk to each one of the kids individually and get to know them."

Then comes the swimming part. "We're going to do a lot of technique work – a lot of drills," explained Olson. "Really, to start with, we're basically going to have what you might call very technical swim lessons every day instead of swim practice. If I can take them one step further than where they are now, that's all I can really hope for."

The roster features 13 lettermen, including seniors Sam Adams, Chris Efta, Charles Follett, and Chris Pribula; juniors Jarohmia Efta, Josh Engevik, Matt Gustafson, Michael McEnelly, William Packard, and Aaron Sjaaheim; sophomore Nate Keller; freshman Colin Browning; and eighth grader Zach Olson.

Others reporting for the start of practice were sophomores Josh Curfman, Michael Hahne and Nick Tveitbakk; eighth graders Anders Brown, Lance Butler and Roy Hoven; seventh graders Sam Kezar and Neel Patel; plus sixth graders Russell Anderson, Andrew Hudson, and Adam Knott.

1995-96 TRF Boys Swimming

Saturday, Dec. 9 - Prowler Relays, 1 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 16 - Fergus Falls Invitational, 10:30 a.m.; Tuesday, Dec. 19 - Fosston, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Dec. 21 - Crookston, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 6 - Bemidji Invitational, 10 a.m.; Thursday, Jan. 11 - at Detroit Lakes, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Jan. 13 - Fosston Invitational, 12-noon; Friday, Jan. 19 - Crookston Invitational, 5:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Jan. 23 - Bemidji Triangular, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Feb. 1 - Park Rapids Area, 5 p.m.; Saturday, Feb. 3 - Park Rapids Invitational, 11 a.m.; Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Crookston Six-Team Smash, 5 p.m.; Tuesday, Feb. 13 - Grand Forks Triangular, 5 p.m.; Thursday, Feb. 15 - at Moorhead, 5 p.m.

Warroad, TRF lead Section 8A hockey coaches balloting

Section 8A high school hockey coaches voted Warroad the preseason favorite this winter, according to results of a poll released this week by sectional statistician John Oren of Baudette.

Coaches could not vote for their own teams, and not all coaches responded to the poll.

Warroad wound up No. 1 with five first-place votes, and Thief River Falls was No. 2 with the other three first place votes.

Rest of the positions included No. 3 – Roseau; No. 4 – East Grand Forks; No. 5 - Crookston; No. 6 - Lake of the Woods; No. 7 - Red Lake Falls; No. 8 - Kittson Central; No. 9 - Bagley/Fosston; No. 10 - Indus.

Rams pull away from Gator girls in fourth quarter

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River mistakes were turned into Roseau points in the fourth quarter Monday as the Gators lost a 61-50 girls high school basketball game to the Rams in Greenbush.

Roseau led at each quarter stop, but only by 16-13, 26-24 and 39-37 before breaking it open down the stretch.

Twenty-one Badger/Greenbush-Middle River turnovers, many of them coming in the fourth quarter, showed up on the scoreboard, according to Gators coach Tom Neibauer. "We had a real poor floor game," he explained. "Our passing was not good. That's way too many turnovers against a team that isn't pressing."

In a match-up of the two premier players in northwestern Minnesota, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River senior Krissi Super scored 21 points and Roseau junior Megan Taylor had 20. Nikki Wahl contributed 12 points to the Gators' attack, while Kelly Hovda hit five 3-point shots and netted 17 for the Rams.

The Gators are 1-1.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Roseau	16	10	13	22	61
B/G-Middle River	13	11	13	13	50

Roseau - Kelly Hovda 17, Sarah Lundbohm 4, Paula Hovde 8, Kylea Johnson 12, Jackie Hebstrith 2, Megan Taylor 20.

B/G-MR - Krissi Super 21, Nikki Wahl 12, Robin Klein 4, Tiffany Hagen 4, Amber Berg 6, Kara Super 3.

Ron Novak Memorial Invitational this week

First Ron Novak Memorial Pee-Wee A/Bantam A Invitational youth hockey tournament will be played Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center and the Old Arena.

Entries from Roseau, Grand Forks, East Grand Forks, Fargo, Brainerd, Virginia, Bismarck, Alexandria, and Minot will join Thief River Falls for the event, named in honor of the long-time Thief River Falls Amateur Hockey Association youth hockey director who died earlier this year.

Championship games will be played Sunday – Pee-Wees at 1:30 p.m. and Bantams at 3:15 p.m.

Members of the Ron Novak family will be on hand Saturday for a special dedication ceremony at 3 p.m. at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

Tournament Schedule

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - (Pee-Wees) Roseau vs. Grand Forks North, 9 a.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) East Grand Forks vs. Grand Forks North, 10:45 a.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) Fargo North vs. Brainerd, 12:30 p.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) Virginia vs. Bismarck, 2:15 p.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) East Grand Forks vs. Alexandria, 4 p.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) Thief River Falls vs. Fargo North, 5:45 p.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) Thief River Falls vs. Minot, 7:30 p.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) Bismarck vs. Grand Forks North, 9:15 p.m., HOMCC.

■ Saturday, Dec. 9 - (Bantams) East Grand Forks vs. Virginia, 8 a.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) Minot vs. Thief River Falls, 9:45 a.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) Game 5, 11:30 a.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) Game 6, 1 p.m. OA; (Bantams) Virginia vs. Grand Forks North, 1:30 p.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) Game 7, 3:15 p.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) Minot vs. Fargo North, 5 p.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) Game 8, 6:45 p.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) East Grand Forks vs. Bismarck, 8:30 p.m., HOMCC.

■ Sunday, Dec. 10 - (Pee-Wees) loser Game 5 vs. loser Game 6, 8 a.m., OA; (Pee-Wees) consolation final, 9:45 a.m., OA; (Bantams), consolation final, 10 a.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees) loser Game 7 vs. loser Game 8, 11:30 a.m., OA; (Bantams) third place game, 11:45 a.m., HOMCC; (Pee-Wees), championship game, 1:30 p.m., HOMCC; (Bantams) championship game, 3:15 p.m., HOMCC.

TRF wrestlers part of Hillsboro Invitational

High school wrestling season started with a bang for Thief River Falls Saturday when the Prowlers faced five different opponents at the eight-team Hillsboro Invitational dual tournament.

The Prowlers faced three North Dakota schools to start the day, tying Walhalla 36-36, then losing to Hillsboro 72-6 and Kindred 54-24. They finished with matches against two Minnesota foes, losing to Barnesville 72-6 and Lake Park-Audubon 60-12.

In each outing, the young, short-handed Prowlers surrendered 18 points on open-weight forfeits at 103, 135 and 140 pounds. With two of their seniors missing the season-opener due to military academy testing, the Prowlers' line-up featured no less than four eighth graders.

There were some Thief River Falls highlights, especially in the upper weights, according to first-year Thief River Falls coach John Belyea.

"From 160-on-up, we're going to be pretty good," reported Belyea. "The kids we used there wrestled pretty well."

The group included Luke Davis, who went 4-1 at 160; Adam Kuck, 2-3 at 171; Robert Spry, 2-3 at 189; and Matt Lawrence, 3-2 at heavyweight.

"The kids did all right," noted Belyea. "We've been at it 1 1/2 weeks; the North Dakota schools have been practicing for a month."

Pioneers win in overtime

■ NCTC women split vs. Normandale, Rochester

Bouncing back from a disappointing showing in a 51-49 Friday night setback at Rochester, Northland emerged a 72-69 double-overtime winner at Rochester Saturday afternoon in women's college basketball.

The weekend split against Minnesota Community College Conference Southern Division teams left the Pioneers 2-1 for the year. They're headed to Wahpeton tonight (Wednesday) for a 5:30 p.m. game against NDSCS before playing another weekend series against MCCC Southern Division foes – this time at home against Willmar Friday at 6 p.m. and Worthington Saturday at 1 p.m.

"We didn't play very well against Normandale," reported Northland coach Rick Nikunen. "It was a terrible game for us. We were a half-step slow all night."

Rochester was the better of the two weekend foes, but the Pioneers elevated the level of their game against the Yellowjackets, according to Nikunen. "It was a well-played game," he said. "That was the toughest team we've played so far, and we did a nice job against them, especially on defense."

Normandale 51
Northland 49

Early success faded as the game wore on in Northland's 51-49 loss to Normandale in Bloomington.

The Pioneers led by 10 in the first half before settling for a 24-21 edge at intermission. They had a chance to tie it at the end, but a shot at the buzzer by Angel Mickelson was nullified by an official's call.

Jenny Smith scored 12 points and Mickelson had 10 for the Pioneers. Only four Normandale players scored, but two of them combined for 44 points as Jenny Ryan netted 23 and Kristy Erkens had 21.

Northland was 19-for-73 from the field (26 percent) and 11-for-21 at the free throw line. Normandale went 20-for-56 from the floor (36 percent) and 10-for-16 at the line. The rebounds were even at 32-apiece. The Pioneers topped the turnover charts 16-9.

Scoring

	1	2	T
Northland	24	25	49
Normandale	21	30	51

Northland - Erika Splide 5, Marcy Olsen 4, Gina Salverson 2, Jenny Smith 12, Angel Mickelson 10, Carrie Olson 4, Lavonne Nelson 5, Ali Hietala 7.

Normandale - Sequoye Pritchard 2, Kari Ekse 5, Jenny Ryan 23, Kristy Erkens 21.

Northland 72
Rochester 69

After missing potential game-winning shots at the end of regulation time and the first overtime, Northland scored five quick points to open the second overtime Saturday en route to a 72-69 win over Rochester.

The Pioneers struggled early, but still managed to come up with a 28-27 halftime lead. It was tied at 51-51 through regulation time and the teams matched baskets in playing to a 61-61 first overtime tie.

Balanced Northland scoring featured Lavonne Nelson with 18 points, Angel Mickelson 16, Gina Salverson 13, and Ali Hietala 10. Chris Ark scored a game-high 27 points for Rochester.

Northland shot 44 per cent from the field (27/61) and made 18 of 24 free throws. Rochester shot 36 percent from the floor and was 7-for-13 at the line. The Pioneers had a 39-37 rebound edge and sat atop the turnover figures, 17-16.

Scoring

	1	2	1ot	2ot	T
Northland	28	23	10	11	72
Rochester	27	24	10	8	69

Northland - Ali Hietala 10, Tera Sugden 1, Gina Salverson 13, Jenny Smith 2, Angel Mickelson 16, Lavonne Nelson 18, Marcy Olsen 2, Carrie Olsen 8, Stacy Stanwick 2.

Rochester - Beth Morlin 9, Karen Mueller 7, Chrissy Tapp 2, Ann Pawelski 2, Kelly Paukert 8, Chris Ark 27, Kim Whiting 14.

TRF boys to start year by hosting Crookston

Season and home opener for the Thief River Falls boys high school basketball team Friday will find the Prowlers playing host to Crookston in the Lincoln gym. Junior varsity game starts at 6 p.m., with the varsity scheduled for a 7:30 tip-off.

The Prowlers are looking to improve upon last year's 13-10 record behind University of Minnesota signee Kyle Sanden, a 6-10 senior center. The last Thief River Falls vs. Crookston match-up featured a school single-game record 43-point night by Sanden in a 93-42 Prowler win on Jan. 19, 1995.

Expected to join Sanden in the stating line-up are seniors Robby Farbo and Ryan Swanson, along with juniors Jared Brandt and Jon Blomker.

"We've got 10 kids, and they'll all play," said Thief River Falls coach Scott Brekke. "Things are going well. The kids are ready for a game. The key for us is to hit the boards hard. If we can do that, we'll be all right."

Mustangs beat Bears

Five Red Lake County Central scorers hit double figures Monday as the Mustangs rolled to an 89-44 girls high school basketball win over Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail.

Sophomore Angie Chervestad, despite early four trouble, led the winners with 22 points, while Ami Tvedt netted 16, Jenny Brekkestran 13, Catherine Rosten 10, and Meckenzine Malwitz 10. Stephanie Solien led the Bears with 18 points.

Red Lake County Central turned a 20-13 first quarter lead into a 47-23 halftime gap and made it 71-30 in the third quarter.

"We had a good spurt in the second quarter," noted Mustangs coach Rick Koivisto. "They (Bears) had trouble with our press."

Turnovers and lay-ups helped the Mustangs shoot 53 percent from the field (39/74). They were 11-for-23 at the free throw line, where the Bears went 14-for-26. Red Lake County Central had a 27-20 rebound advantage; Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail finished with more turnovers, 27-19.

It was the second win in two starts for the Mustangs.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
RLCC	20	27	24	18	89
Clearbrook-G-T	13	10	7	14	44

RLCC - Ami Tvedt 16, Patty Greenwald 1, Jenny Brekkestran 13, Katie O'Neill 2, Merle Austed 2, Frances Hilgemen 6, Catherine Rosten 10, Marci DuChamp 7, Angie Chervestad 22, Mackenzine Malwitz 10.

C-G-T - Jill Lein 11, Stephanie Solien 18, Lindsay Strengo 3, Haldi Bjarke 2, Stacy Eck 2, Lindsay Rattmann 8.

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Dec. 6

■ Basketball - NCTC women at NDSCS, 5:30 p.m.; NCTC men at NDSCS, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 7

■ Basketball - TRF girls vs. Warroad, 6/7:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 8

■ Basketball - NCTC women vs. Willmar, 6 p.m.; TRF boys vs. Crookston, 6/7:30 p.m.; NCTC men vs. Willmar, 8 p.m.

■ Hockey - TRF at St. Paul Johnson, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 9

■ Basketball - NCTC women vs. Worthington, 1 p.m.; NCTC men vs. Worthington, 3 p.m.

■ Swimming - TRF Prowler Relays, 1 p.m.

■ Hockey - TRF at Blake, 2 p.m.

Central 7-1 winner over TRF JV team

Grand Forks Central beat Thief River Falls 7-1 Saturday in junior varsity high school hockey.

Out-shot 37-14, Thief River Falls' lone goal was scored by Adam Swanson in the first minute of the second period to cut into a 2-0 Central lead. It was 6-1 heading into the third period.

B/G-MR boys win opener

A seven-point first quarter advantage stood up for a five-point win Saturday as Badger/Greenbush-Middle River beat Lake of the Woods 64-59 in a season-opening boys high school basketball game at Badger.

The Gators started with a 17-10 first quarter lead, maintained a 29-21 halftime spread and took a 42-37 edge into the fourth quarter.

A balanced Badger/Greenbush-Middle River attack featured four Gators in double figures as Matt Kujava netted 15 points, Andy Schenkey 11, Jed Geer 10 and Guido Gussenhofen, a foreign exchange student from Germany, 10. Matt Speiker of the Bears finished with a game-high 23 points.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Lake of the Woods	10	11	16	22	59
B/G-Middle River	17	12	13	22	64

LOW - Greg Huinagle 3, Rian Berg 10, Cornelius Mathias 4, Clay Dubbels 5, Alan Johnson 10, Matt Speiker 23, Ed Humeniuk 4.

B/G-MR - Justan Rose 3, Matt Kujava 15, Aaron Rislov 6, Guido Gussenhofen 10, Jed Geer 10, Chris Haerstick 5, Andy Schenkey 11, Daryle Wockenfuss 8, Adam Holmes 4.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Dec. 7 - girls basketball vs. Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail (at Plummer).

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - boys basketball at Win-E-Mac.

■ Saturday, Dec. 9 - wrestling at Crookston Invitational.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Thursday, Dec. 7 - girls basketball at Fertile-Beltrami Invitational.

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - boys basketball vs. Goodridge (at Plummer); girls basketball at Fertile-Beltrami Invitational.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Dec. 7 - girls basketball vs. Red Lake County Central (at Plummer).

Goodridge

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - boys basketball vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River (at Middle River).

Grygla-Gatzke

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - boys basketball vs. Stephen.

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Dec. 7 - girls basketball at Roseau.

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - boys basketball at Lake of the Woods.

Northland coaches will be at Boosters

Northland Community and Technical College basketball coaches Mark Dannhoff (men) and Rick Nikunen (women) will be the guest speakers Thursday at the weekly 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club meeting at the Elks.

The public is invited.

TRF Youth Hockey

Pee-Wee A

■ Saturday, Nov. 25 - East Grand Forks 4, Thief River Falls 3. TRF goals - Scott Rambeck, Mike Langlie, Mike Nelson. TRF assists - Donny Werner, Rambeck, Swan. Saves - Ben Owen 38/East Grand Forks 16.

■ Sunday, Nov. 26 - Bemidji 4, Thief River Falls 1. TRF goals - Paul Lander. TRF assists - Donny Werner. Saves - Ben Owen 18/Bemidji 19.

■ Saturday, Dec. 2 - Thief River Falls 5, Red Lake Falls 1. TRF goals - Scott Rambeck (2), Dan Almquist, Donny Werner, Robby Anderson, Mike Nelson. TRF assists - Cliff Juhl (2), Paul Lander, Rambeck, Nelson, Almquist. Saves - Ben Owen 11/Red Lake Falls 44.

■ Sunday, Dec. 3 - Thief River Falls 5, Moorhead 4. TRF goals - Mike Nelson (3), Donny Werner, John Marten. TRF assists - Chris Swanson, Scott Rambeck, Nelson, Keland. Saves - Ben Owen 21/Moorhead 23.

■ Season record - 2-2

Pee-Wee B

■ Friday, Nov. 24 - Thief River Falls 1, Detroit Lakes 1. TRF goals - Kimball. TRF assists - Harris, Budge, Jensen, Barron. Saves - David Lundstrom 22/Detroit Lakes 34.

■ Saturday, Dec. 2 - Thief River Falls 8, Bemidji 0. TRF goals - Harris, Gryskiewicz, Oyster. TRF assists - Barron, Jensen, Harris, Stenson, Kimball. Saves - Melissa Clark 20/Bemidji 29.

■ Sunday, Dec. 3 - Thief River Falls 3, Warroad 0. TRF goals - Barron, Jensen, Gryskiewicz. TRF assists - Bauer (2). Saves - David Lundstrom 21/Warroad 20.

■ Season record - 5-0

Bantam A

(Moorhead Invitational)

■ Round 1 - Apple Valley 8, Thief River Falls 0. Saves - Mike Dowers 23/Apple Valley 9.

■ Round 2 - Moorhead 9, Thief River Falls 1. TRF goals - Jason Hanson. TRF assists - Andy Janisch. Saves - Mike Dowers 27/Moorhead 8.

■ Round 3 - Brainerd 3, Thief River Falls 2. TRF goals - Matt Winjum, Jared Reierson. TRF assists - Travor Peterson, Tom Fogarty. Saves - Mike Dowers 15/Brainerd 18.

■ Round 4 - St. Croix 7, Thief River Falls 4. TRF goals - Jeyma Holmes (2), Jeff Rislov, Tom Fogarty. TRF assists - Jason Hanson, Brady Anderson, Matt Winjum, Trenvor Peterson, Nate Dicken, Fogarty. Saves - Mike Dowers 22/St. Croix 14.

■ Season record - 0-6

TRFAHA Schedule

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - Bantam B at East Grand Forks, 5:30 p.m.; TRF Ron Novak Memorial Pee-Wee A/Bantam A Invitational.

■ Saturday, Dec. 9 - Pee-Wee B2 at Moorhead, 1:30 p.m.; Pee-Wee B at East Grand Forks, 3:15 p.m.; TRF Ron Novak Memorial Pee-Wee A/Bantam A Invitational.

■ Sunday, Dec. 10 - Pee-Wee B at Hallock, 1 p.m.; Bantam B at Bemidji, 1 p.m.; Pee-Wee B2 at Warroad, 5 p.m.; TRF Ron Novak Pee-Wee A/Bantam A Invitational.

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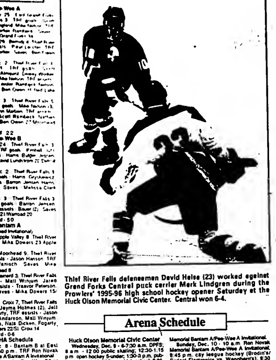

Thief River Falls defenseman David Heise (23) worked against Grand Forks Central puck carrier Mark Lindgren during the Prowlers' 1995-96 high school hockey opener Saturday at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center. Central won 6-4.

Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Dec. 6 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS; 8 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-1:15 p.m. open hockey 5-under; 1:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-6:15 p.m. high school; 6:30-7:30 p.m. Squirt Group 2; 7:45-8:45 p.m. Bantam B; 9-11 p.m. Dance.

Thursday, Dec. 7 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS; 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating; 12:30-3 p.m. public skating; 3:30-5 p.m. high school; 5:15-6:30 p.m. Junior Advanced Patch; 6:30-8 p.m. S1, S2, 8-8:30 p.m. G3, Junior Advanced Freestyle; 6:30-7 p.m. B2, B3, Junior Advanced Team; 7-7:30 p.m. B4, B5, B6; 7:45-9 p.m. high school; 9:15-10:15 p.m. Old-Timers.

Friday, Dec. 8 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS; 9 a.m. Ron Novak Memorial Bantam A/Pee-Wee A Invitational.

Saturday, Dec. 9 - 8 a.m. Ron Novak Memorial Bantam A/Pee-Wee A Invitational.

Sunday, Dec. 10 - 10 a.m. Ron Novak Memorial Bantam A/Pee-Wee A Invitational; 8:45 p.m. city league hockey (Brodin's/Budget Electronics vs. Wennberg's); 9:30 p.m. city league hockey (Radniecki's vs. The Spot).

Old Arena

Wednesday, Dec. 6 - 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball; 3:45-4:45 p.m. Squirt Group 1; 5-6 p.m. 7-year-olds; 6-7 p.m. 6-year-olds; 7:15-8:15 p.m. public skating; 8:30-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wee A; 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Dec. 7 - 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball; 3:45-4:45 p.m. 7-year-olds; 5-5:50 p.m. 6-under Group 2; 5:50-6:40 p.m. 6-under Group 1; 6:55-8:15

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Goodridge rallies for 48-45 win

Goodridge out-scored Kelliher/Northome 17-6 in the third quarter Saturday, erasing a 27-20 halftime deficit and propelling the Huskies to a season-opening 48-45 boys high school basketball win.

Benji Marquis, whose three-point shooting sparked the Huskies' second half comeback, finished with a game-high 20 points. Teammate Chris Grabowska had a 13-point, 10 rebound game for the winners. Kelly Kilsinger scored 14 points and Dale Panchot 12 for Kelliher/Northome, but Panchot was held scoreless in the second half following a defensive switch made by Goodridge.

"We were really cold shooting in the first half, and they did a nice job getting the ball inside on us," explained first-year Goodridge head coach Eric Michelson. "We went to a 2-3 zone in the second half and closed down the inside."

Goodridge made things more difficult than it had to be, acknowledged Michelson, with a 6-for-16 game at the free throw line. The Kelliher/Northome cooperative made 9 of 12 free throws.

"Outside the the free throw shooting, and the 16 turnovers, I thought we did a pretty good job," offered Michelson, whose bench has been shortened by injuries and grade situations.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Goodridge	10	10	17	11	48
Kelliher/Northome	13	14	6	12	45

Goodridge - Dan Hanson 7, Chris Grabowska 13, Benji Marquis 20, Trevor Hanson 8.

K/N - Josh Mostad 6, Dale Panchot 12, Ryan Thayer 5, Andy Dreher 3, Kelly Kilsinger 14, Brandon Pine 2, Jared Shogren 3.

Mustangs win season-opening boys match-up 68-50...

RLCC rebounders beat MCC

Red Lake County Central shot only 28 percent from the field Friday in a season-opening boys high school basketball match-up with Marshall County Central, but the Mustangs' rebounding provided them with an never-ending supply of scoring opportunities – leading to a 68-50 win over the Nordics in Plummer.

The Mustangs out-rebounded the Nordics 51-33, getting 27 of them on the offensive boards. Many of the Red Lake County Central rebounds found the *Mustangs* stripping the ball away from the Nordics after they had made the initial play.

"Obviously the rebounds were the difference," pointed out Marshall County Central coach Ron Ueland. "I don't think I've ever seen us give up 51 boards in a game. They (Mustangs) are very athletic and a bunch of very good jumpers."

It was close most of the way. The two teams played to a 16-16 first quarter tie before Red Lake County Central went ahead 36-28 at half-time and maintained a 47-41 third quarter edge. A pair of five-point swings in the fourth quarter widened the gap.

"We stayed with them better than we might have expected when you consider the rebounds and the turnovers (22 – double the Red Lake County Central turnover figure)," said Ueland.

Bryce Huotari and Aaron Chaput provided the Mustangs with a strong 1-2 offensive punch by scoring 24 and 22 points, respectively. Micah Ranum led the Nordics with 19 points, while Kyle Halvorson contributed 11.

Adding to the Mustangs' busy 20-for-72 night from the field was a productive 22-for-30 free throw performance. The Nordics went 20-for-49 from the floor (41 percent) and 6-for-11 at the line.

"I was most pleased with the defense and the rebounding efforts," offered Red Lake County Central Brad Borene. "The kids really hustled. If we work that hard in all of our games we're going to be competitive."

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
MCC	16	12	13	9	50
RLCC	16	20	11	21	68

MCC - Micah Ranum 19, Trevor Magner 9, Kyle Halvorson 11, Terry Olson 4, Garrett Magner 8, Phil Fictenger 6, Mark Augustine 2.

RLCC - Bryce Huotari 24, Aaron Chaput 22, Paul Peterson 2, Bob Christianson 2, Shawn Hince 3, Dustin Pequin 3, Jimmy Dulke 2, Jeramy Anderson 2, Mark Lorenson 9.

City Hockey

Standings

	W	L	T
Silver Bullets	2	0	0
St. Hilaire Elevator	2	0	0
Brodin's/Budget Electronics	1	1	0
Wennberg's	1	1	0
The Spot	0	1	0
Radniecki's	0	1	0
Rude Construction	0	2	0

Results

Sunday, Dec. 3 - Wennberg's 7, Rude Construction 4; St. Hilaire Elevator 11, Brodin's/Budget Electronics 2; Silver Bullets 11, The Spot 8.

Schedule

Sunday, Dec. 10 - (Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center) Brodin's/Budget Electronics vs. Wennberg's, 8:45 p.m.; Radniecki's vs. The Spot, 9:30 p.m. (Old Arena) Rude Construction vs. St. Hilaire Elevator, 8 p.m.

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Gators start with win

■ B/G-MR girls beat Bears 79-47

Head coach Tom Neshimer said the Gators defense needs work, but there was nothing wrong with the Badger Greenbush Middle River offense Friday in a season-opening 79-47 girls high school basketball win over Lake of the Woods at Badger.

Krissi Super led the way with a 32 point, 8 rebound outing, scoring 26 of those points in the first half before turning from shooter to passer after intermission. Robin Kilen and Jill Wilhelms both added 10 points to the Gators attack. Chrissy Hall scored 12 points to lead the Bears.

The Gators were 29-for-57 from the field (51 percent) and a busy 21 for 33 free throw night. The Bears had a tough time of it with a 4 for 21 game at the line.

Badger Greenbush Middle River turned a 20-15 first quarter edge into a 46-25 halftime spread and a 63-36 third quarter cushion.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Lake of the Woods	15	10	11	11	47
B/G Middle River	20	26	17	16	79

LOW: Chrissy Hall 12, Elle Walbel 9, Erin Bragden 5, Lynn Timmons 10, Casandra Mathues 2, Katie Black 7, Cindi Hull 0.

B/G-MR: Krissi Super 32, Stefanie Sparby 2, Tiffany Hagen 1, Amber Berg 7, Kara Super 8, Jill Wilhelms 10, Kara Kuzma 3, Melissa Smith 8, Robin Kilen 10.

DNR News

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Selected maps are sold at sporting goods stores, quick stop station stores, and a number of DNR area and regional offices throughout Minnesota. Complete sets are available from the Minnesota Bookstore and the DNR Gift Shop in St. Paul.

The maps cost $3.95, plus tax. Maps can be ordered by phone with a credit card by calling toll free, 1-800-766-6000.

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The ski pass generates about one-third of what is needed to develop, brush and groom public ski trails, according to Paul Nordell of the DNR Trails and Waterways unit. "The ski pass provides an essential, continuous source of revenue available only to the state ski program," he noted.

Snow condition reports are available weekly by calling toll-free, 1-800-766-6000.

Telephone Access For The Deaf

Minnesotans with hearing loss can get information about recreation opportunities through the Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) system. The toll-free number is 1-800-657-3929.

The access phone service allows the DNR to provide information weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The phone transmits a message via a telephone modem and monitor. TDD, which uses a standard keyboard, can be used by people with hearing loss who have the proper equipment.

The DNR Information Center can use the TDD device to help people request some of the more than 825 brochures, maps and guides in its resource library. The Information Center can also provide answers to specific questions from the public.

Examples of DNR information that can be ordered through through the TDD system are ski and snowmobile trail maps, cross country ski pass information, snowmobile safety training information, fishing license information, and registration for watercraft and all-terrain vehicles. Also available is information about state park vehicle permits and special events planned at the parks.

City Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Digi-Key	13	1
Middle River	11	1
Arctco	11	5
Best Western II	6	6
Forsberg's	8	6
Northup	7	7
Best Western I	9	4
Hartz Trucking	3	11
Sea Monkeys	3	11
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	14

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	19	1
Double D Bees	19	2
Thrifty White Drug	14	6
Clip N Tan	14	6
Budweiser	12	4
Arctco	6	14
Tim Loeffler Agency	4	14
PCR Graphics	1	19
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	1	14

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	13	1
Cellular 2000	12	2
Bud Light	11	3
Universal Screenprint	9	6
Doc's Jocks	8	7
Carvers	8	6
Unpredictables	7	8
Tunberg Motor Co	8	9
500 Club	3	11
National Guard	2	12
Cactus Club	0	14

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Northwest Medical Center	19	1
Miller Lite	17	3
LaVonne's Grocery	14	6
St Hilaire Elevator	13	7
Legion	11	4
St Hilaire Supply	11	6
Evergreen Eating Emporium	7	13
Digi-Key I	4	14
Digi-Key II	2	19
Robson Honey	2	15

Results

■ Monday, Nov 27 - (6 p.m.) Arctco del. Glenda's Beauty Shop; Forsberg's del. Northup. (6:30 p.m.) Arctco del. Northup; Forsberg's del. Hartz Trucking; (7 p.m.) Digi-Key del. Glenda's Beauty Shop; Middle River del. Hartz Trucking; (7:30 p.m.) Best Western I del. Sea Monkeys; Middle River del. Best Western II, (8 p.m.) Digi-Key del. Best Western I, Sea Monkeys del. Best Western II.

■ Tuesday, Nov. 28 - (6:30 p.m.) Double D Bees del. Arctco, Clip-N-Tan del. Narverud Cleaners; (7 p.m.) Arctco del. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe, Narverud Cleaners del. Tim Loeffler Agency; (7:30 p.m.) Double D Bees del. Budweiser; Clip-N-Tan del. PCR Graphics; (8 p.m.) Budweiser del. Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's Cafe, Thrifty White Drug del. Tim Loeffler Agency (8:30 p.m.) Thrifty White Drug del. PCR Graphics.

■ Wednesday, Nov. 29 - (6 p.m.) Cellular 2000 del. Unpredictables; 500 Club del. Cactus Club; (6:30 p.m.) Primetime del. Universal Screenprint; Carvers del. 500 Club, (7 p.m.) Cellular 2000 del. National Guard, Unpredictables del. Cactus Club; (7:30 p.m.) Primetime del. Tunberg Motor Co., Universal Screenprint del. Doc's Jocks; (8 p.m.) Carvers del. Tunberg Motor Co.; Doc's Jocks del. National Guard.

■ Thursday, Nov. 30 - (6:30 p.m.) Legion del. Digi-Key II, Northwest Medical Center del. St. Hilaire Elevator; (7 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply del. Digi-Key II; Northwest Medical Center del. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (7:30 p.m.) Miller Lite del. Legion; St. Hilaire Elevator del. Robson Honey; (8 p.m.) St. Hilaire Supply del. Digi-Key I, LaVonne's Grocery del. Evergreen Eating Emporium; (8:30 p.m.) Miller Lite del. Digi-Key I; LaVonne's Grocery del. Robson Honey.

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TRF Archery Club to meet Thursday

Thief River Falls Archery Club will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. in the basement of the city auditorium.

Discussion will center around the start of the upcoming indoor archery league season.

All league members and prospective shooters are urged to attend.

For additional information, contact Archery Club president Darrel Janesch at 681-2106.

TRF JV girls beat Roseau by 55-34

Thief River Falls junior varsity high school girls basketball team evened its record at 1-1 Friday with a 55-34 win at Roseau.

Amber Klinker scored 19 points and Becky Mooney had 10 for the winners, who led at the quarter stops 12-5, 31-19 and 38-26.

Thief River Falls lost its 1995-96 season opener at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 33-17.

TRF freshman girls lose 39-25 contest

Warren-Alvarado-Oslo defeated Thief River Falls 39-25 Monday in a freshman girls high school basketball game.

The two teams played to a 4-4 first quarter tie before the winners went ahead 14-5 at halftime and maintained a 23-17 third quarter lead.

Taya Hunt lead Thief River Falls scoring with 10 points.

Middle School

Franklin Middle School seventh grade girls opened their 1995-96 basketball season Saturday at Bemidji, where the A team lost 31-14 and the B team fell 34-17. Sara Jensen, Nicole Vigen and Kylie Rogalla scored 4 points each to lead the Franklin A team, while Cheri Roisland led the B team with 9 points.

In a single game Monday, the Franklin A team beat Red Lake Falls 25-19 with Sam Rose scoring a team-high 6 points.

Arena Schedule

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p.m. Pee-Wee B and Pee-Wee B2; 8:30-10 p.m. Bantam A.

Friday, Dec. 8 - 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball; 3:45-4:45 p.m. open hockey 6-under; 4:45-6:45 p.m. Squirt Group 2; 6-7 p.m. 8-year-olds; 7:15-8:30 p.m. Pee-Wee A; 8:45-10 p.m. Pee-Wee B and Pee-Wee B2.

Saturday, Dec. 9 - 7:30 a.m. Squirts; 9 a.m. Squirts; 10:30 a.m. 6-under; 11:45 a.m. 6-under; 1 p.m. Ron Novek Memorial Bantam A/Pee-Wee A Invitational.

Sunday, Dec. 10 - 8 a.m. Ron Novek Memorial Bantam A/Pee-Wee A Invitational; 2:15-3:30 p.m. public skating; 3:45-5:15 p.m. OPFS; 5:30-6:15 p.m. public skating; 6:30-7:45 p.m. public skating; 8 p.m. city league hockey (Rude Construction vs. St. Hilaire Elevator); 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

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TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Setter Construction	35	9
Gonsoren Realty	27	15
Rundell Electric	27	15
Mahelle Dairy	26	16
Amoco 24	23	19
Mid. Riv Community Club	22	20
Walseth Construction	21	21
Harts Truck Line	20	22
Rainbow Nursery	20	22
Northwest Asphalt	15	26
B-H-R's	8	34
D-Team	8	34

High Game: Bill Rasmussen 234 213; Darren Wagner 215; Anthony Dial 213; Cindy Vennes 179 173; Diane Wagner 179

High Series: Bill Rasmussen 153-213-234=600; Randy Rasmussen 185-194-193=572; Darren Wagner 215-170-176=561; Sharon Wagner 158-167-170=495; Cindy Vennes 135-179-173=487; Arlene Walseth 153-152-168=473

Service League

	Wins	Losses
Rundell Electric	62	28
Mandeval Trucking	60	30
Northern Motors	59	31
Legion	55 1/2	34 1/2
McDonald's	50	40
Thygeson Construction	49 1/2	40 1/2
NW Eye Center	39 1/2	50 1/2
NW Auto Body	34	56
Wagon Wheel	26	64

Farmer Merchant League

	Wins	Losses
River Bend Farms	20	9
Goodridge Hartz	20	8
Tri State Breeders	19	9
Arnold Ave Store	16	12
Wasth Farms	15	13
Ekeren Drug	14	15
Asp Farms	15	15
Feragen Boys	13	15
Borvig Oil	11	17
Young Pine Lodge	9	20

High Game: Joel Stolaas 236; Jerry Hesnedl 220; Joel Stolaas 219; Mitch Engelstad 212

High Series: Joel Stolaas 236-218-176=628; Al Vettleson 194-194-202=590; Jim Haugen 180-177-188=545

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Stompers	21 1/2	10 1/2
Bronx Bombers	19 1/2	12 1/2
Sheldon's Grease Balls	19 1/2	12 1/2
Hom's	19	13
Big Boys	18	14
Rutters	18	14
Hoots	17	15
Hogans Heroes	16 1/2	15 1/2
Alley Rats	14	18
Stags	13	19
Bulls	12	20
TNT's	5	27

High Game: Norris Thune 242, 207; Tom Williams 214; Terry Dyrdal 212; Scott Maslowski 207; Sheldon Peterson 207

High Series: Norris Thune 242-181-207=630; Sheldon Peterson 207-199-188=594; Scott Maslowski 187-169-207=563; Tom Williams 190-214-147=551

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Mr. Duane's	52	39
Farmer's Union	52	39
Family Bowl	48	43
Busch Light	45	46

Pennington Square	83	46
Bradie's	33	60

High Game: Roberta Kiesly 200; Deb Pierce 199; Bunny Dandelinger 193

High Series: Deb Pierce 189-180-186=553; Bunny Dandelinger 169-179-193=541; Roberta Kiesly 196-190-200=611

Business League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto	238 1/2	131 1/2
Amoco 24	229	161
Norwest Bank	221	169
Royal Grooming	178	212
CP Rail	151 1/2	238 1/2
Hardware Hank	132	258

Hitchcock League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	54	30
Northern Motors	53	31
Creative Clippers	50	34
Loeffler Agency	50	34
Arctco	48	36
Ketch Stop	41	43
Bud Ice	38	46
Team #8	5	80

High Game: Rosemary Nesseth 207; Shirley Colden 200; Dollie Newland 194; Sharon Harris 191; Joyce Burkel 190

High Series: Shirley Colden 179-200-177=556; Dollie Newland 194-170-174=538; Sharon Harris 183-191-157=531; Rosemary Nesseth 133-207-156=496

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Swenson Airspray	7	1
Northwest Asphalt	7	1
Soap-N-Suds	6	2
5/5ths	5	3
Hutchinson Transfer	4	5
Lantern	5	4
Red Lake Electric	3	5
Olin Law Office	2	6
Styles By Amy	2	6

High Game: Mary Jo Anderson 222; Jean Groven 208; Deb Cota 201; Carol Moen 200

High Series: Judy Evenson 159-180-180=519; Carol Moen 169-200-141=510; Darlene Bottem 142-166-190=498; LeAnn Hensley 180-157-156=493

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Sizzlers	37	11
Tommy G's	33 1/2	14 1/2
Digi-Key	32	16
Material Girls	31	17
NW Medical Center	24	24
Imaging Plus	23	25
Farmers Union Oil	23	25
KTRF CAD's	21 1/2	26 1/2
Borsheim	20	28
Fire Flies	19 1/2	28 1/2
Hill Trucking	18	29
Rusty Nail	18	30
Norwest	17 1/2	30 1/2
NW Eye Center	17	31

High Game: Lorraine Morben 229; Sharon Odegaard 206; Pam Joppru 199; Cindy Vennes 189

High Series: Lorraine Morben 146-164-229=539; Sharon Odegaard 141-151-208=500; Karen Safranski 140-185-168=493; Pam Joppru 156-199-133=488

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	21	7
Rick's Handyman Service	17	11

Classic Chevys	14	10
TR Salvage	11	13
Spare Parts	15	16
Four Fun	7	14

High Series: Bruce Mattson [illegible]; Brenda Carr 211-177-181=[illegible]; Rocky Ammerman 167-181-209=[illegible]; Dawn Pyle 169-183-[illegible]; Carol Moen 153-180-181=[illegible]; Judy Nelson 183-173-[illegible]

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	328 1/2	151 1/2
Wiktorum Telephone	290 1/2	190 1/2
Pennington Express	267	223
Germundson's Furniture	258 1/2	223 1/2
Thyren Auto	246 1/2	234 1/2
Kalinowski Construction	236 1/2	244 1/2
RV Sports	232 1/2	247 1/2
VFW	215	266
1st National Bank	194	286
No. Border Wheel	176	304

High Game: Griffin Newland 257; Bryce Bray 244; Norris Thune 240

High Series: Al Baumgartner 178-212-197-238=825; Kraig Mehle 224-195-163-224=806; Jeff Westberg 237-223-161-182=803

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Glass Farm	37	11
Amoco 24	34	15
Auction-2-Sell	33	19
B & E Car Wash	27	21
Joe's Floor & Tile	12	36

High Game: Curt Quesnell 237; Craig Peterson 226; Paul Johnson 222; Diane Peterson 204; Diane Peterson 191; Deanne Thompson 191

High Series: Curt Quesnell 626; Craig Peterson 592; Paul Johnson 582; Diane Peterson 566; Deanne Thompson 483; Dollie Newland 473

Honey Bees League

	Wins	Losses
Grygla Cafe	14	7
Purdy's Shoe Store	12	9
Larson's Drywall	11	10
Phyllis's	9	12
8 & 8 Espresso	4	12
Olson's Auto	9	13

High Game: Angie Dahlen 220; Deb Lerol 202; Lisa Stapleton 177; Deb Ulrich 173

High Series: Angie Dahlen 220-164-148=532; Deb Lerol 202-118-145=465; Pam Schmidt 134-151-170=455; Laura Carlson 139-161-146=446

City League

	Wins	Losses
FSA	17	4
St. Hilaire Elevator	16	5
The Spot	14	7
Rick's Appliance	14	7
Milk & Cookies	14	7
Homark	11	10
Wilde Builders	9	12
Hanson's Repair	7	14
MN/DOT	3	18

High Game: Gordy Jensen 238; Don Shynder 222; Neil Zatorski 215

High Series: Arlen Sorum 205-213-181=599; Neil Zatorski 190-170-215=575; Gordy Jensen 140-238-189=567

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Glenn's Electric	26	10
Farmers Mutual Health	24	12
Peter's Back Hoe Inc	23	13
Arctco Inc	18	18
Brooks Auto	15	21
Michael's	14	24
Clip N Tan	10	26
Firestone	10	26

High Series: Ron Johnston 177-220-188=585; Ryan Baldwin 186-223-194=603; Chris Taylor 171-200-153=524; Bill Sylvester 156-162-157=475; Kenny Newland 184-151-145=480; Elaine Lundeberg 150-160-112=422; Judy Taylor 152-140-128=420; Laura Carlson 123-142-148=413

Bantam League

	Wins	Losses
Bad Boys	25 1/2	5 1/2
3 Musketeers	20 1/2	9 1/2
Magic Raptors	19 1/2	11 1/2
Good Girls	19 1/2	11 1/2
3 Ninjas	11 1/2	19 1/2
Blades	15 1/2	15 1/2
Jr Elks	15	16
3 Little Princesses	11	19
Lions	9	22
Ghost Team	2	28

High Game: Michael Lunde 157; Tyler Jensen 128; Justin Pyle 122; Stacy Rasmussen 121; Scott Stone 119; Aaron Anderson 111

High Series: Michael Lunde 89-157=246; Justin Pyle 110-122=232; Tyler Jensen 125-100=225; Stacey Rasmussen 121-102=223; Aaron Anderson 103-111=214

Junior League

	Wins	Losses
Prowler Express	31	9
Bix Photography	30	10
Team #10	26 1/2	13 1/2
Northern Motors	25	15
1st National Bank	25	15
State Farm	24	16
Prowler Express Racing	23	17
Family Bowl	22	18
Amoco 24	21	19
RV Sports	21	19
Pennington Square	19	21
Nelson Equipment	16	24
Glenn's Electric	16	24
Team #17	16	24
Wasth Farms	15 1/2	24 1/2
Genereux Realty	14	26
Team #13	11	29
Ghost Team	8	30

High Game: Rachel Greelis 204; Jeremy Jensen 202; David Bray 201; Nick Swenson 185; Nathan Tischer 177

High Series: David Bray 138-181-201=520; Jeremy Jensen 202-145-146=493; Keith Bix 164-155-170=489; Jeremy Lian 158-160-156=474; Rachel Greelis 131-204-134=469

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It looks like Northwest Minnesota is facing a blizzard tonight with the high winds and loose snow. Roy keeps the snowblower in shape and never lets it pile up on the driveway or the sidewalks. He drove to Strandquist this morning to get the news from the box at Irene's Cafe and reported that it wasn't a perfect day for a drive. He says perhaps in a few months the weather here may become as stable as he hears it is west of the Rockies.

If anyone noticed in the Grand Forks Herald the report on Saturday that one of the best 100 cities in the USA with a population of 5000 to 15000, that Kalispell, MT ranked 22nd. It's a nice place.

The Strandquist seniors had their Christmas party last Thursday and then closed the program until Spring. All but one member attended the potluck dinner and several visitors joined in the fun. They donated to the veterans organization $25.00 for Santa Claus Day, to be held in the near future, at which time candy and presents to the children will be given. They exchanged gifts and spent the rest of the time visiting.

One of the seniors, Anna Rud, who has been in the nursing home for a couple of months passed away on Saturday and the funeral will be in Strandquist on Tuesday. She always had a smile for me when I would come there and when I would see her at the Nursing Home in Karlstad.

Morris and Hazel Anderson were the guests of Jim, Cindy and Christy Wetterlund of Grand Forks on the weekend. On Saturday evening they were entertained at the Chester Fritz Auditorium by "Ye Olde English Feast" where Christy was a participant of the college of Fine Arts Department of Music and Communications of UND. They returned home on Sunday evening.

Eddie and Marcy Nelson took granddaughter Nicole Carlson to the Cities to board the plane to Dallas, TX to resume her job as flight attendent. While there they took Kevin Nelson to the Metro Studios to finish his tapes and CD's of 10 of his original songs. They will be on the market by Christmas or the first of the year. Joining them there were Denise and Jamie Nelson and Nicole Carlson. Kevin is in a singing group choice called "Children are Forever." They have been singing at the Mall of America where Kevin has a solo part which is out on tape. Everyone enjoyed the performance.

Saturday, Julius and Toni Kleinvachter, Wayne and Pat Larson and Betty and Terry Pietruszewski brought birthday wishes to Frank Kleinvachter.

Debbie Evans and her family of Leno Lakes came Friday to attend the wedding of Michelle Johnson and Mark Melby. Debbie, Lisa, Kaylee, Ryan and Eric were guests of Danny and Becky Johnson. Kelly and Johnnie were guests of LaVonne and Brian Johnson. They all left for home on Sunday morning. Lowell Lefrooth and June Kasprowicz visited Frank and Judy Kleinvachter Sunday. Other visitors there this week have been Art Kleinvachter, Lanna Berggren, Marie Steffen, Claude Berggren, Jessie and Kali, Brian Nelson and Kari Kasprowicz and Marcus. Pearl Thompson and Elsie Lefrooth enjoyed the Sunday school Christmas party at the Assembly of God Church on Thursday afternoon.

The wind is dying down now, maybe there will be no blizzard tonight but you will have to judge who first predicted the storm, the weather or if I did. Sorry if you changed your plans for tomorrow.

Thanksgiving dinner was held at Kevin Nelson's at Richfield. Those who were there were Hugh, Denise and Jamie Nelson of Oakdale, Vance, Kelly, Amanda and Jessie Lefrooth of Cedar, Melanie Lefrooth of Wilmar, Mary Boeser and Eddie and Marcy Nelson. Eddie and Marcy returned home on Sunday stopping at Rothsey to visit Kenny and Annabelle Nelson.

Bethesda WELCA will host a Christmas brunch on Saturday the 9th at 10 a.m. Eunice and Julia Waterworth will be the guest speaker and furnish the music.

Gloria Renstrom and Elsie Lefrooth accompanied Ellen Johnson to the wedding of Mark Melby and Michelle Johnson in Thief River Falls at the Zion Lutheran church on Saturday.

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Traffic violations listed in citation disposition bulletin

Several violations for speeding, seat belt violations, driving while intoxicated and other alcohol related offenses were listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for last week.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Michelle Marie Prestebak, Goodridge, 30, 65/55, $64.50; Michelle Marie Prestebak, Goodridge, 30, expired Minnesota registration, $41.50; James Harry Ranum, Minneapolis, 50, 65/55, $64.50; Arlen Bill Stenvik, Goodridge, 19, careless driving, $122.50; Robert Allen Joerger, Mayville, ND, 30, 65/55, $64.50; Brian Wayne Jones, Warren, 34, open bottle driver, $150; Christopher Dwight Ortloff, Thief River Falls, 20, 65/55, $64.50;

Cheryl Anne Brule, Crookston, 21, 65/55, $76; Marlene Kay Hjeldness, Walsh Co., ND, 39, 65/55, $64.50; Wesley James Johnson, Grand Forks, ND, 28, possession of radar detector, $118.50; Kenneth Floyd Moore, Stanton, MI, 29, log book not current, $87.50; James William Mowrey, Deer River, 20, 73/55, $99; Dawn Marie Petersen, Thief River Falls, 23, seat belt violation, expired registration, $88.75; Gregory Alan Carpenter, Eagan, 37, seat belt, $47.25; Kathleen Jane Clark, Karlstad, 72, stop arm violation, $352.50; Christopher Jade Halt, East Grand Forks, 20, seat belt violation, $47.25; Mitchell Delewoyn Hinden, Thief River Falls, 36, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Jarrod Lee Kalsnes, Thief River Falls, 26, seat belt violation, $47.25.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Melissa Marie Zblewski, Newfolden, 20, theft over $200 and not more than $500, $27.50, $736.57 restitution, placed on unsupervised probation for one year, ordered to perform 20 hours of community service; Gail Paul Donarski, Newfolden, 17, 49/30, $87.50; Jaclyn Ann Poell, Thief River Falls, 23, seat belt violation, $47.25; Robert Ellsworth Rowley, Jr., St. Hilaire, 31, fifth degree assault, $267.50;

Kevin Richard Lopez, Thief River Falls, 22, expired registration, expired driver's license, $85; Aaron Martin Ostby, Thief River Falls, 20, stop sign violation, $76; Kerri Jo Pederson, Thief River Falls, 33, 44/30, $76; Alan Edward Vandestreek, Thief River Falls, 40, expired license tabs, $41.50; Nacoda Lee Vaughan, Thief River Falls, 22, permitting public nuisance, $75.50; Claire George Berberich, Brooks, 46, failure to yield right of way, $122.50; Sidney Thomas Culkins, Thief River Falls, 69, failure to yield right of way, $122.50;

Chad Allen King, Halma, 20, consumption by a minor, $87.50; Robert Mark Kleven, Alvarado, 32, 40/30, $64.50; William Arthur Kramer, Goodridge, 16, exhibition driving, $64.50; Brian Steven Joppru, Thief River Falls, driving after suspension, $122.50; Elizabeth Anne Plante, Thief River Falls, 33, theft under $200, 10 days in jail stayed for one year, complete 20 hours of community work service; Elizabeth Anne Plante, Thief River Falls, 33, theft under $200, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Carmen Cabrera Thrift, Thief River Falls, 30, check forgery, $27.50, $232.38 restitution, one year in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years, complete 80 hours of community service;

Paul James Andersan, Thief River Falls, 33, felony theft, $387.50, placed on supervised probation for five years; Brandan Erral Baker, Thief River Falls, 23, permitting public nuisance, $87.50; Ronald Merle Blue, Thief River Falls, 39, permitting public nuisance, $87.50; Janathan Gary Erickson, Thief River Falls, 21, assault, 90 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Sherman Dean Jones, Thief River Falls, 23, offering a forged check, fine stayed, $27.50, $232.50 restitution, one year in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years, 80 hours of community service.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Johnny Joe Gonzalez, Thief River Falls, 20, open bottle/passenger, $65; Angela Jeanne Omlid, Thief River Falls, 19, issue dishonored checks, $142.50, $36.01 restitution; Felicia Baker Bradshaw, Thief River Falls, 34, issuance of dishonored checks, $162.50, $206.30 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Micah Wesley Hamm, Warren, 18, 71/55, $87.50; Marcus Wayne Hanson, Thief River Falls, 19, 68/55, $76; Denise Kaye Nissen, Thief River Falls, 21, issue worthless checks, $167.50, $217.70 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Christopher Chad Wnlseth, Thief River Falls, 18, aiding in gross misdemeanar escape, 90 days in jail; Tracy Marie Wegge, Thief River Falls, 26, issuance of worthless checks, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year, unsupervised probation for one year.

Matthew James Bengtson, Hallock, 21, issuance of dishonored checks, $137.50, $40.62 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Eric Bruce Halbert, Thief River Falls, 20, consumption by a minor, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Jonathan Curtis Noyes, Erskine, 17, issue worthless checks, $157.50, $152.17 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Mark Edward Rozowski, Thief River Falls, 29, issuance of dishonored checks, $192.50, $329.80 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Kyle Warren Syverson, Thiel River Falls, 18, issuance of dishonored checks, $152.50, $184.38 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Rodney Louis Lapmordiere, Grand Forks, ND, 18, aggravated driving while intoxicated, failure to provide proof of insurance, $952.50, one year in jail with all but three months stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Lavon Dwrene Sunram, Thief River Falls, 19, theft, gross misdemeanor, $27.50, $1,131.55 restitution, one year in jail with all but two years stayed, placed on unsupervised probation for two years, 100 hours of community service.

Minnesota department of natural resource cases: Larry Allan Weiss, Red Lake Falls, 48, hunting while intoxicated, gross misdemeanor, $627.50, one year in jail with all but 20 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years.

A fight breaks out in a scene from "Christmas on Erla Street." The play takes place on the sidewalk in front of Beamers General Store.

The original play was set in Chicago, but Mrs. Hanson gave the play a more local flavor by renaming the streets with Goodridge names.

Rural Life Outreach helps farm families

"Many farmers and ranchers are currently experiencing stressful financial problems. For many, the horizon is laden with heavy, menacing clouds. In trying to find meaning from setbacks, disappointments and tragedies in the dark clouds of life, we struggle to glimpse the luminous edge that tells us the sun still shines, and that there will be a brighter day."
—Val Farmer in "Rural Stress Survival Guide"

Rural Life Outreach in Crookston has prepared information on early recognition/intervention of financial problems on the farm, according to Arlene Tucker, coordinator. Rural Life Outreach is a combined effort of the Catholic Diocese of Crookston and the Northwestern Minnesota Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

The information is divided into three parts: (1) Basic Needs for Farmers and Lenders; (2) Obstacles to Early Recognition/Intervention; and (3) Solutions to Achieve Early Recognition/Intervention.

"Meeting early with lenders could bring in more ideas, alternatives and new answers," Tucker said. "A study of successful farmers and ranchers in the Upper Midwest pointed out they felt that going through adversity was a major factor in their later success. Their key business ideas and attitudes were formed and polished during hard times and provided the foundation upon which later success was built."

Tucker points out that the media had many stories and mental health and stress programs had been created in response to the farm crisis of the 1980s and the 1993 flood. Today the average citizen is not aware of the farmers' financial condition.

"Farm families are very self-conscious about their financial condition," Tucker said. "In order to maintain healthy communities, we need to work together to help farm families make decisions for the future."

The Rural Life Outreach program has outreach workers available to provide one-on-one support to farm families under stress due to the inclement weather. Outreach worker for Polk, Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall and Beltrami counties is Willard Brunelle of Crookston. There is no charge for the service and names are held confidential. Coordination has been arranged with many agencies and a variety of programs. Surveys are presently being distributed at meetings to research the need of farm families.

An advisory committee on Project Reality has recommended that three stress/depression workshops be held in Crookston, Thief River Falls and Roseau before or shortly after the Christmas holiday season.

Tucker listed the following information:

Basic Needs for Farmers and Lenders: Income/expense records for the current year, current balance sheet, marketing plans, anticipated future goals/changes and alternatives and options to accomplish goals/changes;

Obstacles to Early Recognition/Intervention: Too busy (late season, harvest, weather, fall work, tax planning, machinery repair, family, school, church, etc.); fear/avoidance; misinformed assumptions (the bank will be tough and inflexible or the bank will just have to go along with me again next year; denial—it can't be that bad; and procrastination—maybe it will be better by spring.

Solutions to Achieve Early Recognition/Intervention: Farmers and lenders must be proactive; inform all area lenders; open communications; thorough evaluation (get a second opinion); complete list of alternatives; reach agreement on best alternative considering cash flow, financial position, goals, etc; and implement plan by Jan. 15, 1996, to accomplish results.

Local man sentenced in sexual conduct case

David Dwayne French, 30, St. Paul, was sentenced Monday, November 27 on a charge of criminal sexual misconduct in the fifth degree.

The charge against French stems from sexual misconduct with a child under the age of 12 between June 8, 1995 and August 4, 1995. Originally, French was charged with criminal sexual conduct in the second degree, but in a plea agreement on November 20 entered a guilty plea to fifth degree criminal sexual conduct.

According to statements made in court by Assistant Pennington County Attorney Alan Rogalla, the victim and victim's family agreed with the plea agreement.

Ninth District Judge Dennis Murphy sentenced French to one year in jail with all but six months of the sentenced stayed for two years. French was placed on probation for two years and was ordered to have no contact with the victim or victim's family. He was also given credit for time served.

French was represented in court by Assistant Public Defender Don Aandal.

Meeting on truck toll route for Hwy. 2 set

The Arrowhead Regional Development Commission, the regional planning agency for northeastern Minnesota, and the Trunk Highway 2 Improvement Task Force have invited the public to attend its next meeting. James Ball, president, Transportation Industries International, will present his proposal to construct a truck route adjacent to Trunk Highway 2 from Duluth to Crookston. Tolls would be assessed to trucks using the facilities to pay for the construction.

The meeting is Thursday, December 7 at 7 p.m. at the American Legion west of Warba, MN.

Moorhead State representative to visit LHS Dec. 12

An admissions representative from Moorhead State University will visit Lincoln High school in Thief River Falls from noon to 1 p.m. on Tuesday, December 12.

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Participants in Northland Community Hospice "Light Up a Life" memorial ceremonies last Tuesday evening gathered by the tree outside Northwest Medical Center as the roll of persons memorialized in 1995 was read by Martha Wissmann, hospice director. Approximately 60 people attended the program. Persons wishing to have the named of a deceased loved one entered in the Hospice Book of Memories located in the medical center lobby may stop at the reception desk or the hospice office and *make a donation*. The hospice office also has for sale amaryllis plants—known as the Hospice Flower of Hope—for sale until January

Administrative hearings help counties collect child support

Twenty-four additional Minnesota counties recently began using a new hearing process to streamline the establishment and enforcement of child support orders. This brings the total to 63 counties now using the hearing process to reduce costs and resolve child support issues more quickly and in a less adversarial setting.

"The new process is one of the many initiatives were are implementing to increase collections," said Laura Kadwell, director of the Child Support Enforcement Division. "The goal of these initiatives is to get support to children more quickly and efficiently."

The new counties starting the administrative process in September 1995 were: Benton, Carlton, Cook, Crow Wing, Dodge, Grant, Isanti, Kanabec, LeSueur, Lyon, Martin, McLeod, Morrison, Murray, Otter Tail, Pope, Ramsey, Redwood, Roseao, St. Loois, Steele, Waseca, Washington and Wright.

In the new process, state administrative law judges decide child support issues when parents cannot agree. The judges are highly trained specialists in child support laws and procedures so parents do not need to hire attorneys to use the process. Children benefit from more uniform orders statewide. The process removes most child support cases from the district court calendar, giving county attorneys and district court judges more time and resources to handle other civil and criminal cases.

"A benefit of this process is the fact that it's user-friendly," said Beverly Anderson, supervising administrative law judge from the State Office of Administrative Hearings. "The administrative law judges make sure both parents understand the process and have the opportunity to participate and voice their concerns."

Current legislation requires remaining counties to implement this hearing process by July 1, 1998. Counties have the option of using the process earlier of they choose. Ramsey county is one county that has chosen to use the administrative process before the required implementation date.

"Parents have told us they like the informal nature of the hearings and feel comfortable talking about their situations in court," said Judith Wong, director of the Ramsey County Child Support Enforcement Division. "Ramsey county decided to implement the administrative hearing process before the 1998 deadline to service more cases in a less adversarial manner."

Counties not currently using the administrative process are: Big Stone, Brown, Chippewa, Cottonwood, Fillmore, Goodhue, Hennepin, Houston, Hubbard, Jackson, Kittson, Koochiching, Lake of the Woods, Mahnomen, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Red Lake, Renville, Sibley, Traverse, Watonwan and Wilkin.

Minnesota counties collected approximately $290 million in child support payments during the 1995 state fiscal year which is a 16 per cent increase over 1994 collections.

Unemployment rate in MN rose to 3.3 per cent

Minnesota's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate rose to 3.3 per cent in October, according to the Minnesota Department of Economic Security. The rate rose from a revised 3.0 per cent in September to 3.3 per cent in October. The rate was down from 3.9 per cent in October 1994. The state's unadjusted unemployment rate declined to 2.9 per cent in October from 3.0 per cent in September and was down from 3.4 per cent a year ago.

Seasonally adjusted employment was up nearly 2,200 while unemployment was down by more than 15,700 compared to last October. These two factors resulted in a lower unemployment rate compared to October 1994.

"The state's seasonally adjusted employment rate was more than two percentage points below the nation's rate," Commissioner R. Jane Brown said. "The number of unemployed has not been this low in October since 1978, when the state's figures were first seasonally adjusted."

Beginning December 1 U S West expands Caller ID service area nationwide

Beginning yesterday (Friday, December 1), subscribers to U S West Communications' Caller ID service are able to identify incoming long-distance calls originating in the United States as well as local calls. The service became available in Thief River Falls, Humboldt and Crookston September 12.

The long-distance enhancement took effect Friday throughout the United States without charge under an order from the Federal Communications Commission. Depending on the equipment customers have installed, it will give them either the number or number and name of the caller before they answer the phone and records the date and time of each call.

Callers with touch-tone phones who wish to have that information blocked from the person they are calling may dial *67 before the number of the person they are calling. Callers with rotary dial phones may dial 1167 to block their number.

Line blocking which blocks the calling number on all calls made is also available for a service fee. Callers who subscribe to this service and wish to transmit Caller ID information on individual calls may press *82 (dial 1182).

Fertile Area Arts Council program

Sixty singers from the Fertile area will perform highlights from Handel's "Messiah" at the eighth annual Music of Christmas program Sunday, December 10, at 4 p.m. at Concordia Lutheran Church in Fertile. The event is sponsored by the Fertile Area Arts Council.

Don Danielson, retired vocal music director in the East Grand Forks schools, will conduct the group, which will be accompanied by Barry Wenger, organist at Wesley United Methodist Church in Grand Forks, ND.

Admission will be $4 for adults and $2 for students in kindergarten through 12th grade. Reserved seat tickets are on sale at various business places in Fertile and general admission will be available at the door.

County delays awarding bids on Long's Bridge

Pennington county commissioners opened bids on the Long's bridge replacement. Although the low bid was not awarded Tuesday, the low bid appears to have been submitted by Swingen Construction of Grand Forks, ND, at $763,968.75.

Four bids for the project, which will be located about 350-feet north of the current bridge, were received by the county. Bids from Swingen Construction, Structural Specialties of Hutchinson, Lakeview Construction of Glenwood, and Wanzek Construction of Fargo, ND, were submitted.

Delton Schulz, county engineer, said the low bid for the bridge was within the engineer's estimate, but bids on grading came in higher than anticipated. He said the bids will be studied by the county board.

Schulz expects the low bid to be awarded at the county board's next meeting on December 12.

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Newfolden Community News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendall of Thief River Falls visited during the week at the Bill and Olive Rehm home.

Company on Sunday at the Kevin Tharaldson home in honor of Sheila's birthday were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson, Adam Johnson, Desi Kotrba, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wikstrom of Grygla. Birthday lunch and visiting were also enjoyed. Happy Birthday Sheila!

Gertie Haugen and Mike Hemmestvedt were Sunday dinner guests with Herb and Blanche Goethe.

Jessica Johnson was a Sunday dinner guest and visitor at the Merle Naeseth home.

Wednesday evening visitors and luncheon guests of the Joe Jaga were Michele Coan and Paul Tiesay of Grand Forks, RaeAnn Flate and Robert and Deanna Coan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rehm visited on Sunday afternoon with Janice Peterson in Thief River Falls.

Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Tharaldson, Ashley, Bethany, Josh and Kayla along with a group of relatives all enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the Cafe in Goodridge.

The Goodridge Historical Society met on Monday evening at the Lois Swanson home attending were Ernie and Lois Swanson, Norma Hanson, Marcella Hanson, Di Brown, Beattie Mikkelson, Kari Horachek, David Brown, Selmer and Helen Holen, Donna Horachek and Margie Coan. Coffee and lunch was also served by Lois.

Gertie Haugen visited with Lila Stephenson and Anna Johnsrud on Tuesday at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Denise Naeseth of Thief River Falls was a Sunday evening visitor at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson received Thanksgiving greetings by telephone from granddaughter Kathryn Jensen from the Elmendorf Air Base in Anchorage, AK. Kathryn recently returned home from Singapore from a short term duty.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests and visitors at the Aldon and Trudy Hyland home were Sandy and Bud Jones, Whitney and Elaine of West Fargo, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Weeth and Aldon, Trudy, Aaron and Danelle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman visited on Sunday evening at the Orvin and Arda Anderson home.

Hilda Hoffman spent a week with Rick and Irene Farrigan and family of Eastburn, NY. While there they all attended the Mike Rockwell Gallery along with sight seeing and shopping. Hilda also seen their new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson also received Thanksgiving greetings from granddaughter Lt. Karen Peterle stationed in Georgia.

Whitney and Elaine Jones spent the Thanksgiving at the Aldon Hyland home on Friday. Sunday Joes and Sylvia Weeth came for the girls and were also visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Anderson, Jordan and Kimber, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kasow, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Forsberg, Valerie and John Lindgren, Mark and Joann Forsberg, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Halverson of Thompson, Reed and Nikki and Rylee Engelstad of Red Lake Falls, Craig and Derel and Austin Wicklund of Fargo, ND all enjoyed Thanksgiving Day dinner and visiting at the Ronnie and Linda Engelstad home of rural Grygla.

Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. Wally Anderson, Lillie Anderson of Valley Home, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Race Kristen and Brittany of Hatton, ND were dinner guests and visitors at the Rory and Dawn Haugen home.

Marlys Johnsrud visited on Thursday with Margie Coan.

Dave Naeseth visited on Friday and was a dinner guest at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Tharaldson, Ashley, Bethany, Josh and Kayla were visitors on Monday evening at the Gerry Tharaldson home. Kevin, Sheila and family also brought birthday greetings to Gerry. Happy Birthday, Gerry!

On Monday the Star Homemakers met at the Ekelund dining room the topic on Heirloom and antiques was given by Lois Swanson with the market basket won by Mrs. Norman Kriel, the December meeting and Christmas party will be held on December 13th at the Elva Fiedler home.

On Saturday Gertie Haugen visited with Lorraine McGinnity and enjoyed coffee together.

Mrs. Merle Naeseth visited by telephone on Saturday with Joann Naeseth of St. Cloud.

Thanksgiving Day supper guests at the Richard and Yvonne Tharaldson home were Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Tharaldson, Ashley, Bethany, Josh and Kayla, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Nelson, Randy Tharaldson, Joann Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Tharaldson, Brianna, Katelyn, Shen Schuler, Nicholas and Nathan, Kurt Sigerud and Clara Kaushagen.

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Daryl Reinke, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
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Galen & Marcia Sylvester, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Thursday, Dec. 7— Worship and music at Redeemer at 7 p.m.
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m., Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; St. Lucia family fest at 6:30 p.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school is followed by worship service.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9 a.m.

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Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group, at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move.

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Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday Bible school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m.; Evening Bible Hour at 6:30 p.m.

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Father Joe DeCrans, Pastor
Father Tim Bushy, Associate Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-Noon, 12:30-5
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wollenzien, Pastor; Timothy M. Bauer, Pastor
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
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Ron Gullman, Senior Pastor
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Del Palmer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed.-Fri., 9-2:30
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Worship Services: Sundays—Morning Devotional hour at 8 a.m.—Service at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.

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Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

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George Davis, Pastor
Phone 681-7705 Church, 681-5462 Office
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681-5482
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SILVERTON LUTHERAN CHURCH
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George Davis, Pastor
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Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 9:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Oak Park: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services – St. Petri: Sundays at 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.

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Office Hours: Tues., Thurs., Fri. 9-12 Noon
378-4191
Worship Services – Ekelund: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services – Faith: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Sunday school at 11 a.m.
Worship Services – Bethany: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; Sunday School Christmas Program at 7:30 p.m.

REINER FREE LUTHERAN, AFLC
Highway 1, Goodridge
Del Palmer, Pastor
681-4643
Worship Services: Sundays—Morning devotional hour at 8 a.m.—Service at 11:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:15 a.m.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
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John Jorgensen, Pastor
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Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH, EFCA
P.O. Box 86, Newfolden
Gary Barrett, Pastor
874-8785
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:25 a.m.

NEWFOLDEN FREE LUTHERAN PARISH BETHANIA AND WESTAKER CHURCHES, AFLC
P.O. Box 187, Newfolden
Rev. Leroy Flickinger
874-4602 Office or 874-8165 Home
Thursday, Dec. 7— Ladies mission fellowship Christmas party at Vernace Stokke home at 1:30 p.m. with gift exchange and potluck lunch.
Friday, Dec. 8— Young at hearts gathering to decorate the church for Christmas with potluck snacks at 7 p.m.
Worship Services – Bethania: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.; AFLBS Christmas Concert at 4 p.m.
Worship Services – Westaker: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:45 a.m.; Christmas program at 7:30 p.m.

NAZARETH AND SILVER CREEK, ELCA
Rt. 1 Box 132, Newfolden
Nancy Werner, Pastor
449-3841
Worship Services – Silver Creek: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Nazareth: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

NEWFOLDEN NEW HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH, A.A.L.C.
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874-6611
Worship Services: Sundays at 9 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

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Brooks
Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
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Friday, Dec. 8—Feast of Immaculate Conception of Mary at 8 p.m.
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Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

ST. VINCENT dePAUL CHURCH
Plummer
Thursday, Dec. 7— Feast of Immaculate Conception of Mary at 7:30 p.m.
Worship Services: Saturdays at 7 p.m.

IMMANUEL/EBENEZER LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA
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Worship Services – Immanuel: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
Worship Services – Ebenezer: Sundays at 11 a.m.

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Star News

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad and Adam visited at the Kevin and Sheila Tharaldson home on Saturday night.

Friday Dave Naeseth was a visitor and dinner guest at his parents home the Merle Naeseth's.

Ellen Holthusen of Thornhill called and visited by phone with Mayme Johnson on Sunday.

Thanksgiving Day Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and lunch guest at the Jean Johnson home.

Randy Johnsrud of Bemidji spent Thanksgiving with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Gene Marquis visited and had coffee with June Johnson.

Saturday evening Kenneth Lind of Litchfield called and visited by phone with his mother Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud.

Those who enjoyed Thanksgiving potluck dinner on Friday at the Larry Kotrba home were Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wiseth, Dallas, Dana and DaNae along with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Gena, Arne, Melinda and Nicky.

Those who had Thanksgiving dinner and supper at the Greg and Gail Helgemen home were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon, Kristin Johnsrud of Belcourt and Shirley Johnsrud along with Greg and Gail and family.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Iverson and Leslie attended the 90th Birthday party for Olaf Stolaas held at the Ebenezer Lutheran church of rural Oklee.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Eidelbes, Arlen and Michelle were visitors and coffee guests at the David Sjulestad home.

Thanksgiving Day, Jean Johnson and Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited by phone with Betty Zavoral and Mrs. Jim Slater of Butler, PA.

Leslie Iverson was a visitor and coffee guest on Friday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Sunday evening, Elva Fiedler called and visited by phone with her mother Clara Hudson of Sleepy Eye.

Lawrence Kleven of Cook called and visited by phone with Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud on Sunday night.

Monday night, Jean Johnson was a visitor at the Dave Naeseth home.

Visitors and supper guests at the Mayme Johnson home on Monday evening were Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michalla and Monica.

Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home on Saturday.

Those who enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the Harry Hanson home were Lorraine Watno, Kari and JoAnn Olson of Wannaska, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Thrane of Thief River Falls, Dean and Luane Hanson along with Nora and Harry.

Wednesday evening, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt, ND were visitors at the Tim Lundeen home.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at her grandmothers Mayme Johnson on Monday.

Rev. John Wollenzien, pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church and volunteer spiritual care coordinator for Northland Community Hospice, presented a devotional message at the Light Up a Life tree ceremonies last Tuesday at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mye Gunderson, an employee of Northwest Medical Center, sang several songs at the Light Up a Life tree ceremonies last Tuesday. The Light Up a Life program is sponsored by Northland Community Hospice.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Ringstad and sons Arnold and Tyler from St. Paul arrived Wednesday at Daloris Ringstads to celebrate the Thanksgiving holidays. Having dinner and visited there on Thursday. On Friday they were all dinner guests at Wally and Maxine Paulsons at Bemidji. Leaving for home and arrived safely on Saturday.

Tim, Jodi and Nolan Myers spent Thanksgiving at Warroad with her mom Linda Carlson. They and other relatives had the big dinner at Jodi's uncle and aunt Warren and Louise Lovejoy of Warroad. Coming home Friday evening.

James Solien came over and got mom, Mildred Solien to spend Thanksgiving Day with the family. Had dinner with James and Sharon and the family. He took her home that evening.

Larry Emerson and Effie visited Leslie Emerson at Lengby on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Torgerson and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne hosted a Thanksgiving dinner at Turennes on Saturday those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Evans and Mandy of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Evans Sr. of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Levine of Eagen, Mr. and Mrs. Corey Hanson of Willmar, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hanson of Faribault, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brovold and Sara, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Handy of Grand Forks, Marion and Effie Handy, Sanna and Luke Torgerson, Maja and Amber, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Handy, Erin and Jenny of Fargo, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Handy of Grand Forks and Effie Handy were Thanksgiving Day guests at Marion Handy's at Fosston.

Kenneth Emerson from Moorhead, Mrs. Mylas Olson of Thief River Falls called on Effie Handy on Friday afternoon. They also visited Leslie Emerson and the Ray Nelsons at Lengby.

Gatzke

Mrs. Cordell Klamar of Roseau visited at the Clifford Klamar home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited on Friday morning at the Paul Klamar home.

Thanksgiving Day the community was sadden by the sudden passing of Eunice Hagen.

Friday, Mrs. Norris Hagen and Marlene and Corey Hagen of Salol visited at the Wayne Lunsetter home with the Karl Tysl family.

Plummer

Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson attended the funeral for Greg Roisland on Saturday.

Doreen Champagne Bryant of Riverside, CA came to Brooks to observe his father Wally Champagne's 85th birthday and was a houseguests of John and Clara Helley for three days.

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Thief River Falls

Breakfast: Served daily in all schools from 7:45-8:22 a.m.

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Lunch Prices: Elementary/$1.25, Middle school/$1.40, Lincoln High/$1.60, Adult/$2.20. 25¢ Extra milk.

LINCOLN

Toppings for Potato Bar: Chili, sour cream, shredded cheese, bacon bits, chopped ham.

"Taco Thursday" - Try the Taco Bar every Thursday! 2-tacos, meat, shredded lettuce and cheese, fruit and milk for 1 ticket.

In addition ala carte items are for sale: sandwiches, Prime Time pizzas, fruit, shakes, and snack items.

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Juice or fruit choice, pancake and sausage on a stick, syrup, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: 1-Pita taco with fixings, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: 1-Chicken stir-fry, egg roll, fried rice, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: 1-Italian hoagie sub, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.
Thursday, Dec. 14: 1-Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes with roll, cranberries, peas, cherry dessert. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.
Friday, Dec. 15: 1-Rib B Qus on a bun, potato rounds, veggie sticks, dip, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Juice or fruit choice, pancake and sausage on a stick, syrup, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: 1-Chicken nuggets, hash brown pattie, bread and fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: 1-Deluxe nacho tray, golden corn, fruit choice. 2-Chickse pattie on a bun, potato rounds, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Italian hoagie sub, oven fries, fruit choice. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.
Thursday, Dec. 14: 1-Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, roll, cranberries, peas, cherries. 2-Bacon cheeseburger on a bun, fries, fruit, cherry dessert. 3-Bag lunch.
Friday, Dec. 15: 1-Mr. Rib on a bun, oven fries, veggie sticks with dip, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:
Monday, Jan 11: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.
Tuesday, Jan 13: Juice or fruit choice, egg and sausage biscuit.
Wednesday, Jan 13: Juice or fruit choice, pancake and sausage on a stick, syrup.
Thursday, Jan 14: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.
Friday, Jan 15: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Lunch:
Monday, Jan 11: Pepperoni pizza, golden corn, bread, fruit choice.
Tuesday, Jan 12: Deluxe nacho tray, green peas, bread, pear sauce.
Wednesday, Jan 13: Hot ham and cheese on a bun, oven fries, applesauce.
Thursday, Jan. 14: Diced turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, cranberries, peas, roll, cherry dessert.
Friday, Jan 15: French toast with syrup, egg pattie and sausage, applesauce, orange smiles.

- Menu subject to change.
- Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $5.00; 2 cartons per day is $10.00.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Pancakes, syrup, sausage, applesauce, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Fried egg, bacon, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Egg omelet, ham slice, toast, jelly, juice, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Breakfast pizza, peach sauce, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: Sausage pizza, corn, applesauce peanut butter bread, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: 3rd Grade Choice.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: tacos with meat sauce, lettuce, tomato, shredded cheese, brownie, bread, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Krispy fried chicken, fries, fruit salad, bread, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Pork patti on a bun, fries, lettuce dessert, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: Banana muffin, Captain Crunch, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Pancakes, sausage, apple sauce, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Cinnamon roll, corn flakes, juice, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Oatmeal, toast, fruit, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Scrambled eggs, Long Johns, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: Pepperoni pizza, green beans, pear sauce, bread and milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Lasagna, lettuce salad, apple sauce, bread and milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Cheeseburger on a bun, pickles, whole kernel corn, gelatin with fruit, bread and milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Crispy fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, cookie, bread and milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Barbequed pork on a bun, potato chips, sliced carrots, apple and caramel dip, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: Pancakes, sausage, juice, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Assorted rolls, granola mix, fruit, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Choice of cereal, muffins, juice, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Carmel rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: Pizza, corn, applesauce, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Hamburger macaroni hotdish, green beans, vegetable tray, pudding with topping, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Turkey gravy over mashed potatoes, strawberry and banana jello, chocolate milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Wiener toasties, tossed salad, peaches, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Tomato soup, egg salad or meat sandwich, veggies, bananas, milk.

Plummer

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: French toast, Lucky Charms, apple juice, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Blueberry muffin, Berry Berry Kix, orange juice, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Cinnamon roll, Frosted Flakes, grape juice, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Egg patty, Froot Loops, cranapple juice, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Cinnamon roll, Cheerios, orange juice, milk.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: Oven baked chicken, baked potato, peas, butter or peanut butter bread, apple or orange wedges.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Italian hoagie, sub sandwich, lettuce salad, cherry shape up.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Chicken pattie on a bun, tater tots, corn, applesauce or pineapple sauce, sugar cookie.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Tacos, hot sauce, cheese, lettuce, tomato, onions, butter or peanut butter bread, pear sauce.
Friday, Dec. 15: Pepperoni pizza, salad, strawberry shortcake.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:
Monday, Dec. 11: Milk, orange juice, Cheerios, muffins.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Milk, apple juice, Kix, peanut butter, toast.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Milk, orange juice, Rice Krispies, cinnamon toast.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Milk, applesauce, cream of wheat, toast.
Friday, Dec. 15: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast, jelly.

Lunch:
Monday, Dec. 11: Chili with beans, crackers, cheese sandwiches, pear halves, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad with dressing, chocolate pudding, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Chicken with rice hotdish, whole corn, bread and butter, sliced peaches, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Meatballs in gravy, mashed potato, green beans, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Hot dog on a bun, French fries, coleslow, applesauce, milk.

MEALS FOR SENIORS

Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Sunday, Dec. 10: Ham, baked potato with sour cream, cream peas and carrots, coleslaw, bread, apple pie, milk.
Monday, Dec. 11: Chili, cheese and egg sandwich, jello salad, apple sauce bars, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Swiss steak, potatoes, carrots, jello salad, apple sauce, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Riblet, baked potato, coleslaw, bread, plum sauce, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Meat balls, boiled potatoes, beets, roll, brownies, milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Fish patty on a bun, boiled potatoes, Winter mix, peaches, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

Discovery Place LUNCH MENU

Monday, Dec. 11: Baked fish almandine, steamed rice, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with French dressing, raspberry sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 12: Roast pork with gravy, whipped potatoes, seasoned wax beans, apricot sauce, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 13: Stewed chicken with dumpling, mixed vegetables, tossed salad with 1000 Island dressing, lime sherbet, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Beef stroganoff, egg noodles with gravy, sliced carrots, pineapple marshmallow coleslaw, sugar cookie, white bread with margarine, 2% milk.
Friday, Dec. 15: Salmon loaf with cream pea sauce, parslied potatoes, whipped squash, cherry crisp with topping, wheat bread with margarine, 2% milk.

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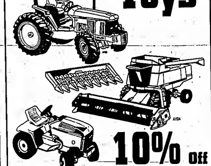

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School Board Asks For Cost-Cutting Help

Budget constraints have caused the School District 564 board of education to face some stark fiscal facts. Dollars are getting hard to come by and that means making ever more judicious use of those that are available. What to do?

For starters, the school board members have exercised what seems to be a reasonable approach: Find out what the residents of the district can provide in the way of thoughts and ideas for cost-cutting at individual schools and the district in general. An appeal has gone out for volunteers to work on budget advisory committees.

When residents of the district rejected a special levy to provide supplemental operational funds, they expressed the view at the ballot box that the nearly three-quarters of a million dollars in annual extra revenue being requested by the district was unnecessary. Now the school district's decision-makers would like direct input on how to carry out the educational mission of the district under those terms.

Short of being elected to the school board and facing the district's problems on a daily basis, here is an opportunity to be of service to the district in a truly meaningful way. If you are one who has been critical of the way funds are expended or withheld in the district, volunteer for a committee and let your ideas be known. If you simply want to find out more about how decisions are made in budgeting, get on a committee and expand your knowledge.

In a nice, diplomatic way, the board of education is in effect saying to the voters: "OK, folks, if you want the district to be operated without a special levy, come on down and show us how you want to have it done. We're open to suggestions and we would really like yours."

Want to make a difference in local education? Call 681-8711 and volunteer for a committee. It's time to put your mouth where your money is.

Build An Events Center And "They" Will Come

Add Grand Forks to the list of cities which have or will build multi-million-dollar events centers to create a need they hope to fulfill. In some cases the buildings have been successful and contributed to the general welfare of the cities in which they are located. In others they have become costly monuments to illusions of grandeur. The difference has been in whether or not there truly is a frequent need for such structures and there are sufficient attendant facilities in the community to support and enhance the events center.

Fact is, it takes a lot in addition to the building itself to attract users, particularly people who would have to travel any distance to become users. As in the sale of real estate, three things affect the value of an events center: Location, location, location.

If not, why shouldn't the Marshall County Board of Commissioners build a $50 million events center between Holt and Viking? The land costs would be reasonable, there would be plenty of room for parking, and the county could use all that rental revenue.

Give the residents of Grand Forks credit—it will take a lot of it to finance a $46 million project. A 60 per cent majority of those voting on an events center referendum seem to believe the future of the city should include putting part of it under a roof. The theory is that if the facility exists, a variety of uses for it will materialize. Perhaps that will be the case, and we wish the project well.

One has to wonder, however, just how many events there are to justify that kind of expense to create a center for them. And how many centers are needed in a given geographical or population base area? When Grand Forks builds it, will "they" really come to use it? And how will area shoppers react to another three-quarters of a per cent city sales tax on their purchases?

Does it scare you that one year's interest on $46 million at only five per cent is $2,300,000—not to mention operational costs and principal repayment? If I were a Grand Forks taxpayer, I would be quaking in my insulated boots.

Another Bargain In Local Entertainment

While taking photos which appear in this issue of *The Times*, we were privileged to hear a few bits and pieces of numbers that the Lincoln high school concert choir will present at its winter concert Monday, December 11, at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium. There is talent to spare in this group alone, and it will be supplemented by the Varsity Singers, freshman choir and Swingsations jazz choir. All groups will combine in a 130-voice mass choir for two concluding carols.

"The Echoes of the Season" is the theme for the concert which is under the direction of Darcy Reese. There is no admission charge, which as a friend used to say, makes it priceless. We would say it's another exceptional bargain in local entertainment.

Letters To The Editor and Corrections

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Letters Must Be Signed: All letters must be signed and contain an address or phone number of the writer so authenticity can be verified. **Signatures must appear on letters published.** The Times believes that there is greater credibility in letters signed in print and will no longer withhold names of writers from publication.

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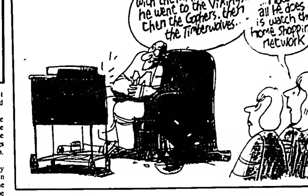
Corrections: If an error is made in news or advertising publication, The Times encourages readers to call it to our immediate attention at 681-4450. We will attempt to correct the error or clarify the misunderstanding in the next issue.



Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gross of Minneapolis were overnight guests at the Shirley Johnsrud home on Saturday.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and luncheon guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Tim Lundeen and Shannon visited with Merle Lundeen on Friday.

Friday afternoon visitors at the Clayton Johnsrud home were Tony Rubischko, Joey and Andy and Joel Fiedler and Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa and Shannon, Shirley Johnsrud and Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt, ND were visitors and dinner guests on Sunday at the Kory Charvested home of rural Oklee.

Kristi Johnsrud of Belcourt spent Thanksgiving weekend from Wednesday until Monday visiting with her mother Shirley Johnsrud and also with other relatives and friends.

Tuesday forenoon, Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor at the Merle Naeseth home.

Those who enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the Dale Anderson home were Ruby Anderson of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Anderson, Cheri, Lori and Kristi of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Anderson, Scott and Tyler of Detroit Lakes, Kari Anderson and Imen Mobley of Wisconsin, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Anderson, Wyatt, Todd and Kacey and David Dahl along with Dale, Susie and Katie. Then later that night Tyler Anderson was an overnight guest at the Dale Anderson home.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors at the Oscar Nerhus home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Adam, Robyn and Shannon and Gerald Sjulestad were among others that enjoyed dinner on Thanksgiving Day at the Howard Sjulestad home.

Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at the Allon Hawk home on Thanksgiving.

Saturday, Tony Rubischko and Rodney Anderson of Detroit Lakes were visitors and coffee guests at the Dale Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and June Johnson were visitors on Monday at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls. The Johnson's also visited with Gladys Longsworl in Thief River Falls.

Joan Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica and Mayme Johnson were shoppers in Bemidji on Saturday.

Those who enjoyed dinner on Thanksgiving Day at the Clarence Johnson home were Dee Naeseth of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Jason, Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Naeseth along with Mrs. Clarence Johnson. Those who joined them later for dessert were Darle Hawk, Jenny, Jesse and Zane.

Gary Iverson and John Husby spent Thanksgiving at the Alfred Iverson home.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Bruce and Kristi Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristi.

Friday afternoon, Jean Johnson and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Anderson of Detroit Lakes and Ken Anderson and Imon Mobley of Wisconsin were visitors and dinner guests on Friday at the Dale Anderson home. Then later that day Tyler returned home with his parents.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Curtis Johnson home in Detroit Lakes were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnson of Fosston, Bob Johnson of Baxter, Tiffany Johnson of Minneapolis and a friend Julie of Latvia along with Curtis and Karen and girls.

Dave Naeseth and Jean Johnson had breakfast on Sunday morning with Mrs. Clarence Johnson.

Jessica Johnson spent Sunday after church visiting at the Merle Naeseth home.

Thanksgiving Day visitors and supper guests at the Elva Fiedler home were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Qualey, Justin and Zachary and Brady Fiedler along with Elva and Joel.

Wednesday visitors and dinner guests at the Shirley Johnsrud home were Cheryl Nybo and Kathy Bergerson of Gully.

Late afternoon on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen were visitors with Adeline Hanson.

Saturday night, Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Jean Johnson home.

Thanksgiving evening, Lorraine Wetne visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Wetne and family in Grygla.

Jared Haugen was a visitor at the Tim Lundeen home on Monday night.

Lonnie Wetne, Jason and Lori Eli left on Monday for Great Falls, MT, where they visited and had Thanksgiving dinner at the Jim Eli home. While there they also visited Lori's mother at the Watson home in Helena, MT. They all returned home on Friday.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Tony Rubischko was a visitor on Wednesday at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were shoppers on Tuesday in Thief River Falls. Then later Mrs. Merle Naeseth and Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed dinner at the Lantern with Joyce Burkel, Jamie Martell and Jean Johnson. Then later that afternoon Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a lunch guest at the Merle Naeseth home.

Friday afternoon, Tenya Verbout was a visitor at the Dale Anderson home.

Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud attended homemakers at the Ekslund Lutheran church on Monday.

Monday, Bob Dahlen was a visitor and coffee guest at the Norman Kriel home.

Marlin Kotrba was a visitor and coffee guest on Monday at the Ronnie Kotrba home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristian enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Brian Solberg.

Saturday evening visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home were Jared Haugen and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa.

Norman Kriel visited at the Oscar Nerhus home one day during the week.

Those who enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the Marlin Kotrba home were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams and Darin, Grant Satre of Grygla, Duane Ovarby of Rochester, Helga Jelle of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel, and Jennifer Kotrba and Jason Kotrba along with Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Kotrba and Tiara.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests and visitors at the Vernon Iverson home were Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Iverson, Jenny, Margo and Kyle of Hallock, Mike Longen of Hallock, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Radniecki and Jill of Oklee and Rose Myre of Oklee along with Vernon and Clara. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Hanson.

Leslie Iverson and Norman Kriel were visitors at the Henford Roisland home during the week.

Friday, Joyce Solberg was a visitor at the Brian Solberg home.

Jessica Johnson visited with Joanna at the Gary Johnson home on Sunday night. Then later Joanne Johnson and Jessica Johnson were brief visitors at the Clarence Johnson home. Joanna also visited at the Jean Johnson home that night.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson attended the birthday party for Olaf Stoleas on his 90th Birthday at the Ebenezer Lutheran church of rural Oklee. Happy Birthday Olaf!

Mrs. Norman Adams spent the weekend visiting with Bob and Francis Mislevic in Detroit Lakes.

Gatzke Community News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Dahl spent several days visiting with relatives. They saw Dal Canfield and Krista, the Russell Canfield family at Aitkin, Linde Mihush of Isanti and Keith Lien at Blaine. One day the Dahls and Valorie Mihush enjoyed lunch with Eleanor and Mae Zacharias. They also visited at the Larry Canfield home in Minneapolis.

Baby Shower

Several ladies attended a Baby Shower for Charisa Limosand and infant daughter Chelsey Louise at the Senior Citizen Center on Sunday. Chelsey received a lot of nice gifts. Hostesses were Mrs. Allen Sparby, Mrs. Juel Aune, Mrs. Dale Newton and Mrs. Floyd Jesme.

Susan Kanaar and Brian of Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Larson, Geoffrey, Justine and Doyle were dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day at the Karyl Larson home.

Supper guests on Thanksgiving Day at the Chestie Ruud home were Monica Ruud and Phil Hart of Fargo, ND, Michael Ruud of Duluth, Terry Ruud of Moorhead, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ruud and Mandi of Karlstad, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Howard, Josh, Chris and Ross of Warren.

Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Klamar and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar were brief callers at the Larry Hagen home.

Those enjoying Thanksgiving Day at the Robert and Jan Anderson home at Thief River Falls were Alan and Karen Aune, Angela and Alissa of Anoka, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ruud, and Mandi of Karlstad, Michael Ruud of Duluth, Monica Ruud and Phil Hart of Fargo, Steven and Nathan Aune of Moorhead, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Strandberg, Tammy, Holly and Krissi of Strathcona, Anelle Larson and Donald Sulka, Darren and Emily Larson and Bennett, Douglas and Derrick Larson of Anoka, Michael and Alma Peterson, Nicole and Preston of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. ElRoy Aune, Tyler and Robin, Peter and Elsie Aune. They also celebrate Elsie's birthday!

Thanksgiving day dinner guests at the Greg Harris home in Thief River Falls were Gary and Joanne Harris of International Falls, Glenn Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune. In the evening everyone visited at the Roxanne and Tim Berg home.

Mrs. Godfrey Friedl and Mary of Rochester spent Wednesday until Friday at the Eugene Polansky home.

LETTERS

To The Editor:

Thank you for years of great service. I think you put out a great paper that carries more and better information than people have the right to ask for.

I would also like to give a special thanks to the friendly staff for all the support they showed the girls and boys high school and middle school swim teams as well as the TRF Swim Club. It was nice to deal with good people.

Thanks again.
W. Ryan Lokken
Former pool director
and swim coach
Mandan, ND

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TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Jesse McCumber was unfortunate enough to break one of the small bones of the leg while skating on the river Saturday.

—The deerslayers in this vicinity have left for their homes and their stories are well up the legal limit — five deer to a man.

—The Odd Fellows hall last Thursday (Thanksgiving) evening was a decided success both socially and financially with about 50 couples present.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—The banquet, concert and dance given at the opening of the new Masonic hall drew a large attendance.

—City water will not be available this winter due to badly leaking water mains. Over 75,000 gallons leaked out in five days.

—Any lady having her dress soiled by black paint at the Masonic party Monday is asked to deliver the dress to Dr. Tupper who will see that it is dry cleaned.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The county board and a Commercial club committee inspected the flood situation in Hickory township and recommended construction of a dike as a temporary solution.

—Sam Clark of Bismarck, North Dakota, formerly of this city, was a passenger on the Henry Ford Peace ship.

—The December issue of the Modern Hospital magazine contains a lengthy description of the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—An average of more than 100 carloads a day was shipped over the Soo Line's Winnipeg division during the month of November, Superintendent W. A. Barnard reported.

—Oakland Park Sanatorium has 38 patients.

—While cranking a car at Viking, Ferdie Brown of this city sustained a fractured arm.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—B. O. Norby was elected chairman of the Thief River Falls Boy Scout district.

—O. H. Ekeren was reelected president of the Sons of Norway lodge.

—A total of 97 Pennington county men and women were engaged in WPA projects in November.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Robert J. Lund, Albert Koop and Stuart McLeod were elected to the county fair board.

—Mr. and Mrs. Renold Johnson of North were named recipients of the Farmer and Homemaker plaque, awarded by the Red River Valley Development association.

—City council voted a Christmas present to local citizens in the form of an extra 40 per cent discount on December electric light bills.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—More than 1,100 persons attended funeral rites at Trinity Lutheran church for murder victim Kenneth Lindberg.

—Governor Orville Freeman and Douglas Campbell, premier of Manitoba, will hold a Minnesota-Manitoba conference here December 12-13.

—Gordon Ballingrud was elected to succeed Ralph Luhman as president of the chamber of commerce.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—"A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," the Goodridge junior class play, will be presented Thursday.

—Pennington county commissioners entered into an agreement with the Minnesota department of conservation for the cleaning of the Thief river channel from the outlet to the north Pennington county line.

—Donald L. Olson, Pennington county commissioner, was elected president of the Association of Minnesota Counties for 1966.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—The Asphult Lutheran church is ready for placement in its new location as a part of the Pennington County Historical society's "Pioneer Village."

—Conservation Farmers of the Year for the Pennington county Soil and Water Conservation district were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Olson, who farm 320 acres of land four miles west and one-half mile south of Thief River Falls.

—Arriving on a switch engine provided by the Soo Line, Santa Claus will visit Thief River Falls to meet area children Saturday.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—A Santa's Workshop in the former Klothes Kloset store on Third street will allow local children to see Santa Claus at work tonight.

—Combined choirs of Zion and Trinity Lutheran churches in Thief River Falls will present a cantata, "Down from His Glory" December 15 at each of the two churches.

—Nearly 100 people attended the "Farmer and the Law" workshop Monday sponsored by the Mid-Minnesota Legal Assistance program.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Congratulations

Congratulations to Glenn and Cherisa (Aune) Limesand who are proud parents of a daughter. She has been named Chelsey Louise. Grandparents are Roy and Sue Aune.

Mrs. Dwight Scharmer, Leyne and Houston of Drayton visited on Sunday at the Howard Lunsetter home.

Sympathy to the family of Phyllis Abrahamsan who was a former resident of the Community.

Senior News

The Seniors met on Monday and Danise Holthuson from Pine to Prairie took blood pressures. Mary Ann Lunsetter served the birthday cake for Eugene Polansky and Elsie Aune. Bill Bornstein won the doorprize and Rueban Engevik served.

Logan and Duncon Bernstein of Lake Elmo spent a few days at the Bill and Tom Bornstein home.

Koryl Lorson attended the 40th Wedding Anniversary for Gordon and Delores Soul Friday evening at the Steak Knife.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Glenn Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sparby visited at the Jerome and Beatrice Holstad home at Roseau.

Gerry Ruud of Palm Bay, FL and Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud were supper guests at the Dorlene Swegger home on Tuesday evening.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Engevik visited at the Irma Horris home and brought birthday wishes to Jomie.

Mrs. Lew Wallace and Marcus visited on Sunday at the Alan Severts home.

Visitors on Sunday at the Clifford Klamar home were Mrs. Michael Tesarek, Timothy and Ashley and Adam Tesarek of Roseau and Karla Klamer of Thief River Falls.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited at the Emmett Wogner home at Middle River.

Thursday, Laverne Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Sparby of Grygla brought birthday wishes to Juel Aune.

Mrs. Dwight Scharmer, Houston and Leyne and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lunsetter brought birthday wishes to Julie Tysl at the Wayne Lunsetter home.

Wednesday, Gerry Ruud of Palm Bay, FL, Mr. and Mrs. Cheslie Ruud visited with Art and Herman Ruud at Goodridge and Vivien Ruud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Friday evening visitors at the Alan Severts home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wallace. Marcus returned home with his parents.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar visited at the Norris Hegan home.

Birthdays of the Month

Birthdays for the month of December are Vivien Ruud, Bernard Engevik, Gail Lian, Preston Scott, Ashley Tesarek, Dale Peterson, Mable Lunsetter, Peter Aune, Kaylani Klosow, Kody Klamar, Monica Engelstad, Edith Blohouvietz, Inga Pearson, Linda Engelstad, Gloria Sistad, Donavan Ruud, Kyle Klamar, Evelyn Severts, Merlin Klamar, Alan Severts, Laverne Aune, Tina Nelsen, Mark and John McQuillan, Shirley Hogen, Dale Rogers, Karyl Larson, Paul Polansky and Cindy Scott.

Wedding Anniversary

Wedding Anniversaries are Keith and Shirley Hegen, Harold and Doris Klamar, Jerry and Kathy Linder and Walter and Mable Lunsetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Petersen visited on Thursday evening at the Rueben Brawley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kari Tysl, Alicia, Brian and Kristien of Chardon, OH are spending the Thanksgiving week at the Wayne Lunsetter home.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune and Glenn Aune visited at the Laverne Aune home at Grygla.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — December 6, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week, December 13, 1945

An announcement will be made about decreasing the number of local ration boards in northwest Minnesota. Which other two communities' ration boards are being merged with the Thief River Falls Office of Price Administration local office?

Advanced question: With the recent announcement that meat rationing was at an end, what two items are now the only things still required to be rationed?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library in the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

City Council Votes An Extra 40 Percent On Light Bills

"In accordance with a custom established several years ago, the city council at its last meeting voted a Christmas present to the patrons of the municipal power plant in the form of an extra forty-percent discount on December bills in addition to the usual ten-percent discount for prompt payment, making a total cut of fifty percent. Patrons will get the benefit of the discount when they pay their light bills early in January."

Times is Penalized For Raising Employees' Pay

"The publishers of the Thief River Falls Times have been penalized to the extent of disallowing $1,200 in income tax deductions as a result of having raised wages of employees illegally during the recent war, it was announced this week by the labor board's regional office in Chicago. Numerous other northwest firms were listed at the same time as having been subjected to penalty."

County Board Accepts Three Graveling Jobs

"The Pennington county board at its December session Tuesday voted to accept three graveling jobs recently completed by Oscar Schenkey of Middle River. Included are projects on County Road 5 in Deer Park and Hickory townships, $2,492.60; State Aid Road 1 seven miles east from River Valley, $2,201.30; and State Aid Road 10 miles south from River Valley, $1,963.27."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Cornel Wilde
Evelyn Keyes
"A Thousand and One Nights"
Falls Theatre

350 4H Members & Leaders at Skating Party

"Approximately 350 Pennington county 4-H club members and adult leaders attended the annual roller skating party in the arena last Friday evening. Skating was the chief attraction during the evening with the refreshments served between the hours of 8:30 and 10. Members of the Civic and Commerce association served the lunch in the club rooms."

Topics of The Times

—Times change, and now the stores are selling cigarettes by the carton again.

—Residents of Bray township can indeed be proud of their record in oversubscribing their Victory Loan quota nearly three times.

—Believe it or not - only fifteen shopping days remain before You-know-what.

—Before asking General Motors to open its books to public inspection, the CIO auto workers union might have the grace to have set a good example.

—Here's wishing Harold Stassen all possible success in his announced efforts to liberalize and revitalize the moribund Republican party.

—Style note: Christmas seals dress up your holiday mail.

—If only the OPA could get the support of other government agencies, maybe it could wage a more successful battle against inflation.

—Isn't peace wonderful? Now the government is dumping surplus ammunition in the Great Lakes.

—Remember, folks, those tin can receptacles for the Sister Kenny fund aren't on store counters for purely ornamental purposes.

—If your butcher has been smiling more than usual lately, the fact that meat rationing is ended may have something to do with it.

—You never wonder, says the Mahnomen Pioneer, who gets the best of the bargain when two people are happily married.

—Guess we had our Indian summer the past few weeks, even if it wasn't accompanied by sunshine.

—Christmas shopping seems to be furnishing competition for Victory Loan dollars.

—Leisure has been defined as the two minutes rest a man gets while his wife is thinking up something for him to do.

N. A. H.

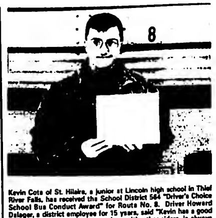
ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — December 4, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Logging News

"The Times gave out on Saturday the good news that permission had been granted the Indians to cut and market the dead and burned pine on the White Earth and Red Lake reservations. The regulations under which this work will be carried on are as follows. The logs are to be sold in the spring of 1896 to the highest bidder for cash at public auction, or by sealed proposals after advertisement. It is provided however that the Indians may enter into contracts by approval of the authorities, with any responsible person to cut and bank any quantity of logs at a given price per thousand feet, the buyer being under bond as is customary. The authorities will appoint a reliable man to go into the wood with the loggers and prevent them from taking steps to damage live trees so as to bring them under the provision of the law, and to scale the cut. No white labor is allowed except such superintendent and possibly a foreman and blacksmith where qualified men cannot be found among the Indians. The cost of scaling shall be borne equally by the Indian loggers and the purchaser of the logs. Ten percent of the gross proceeds are used for the support of old, sick and helpless members of the tribe. The money is to pass to the hands of the agent and by him paid to the Indians pro rata according to the amount of logs banked."



Kevin Cota of St. Hilaire, a junior at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls, has received the School District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" for Route No. 8. Driver Howard Dalager, a district employee for 15 years, said "Kevin has a good head on his shoulders: He's patient with other riders, is always ready to lend a hand and he sets a good example for the younger kids." Dalager and transportation supervisor Fred Mykleby made the presentation. The award was instituted this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes. One award will be made on each of the district's 26 routes.

Reiner News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller spent from Wednesday until Monday at the home of their daughter and family, Shirley, Bruce and Samantha at Williston, ND during the Thanksgiving weekend.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Wegley home were Shirley, Bruce and Samantha, Edgar and Dorothy Miller, Nadine Wegley and Terry Wegley.

While there Edgar and Dorothy visited with Lee Ounlikson, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wickum and at the Nadine Wegley home.

Enroute home Edgar and Dorothy visited at the Delores Kelm home at Lakota, ND on Monday.

Gary Miller enjoyed Thanksgiving Day dinner with Mari Lou, Gary, Garrett and Laura Anderson at their home near Grygla.

Saturday, Meri Lou Anderson and Leura Anderson and Jaclyn and Karl Miller visited at the Kenny Coan home and later enjoyed supper together at the Pizza Hut.

Gary Miller and Gary and Garrett Anderson enjoyed the weekend at Spirit Mountain National Snowcross at Duluth at the snowmobile races.

Steve and Beverly Heinrichs of Angora spent Thanksgiving weekend at the home of Beverly's parents, Otto and Hulda Sigerud and attended the wedding of Steve's nephew, Rod Hinrichs and Lisa Erickson at the Evangelical Lutheran church in Thief River Falls on Saturday, November 25th. Congratulations to Lisa and Rod!

Scott and Lance Hinrichs of Angora also attended the Erickson/Hinrichs wedding.

Earl Halvorson and granddaughter Amy Halvorson were visitors at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home one day last week.

Get Well!

Get well greetings to Jim Walls who had hip surgery recently! We all wish you a speedy recovery, Jim!

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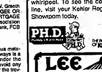

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383 listed on Franklin first 6-week honor roll

Three hundred and eighty-three students at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls were named to the scholastic honor roll for the first six-week grading period, according to information received from the school late last week.

The list included 69 with 4.0 (straight A) records, 182 with 3.5-3.99 (A average) grades and 132 with 3.00-3.49 (B average) grades. Grade six had 147 honor students, grade seven had 128 and grade eight had 108.

An alphabetic list of the honor students by scholastic average and grade includes the following:

4.0 (Straight A)

Grade 8—Amanda Bitzegaio, Dierdre Dails, Leta Danielson, Seth Harlow, Reva Lamm, Rebecca Leach, Senta Lopac, Matthew Lutowsky, Rachel Mathson, Amber Merkrid, Kristin Naplin, Brent J. Nelson, Andrea Olin, Naomi Olson, Zachary Olson, Robyn Stottmoen and Ryan Wang.

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Grade 6—Kelly Bendickson, Jason Blakely, Bethany Brown, David Christensen, Trent Christensen, Trevor Christensen, Matthew Dimich, Brianna Dyer, Walter Forney, Chelsea Haviland, Sarah Huligren, Cody Jablinske, Mandi Johnson, Michael Kimball, Brenda Kopari, Christopher Leach, Sarah Lofgren, John Mickelson, Sara Niemela, Stefany Olson, Beth Padilla, Justin Rondorf, Rebekah Solem, Jillian Stenseth, Gilbert Tronivet and Karie Zblewski.

3.50-3.99 (A Average)

Grade 8—Lucas Anderson, Yvonne Asp, Valerie Basher, Reid Breitenfeldt, Anders Brown, Justin Carlson, Julie Chrzanowski, Wade Cota, Tabitha Drangstveit, Taylor Froiland, Chad Halvorson, Brea Hammer, Angela Hanson, Marissa Hanson, Rachel Harger, Erika Hudson, Angela Johnson, Heather Juhl, JoDanna Kalinowski, Derek Kalsnes, Nathan Kenner, Kimberly Kirkeide and Jessica Knutson;

Also Shanon Langlie, Jennifer Lawson, Jonathan Lofgren, Lisa McKercher, Luke Miller, Nicolas Miller, Emily Mugaas, Kristen Nabben, Ann Newton, Stephanie Rasmussen, Meghan Reed, Jessica Schmaltz, Kara Skiple, Kelsey Sletten, Lisa Sortebeig, Andrea Sorvig, Jennifer Sorvig, Tyler Stinson, Matthew Tronivet, Jennifer Waechter, Brian Walseth and Keli Waterworth;

Grade 7—Alicia Anderson, Tana Bachand, Trisha Bergeron, Chad Borneman, Patricia Carlson, Melissa Clark, Melissa Comstock, Travis Dahlen, Ayla Donlin, Luke Erickson, Justin Folkedahl, Brandi Fort, Tiffany Frank, Luke Goethe, Joshua Gryskiewicz, Sara Halsa, Melissa Hjelle, Kelsi Holland, Kassi Holtan, David Houske and Kacie Jablinske;

Also Sara Jensen, Lisa Joppru, Christina Judd, Alexis Kloekman, Lindsay Kofstad, Nathan Koland, Teri Krogstad, Carissa Larson, Gabrielle Lee, Justin Leonard, Brian Lee, Marsha Lubitz, Jennifer Martineau, Joshua Mattison, Tiffany McAnnany, Kyle McCarty, Kyla McFarlane, Crystal McKee, Angela McMahon, Brandon Merck and Constance Morris;

Also Troy Morris, Audra Nesland, Lindsey Nordhagen, David Olson, Robbie Omdahl, Teckla Paraventi, Neel Patel, Ryan Peoples, Jessica Radloff, Chere Rosland, Erin Rundell, Kimberly Schneider, Danica Schroeder, John Sjoberg, Anna Marie Stusynski, Kyle Swanson, John Sylvester, Elizabeth Tronivet, Seth Tveiten, Kevin Walseth, Dewey Worker and Heidi Young.

Grade 6—Daniel Almquist, Nichole Amundson, Ashleigh Anderson, John Anderson, Robert Anderson, Justin Barton, Allan Benson, Jenessa Blazejewski, Alicia Borneman, Kiley Brazier, Wade Brummund, Jared Burns, Danica Colby, Amy Donarski, Michael Drees, Joshua Frazer, Amber Gerardy and Amy Hagen;

Also Andrea Hagen, Joseph Haj, Rachel Halvorson, Heather Hanson, Janae Harlow, Nicholas Harris, Lana Hauert, Allisa Holmaas, Abbie Houske, Loretta Hruby, Jeremiah Hunt, Amy Jelle, Katrina Johnson, Miriah Johnson, Clifton Juhl, Naomi Kenner, Adam Knott and Cody Knutson;

Also Sarah Kopecky, Tylor Lahren, Brittany Larson, Naomi Lawrence, Shannon Linder, Nicholas Mattila, Peter Mehrkens, Jacqueline Mooney, Nathaniel Muzzy, Brian Newton, Kayla Noreen, Jennifer Novak, Nathan Olson, Jamie Radloff, Steven Reed, Rebecca Rothchild, Nicole Ryan and Marnie Schafer;

Also Cheryl Schob, Amanda Severson, Lydya Sollom, Kay Lynn Steiger, Jessica Stoltman, Sara Sundby, Christopher Swanson, Jared Swanson, Trevor Swanson, Joanna Swanick, Jason Swenson, Emily Tweet, Alicia Vigness, Christine Wegner, Sarah Willis, Kelly Winjum, A-Jay Wojeiechowski, C-Jay Wojeiechowski and Brenda Wood.

3.00-3.49 (B Average)

Grade 8—Kimberly Almquist, Jessica Altendorf, Ian Anton, Abby Austad, Matthew Beito, Jennifer Bjerken, Shane Brandt, Joanna Bruggeman, Beth Carpenter, John Cox, Christopher Dahl, Michael Dewers, Nicholas Drees, Lindsay Ehrenstrom, Chris Fellman, Amber Gilbertson, Jennifer Gonsorowski, Rachel Hahne, Adam Haviland, Abby Helmgren, Joshua Jensen, Brett Johnson and Katie Jorde;

Also Samuel Kezar, Jennifer Kimball, Jennifer Klaven, Aaron Lendobeja, Jeffrey Lendobeja, Kari Liden, Robert Martineau, Naomi Neadeau, Kia Nyland, Kevin Odette, Heidi Paulson, Nicole Peterson, Shane Peterson, Jonathan Pream, Adam Quesnell, Matthew Rothchild, Shannon Rud, Stephanie Sculthorp, Kate Stalboerger, Stephanie Stone, Derek Walseth, Ashlee Wilson and Duane Wolff;

Grade 7—Desire Aehlert, Therese Bruggeman, Nathan Carlson, Lisa Comstock, Nathan Fanfulik, Brent Grahn, Angela Griffin, Derek Gustafson, Michael Hagen, Ashley Hammer, Jessica Heieren, Jessica Hinden, Cassandra Holthusen, Justin Iverson, Kevin Jacobson, Dane Jensen, Julie Josephson, Heidi Jungers and Emmalee Kimbrough;

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Grade 6—Kristoffer Adamson, Sarah Altepeter, Robby Anderson, Shelly Belgarde, Jennifer Blazejewski, Ryan Bruggeman, John Bulger, Lisa Carlson, David Chrzanowski, Nathan Cota, Amber Drury, Kyle Edgar, Brent Fulton, Angela Goodwin, Brooke Graf, Thomas Greehs, Meghan Grorud, Brittany Gunderson, Jennifer Halverson, Ashley Hamre, Ashley Hanson, Stacy Harbott, Tucker Hibbert and Travis Hjelie;

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Candlelighting ceremony was conducted during the "Light Up a Life" program conducted by Northland Community Hospice last Tuesday at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Marinell Waterworth, RN, patient care coordinator for the hospice, lighted the candles while her six-year-old twin daughters Abigail and Magan watched. Martha Wissmann, hospice director, read the statements as each candle was lighted.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Travis Kotrba spent quarter break from college with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba and family over the weekend.

Guests over Thanksgiving holidays at the Bruce Solberg home were Troy Schroder, Jessica and Heather of New Hope, Kurt Schrodar and Nick Schroder of Northeast Minneapolis and Justin Davis of Brooklyn Park.

Mr and Mrs. Henlord Rosland were visitors at the Ed Yager home in Grygla during the week.

Monday, Mrs. Derwin Eidelbes was a visitor and coffee guest at the Alfred Iverson home.

Shirley Johnsrud and Delores Johnsrud were visitors and lunch guests on Monday at the Ella Mostrom home in Gonvick.

Dana Wiseth spent Friday and Saturday visiting at the Larry Kotrba home with Amie and Melinda.

Those who enjoyed dinner at the Ronnie Kotrba home on Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Sistad, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sistad of Grygla, Teri Jo Sistad of Grand Forks, Debbie Hanson, Angie and Stephanie of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Klamar, Kyle and Christopher of Gatzke, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kirkeide, Brittany and Brennan of Greenbush, along with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba, Travis, Desnie and Dustin. Later that afternoon a supper was served in honor of Christopher's birthday and Stephanie's birthday with one decorated birthday. All the above helped them celebrate and have supper with them. Christopher Klamar and Stephanie Hanson also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Christopher and Stephanie!

JoAnn Naaseth of Molley called on Thanksgiving Day and visited by phone with her Aunt Jean Johnson and her Grandmother Mayme Johnson.

Monday, Mrs. Clarance Johnson enjoyed dinner at the Cafe in Goodridge.

Saturday evening, Mrs. Larry Kotrba, Amie, Malinda and Dana Wiseth attended the Jamboree in Grygla where Nicky Kotrba took part in.

Mrs. Norman Kriel visited and had coffee with Anna Kriel at her apartment in Thief River Falls during the week.

Sunday evening, Mrs. Clarance Johnson was a visitor and supper guest at the Jean Johnson home. Then later that evening Jason Naaseth was a visitor and coffee guest at the Jean Johnson home.

Highlanding

Margie Coan
378-4351

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Swanson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Allan Swanson, Kari, Aaron and Michael to Lake Park on Thanksgiving Day where they enjoyed the day and dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Pallela family.

Thanksgiving Day potluck dinner guests and visitors at the Gartie Haugan home, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Haugen, Mark and Amy of Moorhead, Orlen and Corella Thorbeck, Paul and Ted of Plymouth, Orville and Gertrude Christensen of Trail.

Lillette Anderson of Valley Home spent Wednesday overnight at the Wally and Darlene Anderson home.

Happy Birthday to Vivien Srnsky who celebrated her birthday on Monday.

Roger Coan and RoxAnn Flatelend spent Thanksgiving Day with Relatives of Bemidji.

Sherry King of Seattle, WA called to wish her mom Delores Johnsrud a Happy Thanksgiving!

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests and visitors at the Roger and Colleen Hoffman home.

Russell Jasperson of Plummer visited on Saturday with Russell Hedon.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Race, Kristen and Brittany of Hston, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Rory Haugen and Kensie, Brent Anderson, Stacy Moshet were Sunday dinner guests and visitors of the Wally and Darlene Anderson home.

Joanetta Hoffman visited with Lillette Anderson at Valley Home on Monday.

Gary Johnsrud of Thief River Falls visited on Sunday with his mom Delores Johnsrud.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wiskow enjoyed Thanksgiving Day dinner and the day with Dean and Shiela Wiskow home of Salol.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Srnsky, Mitchell visited on Sunday with Rhonda and Todd Mack at the Clayton Mack home in Thief River Falls.

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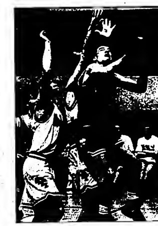

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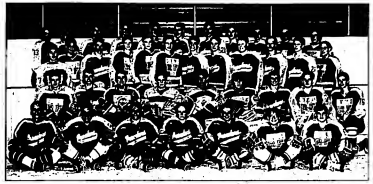

Thief River Falls' 1995-96 Thief River Falls varsity and junior varsity high school hockey players include, front row left to right, Andy Furuseth, Paul Consorowski, Adam Nordin, Jason Breiland, Jared Sunsdahl, Shawn Rud, Tony Fletcher; second row left to right, Nathan LaRoque, Bryan Clavan, Chene Keefe, Shane Duffy, Brian Berry, Josh Holmes, Chad Henson, Nathan Jordal, Nathan Pocek; third row left to right, Wade Chlodo, Brandon Langlie, Curt Edwards, Brandon Garardy, Craig Lawrence, Eric Roulund, David Heise, Nick Chlodo, Greg Wilk, Ben Furuseth, Trevor Lee, Dan Carpenter; back row left to right, Paul Bruggeman, Chris Bruggeman, Steve Rambeck, Chad Nordhagen, Aaron Ehrenstrom, Keith Anderson, Kyle Anderson, Adam Fulton, Josh Clark, Adam Swenson, and Nick Delay.

LHS Hockey

Head coach - Pat Cullen.

December

3 - Grand Forks Central, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
5 - at Warroad, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
8 - at St. Paul Johnson, 8 p.m.
9 - at Blake, 2 p.m.
15 - Greenway, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
16 - Hibbing, 1/3 p.m.
22 - Bemidji, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
27 - Holiday Classic-TRF
28 - Holiday Classic-EGF
29 - Holiday Classic-Crookston

January

2 - Roseau, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
9 - at GF Red River, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
11 - at Crookston, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
16 - Warroad, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
20 - at Roseau, 5:15/7:30 p.m.
23 - at East Grand Forks, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
27 - Moorhead, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
30 - Crookston, 5:30/7:30 p.m.

February

2 - Grafton, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
6 - at Bemidji, 5:45/8 p.m.
9 - at Fergus Falls, 5:30/7:30 p.m.
13 - East Grand Forks, 5:30/7:30 p.m.

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February

3 - Grand Forks Shoot-Out
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9 - at East Grand Forks, 5:45/7:30 p.m.
13 - Argyle, 6/7:30 p.m.
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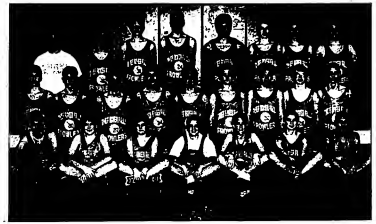

Frashman boys playing basketball this winter include, front row left to right, Brendon Engan, Matt Voeks, Adam Stusynski, Josh Cahalan, Rob Bakken, Eric Bjornstad, Aron Hendricks; second row left to right, Adam Bjork, Aaron Sorvig, Jeff Besta, Collin Schater, Joe Pribula, Allen Boier, Jerrod Peterson, Christian Batalden, Wade Haviland; back row left to right, coach John Ott, Darin Bjerknes, Ryan Evenson, Todd Christensen, Jesse Hornseth, Kelly Cole, Matt Koehmstedt, and David Fallman.

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Coach - John Ott.

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5 - Grand Forks Central, 5 p.m.
7 - at Crookston, 6 p.m.
12 - at GF Red River, 4:15 p.m.
15 - Roseau, 6 p.m.
21 - at Bemidji, 5:45 p.m.

January

4 - East Grand Forks, 4:15 p.m.
8 - at Roseau, 5:30 p.m.
11 - at W-A-O, 5 p.m.
12 - at Fergus Falls, 5:45 p.m.
16 - GF Red River, 4:15 p.m.
18 - at GF Valley, 7 p.m.
23 - at Crookston, 5 p.m.
25 - GF Valley, 5 p.m.
26 - Fergus Falls, 6 p.m.
30 - Bemidji, 5:45 p.m.

February

5 - W-A-O, 5 p.m.
8 - GF Red River, 5 p.m.
9 - at East Grand Forks, 4:15 p.m.
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LHS Girls Basketball

Head coach - Sally Wiltse.

November
28 - at W-A-O, 6:15/8:15 p.m.

December
1 - at Roseau, 6:15/8 p.m.
5 - at Fosston, 6:15/7:30 p.m.
7 - Warroad, 6/7:30 p.m.
12 - Crookston, 6/7:30 p.m.
18 - TRF Invitational
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January
6 - at Moorhead, 6:15/8 p.m.
9 - Marshall Co. Central, 6/7:30 p.m.
13 - Bemidji, 6/7:30 p.m.
16 - Detroit Lakes, 6/7:30 p.m.
20 - at Fergus Falls, 1:30/3 p.m.
23 - B/G-MR, 6/7:30 p.m.
26 - at Crookston, 6 15/8 p.m.

February
1 - at East Grand Forks, 5:45/7:30 p.m.
6 - at Detroit Lakes, 6/7:30 p.m.
9 - Fergus Falls, 6/7:30 p.m.
13 - at Bemidji, 5:45/7:30 p.m.
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LHS Boys Swimming

Head coaches - Brian Olson, Shon Thompson.

December

9 - Prowler Relays, 1 p.m.
14 - Fergus Falls Invitational, 10:30 a.m.
19 - Bagley/Fosston, 5 p.m.
21 - Crookston, 5 p.m.

January

4 - Bemidji Invitational, 10 a.m.
11 - at Detroit Lakes, 6 p.m.
13 - Bagley/Fosston Invitational, 12:00.
19 - Crookston Invitational, 5:30 p.m.
23 - Bemidji Triangular, 6 p.m.

February

1 - Park Rapids Area, 5 p.m.
3 - Park Rapids Invitational, 11 a.m.
6 - Crookston Six-Team Smash, 6 p.m.
13 - Grand Forks Triangular, 5:30 p.m.
15 - at Moorhead, 6 p.m.

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LHS Wrestling

Head coach - John Belyea.

December
2 - Hillsboro Invitational
5 - W-A-O, 6:30 p.m.
15 - B/G MR, 6:30 p.m.
21 - at Larimore

January
4 - at Roseau
6 - Prowler Invitational, 9 a.m.
11 - Fertile-Beltrami, 6:30 p.m.
18 - Mahnomen, 6:30 p.m.
19 - at Red Lake County Central
25 - at EGF Sacred Heart, 7 p.m.
27 - East Grand Forks, 1 p.m.
30 - KLCC Northwest Quad, 4:30 p.m.

February
1 - Dennis Lakes Triangular, 5 p.m.
3 - Fertile-Beltrami NW Invitational
10 - at Moorhead, 1 p.m.

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Date	Opponent	Site	Time
December 2	Hillsboro Tourney	Away	TBA
December 5	Warren	Home	6:30
December 9	Gr. Forks JV-Sartona	Away	9:00
December 15	B-G-MR	Home	6:30
December 21	Larimore	Away	TBA
January 4	Roseau	Away	TBA
January 6	Prowler Invitat.	Home	9:00
January 11	Fertile-Beltrami	Home	6:30
January 18	Mahnomen	Home	6:30
January 19	R.L.C.C.	Away	TBA
January 25	E.G.F. Sacred Heart	Away	7:00
January 27	East Grand Forks	Home	1:00
January 30	N.W. Quad Plummer		4:30
February 1	D. Lakes/Fergus Falls	D.L.	5:00
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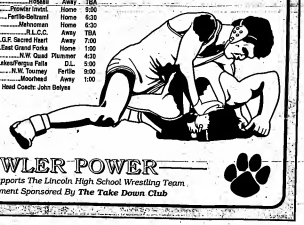

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NCTC Women's Basketball

Head coach - Rick Nikunen.

November
29 - NDSU-Bottineau, 5:30 p.m.

December
1 - at Normandale, 6 p.m.
2 - at Rochester, 3 p.m.
6 - at NDSCS, 5:30 p.m.
8 - Willmar, 6 p.m.
9 - Worthington, 1 p.m.
11 - at NDSU-Bottineau, 5:30 p.m.
14 - at UND-Lake Region, 8:30 p.m.

January
5 - at Mesabi, 6 p.m.
6 - at Vermilion, 1 p.m.
12 - Hibbing, 6 p.m.
13 - Rainy River, 12 noon
17 - Central Lakes, 6 p.m.
19 - at Itasca, 6 p.m.
22 - at Fergus Falls, 6 p.m.
26 - at Rainy River, 6 p.m.
27 - at Hibbing, 1 p.m.

February
2 - Vermilion, 6 p.m.
3 - Mesabi, 12 noon
7 - at Central Lakes, 6 p.m.
12 - Fergus Falls, 6 p.m.
16 - Itasca, 6 p.m.

The 1995-96 Northland Community and Technical College men's basketball roster features, front row left to right, student managers Melvin Whitney, Todd Anderson; second row left to right, Jeremy Anderson, Donnie Beverly, Duane Parris, John Brown, Joey Wilebski, Reggie Parker, Hassan Jihad; back row left to right, assistant coach Dan Maasmann, Kenta McGaughy, Macy Ford, Nate Anderson, Jake Rantanen, Preston Trest, Luke Anderson, Matt Gustafson, assistant coach Mark Hedlund, head coach Mark Dannhoff. Not pictured: student manager Clarence Davis.

NCTC Men's Basketball

Head coach - Mark Dannhoff.

November
29 - NDSU-Bottineau, 3:00 p.m.

December
1 - at Normandale, 8 p.m.
2 - at Rochester, 1 p.m.
6 - at NDSCS, 7:30 p.m.
8 - Willmar, 8 p.m.
9 - Worthington, 3 p.m.
11 - at NDSU-Bottineau, 7:30 p.m.
14 - at UND-Lake Region, 8:30 p.m.
20 - UND-Lake Region, 7:30 p.m.

January
5 - at Mesabi, 8 p.m.
6 - at Vermilion, 3 p.m.
12 - Hibbing, 8 p.m.
13 - Rainy River, 2 p.m.
17 - Central Lakes, 8 p.m.
19 - Bismarck State, 7 p.m.
22 - at Fergus Falls, 8 p.m.
26 - at Rainy River, 8 p.m.
27 - at Hibbing, 3 p.m.

February
2 - Vermilion, 8 p.m.
3 - Mesabi, 2 p.m.
7 - Central Lakes, 8 p.m.
12 - Fergus Falls, 8 p.m.

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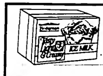

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Right's Ass'n. meeting Page 3
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TRF holds Truth in Taxation hearing

Thief River Falls' 1996 tax levy is projected to raise $1,025,800, a $70,000 increase from last year's tax levy. During the city's truth in taxation hearing, which is a legal requirement and was held at the city library Tuesday night, City Administrator Roger DeLap explained how taxes were determined, where the tax dollars would be spent and how the city compares with neighboring cities.

Comments

There were several people in the audience, however, all but three were either council representatives or department supervisors. Of the three, one was a reporter. One member of the audience questioned the city's levy for ADA, and its priorities.

"Speed" Carlson, self-proclaimed mayor of Southtown, told the city administrator to tell the city council, even though all of them were present at the hearing, that he was not very satisfied. Carlson was upset that the city had spent so much money on the water plant and the water doesn't taste any better. He also complained about the water line out to the airport and the additional $100 assessment to residents served by the pipeline.

When it was explained that the additional assessment was for fire protection, he complained that water pressure had dropped significantly, and he wasn't very satisfied.

How taxes are determined

DeLap began his presentation by explaining how taxes were determined. There are five areas of change that will affect the level of property taxes payable, DeLap explained: 1) a change in a property's market value; 2) a change in the state tax classification rates; 3) changes in city/county/school tax levy request; 4) changes in property tax classification; and 5) a change in the city's overall market value. DeLap briefly explained each and provided several examples.

Commercial property

He noted that residential homes comprised 54 per cent of the total statewide market value, but paid only 35 per cent of all property taxes paid. Commercial property, he noted, comprised 15 per cent of the total statewide market value, but paid 35 per cent of all property taxes.

Increase for ADA

The $70,000 increase for the city of Thief River Falls represents a response to Aid to Disabilities Act, not an overall increase in general government expenditures. In fact, there is a not net increase in general governmental expenditures. The $70,000 raised by the levy will be used to address handicapped accessibility requirements.

The 1996 budget worksheet shows that the base levy is projected to raise $1,159,675, which is about $47,000 less than last year. Of the levy, $86,630 is expected to be allocated for regional library maintenance, $205,000 for boaded indebtedness, $16,676 for public pension liability, and $70,000 for ADA funding.

DeLap noted that the bonded indebtedness levy of $205,000 represents the city's attempt to maintain one year's principal and interest on reserve, and to establish a debt service fund for the current 1995 Improvement project. He also noted the public pension liability levy of $16,676 represents the results of a recent actuarial study of the fund required by Minnesota statute every five years. The public pension fund (police relief association) is a closed account.

All Taxing Jurisdictions

DeLap provided interesting data charting the total tax levy from all taxing jurisdictions. The information showed just the impact on city residents. The proposed total levy from all jurisdictions, including the city, the county, school district and special tax districts amounted to $5,153,235.

Of that levy, total Minnesota

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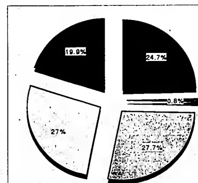
Sources of funding for the 1996 Levy

(as it applies to residents of Thief River Falls)



The estimated total levies in these charts represent only that portion which applies to property within the city limits. Tax aids include Homestead Agricultural Aids (HACA). The net levy represents the portion of the total levy that is allocated to property within the city.

	Total levy	MN Tax Aids	Net levy
City of TRF	$1,537,981.00	$512,181.00	$1,025,800.00
Pennington Co.	$1,784,875.00	$395,988.00	$1,388,887.00
S.D. 564	$1,770,237.00	$342,634.00	$1,427,603.00
Special Tax	$60,142.00	$20,027.00	$40,115.00
Total tax levy	**$5,153,235.00**	**$1,270,830.00**	**$3,882,405.00**

Rehearsal seemed a little boring for Shanie Haugen, four-month-old daughter of David and Terese Haugen, who is cast in the role of the Baby Jesus in Valley Home's production of "The Christmas Story," directed by Verne Rood. Bee Peterson has the role of Mary in the program which will take place Saturday, December 16, at 2 p.m. at Valley Home. Public is invited to the program and an open house which will continue until 4:30 p.m.

Safety concerns are heard by school board on Monday

Safety of children, parents and employees was of concern to the School District 564 board at its regular board meeting Monday night when the board approved a recommendation to send a letter to the county board and Minnesota department of transportation expressing concern about the railroad intersection on Highway 8, formerly County road 61.

The intersection which is in front of Challenger Elementary school has a stop sign for traffic going east and a yield for traffic traveling west, but according to Al Steinhauer, who appeared in front of the board on behalf of the health and safety committee at Soo Line, it is one of the most dangerous intersections in the region.

Steinhauer has approached officials about taking traffic counts on the road, but it has been difficult. In one instance the markers were apparently torn out. His unofficial count showed that 54 per cent of the vehicles traveling west didn't stop at the stop sign.

Steinhauer said he has talked with the department of transportation and apparently there is funding available to fund signal lights at the crossing. He noted, however, that it isn't a high priority because there hasn't been much local concern expressed about the intersection.

Because of poor visibility at the intersection, board member Jean Larson agreed with Steinhauer saying it was an accident waiting to happen.

Other board members expressed similar concern about the safety of children, parents and staff.

Steinhauer said he thought the federal and state government would pick up the cost of the signal lights and the railroad would install it. He estimated that it would cost about $100,000. Steinhauer said he was going to approach the county board about a similar recommendation to the state and federal government.

He said he appreciated their concern, "Buses and trucks are the worse things you can see on the tracks".

The school board also approved a recommendation directing administration to make recommendations for budget reductions. Though the recommendation has become an annual resolution in the past several years, the board still made a point Monday night of discussing whether the board would attend a 1996 MSBA Leadership Conference. Many felt that in light of budget constraints they shouldn't go to the conference.

Superintendent Mark Hinckley was asked to check into whether the board can still back out of hotel reservations and an in-service train-

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Lincoln bands in concert December 14

Lincoln high school bands under the direction of Bruce Felt will present their first concert of the 1995-96 school year on Thursday, December 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the Lincoln high school auditorium.

Featured in the concert will be the jazz band, concert band and wind ensemble. There is no admission charge, the public is invited to attend and the Band Boosters organization will host a Christmas cookie reception following the concert in the school cafeteria.

In the wind ensemble portion of the concert, two special numbers will be featured. Senior Laura Williams will present an alto saxophone solo with band accompaniment entitled "Alto Mood," and the Lincoln concert choir and Varsity Singers will join the wind ensemble for "Do You Hear What I Hear?"

In addition, the wind ensemble will perform "Children's March" and "Variations on a Korean Folksong" as well as concluding the concert in traditional fashion with LeRoy Anderson's "Christmas Festival."

Lincoln's jazz band will present "Rain Delay," "Morning Mist" and the Glenn Miller arrangement of "Sleigh Ride."

Five selections will be presented by the concert band, including "Guadalcanal March," "Second American Folk Rhapsody," "Symphonic Sketch," "Symphony of Sitcoms" and "Prelude and Primal Danse."

Members of the musical groups participating in the concert include the following:

Wind Ensemble

Flute—Jill Dekkers, Tina Krogstad, Misty Nelson, Maren Thorson, Kylie Peterson, Jessica Brekke, Eevn Young, Anne Halvorson and Alicia Roadfeldt;

Oboe—Heidi Johnson and Tony Bromen;

Bassoon—Kendra Dimich and Keith Blix;

Clarinet—Tom Koehmstedt, Bobbi Dahlstrom, Elizabeth Odette,

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Maren Thorson

James Hurst

Jared Brandt

Gretchen Batalden

Laura Williams will be featured with an alto saxophone solo in "Alto Mood," one of the Lincoln high school wind ensemble numbers at the band concert Thursday, December 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

COUNTDOWN TO CHRISTMAS

Thief River Falls Holiday Shopping Hours: Stores Open 'Til 8 P.M.; Saturdays 'Til 5:30 P.M.; Sundays (Most Stores) Noon-5:00 P.M.

Lincoln bands to present concert Thursday night

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Megan Miller, Ben Erickson, Kim Hook, Kelly Martinson and LeAnn Olson.

Bass Clarinet—Amanda Close and Gretchen Bakalden.

Alto Saxophone—Laura Williams, Jennifer Olin, Trevor Knutson, Kim Morris and Becky Phillips.

Tenor Saxophone—Kelly Newton and Becky Kenner.

Baritone Saxophone—Jared Brandt and Chris Bjerken.

Trumpet—Rob Stock, Brad Dekkers, Joni Larson, Stacy Narlock, Kate Ihle, Matt Gustafson, Angeline Gunstad, Nate Keller and Nathan Ptacek.

Horn—ReAnn Dargus, Chris Pribula and Kyle Rokke.

Trombone—Reid Froiland, James Lehrer, Kyla Skiple, Kim Nelson and Nick Dee.

Baritone—Peter Johnson and Nels Brown.

Tuba—James Hurst.

Percussion—Bobbi Jo Teiken, William Packard, Trevis Rothschadl, Nathan Laroque, Matt Lawrence, Mike Hahne and Luca Haglund.

Concert Band

Flute—Rachel Dahlen, Stephanie Stanina, Angie Judd, Beth Gryskiewicz, Beth Olson, Krista Phillips, Jeni Gallancy and Carolyn Walrath.

Clarinet—Kristin Langaas, Matt Kochmstedt, Laurie Lendobeja, Jerilyn Unruh, Kelly Cota, Kelli Murzy, Shannon Lofberg, Theresa Gallancy and Vanessa Lundeen;

Bass Clarinet—Lacey Huschle.

Alto Saxophone—Barry Belcher, Ross C?even, Amy Wessel, Leslie Ihle, Sarah Stenseth, Mickey McEnelly, Tony Winter, Bethany Packard, Jayme Holmes, Katrina Holtan, Diana Hofstad and Mike Chapin;

Tenor Saxophone—Kristine Koop and Aaron Sorvig;

Baritone Saxophone—Anthony Kennedy and Derek Ptacek;

Trumpet—Luke Torgerson, Jason Carlson, Leah Kenner, Sara Anderson, Josh Stinson, Stephanie Tveiten, Nick Tveitbakk, Bryanna Helgeland and Ed Swantek;

Horn—Rochelle Gilbertson and Tiffany Lee;

Trombone—Justin Walseth, Cameron Carlson, Laurel Ronchetti and Jocy Pribula;

Baritone—Cody Hempel and Darrin Bjerknes;

Tuba—Jesse Hornseth;

Percussion—Eric Halvorson, Matt Winjum, Josh Lawrence, Jeremy Houske, Michelle Peterick, Keith Woodruff, Colin Schafer and Brian Halbasch;

Lincoln Jazz Band

Alto Saxophone—Jill Dekkers and Laura Williams;

Tenor Saxophone—Kelly Newton and Jennifer Olin;

Baritone Saxophone—Chris Bjerken;

Trumpet—Brad Dekkers, Stacy Narlock, Rob Stokke and Luke Torgerson;

Trombone—Cameron Carlson, Reid Froiland, Jim Lehrer and Justin Walseth;

Piano—Kendra Dimich and Elizabeth Odette;

Bass—Collin Browning and Alex Morken;

Drum—Mike Hahne and Nathan Laroque.

New Christmas decorations on display in TRF

More than 80 new Christmas decorations have been put up by Thief River Falls utility department employees.

Bob Bergan, chamber of commerce executive vice president, thanked city employees who put the lights up and those individuals who contributed to the cost of the project.

The city of Thief River Falls contributed to the cost of the project, but donations are also being sought. The total project cost about $25,000. Each of the wreath decorations cost about $250. Individuals who would like to share in the spirit, Bergan said, can make donations to the project by contacting the Chamber of Commerce.

Bergan said the mini white lights have gone up on the boulevard (Third Street), but more will soon be put up by city utility crews.

Top high school students sought

Nominations are now being accepted to honor high school students across the region as "Prep Student of the Week". Nomination requires the student's name, grade, school, city, a description of the student's accomplishments and a photograph (2-inch by 3-inch minimum). Mail completed endorsements to KVLY-TV 11 "Student", Box 1878, Fargo, ND 58107.

Every Saturday at 5 p.m., KVLY-News 11 Weatherman Dave Hovde will introduce viewers to the "Prep Student of the Week". Each student awarded will also receive a certificate.

The award is sponsored by the American Dairy Association and KVLY-News11.

For more information, contact Pam Petrik at (701) 237-5211.

Sheldon's Auto to collect items for "Toys for Tots"

Sheldon's Used Auto Parts of Thief River Falls will serve as a collection point for the Toys for Tots program through December 18.

Toys collected will be donated to the Little Brother/Little Sister program in Thief River Falls. They may be dropped off at Sheldon's on Highway 59 South.

Truth in Taxation meet held by city council to give information

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property tax aids amounted to $1,270,830, or 24.7 per cent of the total. Information provided, showed the city receiving $512,181 in tax aids, Pennington county receiving $395,988, the school district receiving $342,634, and special tax districts receiving $20,027.

The net local levy amounted to $3,882,405. The total tax burden on city residents by percentage amounts to 19.9 per cent from the city, 27 per cent from the county, 27.7 per cent from the school district, 0.8 per cent from special tax districts.

City Market Value

One of the areas that can affect the level of property taxes is total city market value. DeLap noted that there has been an increase in the city's total market value. In 1994, the city's total market value was $119,659,700. In 1995 it was $120,621,600. In 1996, it is expected that total market value will increase to $127,423,600, a result, DeLap said, of improvements to the city's infrastructure and several pieces of property being annexed into the city. An increasing total city market value is a positive factor.

Tax Capacity

Fluctuations in tax capacity rates also impact property taxes. DeLap noted that tax capacity rates declined for the county, school district and special tax districts, but increased by 1.6 per cent for the city. Of particular interest was a decrease of 10.7 per cent for the school district. Less Minnesota property tax aids the figure is adjusted to a decrease of 7.8 per cent for the school district.

Tax aids are an important source of revenue for the city. It has been projected that Minnesota local government aids to the city will increase by 3.6 per cent, but Minnesota Property Tax Aids (HACA) will decrease by 2.1 per cent.

For every city local tax "dollar", 1 per cent will be allocated to the special tax districts, 26.4 per cent to the city, 35.8 per cent to the county and 36.8 per cent to the school district.

Local Budget

DeLap touched on individual city budgets, and looked at fund revenues and expenses. The city is still looking at ways to reduce a projected budget deficit of $113,008.

DeLap presented a pie chart examining governmental fund expenses. Of the governmental fund budget, general government expenditures accounted for 12.1 per cent of the pie, police accounted for 19.2 per cent of the pie, the fire department 7.6 per cent, streets and highways 8.9 per cent, parks and recreation 13.3 per cent, principal and interest on bonds 17.1 per cent, miscellaneous insurances and trust funds 14.6 per cent, and engineering, CDAB and police relieve 7.1 per cent. Increased expenditures are expected in the police and fire departments, principal and interest on bonds, miscellaneous insurance and trust funds, and engineering, CDAB and police relief. Decreased expenditures are expected in general government, streets and highways and parks and recreation.

Comparisons

DeLap presented comparisons with Bemidji, Crookston, Detroit Lakes, East Grand Forks, and Fergus Falls. Thief River Falls receives among the fewest dollars in local government aid. Its taxable tax capacity is also comparatively low. DeLap explained saying we have a small county and Thief River Falls is the largest city in the county. The city's local levy, however, remains very comparable.

An interesting comparison was drawn in percentage of market value between residential property and commercial property.

• In Thief River Falls, 65.9 per cent of the market value is composed of residential property, and 20.5 per cent consist of commercial property.

• In Bemidji, 43.5 per cent of the market value consists of residential property, and 33.5 per cent consist of commercial property.

• In Crookston, 68.3 per cent of the market value consists of residential property, and 15.4 per cent commercial.

• In Detroit Lakes, 51.8 per cent of the market value consists of residential property, and 27.5 per cent commercial.

• In East Grand Forks, 68 per cent of the market value consists of residential property, and 18.7 per cent commercial property.

• In Fergus Falls, 57 per cent of the market value consists of residential property, and 18.7 per cent commercial property.

The city council will probably certify its final levy at its next meeting.

Salvation Army volunteers in Thief River Falls recently began ringing in the holiday season with the organizations kettle campaign. Individual volunteers and several organizations are donating their time to man a large kettle at K-Mart in Thief River Falls. Above, Kayle Thereldson, 5, who was shopping with her grandma and grandpa, drops in some change in the kettle being manned by Les Vigness, a member of Kiwanis, and Tim Bauer, a member of the Lion's club. Other than donations from the Thief River Falls United Way, the Kettle drive is the only local level of funding. Kettles can also be found at SuperValu, Thrifty White Drug, McDonald's, Pizza Hut, Erl's, the Best Western, Pennington Main, Pennington Square, China King, and the restaurant in Goodridge. Donations help fund operations of the local unit.

Lara Haymond awarded bus conduct award

Lara Ellen Haymond, a fifth grade student at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls, has received the School District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award." The award was presented to Lara by her driver Chuck Wilcox, and Transportation Superintendent Fred Mykleby.

Wilcox says Lara is "Very well mannered. She's helpful with the other students and she always follows the rules." Lara rides Route 35.

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes in the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire school district.

Sleigh rides at Old Mill State Park Dec. 17

Sleigh Rides by the Middle river at Old Mill State Park will be offered Sunday, December 17 from 1 to 3 p.m.

Enjoy a ride in the valley by the old mill stream. Rides start at the stone warming shelter. It will be cancelled in the event of dangerously low temperatures or a lack of snow cover.

Vehicle permits are required to enter the park. The 1996 Annual Permits may be purchased and will allow entry at 64 Minnesota State Parks from now to December 31.

For more information please call (218) 437-8174 or write Old Mill State Park, route 1 box 43, Argyle, MN 56713.

Network news checks weather in T. R. Falls

Ilene Bergerson, night auditor at the C'mon Inn of Thief River Falls, thought it might have been a hoax when she received a call about 5:30 a.m. last Friday from NBC News in New York City.

It turned out to be the real thing, however, and Bergerson had a brief radio interview with the network caller, talking about the cold and blizzard conditions which were forecast to hit (and did!) later in the day.

~THANK YOU~

My sincere thanks for all the cards, phone calls, flowers, gifts and food I received during my recent surgery and illness. Also, thanks to all who came and visited me.

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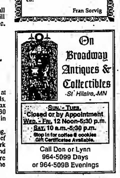
Fran Sorvig



Landowners Rights Ass'n. update meeting Thursday

People concerned about property rights issues in Minnesota are invited to attend an update report session of the Minnesota Landowners Rights Association (MLRA) to be held Thursday, December 14, at 1:30 p.m. at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls.

Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls, who carried the fight for reasonable changes in the Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act in the senate during the 1995 session, will be a main speaker at the Thursday session.

"The MLRA has been the front runner to reform Minnesota's Wetland Conservation Act," says Dave Zavoral of Grygla, legislative director for the MLRA, who will also be on Thursday's program. "The WCA, coupled with an executive order of a "no net loss" policy on wetlands and over zealous bureaucrats writing rules, have given this state the most restrictive wetland situation in the nation.

"Through complaints from private property owners in Minnesota, the MLRA has come to know just how unfair, outrageous and abusive to landowners the WCA really is," Zavoral continued. "Land-use regulators can impose heavy fines, criminal charges, arrests and imprisonment of citizens whose only crime was to improve their own property. Surely we can do better."

Also speaking at the Thursday meeting will be Don Parmeter of International Falls, executive director of the Greater Northland Coalition. For several years the coalition has been involved in efforts to reduce state and federal intrusion into county and local government and restricted use of individual private property.

Zavoral maintains that private property rights and the WCA should not be considered of concern only to farmers.

"Last year Mn/DOT paid $649,000 for a one-acre mitigation site," he said. "Thirty per cent of all road tax dollars now go to creating wetlands and not building or fixing roads or bridges. These costs are passed on to the taxpayer, and that means you.

"Just how wet does a piece of property have to be in order to be classified as a wetland?" he asked. "The answer is 'not very.' Forget the pictures that environmental groups hold up depicting a duck in a marsh with open water and surrounded by cattails. The new picture under present law could be your front yard, back yard or even your garden."

Zavoral said the WCA and its operating rules must be substantially improved to provide for regional differences and local control or the organization will seek its total repeal. With 18 counties rescinding their agreements with the state under the act, joining the five counties which never signed, it is apparent that local units of government are finding serious problems with the rules and regulations, he said.

More of the problems and costs to the public under the act will be presented at the Thursday meeting.

Snowbirds to hold holiday brunch in Mesa, Arizona

A brunch from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. will be held in the community room of Superstition Springs Center, 6555 East Southern Avenue, Mesa, AZ, on Friday, February 2.

Cost is $7 for the brunch sponsored by the University of Minnesota—Crookston and the Northwest School of Agriculture alumni associations. Alumni and friends of UMC and the NWSA are invited to attend.

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Student columnist Vicki Brzegalo has a special Christmas wish come true

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Minnesota Senior Federation add providers to Senior Partners Care program.

Exchange student likes dancing and hockey

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

Lucy and Lenny Aasland of Thief River Falls have a new family member, Ludmila "Ludka" Simkova is an exchange student from Slovakia who is staying with the Aaslands this school year. In July the Aaslands were told they had been recommended as a good host family for foreign exchange students. Although the Aaslands had not considered being a host family before, they decided to talk to a coordinator for AFS. Four days later the Aaslands decided to host a student.

Ludka is the daughter of Juraj Simko and Emilia Simkova. She is a bright, cheery 16-year-old girl who enjoys the same things as most Thief River Falls girls her age. She likes swimming, danceline, and going to hockey games.

The biggest differences between living in the U.S. and living in Slovakia is school, says Ludka. Schools are more specialized in Slovakia. Children in grades one through eight attend hockey schools or football (soccer) schools or whatever fits their talents. After eighth grade students take tests to determine which high school they will attend. Gymnasiums are the best high schools.

High school grades are called first through fourth grade. In first grade students are divided into classes and they remain in these classes for the next four years. Students do not move from room to room, the teachers do. Each class has one teacher who is "their teacher." Students don't regularly go to the principal's office. Instead each class elects a student representative to go to the office for whatever the students need. Students do not choose their classes, the school decides that for them. Last year Ludka had chemistry, physics, math, English, biology, German, Slovak, national history, world history, geography and computers. Most classes study English three times a week. Ludka's class studied English 14 times a week.

No one pays to go to college, but the entrance exams are extremely difficult and only a small percentage of those who apply are accepted. Students start studying for the exams during September of fourth grade (their senior year). If students are not accepted, they must wait another year to take the exam again. As a result, most students apply to more than one college, instead of waiting another year. Ludka would like to become a lawyer, but says she will apply to several colleges. Each college prepares students for a different degree, for example students studying to be teachers would not attend the same college where students are studying to be lawyers.

Schools in Slovakia do not have the extra curricular activities that Minnesota school have. People who wish to be involved in the fine or performing arts or in athletics join clubs. The clubs meet everyday, year-round. They practice longer hours than most school activities. In Slovakia Ludka danced five to eight hours a day. Here she is enrolled in the Magnet Arts program and dances two hours a day.

Dancing is Ludka's passion. She takes it very seriously. She is in a ballroom dancing club. Her favorite dance is the cha cha. The club goes to competitions where they dance as couples and as a group. Ludka says they don't get money for competing, and some people don't understand why she spends so much time on something that doesn't pay money. Ludka says she does it for the fun and for the feeling of accomplishment.

Ludka did point out some similarities between schools in each country. Both schools have prom, and her school has "Welcome First-Graders" which is similar to homecoming. The student senate schedules and plans the dances. The dances are held off school property and sometimes last until 3 a.m.

Kosice, Ludka's home town, has a population of about 250,000. People in Kosice don't drive cars very often. Most either walk or take public transportation like trollybuses. Most people prefer to live in apartments near the center of the city. There are houses in the outer regions of town, but not many people like to live so far from downtown. A ten minute car ride seems like a long trip to Ludka.

Ludka has one sister, Lenka Petrusova, and six cousins. She said most families in Slovakia have only one or two children. She thought she came from a big family, until she came to Thief River Falls.

Ludka is enjoying her stay in Thief River Falls. She especially likes her dance classes, taught by Mary Noel, and danceline and all the new friends she has made.

"I'm kind of talkative so I didn't have problems (making friends)," said Ludka.

She explained that she was in swimming, which started before school started so she already knew students and had made friends before the school year began.

Another thing Ludka really likes about Thief River Falls is the way the whole town gets involved and supports the local sports teams. She

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Ludmila "Ludka" Simkova is a 16-year-old exchange student staying in Thief River Falls this school year. Her host parents are Leroy and Lucy Aasland. She is attending Lincoln and is enrolled in the Magnet Arts program where she studies dance under the guidance of Mary Noel.

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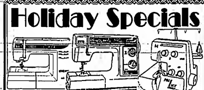

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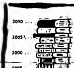

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Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Library Storytime at 11:15 at the TRF Library.

Third Grade Christmas Program at Challenger Elementary at 1 p.m.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at Senior Center in Goodridge.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club, guest speakers are LHS basketball coaches Sally Wilkse and Scott Brekke.

Coffee Break at Crossroads from 3-4 p.m. This week's topic is stress reduction.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

Fourth Grade Christmas Program at Challenger Elementary at 1 p.m.

Friday

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at the NWMC

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. at room 113 at the hospital.

Fifth Grade Christmas Program at Challenger at 1 p.m.

Heritage Center Open House from 1 to 3 p.m. Speaker and legal seminar at 1:30 p.m. There will be refreshments and door prizes. Everyone welcome.

Saturday

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church.

Santa Day in Goodridge Visits with Santa and sleigh rides from 1-3 p.m. at the Community Center.

Christmas Open House at Valley Home in TRF. Program at 2 p.m. with refreshments at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Sunday

Al-Anon and Al-Ateen meet at Room 113 of the hospital at 8 p.m.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

Benefit Turkey Dinner for the Dan Bruggeman family at St. Bernard's Church from 1-7 p.m.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church from 3 to 5 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Senior Meal is roast turkey dinner at 5:30 p.m. at the Heritage Center. Call 681-2793 for reservations.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church basement in Middle River.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:30-7:30 in Thief River Falls.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. at room 113 of the hospital.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

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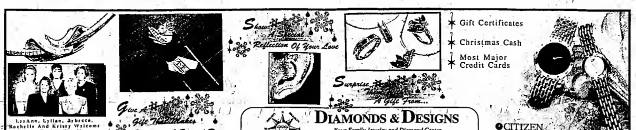

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CITIZEN

Exchange student likes dancing, hockey and TRF

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points out that when there is a football game or hockey game almost everyone watches it.

The AFS exchange program requires that each host family provide host "aunts and uncles" in case the host parents are called out of town. Ludka's aunts and uncles are Mark and Jean Larson and Jim and Jan Strandli. Ludka stayed with the Larsons when the Aaslands were out of town and her aunt Jan has altered her dance costumes for her.

Although this is Ludka's first time in the United States, she has visited several European countries including Germany, England, France, Luxemburg, Belgium, Poland, Romania, Hungary, Bulgaria, Austria and the Netherlands.

After her confirmation, Ludka posed for pictures outside her church with her maternal grandparents, Juraj Toceny and Zuzka Tocana, and her cousin Veronika. Kosice has many historical churches, palaces and other buildings. The town, rich with culture and heritage, dates back to the 1200's.

Birthday party for Richard Larson on December 16

Richard Larson will celebrate his 80th birthday with family and friends on Saturday, December 16 from 2-4 p.m. at the Newfolden Community Center in Newfolden.

Dec. 16 is Santa Day in Goodridge

Santa Day in Goodridge will be Saturday December 16 at the Community Center from 1-3 p.m. Visits with santa and sleigh rides are sponsored by the Goodridge Lions Club.

Senior evening meal at Heritage Center on Sunday

Monday, December 18 there will be a roast turkey dinner at 5:30 p.m. at the Heritage Center. Call 681-2793 for reservations. The choir will be entertaining following the meal.

Heritage Center Nutritional Council meeting

The Heritage Center Nutritional Council annual meeting will be on December 18 at 1 p.m.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Ball & Jones exchange vows

Monica (Duden) Ball and Brian Jones were united in marriage on October 28 at Faith Lutheran Church, Goodridge, with Pastor Dahlen officiating at the 2 p.m. double-ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Roger and Mildred Duden of Plummer. The groom is the son of Wollanee and Janice Jones of Goodridge. Music was provided by organist Margie Iverson.

The maid of honor was Charmen Thrift of Thief River Falls, close friend of the couple. The best man was Sherman Jones of Thief River Falls, brother of the groom. The usher was Bruce Jones of Thief River Falls. Alex Turner, friend of the couple, cut the cake. Gift table attendants were Amy Ball and Nicholas Ball, children of the bride. Serving as waiters and waitresses were Joshua and McRny Ball, children of the bride, and Carol, friend of the couple.

The bride is a graduate of Pershing High School in Plummer and is employed at Arctco. The groom is a graduate of Goodridge High School and is employed at Arctco.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

- On December 5, a baby girl was born to Keith and Brenda Johnson of Thief River Falls. She has been named Briana Lynn.
- On December 6, a baby boy was born to Glen and Peggy Arlaud of Gonvick. He has been named Gunner Jeffrey.
- On December 6, a baby boy was born to Scott and Valerie Hutton of Thief River Falls. He has been named Jorde Calvin.
- On December 9, a baby boy was born to Isaac and Margoret Contreras of Thief River Falls. She has been named Tiffany Ann.
- On December 6, a baby boy was born to Terry and Heather Bayne of Thief River Falls. He has been named Harrison Owen.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs plan Christmas party

The Odd Fellow and Rebekah Christmas party will be held on Thursday, December 14 at 6:30 p.m. Bring items for the food shelf instead of a gift exchange. All family members are welcome.

SPEAKING OF

Sherry LaCoursiere

. . . Dumb Driver!

I'm not going to say any more about Thief River Falls' bad drivers because now I know I am one of them. I turned right in front of a vehicle and if it hadn't been for the quick reflexes and cool head of the other driver, my car would have been smashed and probably me with it.

No doubt the other driver had some choice words for me after the hair-raising experience, but they can't have been any worse than the ones I called myself. After I stopped shaking, I called myself every word I could think of that meant "stupid" for a long time after the incident.

The other car was in the turning lane across from me and I wanted to turn left. My only excuses, such as they are, are that my mind was on getting where I was going in a hurry and I thought he was going to turn also and, impatient as I am, I was trying to get there first. What a dumb thing to do!

What with the bitter cold making all of the cars balky, all of the exhaust making it hard to see, the icy roads making it hard to stop and go, the slow drivers, and the snow, I should have known better. I should have been more cautious and much more adult.

I guess if I had to get into some sort of mishap, I am certainly lucky that the other driver was a good driver and was alert and watchful. What scares me most is that the other driver could have been as foolhardy and reckless as I was, and then there certainly would have been an accident. Thank heaven I had the good fortune to meet with a driver who knew what he was doing.

It makes me scared silly to think what could have happened to me if it hadn't been for the quick thinking of the other driver. It also makes me wonder if I could ever have the ability to avoid an accident if something like that happened to me.

Of course there is a lesson to be learned from this mishap and I hope I have learned it and will never forget it. If I haven't learned it, I have no business being on the road at all because I am a hazard to others as well as myself. If the other driver hadn't been driving defensively and watching me as well as himself, we would surely have had an accident — all because of me.

So, it is time to apologize to that other driver, whoever he was, and tell him that I am really very sorry for acting so dumb. His careful driving probably saved my car, as well as my dumb little neck. From now on I'm going to be much more careful when I drive. In fact, I don't know if I'll be doing much driving at all for a while because I got so scared (and that is probably a good thing).

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Al Sollom, president of the Minnesota Senior Federation, presented Sam Honebrink with a plaque at the MnSF open house last week. The plaque honors Mr. Honebrink for making the most "one-to-one" visits in the state.

At last week's open house, Pat Johnson, representing the Clearbrook-Leonard Seniors, presented a check to the Minnesota Senior Federation, Northwest Region. Accepting the check is Greydon Postter, NW region president.

Senior Federation adds member to SPC; holds open house

Minnesota Senior Federation, Northwest Region has added a new care provider to the Senior Partners Care program. Riverview hospital of Crookston is the only hospital to join the Northwest Region's program so far.

Senior Partners Care is a community service program that began 21 years ago in response to the gaps in Medicare members' inability to afford a medicare supplement of HMO. Senior Partners Care is not insurance, instead participating providers agree to accept Medicare payments as payment in full for SPC enrollees. Medicare co-payments and the $100 deductible are waived by the participating providers.

Any person who has Medicare Parts A and B, has no Medicare supplement or HMO, and meet modest income guidelines and asset guidelines (200 percent of federal poverty guidelines which is a monthly gross income of no more than $1,245/single or $1,717/couple) is eligible for the program.

Some regions charge an administrative fee for the program. The Northwest Region does not. The region only requires that program members be member of the Minnesota Senior Federation which is $10/single or $15/couple per year. There are no monthly premiums for SPC.

To learn more about the program of Minnesota Senior Federation, call the regional office in Thief River Falls at (218) 681-4507 between 10 a.m. and noon or 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Providers participating offer services in chiropractic and dental care agree to give members a 20 per cent discount. Thief River Falls care providers participating in the program are Kevin Nelson, DC, TRF Chiropractic, Dr. Duschscher, DDS and Dr. Goodrich, DDS, Dr. Hal Freeman, Dr. Craig Mickelson and Dr. Andrea Zipprich, all of Northwest Eye Center.

On December 6, the Minnesota Senior Federation, Northwest Region hosted an open house at the Heritage Center. Pat Johnson, representing the Clearbrook-Leonard Seniors, presented a check to the MnSF Northwest Region. Al Sollom, state president, presented Sam Honebrink, First Vice of the NW Region, with an award for making one to one visits with seniors. One to one visits give people a chance to tell the federation what issues they think should be addressed. Mr. Honebrink made more of these visits than anyone else in the state.

Mary McEnnally spoke to the seniors about prescription drugs and other medications. She stressed the importance of having a doctor or pharmacist you trust. She also said it is important to understand the doctor's instructions and ask questions. Patients should also inform their doctor or pharmacist about any and all medications they are currently taking. Some combinations can cause bad reactions and even death.

The open house also included and silent auction, door prizes, refreshments and music. Businesses contributing to the open house were: Pamida, Holiday, Halls Floral, Northern State Bank, Ekeren Drug, Ace Hardware, Variety Sales, Hallmark, Thrifty White Drug, Wanda's Flower Shoppe, Radio Shack, The Medicine Shoppe, Hardees, Falls Book Store, Budget Electronics, Hardware Hank, Fleet Supply, Hugos, Diamonds and Designs, Amoco and Gary's Bakery. Area senior and seniors groups also contributed to the days event.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Christmas Songs

The Christmas season is upon us. This is a time to learn some new and fun Christmas songs. These songs are sung to the tunes of familiar children's songs.

I'm A Little Pine Tree
(Tune: I'm A Little Teapot)

I'm a little pine tree, tall and straight.
Here are my branches for you to decorate.
First we'll put the shiny star on top.
Just be careful that the balls don't drop.

Now be sure to plug in all the lights.
So I will look very gay and bright.
Then put all the presents under me.
I'm all set for Christmas, as you can see.

S-A-N-T-A
(tune: B-I-N-G-O)

There was a man on Christmas Day and Santa was his name-o.
S-A-N-T-A
S-A-N-T-A
S-A-N-T-A
And SANTA was his name-o.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need your time.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

de Paola, Tomie. Four Stories For Four Seasons. Four friends, Missy Cat, Master Dog, Mistress Pig and Master Frog, explore the pleasures and the small problems of friendship in four endearing seasonal tales.

Samals, Irene. Dawn and the Round To-It. Dawn feels sad and lonely because no one will play with her until she gets a crazy idea that makes her smile like marshmallow marmalade!

VIDEO VARIETY

The Swan Princess. Held captive and transformed into a swan by an evil sorcerer, the beautiful princess Odette befriends a frog, a turtle and a bird who struggle to keep her safe.

**Don't forget to attend Storytime every Wednesday at 11:15 a.m. at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Hassle-Free Holidays

The holiday season is here! Often the holidays become filled with STRESS for a variety of reasons. Do your best to plan ahead and eliminate as much stress as possible. Following are some suggestions to help you through this holiday season.

•Shop early so that much of December can be focused on family activities, fellowship with friends, attending holiday concerts, reading, writing on cards and relaxing!

•Concentrate on the spirit of giving and fellowship vs. having everything (dinner, home, tree, gifts) perfect. Keep your expectations in perspective.

•Delegate whatever chores you can. Tree trimming, grocery shopping, dinner preparation and clean up, party favors, etc.

•Keep holiday gift-giving in perspective. Purchase gifts within your budget. The reality of the post-holiday bills can bring unwanted stress after the holiday season.

•Wrap things as soon as you buy them. Take gifts to the store's gift wrapping department, wrapping fundraiser or wrap them when you get home.

•Choose to laugh. Humor reduces stress. Laughter acts as a pressure release valve.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk with family members about the true meaning of the holidays. Ask family members what is most important to them. Help young children see beyond the "I want" part of the holidays.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department

Zion Church plans Christmas choir concert Dec. 17

Zion Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls, will hold its annual Christmas Concert 4 p.m. December 17. The many sounds of the holiday concert are centered around the theme of "The Gift".

Music will be provided by the Senior Choir, directed by Naomi Raymond, Joyful Noise, directed by Deb Wittenberg, and Kids Praise, directed by Diane Johnson, and Resonance, the men's quartet from Zion. Nancy Kezar will be the storyteller.

Following the concert, everyone is invited to a Christmas Tea, served by the youth of the church in the fellowship hall.

The public is invited to attend.

Annual Christmas program set at Our Saviour's Fri.

Our Saviour's Christian Academy will present its annual Christmas program Friday, December 15, at 7 p.m. at Our Saviour's Lutheran church, 401 St. Paul Ave. So.

Involved in the program are all students from preschool through high school. Younger children will present songs and recitations of the season and older students will present "Christmas at Home," a musical drama set in the era of the Civil War.

The public is invited to attend the program and refreshments will be served in the church basement following the program.

Peterson gets scholarship at Jamestown

Alison Peterson, daughter of Neil and Linda Peterson of Thief River Falls, is among 175 Jamestown (ND) College students to receive a named scholarship as part of their financial aid award.

A junior double majoring in accounting and business administration—economics, Peterson received a $1,335 Dr. Russell O. and Inez Sather scholarship given to students from the Minnesota counties of Polk, Red Lake, Marshall, Mahnomen, Clearwater, Norman and Pennington.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

The Eclectic Evergreen

Decorating our family Christmas tree is like paging through a photo album or opening the lid on a hope chest. Decorating our tree is a peek into the past. Each ornament tells its history and each carries a special meaning.

Our tree can best be described as eclectic. The tree wears everything from angels to Santas to warm weather wear to snowmen and stuffed animals. Some of the decorations are old, some new. Some handmade, some not. Some simple, some fancy. But all unique.

The majority of the ornaments came as gifts – a tradition my mom began many years ago. We knew that at least one gift stashed under the tree would be the yearly ornament. She started the tradition so that when we left home and started our own families, our tree would be full and special. And, she would still have her own ornaments!

Mom continues that tradition every Christmas, yearly giving an ornament not only to her daughters, but to the grandchildren as well.

Just a glimpse of our tree shows a family flavor and its history. The earliest dated ornament is a gold angel received in 1970, when I was seven years old. In 1972, I received a felt hanging Santa and the tag still reads "From Paul and Pam." I vaguely remember these two childhood acquaintances, but each year I hang that ornament. In fact, there's at least one memento from every year since 1970.

(But my mom keeps my favorite ornament: the one I made in first grade with my sweet smiling face ensconced in a homemade paper wreath.)

Our tree sports ornaments from special relatives and friends. There's a cross-stitched NOEL that was a gift from my college roommate. There's one that acknowledges my husband's alma mater - North Dakota State University. Go Bison! Other ornaments commemorate special occasions: our first Christmas together, our first home, son's first Christmas, second Christmas, third Christmas.

There are the ornaments that bring memories of past friendships and associations, like the heart inscribed: "Thanks for putting your heart into it."

There are the ornaments that someone, more artsy than me, took the patience to craft: the acorn-headed mouse snoozing in half of a walnut shell; a walnut painted red and trimmed to look like a strawberry; the Rudolph constructed from clothespins; the handknitted gloves, wreaths, hats and Christmas stockings; and the hand molded clay reindeer.

Then there are the items made by little hands – candy canes and gingerbread men – that put a final touch on the festive tree.

The ornaments range from the simple stuffed bear to the blown-glass dove. But whatever shape or form; they serve a purpose.

Each year we remove each piece from the box, look at it and reminisce. There are some oohs and aahs and wows. We never tire of them no matter how many years they've graced the tree. And every year, thanks to mom, we have a new one or two to add, creating a new page of the photo album.

Breuer given UND academic scholarship

Melissa Breuer of Thief River Falls is the recipient of a J. F. T. O'Connor scholarship for the 1995-96 school year at the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. The scholarship is awarded to students selected for high academic ability and leadership. Melissa is a transfer student from Moorhead State University.

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Kelly Mervin and Joe Blondi were united in marriage on August 4 at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Rosary in Duluth. Parents of the couple are Buzz and Kaye Mervin and Joe and Merllyn Blondi of Warroad. Kelly is the granddaughter of Tony Dorn and the late Teddy Dorn.

Mercy Bleser and Todd Delen are residing in Roseau after their marriage on September 2 in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Roseau. Father Rey Peicisco officiated at the ceremony. Parents of the bride are Blanche Bleser and Leonard Bleser of Coon Rapids. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Al Delen of Thief River Falls.

Heritage Community Center hosts Christmas open house

The Heritage Center will have an open house on Friday, December 15 from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. At 1:30 p.m. the guest speaker, Mary Schneider, will present "Putting Power into Your Power of Attorney and Life into Your Living Will." Schneider is the Executive Director from Legal Services of Northwest Minnesota from Moorhead. The seminar is free of charge and sponsored by Legal Services of Northwest Minnesota, the Northwest Area Agency on Aging and the Heritage Senior Citizens Center.

The day will also include music, games, refreshments and door prizes. There will also be a seasonal guest. All ages are welcome.

ON THE OTHER HAND

Vicki Bitangelo
Lincoln High School

Tonight a special friend asked what I wanted for Christmas. Just last week Grandma and Grandpa called to see what I'd like under their enormous evergreen. One of my best friends seems to have spent hours pondering what gift would be perfect for me. Every day Mom and Dad prod for gift ideas.

And you know, it's funny--in years past I've been so anxious and excited about the prettily wrapped presents and perfectly picked packages. However, this year I can't think of a thing I really wish to ask for. I already have everything I could ever want. I have a close family, a strong faith, a wonderful group of friends, a charming sweetheart, a beautiful farm, and a real hometown.

I've spent a lot of time reflecting lately. Like tonight, I'm writing by the light of our Christmas tree's softly shaded bulbs. I think, being a senior, I'm caught up in that last-Christmas-season-really-at-home feeling.

Someone laughed at me one time when I said I loved Thief River Falls more than any other place in the world. You see, I've lived all over the United States, as well as overseas. I've gone from the heather-purple moors of England to the snow-capped peaks of the Austrian Alps, from the sandy Atlantic coast of Georgia to the open prairies of Kansas. I've stood on the shores of Loch Ness and the shores of the Pacific coast. But, out of all those beautiful places and different cultures, I've found the most delightful place in the world right here in this northern Minnesota town.

I think it was hard for someone who's lived here for a lifetime to realize why having Thief River Falls as my hometown is so important to me. As I said, I've moved many times as I've grown up. I've said goodbye to many old faces and hello to many new ones. Moving has certainly been difficult, but it also made me the person I am today.

Now, I've lived in Thief River Falls for four years come January 6—longer than any other place I've lived before. I've found a sense of earthly stability in this town. It means a great deal to me to have gone through these years at Lincoln with my classmates, and I treasure being able to graduate with them more than I can ever say.

In the past few years, we've had to consider the possibility of moving again because of layoffs at the college where Dad teaches. Somehow, however, the Lord always provides for us, and we've been able to stay. We have a perfect, little Christmas tree farm north of town, wonderful neighbors, and a precious community.

I don't know if I can pinpoint what makes Thief River Falls so special. Perhaps it is the neighbor who shows up at 7:30 in the morning to help blow snow on a big day for the farm. Perhaps it is the people braving the biting snow and whipping wind to observe the lighting of the Thief River Falls Christmas Tree. Perhaps it is the spirit of the K-mart shoppers as they purchase gifts for the Angel Tree. Perhaps it is the rowdy spirit of the crowd at a home football game. Perhaps it is a bunch of little things and a whole lot of special people that make this town so special.

A few days ago, I found an old, unmailed letter I had written to someone after we moved here. I had penned, "I love it here - the farm is all that we dreamed it would be and the people are more special than we would ever have imagined." I still believe that with all my heart.

So I guess I can't really ask for anything for Christmas this year. My present won't fit under our sweetly-lit Norway Pine. I already have the perfect gift--a real hometown and people to share it with.

(The writers of this column are members of the Literary Arts Class, a Magnet Arts Program at Lincoln high school.)

Sunday school presents musical

United Methodist Church Sunday School in Thief River Falls will present Linda Rebuck and Tom Sethes Christmas musical "Gettin Ready for the Miracle" Sunday, December 17 at 7 p.m. in the church sanctuary. Public attendance is invited and there is no charge.

The musical includes contemporary music set around the traditional Christmas story as a group of Sunday School children and their director attempt to pull together their annual Christmas program. Brenda Mathen, who is directing the musical, says that youngsters can see a lot of themselves in the production.

"Every year churches everywhere, including our own, put together a Christmas program," Mrs. Mathen said. "This is a program any audience will appreciate. Children in the play go through a very real experience, keeping Jesus at the heart of Christmas.

"With all the hustle and bustle, we don't want the children to miss the true meaning of the holidays. Jesus is God's gift to us if we will just receive Him."

Soloists for the musical include Ann Gustafson, Josh Swenson, Yvonne Asp, Samuel Harget and Brianna Reierson with Reid Pratland as accompanist.

Tiffany Brouse has baby girl

Tiffany Kay Brouse of Thief River Falls announces the birth of her daughter Kaylee Rae Brouse, born October 31 at Northwest Medical Center, weighing seven pounds, three and three-quarters ounces and measured 19 inches long. Kaylee is the granddaughter of Sid and Donna Brouse, also of Thief River Falls.

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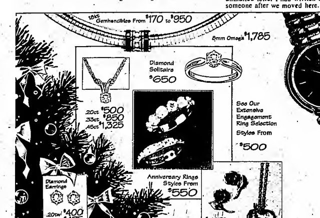

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Kathryn (Shetler) Dahlstrom authors four children's books

"The problems my characters have and the adventures that spring from them—poverty, no dad at home, street gangs, drug pushers—are are the things real ghetto kids face," writes Kathryn (Shetler) Dahlstrom of Dominguez Hills, CA, a Los Angeles suburb.

"The children I volunteer teach at Jordan Downs housing community in the Watts section of Los Angeles have resigned themselves to losing at least one older brother, sister or cousin to violence. Yet they have the energy and affection of any kids I've worked with."

Now married to Tim Dahlstrom, Kathryn is the daughter of Dorothy Shetler and the late Roy Shetler and reigned as Miss Thief River Falls in 1977-78. She and Tim are graduates of Lincoln high school and Northland Community College. Kathryn leads a Child Evangelism Fellowship Good News Club once a week, part of the after-school program of the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA), Watts unit.

She has recently published a Good News Club series of four children's books for elementary and middle school-age children, which are sold individually or as a set. The titles are *Peppi's Rescue*, *Trapped by an Earthquake*, *Captives in the Wilderness* and *Street Games*.

"The main characters in my books—an 11-year-old boy named Carlos and a 12-year-old girl named Mashell, have been inspired by the kids I teach," Kathryn said.

"My stories have a lot of action in them, and they're based on problems the children in my Good News club really face—drive-by shootings, threats from street gangs, pressure to use and peddle illegal drugs, even earthquakes. But like my real-life kids, my characters find joy in friendship and the love God can bring to soft hearts in a hard world."

While back in Thief River Falls for the Christmas holidays, Mrs. Dahlstrom will sign her books at Home Sweet Home where they are now on sale locally. Nanci Kezar will host the autograph sessions from 3 to 6 p.m. Friday, December 22, and 9:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, December 23.

Kathryn (Shetler) Dahlstrom

"I feel these books have a universal appeal for all young readers who have ever wanted love, well-being, friendship and fun," she said. "Reading-age children and teens are especially welcome at the book signing sessions."

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Elizabeth Klammer receives Lignite education award

Elizabeth Klammer, a junior and senior high school science teacher at Oklee has been presented with the Laurie Kupcho Lignite Education Award for being the outstanding participant in a three-day, lignite-energy teacher education seminar held in Bismarck, ND, this past summer.

A representative of the Lignite Energy Council honored Klammer by presenting her on Tuesday with a cash prize of $100, a replica of an old-time teachers hand bell and a certificate. The award ceremony was conducted at Oklee public schools before Supt. Galen Clow and Principal William Reusch.

Klammer was chosen for the honor partly for her active role as a participant in a lignite-energy teacher education seminar attended by 40 teachers from Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana, and also for producing a high-quality, classroom lesson plan about lignite energy. In addition, Klammer's participation in the seminar earned her a continuing education credit from the Center for Economic Education at the University of North Dakota.

Klammer was sponsored by Otter Tail Power company at the seminar.

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Residents of foster homes in the Thief River Falls area were hosted to a potluck supper and a dance Monday evening at the Eagles hall in Thief River Falls. Music for dancing was provided by Cathy Erickson.

River of Champions book nearly sold out

Former Thief River Falls resident Mary Halverson Schofield has nearly sold out the original 4,000 copies of her book *River of Champions*, based on the true story about the 1956 Minnesota state high school hockey champions from Thief River Falls.

The book was published in January of this year by Four Directions Publishing Company of Edina and is adapted from a screen play, which Schofield wrote and registered with Writer's Guild West in June of 1989.

The author is now involved in a dispute with promoters of a screen play entitled "The Boys from Minnesota," which she says uses her concept of a "small Minnesota town hockey team overcoming obstacles and winning the Minnesota state high school championship."

Schofield was present in 1955 when the Prowlers lost to Minneapolis South in 11 overtimes in the opening round of the state tournament and in 1956 when the short-handed Prowler team (which had only 10 players all season) defied all odds to win the state title.

River of Champions has been extensively favorably reviewed around a several state area.

Oakland Park board to meet

Executive board of Oakland Park Nursing Home will meet Thursday, December 14, at 5:30 p.m. at the nursing home in Thief River Falls.

School board airs safety at Monday meet

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ing session on teaching dynamics.

The recommendation calling for budget reductions states that the school board must reduce expenditures "immediately, and whereas, this reduction in expenditures must include discontinuance of K-12 positions and discontinuance or curtailment of K-12 programs, and whereas, a determination must be made as to which teachers' contracts must be terminated and not renewed and which teachers may be placed on unrequested leave of absence without pay or fringe benefits in effective discontinuance of positions. Be It Resolved, by the school board of independent school district 564 as follows: That the school board hereby directs the superintendent of schools and administration to consider the discontinuance of K-12 programs and positions to effectuate economies in the school district and reduce expenditures and make recommendations to the school board for the discontinuance of programs, curtailment of programs, discontinuance of positions, or curtailment of positions."

The school board certified the final 1995 payable 1996 levy in the amount of $3,115,935.46.

The board approved the process for budget reductions. The goal of the process is $400,000 minimum reductions in expenditures from the general fund. The goal will be achieved by "receiving input from individuals in those jobs at the level closest to education." Then, building consensus until the final proposal is presented to the school board at its February 12 meeting. The board will consider the recommendations and make a final decision at its March 11 board meeting.

A cabinet, whose function is to review recommendations for "feasibility and workability" was also created. Specific department recommendations will be added. Any administrative reductions/suggestions will be made at this level. If both are true, it will make recommendations to the administrative team. If one or the other (feasibility and workability) is not true, recommendations will be referred back to the building leadership teams.

The school board recognized a number of individuals and actions taken, including: Jennifer Moreau who recently completed high school requirements through the Area Learning Center; KKAQ which donated broadcast tables for the Lincoln high school gymnasium; the Elks Club, which donated $250 for the Chemical Awareness Program; and recent donations to the district's Little Brother/Little Sister program, which included $1,000 from the US West Foundation, $500 from the American Legion Club Post 117, $205 from the United Methodist Church Women, and $145 and gifts for Little Brother/Little Sister families from K-Mart.

Book pays tribute to TRF Centennial

A community educator in Thief River Falls has taken up a new hobby, finishing her first work just in time for the city's Centennial Celebration.

Yoshiko Duke, with the help of the Thief River Falls United Methodist Church Education Commission, has published a collection of history, devotionals, poetry, student art, and recipes in a book entitled "What God Means to Me. . ." which became available this month through the Falls Book Company in Thief River Falls.

The book is a tribute to the community centennial, which will be celebrated throughout 1996. Duke says the United Methodist Church was the first organized church in Thief River Falls. "The historical part of the book was written by Yvonne Bredeson. It's very colorful, and I found our church had become interwoven into the fabric of the community. We've added personal devotionals, art from our children, multi-cultural recipes — even poetry." Duke says the book, which was typeset and designed by Brenda McCarty of Thief River Falls, uses an original two color format. "It is a unique design that will make it easier to locate special features, like recipes."

Duke is a native of Osaka, Japan, who has taught community education classes in Japanese language and cooking, and children's introduction to Japanese culture. Her book, which took more than five years to collect and complete, is also a "thank you" to a community that Duke says took her in "and accepted me as I was."

Duke is a reformed Buddhist, who came to the United States in 1956. She first accepted Christianity when her daughter was baptized in 1963. "I felt it was important for her God to become my God, like it is written in the book of Ruth. But, I have struggled with faith all my life. I think the Holy Spirit has been with me always, even as a child, and the day I accepted Christ — really accepted him — 10 years ago, that was the most important day in my life."

"What God Means to Me. . .," is available from the Falls Book Company in Thief River Falls, and also through the Methodist Church office at 681-4388. Each book costs $10. Profits benefit the Church Building Improvement Fund.

Yoshiko Duke, author of "What God Means to Me. . ." is a unique collection of history, recipes, student art, devotionals, and poetry. It was recently published as a tribute to the Thief River Falls Centennial. The book became available this month through the Falls Book Company, 103 Third Street East in Thief River Falls.

Park manager attends meeting

Mary Broten, park manager of Old Mill State Park, attended the Minnesota State parks Biennial Conference "Building on Our Strengths", December 5-7, in Rochester. The conference covered many techniques and topics in areas ranging from interpretive approach and resource management to community benefits of State Parks.

Trail News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Darlene Eisbrener rural Trail was a dinner guest at the Rose Aaknes home on Sunday. Evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Omar Qually of Gonvick. Adeline Prevost of Oklee was also a brief caller on Rose.

Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Rose Aaknes were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Wayne and Kathy Bakke home at Gonvick. Scott and Leeann Bakke and Megan and Brennan and Kurt Bakke of Gonvick were also dinner guests.

Kelly and Brenda Dahlen and family of Goodridge, Bruce and Denise Peterson, Angie and Dustin of Oklee, Kurt and Janet Halvorson and family and Marilyn Halvorson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Sordahl home.

Howard and Sylvia Flateland and Roxanne, Vernon and Joann Voaltz, Janet Bakke and family of rural Bagley and Roger Coan of Goodridge were Thanksgiving Day visitors at the John Ratkover home at Becida.

Brief callers at the Rose Aaknes home were Connie Syvarson Adeline Prevost of Oklee and Lee and Knute Flateland.

Douglas Evja of Thief River Falls, Dean Evja of Fosston and Doris and Darren Evja spent Thanksgiving Day at the Bob Danielson home rural Bagley.

Mount Olive Sunday school will hold there children Christmas program on Sunday, December 17 at 3:00 p.m. at the Mount Olive church in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarod Larson and family of Bagley Mike and Lori Wallman, Brandon and Cassandra and Knute Flateland were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at Ernie Larson, Bradlee and Margaret Flateland of Brooklyn Park spent the holidays weekend here.

Goodridge

Sheri Liedberg
681-4446

Raymond Halvorson was elected president of Resident Council in June at Mac Manor. He also does volunteer service for the residents.

Robert Foster is secretary of resident council and has done a good job.

Ragna Berg and Ethel Gillonwater are the other two members of the board.

Orlan Rondahl of Fosston had knee surgery in Bemidji last week, he will be in the Fosston Hospital for physical therapy, friend and old neighbors from Gully and Trail wish him well.

Edwin Halvorson came to visit his brother Raymond. They went up town to do some shopping before he went home.

John Nelson of McIntosh visited Raymond Halvorson at Mac Manor.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel of Goodridge visited Tilla Johnsrud last Saturday at the McIntosh Manor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnsrud of Goodridge visited with their mother Tilla Johnsrud last Tuesday at McIntosh Manor.

LETTERS

To the Editor:

While we were traveling to our home in the country last Thursday night the transmission in our vehicle failed, leaving us stranded. No sooner had I put on my hazard lights than a gentleman stopped and towed our vehicle back to town. On top of that, he gave my daughter and me a ride home!

We would like to thank Mr. Paul Spiel for helping us out. We were in great need of some help and Paul came through for us. It is nice to see people helping other people when they need it the most. Thanks again for your help!

Sincerely,
Jeff Wiltse
Thief River Falls

Gonsorowski joins college art committee

Jolene Gonsorowski, daughter of Conrad and Betty Gonsorowski of Thief River Falls is a member of the Art Committee of Studio One for the 1995-96 academic year at the College of Saint Benedict. Gonsorowski is a senior art major at the college.

Studio One is a regional literary and visual arts magazine published every spring by college students. The publication includes visual art work, literature and poetry of students from the College of Saint Benedict and Saint John's University.

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Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle
436-2133

The weather in Northwest Minnesota has shown how severe it can become. Twice this week the school has been closed Tuesday and Friday. On Friday all day long we couldn't see much over a block down the street. The TV kept us informed of cancellations and closures and the blizzard didn't let down until towards Saturday morning.

Roy could only see two of his thermometers and they had the same bad news as the TV so we decided to decorate the Christmas tree. When we were done with that we had to vacuum the floor and the day came to an end. Saturday the sun shone and after lunch Roy spent a couple of hours blowing the snow off the sidewalks and driveway. Today the temperature was between -30 and -35 degrees, sunny and life is back to normal.

The Strandquist Seniors closed down their meetings a couple of weeks ago and donated some money to the town for candy when Santa was to come to town. His appearance was postponed last Saturday and his next appointment hasn't been set. It depends on the weather.

Morris and Marcalyn Lindstrom joined Mr. and Mrs. David Lindstrom of Anoka in Lake Bronson to help Gussie Swanson celebrate his 85th birthday.

Keith, Kathy, Josh, Jared and Allison Britten and Paul and Kenny Anderson helped put up the Christmas tree and decorate and then enjoyed supper at Moms and Hazel Anderson's on Sunday.

On Saturday, Pearl Thompson, Betsy Thompson and Marie Johnson went to Elsie Latrooth's to write and send Christmas gifts to each missionary who are being sent support from the Assembly of God church in Karlstad. Elsie practiced her hospitality on them when they were through.

Isaac and Betty Thompson returned home on Tuesday after a couple of weeks spent with Tom and Barb Woodruff in St. Charles, MO. On Thanksgiving Day they enjoyed dinner with Tom and Barb and Tom's parents Jim and [illegible] Woodruff. One week was spent in [illegible], AR visiting the Allen [illegible] families and going to Branson, MO which is a short way from [illegible]. On the return to St. Charles, Jim Woodruff took them to St. Louis to take the plane back to Grand Forks.

Gully

Mark and Carla Haugen of Duluth, Shirley Sundquist of Proctor, Pam Ringstad of Dayton, Kerry Ringstad of St Paul, Dave and Sandra Graff of Plymouth, Ben and Grace Hoganson of Crookston, Dallas and Marilyn Radi of Detroit Lakes, Wally and Maxine Paulson of Bemidji all came to attend Ed Haugens funeral. All are nieces and nephews of Ed Haugen. Pam Ringstad and Karry Ringstad were overnight guests of Delons Ringstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne and Emma Nyland were Sunday guests at Effie Handys.

Mrs. Mike Holen from Barnesville called on Effie one day last week.

Ed and Lyn Turenne and Maja of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Corey Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Marty Lavine were Sunday guests there.

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Dale Ranum, 62

Thief River Falls — Dale Ranum, 62, died Tuesday, December 5 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Services were held on Friday, December 8 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Rev. Dennis Raymond officiating. Special music was provided by Phyllis Dalager and vocalists Jodi, Joel and Brian Ranum who sang "On Eagles Wings" and Resonance who sang "Just a Closer Walk with Thee." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Joy to the World."

Casketbearers were Rory Anderson, Kevin Anderson, Jodi Bendickson, Tom Bendickson, Joel Ranum and Brian Ranum. Honorary casketbearers were all of his grandchildren and Wallace Heaton, Chet Aubol, Keith Higgenbothum, Culver Kisch, Russell Lane, Duane Lillevold, Fred Meyer, Al Gehils, Lloyd Halvorson, David Krinsberg and Bill Jacobson. Military honors accorded by the Thief River Falls VFW and American Legion. Interment was in Rindal Cemetery, New Solum township, Marshall county with Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Dale Ranum was born December 9, 1932 in Excel township, Marshall county to the late Carl and Ada (Jacobson) Ranum. He was baptized at Trinity Lutheran Church on May 17, 1933, confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church on May 5, 1947. Dale attended a rural elementary school in Marshall county, graduated from Lincoln High School in 1950 and also attended Northland Community College.

On April 25, 1952 Dale entered the United States navy at Fargo, ND and served until April 24, 1956. Following his discharge he moved to Thief River Falls.

On September 5, 1958 he was united in marriage to Beverly Austad at Zion Lutheran Church. Dale was employed at Sjoberg's from 1956-1958, from 1958-1983 he worked for Glendenning as terminal manager in Thief River Falls. He began working at Hartz Trucking Line retiring in 1994.

He was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church, VFW, American Legion and the Eagles Aerie.

He is survived by his wife Beverly; one daughter Jodi Bendickson, Thief River Falls; four sons, Rory Anderson, Thief River Falls, Kevin Anderson, Bismarck, ND, Joel Ranum, Thief River Falls, and Brian Ranum, Spring Lake Park; twelve grandchildren; one brother, Kenneth Ranum, Fergus Falls; half sister, Olive Rondorf, Thief River Falls; half brother, Olaf Jorde, Thief River Falls; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; grandson, Christopher Ranum; half brothers, Clifford Jorde, Clarence Jorde and Leonard Jorde; half sister, Clara Mae Swanson.

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John Michael Anderson, 47

Thief River Falls — John Michael Anderson, 47, died on Wednesday, December 6 at North Memorial Medical Center in Robbinsdale following a long battle with diabetes.

Services were held on Saturday, December 9 at Trinity Lutheran Church with Revs. John Wolleatten and Tim Bauer officiating. Special music was provided by organist Dorothy Larson and vocalist Leroy Aasland.

Honorary pallbearers are members of the Thief River Falls Lions Club and the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club. Active pallbearers were Rick Nelson, Wendell Olson, Jeff Wiltse, Rick Reierson, Richard Bjorkman, Jeff Tunberg, Tyrone Birkeland and Steve Sokke. Arrangements were with Belmont Funeral Home.

John Michael Anderson was born January 7, 1948 in Thief River Falls, the son of John and Marie (Austin) Anderson. He grew up and attended school in Thief River Falls, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1966. He attended Northland Community College and the University of Minnesota Duluth where he received his Bachelors Degree in 1971. He returned to Thief River Falls where he taught school and also worked for the Thief River Falls Golf Club. He moved to Minneapolis where he worked for the Sheraton Hotel Corporation and Lancer Clothing. In 1977 he returned to Thief River Falls and began working for Bjorkman's Clothing. Failing health forced his retirement in 1992.

John Michael was an avid sports fan, following a wide range of spectator sports. He also did some sports broadcasting and writing.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, the Thief River Falls Lions Club, and the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club. He was elected to the Prowler Hall of Fame in 1995.

He is survived by his mother Marie Anderson, Thief River Falls; sister Jan Klopp, Thief River Falls; nephews, John Azure and Dan Klopp; and a niece, Dawn Klopp.

He is preceded in death by his father.

Alvin Milton Rude, 74

Thief River Falls — Alvin Milton Rude, 74, died Thursday, December 12 at the VA Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Services will be held Wednesday, December 13 at 11 a.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church, Winger, with Pastor Robert Amundson officiating. The organist will be Carol Stordahl with special music by John and Edie Mattson.

Pallbearers will be members of the Winger American Legion Fengestad-Solie Post #200. Honorary pallbearers are Alvin's nieces, nephews and grandchildren and the doctors and nurses at Fargo Veterans Hospital. Military rites accorded by Winger American Legion Fengstad-Stolie Post #200. The Mattson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Alvin was born to Henry L. and Ida (Lewis) Rude on June 11, 1921 at Fertile. He grew up and attended school in Fertile and Winger where he also worked on his parent's farm.

He served in the US Army during World War II and was at the Normandy Invasion. Following his military service, he returned to Winger where he farmed with his parents.

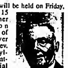
On June 20, 1954, he married Beverly Evenson. The couple farmed near Fosston. In 1957 he began working as a bartender for the Fosston Municipal Liquor Store and in 1960 he moved to Erskine where he was employed as manager of the Erskine Municipal Liquor Store. In 1967 he began working at Detroiter Mobile Homes in Red Lake Falls as a lead man. He moved to Thief River Falls in 1978 and retired in 1986. After his retirement, he worked part-time for Green Thumb and did income tax work for various people in the Thief River Falls area.

He is survived by his son Corey of Roseau; daughter Kimberly Imberi, Moorhead; brother Erwin, Winger; sister Edna Helgaas, Winger; and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother Mylen; two sisters, Blanche and Irene.

Frank Srnsky, 92

St. Hilaire — Frank Srnsky, 92, died Monday, December 11 at Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.



Services will be held on Friday, December 15 at Redeemer Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls with Rev. Marcia Sylvester officiating. Special music will be provided by organist Ruthie Mosbeck and vocalists Marilyn and Lisa Swanson. Selections will be "Old Rugged Cross" and "Peace in the Valley." Congregational hymns will be "Amazing Grace" and "How Great Thou Art."

Honorary casketbearers are his grandchildren and great-grandchildren whom he loved and adored very much. Active casketbearers were Neil Bugge, Keith Bugge, Kenneth Fort, Don Srnsky, Larry Srnsky and Paul Srnsky. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Visitation will be on Thursday from 3-9 p.m. at the Green Funeral Home with a prayer service at 7 p.m. and at the church one hour prior to services.

Frank James Srnsky was born on April 9, 1903 near Tarbor, the son of the late Louis and Clara (Landa) Srnsky. He was baptized in the church at Tarbor and the family moved to the Highlanding area when he was a small child. In Highland he attended school and grew to adulthood.

On January 10, 1928 he was united in marriage to Ida Sordahl at Grygla. The couple lived near Goodridge for nine years where he farmed, trapped and logged. In 1937 they moved to St. Hilaire and he has since made his home there. Frank raised turkeys, farmed, trucked and worked for the Pennington County Highway Department. Ida died on December 18, 1983.

Frank is survived by his children, Clarice Rooker of Thief River Falls, Jeanette Walker, Watford City, ND, Richard, Zimmerman, James, Thief River Falls, Jack, St. Hilaire, Darlene Rooker, Grand Forks, ND, and Sharon Bugge, St. Hilaire; 23 grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Hattie Zharela, Duluth and Mildred Srnsky, St. Hilaire and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife; two grandsons, Rodney Srnsky and Wesley Srnsky; seven great-grand children, Ronnie Walker, Jenny Srnsky, twin brothers Derek and Dillon Britt, Elizabeth Srnsky, Guy Britt and Karl Leonhardt; his brothers, George in infancy, Adolph, Louis and Lawrence.

Nan Amanda Hammer, 95

Greenbush — Nan Amanda Hammer, 95, formerly of Badger, died Tuesday, December 5 at Greenbush Nursing Home.

Services were Saturday, December 9 at Gieseke Funeral Chapel, Greenbush with Rev. Alan Arneson officiating. Interment was in the Swedish Cemetery, Badger.

Nan was born March 8, 1900 near Badger to August and Amanda (Carlson) Anderson. She grew up and attended school in Badger. She was baptized and confirmed in the Swedish Lutheran Church in Badger. She lived in Duluth where she worked at the YMCA for many years.

She married Ole Hammer in 1937. They lived on a farm near Badger for many years before moving into Badger. Ole died on January 29, 1991. Nan has been a resident of the Greenbush Nursing Home since 1990.

She is survived by a sister, Johannah Mickelson of Greenbush; nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; brothers, Aldrick and Alex; sisters, Anna, Ida and Tilda.

Denise Lindblom Daugherty, 43

Dunedin, FL — Denise Lindblom Daugherty, 43, died Wednesday, December 6 at Mease Hospital, Dunedin, FL.

Services were Saturday, December 9 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Clearwater, FL with entombment at Sylvan Abbey Memorial Park, Clearwater, FL. Arrangements were by Lakeview Chapel Funeral Home, Clearwater, Fl.

Denise was born in Fargo, ND to Harold and Elna Lindblom. She moved to Florida from Felton in 1968. She was an interior designer and a graduate of USF. She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Clearwater, FL.

She is survived by her husband James E. T. Daugherty; her parents; two sisters, Genoro Schjeldrup, Felton, and Donna Kuchorz, Clearwater, FL.

Eleanor Elizabeth Maves, 78

Mentor — Eleanor Elizabeth Maves, 78, of rural Mentor died at her Maple Lake home Monday afternoon, December 4.

Services were Thursday, December 7 at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Crookston with interment on the Calvary Cemetery at Crookston. The family requests that memorials be given in Eleanor's name to The Red River Valley Hospice in Thief River Falls, First Care Medical Services in Erskine or the St. Lawrence Church Building Fund in Mentor.

Eleanor was born at Pueblo, CO on September 29, 1917, the daughter of Edward and Florence (Hapney) Huneke. In 1922 she moved with her parents to East Grand Forks.

On November 12, 1938, Eleanor was united in marriage to Russell Maves at East Grand Forks. The couple moved to Crookston where Eleanor dedicated her energies to her family and the community. For a period of 21 years, Eleanor directed and produced the "Ice Follies," an enthusiastic ice skating review sponsored by the Crookston Jaycees. She also spent more than three decades being active in the Hospital Auxiliary, in Crookston and statewide, including two years as president of the Minnesota Hospital Auxiliary. During this time she formed the "Candy Steppers" and also an entertainment group call "Eleanor's Sextet."

She taught toe, tap and ballet dancing to hundreds of children in Crookston and, with her husband Russ, taught ballroom dancing to adults in the broader community. From 1970 until 1980, Eleanor and Russ owned and operated the Upper Deck restaurant in Crookston. In 1985, the Crookston Business and Professional Women's organization named Eleanor "Woman of the Year," in appreciation "for her exceptional qualities of leadership and integrity and her distinguished achievements for the betterment of her community." In recent years she was active in organizing and fund raising for the establishment of the Golden Link Senior Citizen's Center. In 1990 Eleanor and Russ made Maple Lake their permanent residence and for the last several years had been wintering in Colorado Springs, CO.

She is survived by her husband Russell of rural Mentor; son Gary of Grand Forks, ND; two daughters, Nancy Thomasson of rural Mentor and Cindy Hutchins of Moorhead; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; as well as many other relatives. Eleanor was preceded in death by her parents.

Arvid J. Hultin, 86

Crookston — Arvid J. Hultin, 86, formerly of Red Lake Falls, died Saturday, December 9 at the Villa St. Vincent Nursing Home in Crookston.

Funeral services were Tuesday, December 12 at the Presbyterian Church in Red Lake Falls with Rev. Robert Schurr officiating. Special music was provided by organist Sally Boyle and vocalist Reverend Schurr.

Casketbearers were Charles Magnusson, John Roy, Robert Fick, Glen Hultin, Niel Hultin and Ronald Hultin. Interment was at Hoople, ND Cemetery.

Arvid Julius was born on June 9, 1909 at Nash, ND the son of the late John and Anna (Dahl) Hultin.

He was married to Clara Carpenter on November 24, 1936 at Hoople, ND. Arvid farmed with his father until 1947 when they moved to a farm near Fordville, ND which they farmed until 1957 when the family moved to Red Lake Falls. They purchased a farm in the Wylie township area and farmed there until 1973 when he retired. He also worked at the Lafayette High School as a custodian for several years. Since 1993 he has resided at the Villa St. Vincent Nursing Home.

Arvid enjoyed hunting, trapping, gardening and farming. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church of Red Lake Falls and the couple recently celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary.

He is survived by his wife Clara of Crookston; two sons, Alden of Fergus Falls and Wilmer of Detroit Lakes; daughters, Patricia Magnusson of Crookston, Mary Roy, Blaine and Phyllis Fick, Detroit Lakes; 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. He is also survived by two brother, Russell and Irving and two sisters, Doris Owens and Anna Hultin.

He was preceded in death by one son Sheldon Hultin; great-grandson, John Schneider and five brother, Vernal, Alvin, Merton, Leonard and Helmer.

Harriet L. Goplin, 82

Moorhead — Harriet Goplin, 82, died Sunday, December 10 at a Fargo, ND hospital.

The funeral will be held Thursday, December 14 at 11 a.m. in Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Warren with interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Warren. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 5-7 p.m. in Quanrud's Funeral Home, Warren and one hour prior to services at the church. Arrangements are by Wright Funeral Home, Moorhead.

Harriet L. Bren was born August 5, 1913 to John E. and Olgo (Oseth) Bren. She lived at various places in northwestern Minnesota. She graduated from Oslo High School in 1934.

She married Sanford O. Goplin on December 18, 1935 at Warren. They lived in Warren where she worked for a number of years as a clerk in the auditors office at the Marshall County Courthouse. She also worked as a nurses aide at the Good Samaritan Home in Warren. They moved to Moorhead and in 1993 became residents of the Eventide Living Center.

She was an active member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Warren for many years.

She is survived by her husband Sanford, Moorhead; three sons, Lee, Grand Rapids, Russell, Bemidji and Lowell, Warren; two daughters, June Dewerff, Moorhead and Lana Schoenack, Moorhead; one brother Raymand S. Bren, Thief River Falls and one sister Doris Foss-Airhart, Driftwood, TX; 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Robert C. Bren and Gordon E. Foss.

Agnes Dorothy Staie, 89

Richland — Agnes Dorothy Staie, 89, died Tuesday afternoon, December 5 at New Richland Care Center, New Richland.

Services were Saturday, December 9 at Grace Evangelical Free Church, Strathcona, with Pastor Bob Ludwig officiating. Special music was provided by Wesley and Byron Staie.

Casketbearers were Stephen Pillingsrud, Todd Pillingsrud, Byron Stoie, Jr., Matthew Pillingsrud, Gregory Pillingsrud and Rick Johnson. Interment was in Karlstad Cemetery with Collins Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Agnes was born to Carl and Maria (Johnson) Stohlberg on August 9, 1906 in Lind township, Roseau, near Strathcona. She attended school and grew to womanhood there.

On December 23, 1933, she was united in marriage to Melvin Staie of Thief River Falls. The couple made their home at Strathcona for many years. Agnes was a charter member of the Grace Evangelical Free Church of Strathcona and was active in a variety of church affairs.

Melvin passed away April 8, 1967 and Agnes continued to make her home at Strathcona until 1973. She then moved to Thief River Falls and in 1986 she moved to the Whispering Pines Nursing Home at Pine River. Since January 1994 she has resided at the New Richland Care Center.

Harvey Anderson, 80

Kelliher — Harvey Anderson, 80, died Tuesday, December 5.

Services were held on Saturday, December 9 at Our Savior Lutheran Church, Kelliher, with Rev. Timothy White officiating.

Casketbearers were John Andersan, Keith Kisner, Bill Kisner, Bill Bridenstine, Edgar Urseth and Rolland Anderson. Interment was in Bethany Cemetery, Shotley township, Kelliher.

Harvey Anderson was born on August 3, 1915 at Shotley to Olaf and Lava Anderson.

He married Linda Hanson in 1971 in South Dakota and they made their home at Thief River Falls where he was employed by the Arctic Cat Co.

Harvey retired in 1981 and they moved to Shotley. Eight years ago he became a resident of the Kelliher Care Center.

He is survived by one daughter, MarieAnn Ness, Middle River, David Hansan, Thief River Falls, brother, Leonard Anderson, Blackduck and two stepgrandsons.

Harvey was preceded in death by one brother, Oliver on April 7, 1995 and by his parents.

John Hellquist, 43

Coon Rapids — John Hellquist, 43, died suddenly on December 4 at Mercy Hospital, Coon Rapids.

Mass of Christian burial was Thursday, December 7 at the Catholic Church of the Epiphany with interment in the church cemetery.

John was a 1975 graduate of the University of Minnesota College of Forestry. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and Saint Paul Oshman Shriners Temple. He was an employee of the State of Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

He is survived by his wife Jennifer; children Kirsten and Kimberly; father, Leonard Hellquist of Thief River Falls; sister Patti Folsom of Sartel; father and mother in-law, Eugene and Veronica Schaffer of Alexandria; brothers-in-law, Kevin Schaffer of Maple Plain and Douglas Schaffer of Millerville; sisters-in-law, Connie Weinman of Coon Rapids and Pamela Krieg of Moorhead; and 15 nieces and nephews.

Members of the St. Bernard's Catholic church youth group from Thief River Falls were among the 10,000 young people who attended the National Catholic Youth Conference in Minneapolis November 16-19. Theme of the semi-annual four-day conference was "Voices That Challenge. Attending from Thief River Falls were Rev. Joe DeCrans, Darcy Hestekind, Jenne Teukichl, Toni Bachend, Chris Pribula, Kim Morris, Angie Judd, Kristin Chrzanowski, Elizabeth Odette, Sarah Rasmussen, Anne Halvorson, Kelsy Stelboerger, Michael Hehne, Becky Wagner, Lisa Vettleson and Nancy Hennon.

Little Oak

Callers at the Willie Good home for the week were Adeline Henson, Lorraine Mostrom, Orban Good and Bob Weibesick of Staples.

Orban Good visited at the Willie Good home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Good visited at the Bill Torgarson home near Gonvick on Friday.

Clara Peterson and Renae Marquis called at the Ida Haugen home Thursday afternoon.

Callers at the Willie Good home on Sunday were Richard Sarrett of Red Lake and Randy Culkins.

Linda Homme and Ida Haugen called at the Gary Johnson home Saturday afternoon and were coffee guests there.

Linda Homme took her mom Ida Haugen to the Ardith Kloth home in Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon to visit and Lois Burstad came and they were supper guests there and Lois took her mom home in the evening.

Brief callers at the Ida Haugen home on Sunday were Donna Herdar, Lori Rece, Linda Homme and Lois Burstad.

David and Linda Arveson and Kyle left for Bismarck, ND on Friday. They spent the weekend visiting with Linda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Kershaw and other relatives there. They returned home on Sunday.

Gary Johnson returned to his home on Sunday. He had hip surgery at a hospital in Fargo, ND on Wednesday. Sharren and Brian went to Fargo, ND on Sunday to get Gary. We all wish Gary a complete recovery.

Viking

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ericksen spent Thanksgiving Day at the Mark Hillebroud home in Grand Forks.

Thanksgiving Day guests at the George Erickson home were Wayne and Kathy Lidon, Kelly and Keith, Russ and Nancy and Kelsey and Patrick Erickson from Grafton. Also Jeff and Becky and Holly Ericksan from Larimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hjelle went to Choske to spend Thanksgiving with Clark and Sherry Hjelle returning home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Henson spent Thanksgiving at the Abelor home in Andover. On the way down they stopped at Sauk Center to call on Bill and Edna Parkar where Jan and Debbie Honson spent Thanksgiving. Kant and Junell Hudson and children were also guests at the Abalar home in Andover. They all returned on Sunday.

Hol and Ardelle Andersen, Doug, Dione Haven and boys were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Jan and Shelly Molby home in Badger.

Newfolden

Saturday after Thanksgiving visitors at the Aaron Waterworth home were Michael and Debbie Waterworth and Read, Gene and Alice Waterworth and Chris, Joel and Lori Waterworth, Kyle, Kell, and Katie, Richard and Tina Waterworth, Trace and Tayler.

Monday evening visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Kenny and Sybil Cwikla.

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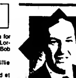

LeRoy Stumpf
State Senator, District 1

If you're a little confused about the state's financial condition, you're part of a large group. In the past month we saw headlines describing big trouble, and later saw predictions for a budget surplus. Here are a few details about the forecasts that should help clear up the confusion.

The predictions for "big trouble" involved long-term finances. The state's spending patterns could cause trouble if they are not changed. The budget surplus announced recently is only for the near future.

The long-term problems include the cost of caring for an aging population, and the growing cost of prisons. If costs continue growing at current rates, they will outstrip expected increases in state revenue. In other words, the state will have more expenses than income.

This issue received a lot of attention recently because of a controversial report. Former state lawmaker John Brandl and former Congressman Vin Weber teamed up to recommend many changes, including education vouchers and market-value based property taxes. (Their report received a mixed reaction. It will be reviewed by the legislature in 1996.)

The short-term picture looks brighter because of a strong economy. The economy has been better than expected and state revenues have been higher than expected. Lower unemployment has helped cut demand for some state services. The result is the so-called surplus.

News of a surplus is always followed by spending demands from interest groups. There are several important reasons why these demands are unrealistic.

The surplus described by the state's Finance department as $824 million is not nearly as large as it sounds. Current law requires that $15 million of that go into the budget reserve. Another $794 million is sloted to go to what is called the "early levy recognition shift" to school districts. This means an accounting shift to put some school dollars back into the current budget year instead of paying them in the following year. It is a one-time expense.

After you take care of those two items, you have about $15 million left. When you consider that Minnesota will probably have to pick up the slack from federal budget cuts in 1996, the surplus evaporates quickly.

If you hear a lot more about this topic before the winter is over, don't be surprised. There is another state financial forecast due out in late February.

Daughter of former residents is Miss Winona

Sherry Johnson, daughter of Larry and Sue Johnson of Owatonna and a student at St. Mary's College in Winona, is the reigning Miss Winona 1995.

Sherry is the granddaughter of Oscar Johnson and niece of Paul and Gena Johnson of Thief River Falls. Her mother is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Plencner of Warren.

As Miss Owatonna 1993, Sherry was a finalist in the 1994 Miss Minnesota pageant. As Miss Winona she will compete in the 1996 Miss Minnesota pageant next June. As part of her pageant platform called "I Put People First," she writes a column for the *Winona Daily News* on issues relating to people with disabilities.

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Spring Wheat #1	5.15
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New Crop 96	4.20
Winter Wheat	4.70
Durum	5.50
Top Malting Barley	3.20
Feed Barley	2.85
Top Milling Oats	2.05
Ordinary Oats	1.85
Oil Sunflowers	10.30
Corn	2.90
Rye	2.10
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The Minnesota Extension Service sponsored seminars will feature topics of wheat midge control, scab update and disease management, weed control strategies, crop variety update, tillage considerations, soil fertility and other research findings.

A local session is scheduled for Monday, December 18, in Grygla at the civic center starting at 1:30 p.m. Please check for other dates and locations. December 13 in Crookston at 9:30 a.m. and in Red Lake Falls at 1:30 p.m.; on December 14 in Roosevelt at 9:30 a.m. and in Roseau at 1:30 p.m.; December 15 in Warren at 9:30 a.m. and Hallock at 1:30 p.m.; and on December 18 in Greenbush at 9:30 a.m.

Program participants include Jochum Wiersma, small grain specialist, University of Minnesota; Curtis Sneppard and Ray Thompson, crop systems extension educators from Kittson and Marshall counties.

All sessions are sponsored by the Northern Lakes Extension Cluster and are open to the public.

River Valley

Kathy Dufka
796-5454

Congratulations and Happy Birthday to Olaf Stolaas who celebrated his 90th birthday. There was a large turnout of friends, family and neighbors to help celebrate including Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Dickens from Brooklyn Park and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fazio and Margaret from Hoyt Lakes.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Stolaas and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stolaas visited with Emma Gustafson and Tilda Heden in Thief River Falls.

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Brooks Community News

Pearl Laniel
698-4470

On Friday, a luncheon party was held in honor of Mrs. Vicki Vagges and little Brooke, new daughter of Kevin and Vicki with Mrs. Cindy Determan, Joyce Morinville, Nancy Johns, Debbie Opdahl and Nathan, Kenya Paradis, Dallas Paradis, Pam Paradis, Connie Parenteau and Pearl Laniel as guests. Little Brooke received many pretty gifts and cards.

On Sunday evening the Brooks Community held their annual Christmas scene lighting up town and held a dinner party in the St. Joseph church fellowship hall with singing and with the appearance of Santa with a big ho ho himself. Many enjoyed gifts, bags of candy won by the children and adults.

On Sunday Mrs. Patti Jo Thompson and Florence Parenteau of Grand Forks visited at the homes of Marc and Connie Parenteau, Aurel and Gloria Parenteau.

On Monday Sherlin and Evangeline Grove, Mrs. Mable Sabourin, and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Iva Determan of Marshall visited his son Del and Cindy Determan the past week and Iva and Del enjoyed fishing at the Lake of the Woods.

Russell and Cheryl Hince and Mrs. Mable Sabourin visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Tuesday.

Weekend guests of Marc and Connie Parenteau were Marc and Connie Parenteau and family of Shell Lake WI, Greg and Donna Parenteau and boys of Crookston, Gary and Dennille Parenteau and boys of Fargo, ND.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Pearl Laniel were Mrs. Joann Delage, Myrtle Hamrum, Debbie Opdahl and Nathan, Mary Jane Paradis, Dorothy Myhrs, Martha Gagner, Pat Prouls and Vi Gagner.

Mrs. Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Mrs. Sue Olson and Eric of Fosston were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mayme Berberich.

Mrs. Beryl Fritz received the news of her brother Dean Poppler of International Falls passed away on Wednesday morning. Our sympathy goes to you Beryl.

On Friday, Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Mrs. Vi Gagner and daughter Mrs. Pat Prouls spent last week visiting their son and brother Mark Gagner of North Dakota.

On Saturday, Russell and Cheryl Hince and Shawn, granddaughters Amanda and Allison Torkelson of Plummer, visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Paul and Beverly Aakhus, Justin and Josh, Mrs. Beryl Fritz spent the weekend in Grand Forks and visited with Jason Aakhus.

Pearl Laniel visited with Roger and Janet Walter of Plummer on Sunday afternoon.

Mike and Ann Turns of Greenbush, Sherri Engen, Jordon and Alex of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Walter and Wilke Katschke.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hince and Zacheray of Oklee, Russell and Cheryl Hince, Shawn and Mrs. Evangeline Grove.

Mrs. Pam Paradis and friends Monica Hoavestad and Linda Perkins of Farmington, ND returned on Thursday from a sight seeing trip to London for a few days.

Mrs. Pearl Laniel visited with Otto and Ethel Johnson of Oklee on Wednesday evening.

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Entertainment Guide

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13 — SR. CITIZEN BINGO 1:00 P.M. — BAR BINGO 6:00 P.M.
THURSDAY, DEC. 14 — BAR BINGO 6:00 - 6:30 P.M.
FRIDAY, DEC. 15 — FISH FRY 5:30 - 8:00 P.M. — DANCE 9:00-1:00 P.M. — "COUNTRY CARGO"
SATURDAY, DEC. 16 — BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M.
SUNDAY, DEC. 17 — KIDDIE CHRISTMAS PARTY 1:00-3:00 P.M.
MONDAY, DEC. 18 — BAR BINGO 5:00 - 6:30 P.M. — COOTIE SCRATCH
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10 SUNDAY BINGO	11 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	12 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH Daily Turkey Drawings	13 BLACKJACK Tournaments	14 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	15 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	16 CRAFT SALE 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. Prime Rib & Walleye Special
17 SUNDAY BINGO	18 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	19 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH	20 BLACKJACK Tournaments	21 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	22 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	23 CRAFT SALE 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. Casino Closes At Midnight
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DEC. 18 AUXILIARY MEETING 8:00 P.M. WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	DEC. 19 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "BOB SKOGLUND"	DEC. 20	DEC. 21 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 22 BAR BINGO 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 23 BAR BINGO 3-5 P.M.

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Patti, Carrie Johnson win photo contest

Patti and Carrie Johnson were top winners in the photo contest sponsored recently by the Marshall-Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation district, according to Cheryl Sistad, district manager.

Patti had the winning entries in categories of education, conservation in action and nature while Carrie had the winning entry in the youth category.

Winning entries will now be forwarded to the National Association of Conservation District photo contest.

"Our district was very pleased with the quality of entries this year although not many entries were received," Sistad said. "The district feels this was a worthwhile project and plans to hold another contest next year. Photographers should start planning their winning photo entries now."

Tilman Swenson rehearses with his violin for the Valley Home Christmas program to take place Saturday, December 16, at the home. Also performing will be Howard Miller on the mandolin and Carol Monroe of Warren will play the piano.

Christmas program and open house for Valley Home in Thief River Falls have been scheduled for Saturday, December 16, with the program at 2 p.m. and open house continuing until 4:30 p.m. Residents having roles in "The Christmas Story" are (seated in front row) Garfield Syverson as Joseph and Bea Paterson as Mary with Shania Haugan as the Baby Jesus; (back row, left to right) Lilatta Anderson, reader; Irene Benoit, Laura Bishop and Pearl Boe, angels. The public is invited to attend the program and open house.

Special music for the Christmas program to be presented at 2 p.m. Saturday, December 16, at Valley Home in Thief River Falls will be provided by this choir of residents. Pictured left to right are, front row; Degny Irvin, Signe Jorgenson, Anna Olson and Marie Jeffries; second row, Luella Lundeen, Elsie Haack, Ethel Hemingson, Hazel Biom and Inga Coan; back row, Minda Hendrum, Bea Hanson, Alvira Pederson (who is also a reader for the program), Alvida Salta, Fran Nelson and Odessie Vraa. The program is under the direction of Verne Rood and will include solos and duets as well as choir numbers.

TRF Bowling Leagues

Pinsplitters League

	Wins	Losses
Borter Construction	38	11
Genereux Realty	34	15
Rundell Electric	32	17
Melwitz Dairy	31	18
Hartz Truck Line	25	24
Mid. Rv. Community Club	24	25
Rainbow Nursery	24	25
Waleeth Construction	23	26
Amoco 24	23	26
Northwest Asphalt	21	28
B-H-R's	11	38
D-Team	8	41

High Game: Lloyd Wagner 217; Sheldon Nowacki 209; Randy Rasmussen 188; Meloni Rasmussen 201; Mary Diaz 183; Kali Gustafson 190

High Series: Lloyd Wagner 145-192-217=554; Sheldon Nowacki 209-175-166=550; Randy Rasmussen 154-196-198=548; Kali Gustafson 139-180-175=494; Arlene Waleeth 163-143-168=474; Cindy Vennes 160-149-162=471

Farmer Merchant League

	Wins	Losses
Goodridge Hartz	25	10
River Bend Farms	23	12
Arnold Ave Store	23	12
Asp Farms	21	14
Tri State Breeders	21	14
Wiseth Farms	20	15
Swedes Auto	17	18
Ekeren Drug	16	19
Sorvig Oil	13	22
Young Pine Lodge	13	22

High Game: Andy Peterson 243; CJ Erickson 230; Al Melvie 222; Ken Sanders 216

High Series: Alan Vettleson 214-205-172=591; Andy Peterson 155-243-193=591; Bill Sylvester 211-188-191=590; Kevin Melvie 160-214-213=587

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Stompers	24 1/2	11 1/2
Bronx's Bombers	22	14
Horn's	22	14
Sheldon's Grease Balls	21 1/2	14 1/2
Big Boys	21	15
Hogans Heroes	19 1/2	16 1/2
Hoofs	17	19
Alley Ratz	16	20
Stags	15	21
Bulls	14	22
Rutters	19	17
TNT's	6 1/2	29 1/2

High Game: Sheldon Peterson 244; Dave Olin 217; Bruce Williams 212; Bob Bendickson 211

High Series: Dave Olin 204-197-217=618; Bruce Williams 191-212-192=595; Sheldon Peterson 169-244-158=571; Bob Jury 194-208-159=561

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Mr. Duane's	57	41
Farmer's Union	54	44
Busch Light	50	48
Family Bowl	48	49
Pennington Square	45	53
Brodin's	39	58

High Game: Bunny Dondelinger 204, 194, 190; Dollie Newland 204; Linda Johnson 200

High Series: Bunny Dondelinger 204-190-194=588; Linda Johnson 200-185-182=567; Roberta Kloety 189-184-174=547

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	81	30
Creative Clippers	57	34
Northern Motors	53	38
Loeffler Agency	53	38
Arctco	49	42
Kwick Strip	48	46
Bud Ice	42	49
Team #8	4	87

High Game: Roberta Kloety 204; Deb Pierce 189; Mary Diaz 188; Shawn Newland 186

High Series: Roberta Kloety 184-204-142=530; Deb Pierce 179-189-152=515; Dollie Newland 160-166-181=507; Mary Diaz 147-167-188=502

Moonbeam League

	Wins	Losses
Northwest Asphalt	11	1
Swanson Airspray	8	4
Red Lake Electric	7	5
Hutchinson Transfer	7	5
Soap-N-Suds	6	2
5/5ths	5	3
Lantern	4	4
Olin Law Office	3	9

High Game: Deb Cota 200; Kim Hicks 179; Charmaine Peters 177; Carol Gagner 176

High Series: Deb Cota 200-161-173=534; Janice Noreen 153-153-163=469; Carol Lien 176-151-136=463; Darlene Bottem 168-135-156=459

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Sizzlers	41	11
Gigi-Kay	35	17
Tommy G's	33 1/2	18 1/2
Material Girls	32	20
NW Medical Center	27	25
Imaging Plus	26	26
Farmer's Union	24	28
Borsheim	23	26
KTRF CAD's	22 1/2	26 1/2
Hill Trucking	22	30
Rusty Nail	21	31
Fire Flies	20 1/2	31 1/2
Norwest	18 1/2	33 1/2
NW Eye Center	18	34

High Game: Peggy Bergsnev 194; Vi Johnson 190; Karen Safranski 189; Sharon Stauss 187

High Series: Sharon Stauss 187-171-162=520; Deb Ernst 178-175-160=513; Bette Jorgenson 173-182-157=512; Peggy Bergsnev 160-154-194=508

Wednesday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	23	12
Rick's Handyman Service	22	13
Spare Parts	19	18
Classic Chevys	14	21
Four Fun	14	21
TR Salvage	13	22

High Series: Bromley Carr 170-208-199=577; Ron Moen 185-188-181=554; Bruce Mattson 174-168-173=515; Sharon Wold 137-178-188=503; Carol Moen 115-178-202=495; Judy Nelson 190-134-156=480; Nancy Tofte 144-160-176=480

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	357 1/2	162 1/2
Germundson's Inc.	286 1/2	233 1/2
Thyren Auto	274	248
Wikstrom Telephone	271	249
Pennington Express	263	257
RV Sports	253 1/2	266 1/2
Kalinowski Construction	247	273
VFW	237 1/2	282 1/2
1st National Bank	211	309
No. Border Whse.	199	321

High Game: Arlo Scholin 245; Tom Saragosa 238; Jerry Jenson 233

High Series: Tom Saragosa 193-238-210-218=859; Kraig Melvie 231-198-220-194=843; Al Baumgartner 204-198-195-195=792

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Amoco 24	38	14
Glass Farm	37	15
Auction-2-Sell	34	18
B & E Car Wash	30	22
Joe's Floor & Tile	15	37

High Game: Curt Quesnell 212, 205, 202; Dollie Newland 191; Diane Peterson 188, 182

High Series: Curt Quesnell 619; Bob Koestner 577; Larry Olson 573; Diane Peterson 527; Dollie Newland 511; Jan Olson 467

PUBLISHED NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held before the Grygla Area Community Joint Airport Zoning Board for the purpose of adopting an Airport Zoning Ordinance in the area of the Grygla Area Community Airport.

The public hearing will be held on the 20th day of December, 1995, commencing at 7:00 o'clock p.m. at the Grygla Civic Building, in the City of Grygla, Minnesota. The proposed Ordinance and the accompanying map are available for public inspection at the City Clerk's Office in Grygla, Minnesota, during regular business hours.

The property affected by the proposed Airport Zoning Ordinance is some, but not all, of the land lying within 6,000 feet of the airport's runways. The types of restrictions proposed for each area are set forth in detail in the proposed Ordinance and map.

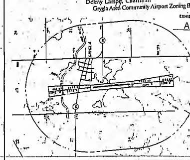
The precise restrictions which would be imposed vary, depending on the location of the property. The restrictions generally regulate height of structures, the location or size, and use of buildings and the density of population. The most restrictive provisions would apply to the areas located in a trapezoidal area off the end of each runway, which area extends out from the end of the runway a distance equal to the length of the runway plus two hundred feet.

Persons who believe that they may be affected by the proposed Ordinance are encouraged to review it, and ascertain the specific impact which it would have on their property. That published contemporaneously as Exhibit "A" are those lands affected by this Ordinance.

Date: 11-30-95.

By: Delray Larson, Chairman
Grygla Area Community Airport Zoning Board

EXHIBIT A

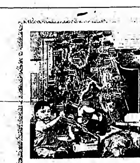


Gatzke

Friday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ruud were among those who attended a birthday party for Vivian Ruud at the Gunderson apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peterson visited one day last week with Alma Wagner at Middle River then Alma accompanied them to the Emmett Wagner home.

Sunday Gene Engen, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Linder and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair visited at the Alan Severts home.



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Sports Section

Winter storm affects high school, college weekend schedules

A bulk of the weekend area high school and college sports schedules were altered by the winter storm that hit Friday.

High school boys basketball games postponed Friday included Thief River Falls vs. Crookston (moved to Saturday), Red Lake County Central vs. Win-E-Mac, Goodridge vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, Marshall County Central vs. Lake of the Woods and Grygla-Gatzke vs. Stephen.

Friday's second round of the Fertile-Beltrami Invitational girls high school basketball tournament, which included Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, was rescheduled for a later date.

Saturday's Prowler Relays boys high school swimming meet was also called off, along with a Thief River Falls appearance at the Grand Forks Sertoma Club Invitational high school wrestling tournament.

On the college level, Northland basketball doubleheaders Friday vs. Willmar and Saturday against Worthington were first rearranged on the weekend schedule, then postponed altogether.

Pioneers will play at Mesabi Classic

A recent schedule change will find the Northland Community and Technical College women's basketball team competing in the Mesabi Classic this weekend.

The fourth-team event starts Friday with Northland playing Hibbing at 6 p.m. and Mesabi vs. Itasca at 8. Saturday, Hibbing meets Itasca at 1 p.m. and Northland faces Mesabi at 3.

Those games will fill a void in the schedule left by the weather-forced cancelations of the Dec. 8-9 weekend home series against Willmar and Worthington that will not be rescheduled.

Free throws cost Nordics in 70-52 loss to Wildcats

Marshall County Central missed too many free throws and had too many turnovers Monday, and as a result lost a 70-52 girls high school basketball game to visiting Tri-County.

The 1-2 Nordics were just 7-for-24 at the free throw line and turned the ball over 21 times – compared to just 10 for the Wildcats. A bundle of missed high percentage shots also hurt, noted Marshall County Central coach Tom Mjelde. "They're the best team we've seen so far," he said. "But if we make our free throws and hit those easy shots, we stay in the game."

Tri-County led at the quarter stops 16-8, 32-23 and 51-34.

Marshall County Central was 22-for-47 from the field (47 percent). Tri-County went 25-for-57 from the floor (44 percent) and 19-for-19 at the line while out-rebounding the Nordics 32-25.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Tri-County	16	16	19	19	70
MCC	8	15	11	18	52

T-C - Alton Henson 4, Anne Bogestad 17, Heidi Stusynski 24, Breanna Jacobson 2, Mindy Britten 21, Kim Kujava 2.

MCC - Tricia Pederson 19, Darlene Nelson 15, Jackie Magner 5, Lacey Hirst 9, Misty Fick 2, Miki Waterworth 2.

TRF Sports

Thursday, Dec. 14

■ Basketball - NCTC women at UND-Lake Region, 6:30 p.m.; NCTC men at UND-Lake Region, 8:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 15

■ Hockey - TRF vs. Greenway, 5:30/7:30 p.m.

■ Wrestling - TRF vs. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River, 6:30 p.m.

■ Basketball - NCTC women at Mesabi Classic

Saturday, Dec. 16

■ Swimming - TRF boys at Fergus Falls Invitational, 10:30 a.m.

■ Hockey - TRF vs. Hibbing, 1/3 p.m.

■ Basketball - TRF boys at Kittson Central, 6:15/8 p.m.; NCTC women at Mesabi Classic

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Dec. 14 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational, girls basketball at Red Lake Falls.

■ Friday, Dec. 15 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational, wrestling at Cass Lake-Bena.

■ Saturday, Dec. 16 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Thursday, Dec. 14 - girls basketball at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational

■ Friday, Dec. 15 - girls basketball at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational

■ Saturday, Dec. 16 - girls basketball at Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational

Goodridge

■ Thursday, Dec. 14 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational

■ Friday, Dec. 15 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational

■ Saturday, Dec. 16 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational.

Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Dec. 14 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational

■ Friday, Dec. 15 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational

■ Saturday, Dec. 16 - boys basketball at Northland Invitational.

Individuals whose GPA figures helped Thief River Falls win 1995 Minnesota Class A high school football academic state championship honors were introduced during the Prowlers' recent awards banquet. The group includes, front row left to right, Trevor Lee, Chris Mumm, Rick Donarski, Nick Chiodo, Josh Harris, Nathen LaRoque; second row left to right, Kyle Nelson, Kyle Anderson, Adam Fulton, Keith Anderson, Chad Nordhagen, Ryan Bendickson, Matt Lawrence, Nick Dee; back row left to right, Paul Koparl, Mike Morris, Jerad Brendt, Jon Blomker, Kyle Rokke, Peter Johnson, and Reid Froiland. Not pictured: Bill Fogarty, Darren Nelson, Steve Rambeck, Josh Clark, Jeremy Jensen, Matt Bitzegaio, and Brent Rohl.

Prowlers set football records

A single-season rushing record and a career passing mark highlighted the numbers accumulated by Thief River Falls during the 1995 high school football season.

Figures announced recently by Prowlers head coach Jeff Mumm showed that Nick Chiodo rushed for 1,151 yards this fall and Keith Anderson passed for 1,709 yards during his career. Both are seniors.

According to the Prowlers' books, the previous single-season rushing record was 983 yards by Matt Kaushagen in 1991 and the previous career passing yardage mark was 1,560 by Chris Bjorgaard through the 1985, 1986 and 1987 seasons.

Another new individual single-season record going into the books this year was a 35.8-yard punting average for senior Aaron Ehrenstrom.

Team-wise, the Prowlers set single-season records with 151 first downs, 487 rushing attempts, 2,722 rushing yards, and 3,728 total offensive yards.

It was also the longest football season in school history, a 9-2 campaign where the only losses came in season-opening and season-ending match-ups with eventual unbeaten Class A state champion Detroit Lakes. The Prowlers fell to the Lakers 34-15 in the opener, and lost a down-to-the-wire 21-20 rematch in the Section 8A championship game at the Fargodome.

During the regular season, Thief River Falls beat Fergus Falls 12-7, Wadena-Deer Creek 19-6, Staples-Motley 44-13, Park Rapids Area 34-14, Crookston 28-6, Woodbury 34-18, and East Grand Forks 22-12. The Prowlers then added Section 8A playoff wins over Long Prairie-Grey Eagle 41-0 and Park Rapids Area 25-7.

"We had high expectations going into the season, and the kids handled it very well," said Mumm. "They respected every opponent they played. We're very happy with the results. We got beat by a very good football team. The frustrating part is that outside of our section, nobody else in the state knows just how good we were. I really feel that we were only of the best football teams in Class A in Minnesota."

A large group of seniors formed the nucleus of the 1995 Prowlers. "It's a neat group of seniors," mentioned Mumm. "They're going to be successful in whatever they do."

Those holding down starting jobs were obviously the keys to the Prowlers' success, but Mumm was quick to praise everybody's efforts. "Not everyone is going to be a starter," he noted, "but they all contributed in the roles they were asked to fill. Their efforts were really appreciated."

Graduation will take a huge bite out of the Prowlers' line-up, but it won't mean the demise of Thief River Falls football, according to Mumm. "I think the program is in great shape," he said. "We'll miss the seniors, of course, but once we get a little game experience for our kids coming back, we'll be just fine."

Season Statistics

	TRF	Opp
First Downs	161	85
by rushing	126	62
by passing	27	16
by penalty	8	7
Rushing attempts	509	368
yards rushing	3028	1341
Pass att-comp	119-47	119-49
had intercepted	10	4
yards passing	838	774
Total offensive yards	3866	2115
average per game	351.5	192.3
Fumbles-fumbles lost	19-7	20-9
Penalties-yards	42-375	52-379
Punts average	22-35.8	47-28

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	t	ave
TRF	103	99	69	23	294	26.7
OPP	23	47	29	39	138	12.5

TRF Rushing

	att	yds	ave
Nick Chiodo	142	1151	8.1
Aaron Ehrenstrom	151	844	5.6
Paul Koparl	86	500	6.9
Josh Harris	55	191	3.5
Jason Breiland	33	152	4.6
Justin Stevenson	9	31	3.4
Kyle Anderson	3	23	7.7
Josh Clark	10	13	1.3
Bryan Claven	7	11	1.6
Bon Furuseth	5	8	1.6
Trevor Lee	1	7	7.0
Adam Kuck	6	7	1.2
Tony Fletcher	1	6	6.0
Rick Donarski	9	8	.7
Andy Harbott	1	0	9.0
Jon Blomker	12	-1	.
Keith Anderson	12	-11	.
TRF totals	543	3029	5.6

TRF Passing

	a	comp	yds	%	int
Keith Anderson	101	43	703	43	6
Jon Blomker	18	4	135	22	5
TRF totals	119	47	838	40	11

TRF Receiving

	recp	yds	ave
Steve Rambeck	11	213	19.4
Nick Chiodo	11	185	16.8
Kyle Nelson	11	173	15.7
Ryan Bandickson	10	154	15.4
Aaron Ehrenstrom	3	34	11.3
Adam Fulton	2	80	40.0
Paul Kopari	2	16	8.0
Jared Brandt	1	28	28.0
Jason Breiland	1	20	20.0
Chanc Keefe	1	10	10.0
TRF totals	53	913	17.2

TRF Scoring

	td	pat	pts
Nick Chiodo	15	4	98
Paul Kopari	7	9	42
Steve Rambeck	5	2	34
Aaron Ehrenstrom	5	0	30
Kyle Nelson	3	1	20
Keith Anderson	3	0	18
Chanc Keefe	0	15	15
Bryan Claven	2	0	12
Josh Harris	2	0	12
Jason Breiland	1	0	6
Adam Fulton	1	0	6
Lance Cota	0	1	2

TRF Defense

• Point totals - Aaron Ehrenstrom 755, Paul Gonsorowski 719, Robbie Stock 550, Nick Chiodo 496, Jason Breiland 205, Peter Johnson 195, Keith Anderson 182, Steve Rambeck 149, Nick Dee 118, Kyle Miller 107, Lance Cota 106, Chanc Keefe 105, Justin Stevenson 64, Darren Nelson 54, David Halsa 30, Justin Brunkhorst 30, Robby Farbo 20, Andy Furuseth 19, Billy Fogarty 15, Chad Hanson 14, Ron Larson 10, Josh Harris 9.

• Fumble recoveries - Nick Chiodo 2, Aaron Ehrenstrom 2, Robbie Stock 2, Lance Cota 1, Robby Farbo 1, David Halsa 1, Ron Larson 1, Kyle Miller 1.

• Interceptions - Nick Chiodo 4, Keith Anderson 1, Jason Breiland 1, Andy Furuseth 1, Paul Gonsorowski 1, Steve Rambeck 1.

• Blocked punt/kick - Robbie Stock 2

• Hit causing fumble - Nick Chiodo 1, Aaron Ehrenstrom 1, Paul Gonsorowski 1, Chanc Keefe 1, Steve Rambeck 1, Robbie Stock 1.

• Knocked down pass - Jason Breiland 5, Nick Chiodo 5, Lance Cota 1, Aaron Ehrenstrom 1, Paul Gonsorowski 1, Peter Johnson 1, Steve Rambeck 1, Robbie Stock 1.

Wrestling fans are often active spectators at high school sporting events. Dena McGeary, who is the Thief River Falls wrestling cheerleaders advisor, showed her emotions in this series of photos taken during the Prowlers' home-opening win over Warren-Alvarado-Oslo.

Boys high school basketball...

Thursday quarterfinals start NCTC Invitational

Boys high school basketball teams will take over the Northland Community and Technical College gym this week for the fifth annual Northland Invitational.

Games will be played Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

First round Thursday quarterfinals will feature Lake of the Woods vs. Red Lake County Central at 2:45 p.m. and East Grand Forks Sacred Heart vs. Goodridge at 4:15 p.m. in the Upper Bracket; Red Lake Falls vs. Warroad and 6:30 p.m. and Kittson County North vs. Grygla-Gatzke at 8 p.m. in the Lower Bracket.

Admission, good for all four games each day, is $3 for adults and $2 for students.

Tournament sponsors include Northland, the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters, KTRF Radio, Pepsi Cola Bottling, and Thief River Falls Sports Medicine.

Tournament Schedule

■ Quarterfinals Thursday, Dec. 14 - (Upper Bracket) Lake of the Woods vs. Red Lake County Central 2:45 p.m., East Grand Forks Sacred Heart vs. Goodridge, 4:15 p.m. (Lower Bracket) Red Lake Falls vs. Warroad 6:30 p.m., Kittson County North vs. Grygla-Gatzke, 8 p.m.

■ Semifinals Friday, Dec. 15 - (consolation round) Upper Bracket 2:45 p.m., Lower Bracket, 4:15 p.m.; (championship round) Upper Bracket, 6:30 p.m., Lower Bracket, 8 p.m.

■ Finals Saturday, Dec. 16 - seventh place game, 2:30 p.m.; consolation final, 4:15 p.m.; third place game, 6:30 p.m.; championship game, 8 p.m.

Twins tour group will be in TRF on Jan. 10

Minnesota Twins Winter Caravan will once-again make a Thief River Falls stop this winter.

Infielders Pat Meares and Jeff Reboulet, former Twin Al Newman and broadcaster Dick Bremer will represent the club during the Wednesday, Jan. 10, Thief River Falls appearance.

Six groups made up of current and former Twins, as well as broadcasters and front office staff, are scheduled to travel through the region, stopping in 75 communities during the Jan. 8-29 promotional tour. Specific sites and times will be announced later, detailing each group's school, hospital and dinner stops.

Twins Winter Caravan - Leg One

■ Bert Blyleven, Tom Kelly, Ron Coomer, John Gordon. Monday, Jan. 8 - Spearfish, SD (school); Sturgis, SD (school); Rapid City, SD (dinner); Tuesday, Jan. 9 - Rapid City, SD (school), Fort Pierre, SD (school); Pierre, SD (dinner); Wednesday, Jan. 10 - Huron, SD (school); Aberdeen, SD (school); Watertown, SD (dinner); Thursday, Jan. 11 - Brookings, SD (school); Mitchell, SD (school); Sioux Falls, SD (dinner).

Twins Winter Caravan - Leg Two

■ Pat Meares, Jeff Reboulet, Al Newman, Dick Bremer. Monday, Jan. 8 - Dickinson, ND (school); Bismarck, ND (dinner); Tuesday, Jan. 9 - Jamestown, ND (school); Devils Lake, ND (school); Grand Forks, ND (dinner); Wednesday, Jan. 10 - Thief River Falls (school); Crookston (school); Fargo, ND (dinner); Thursday, Jan. 11 - Wahpeton, ND (school); Fergus Falls (school); Alexandria (dinner).

Twins Winter Caravan - Leg Three

■ Marty Cordova, Scott Stahoviak, Tommy John. Monday, Jan. 29 - New Prague (school), St. Peter (school), Mankato (dinner); Tuesday, Jan. 30 - St. James (school), Fairmont (school), Mason City, IA (dinner); Wednesday, Jan. 31 - Northwood, IA (school), Albert Lea (school), Austin (dinner); Thursday, Feb. 1 - Waseca (school), Owatonna (school), Rochester (dinner).

Twins Winter Caravan - Leg Four

■ Tony Oliva, Frank Rodriguez, Pat Mahomes, Dark Star, Dick Bremer. Monday, Jan. 29 - Gaylord (school), Hutchinson (school), Litchfield (school), St. Cloud (dinner); Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Little Falls (school), Foley (school), Milaca (school), Cambridge (hospital), Pine City (dinner); Wednesday, Jan. 31 - Osceola, WI (school), White Bear Lake (school), St. Paul (hospital); Hastings (dinner); Thursday, Feb. 1 - Menomie, WI (school); Eau Claire, WI (school); Winona (dinner).

Twins Winter Caravan - Leg Five

■ Matt Walbeck, Dave Stevens, Gene Larkin, John Gordon. Monday, Jan. 29 - New Ulm (school), Windom (school), Worthington (dinner); Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Spencer, IA (school); Fort Dodge, IA (school), Yankton, SD (dinner); Wednesday, Jan. 31 - Vermillion, SD (school), Marshall school, Morton (dinner); Thursday, Feb. 1 - Montevideo (school); Morris (school); Willmar (dinner).

Twins Winter Caravan - Leg Six

■ Al Newman, Rich Becker, LaTroy Hawkins, Ryan Lefebvre. Monday, Jan. 29 - Mora (school); Crosby (school); Brainerd (dinner); Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Wadena (school); Park Rapids (school); Detroit Lakes (dinner); Wednesday, Jan. 31 - Hawley (school); Bemidji (school); Grand Rapids (school); Hibbing (dinner); Thursday, Feb. 1 - Virginia (school); Cloquet (school), Duluth (dinner).

B/G-MR girls claim tournament opener

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River girls won the first portion of their appearance at the Fertile-Beltrami Invitational, but they will have to wait until next year for Round 2.

Despite resting frequently because of illness, Krissi Super scored 40 points in leading the Gators to a 78-47 Thursday win over Waubun. Hawley beat the host Falcons 54-38 in the other first-night match-up in the four-team, pre-determined format.

Friday's storm forced officials to delay the Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Fertile-Beltrami and Waubun vs. Hawley games until Feb. 17.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River was 22-for-46 from the field (48 percent) and was part of a busy free throw night that saw the 2-1 Gators go 30-for-37 and the Bombers 14-for-28 at the line.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Waubun	7	23	10	7	47
B/G-Middle River	18	15	23	22	78

Waubun - Chrissy Kereling 4, Amy Rothschedl 8, Missy Hanks 16, Lisa Borgrud 10, Temi Scheter 3, Kristen Krabbenhoft 1, Michelle Horock 4, Vickie Zima 2, Josie Kezar 2.

B/G-MR - Krissi Super 40, Nikki Wahl 7, Robin Klien, Tiffany Hogen 4, Amber Barg 5, Kara Super 2, Jill Wilhelmi 2, Joanne Johnson 2, Tracy Smith 3, Kara Kuznia 2, Tina Sikorski 1, Melissa Smith 5

Youth Hockey

Among the many sports events affected by the arrival of Friday's storm was the first annual Thief River Falls Amateur Hockey Association Ron Novak Memorial Pee-Wee A/Bantam A Invitational.

The three-day, 15-team event was called off before teams ranging from Virginia to Bismarck left home.

Pee-Wee B

■ Saturday, Dec. 9 - East Grand Forks 6, Thief River Falls 2. TRF goals - Bauer, Juhl. TRF assists - Jensen, Gryskiewicz, Kimball. Saves - Melissa Clark 29/EGF 23.

■ Sunday, Dec. 10 - Thief River Falls 10, Hallock 1. TRF goals - Harris (3), Gryskiewicz (2), Bauer (2), Juhl, Jensen, Kimball; TRF assists - Oyster (2), Harris, Barron, Jensen, Bulger, Gryskiewicz. Saves - David Lundstrom 10/Hallock 35.

■ Season record - 4-1.

Pee-Wee B2

■ Sunday, Dec. 10 - Thief River Falls 12, Warroad 0. TRF goals - Ryan Sabo (3), Tyler Stinson (2), Kyle Molsted (2), Taylor Hemple (2), Nate Lehren, Tyler Lehren, Chad Olson; TRF assists - Brent Grahn (2), Tyler Stinson, Kyle Molsted, Ryan Sabo, Tylor Lahren, Taylor Hemple. Saves - John Sylvester 12; Warroad 45.

Pee-Wee A

■ Friday, Dec. 8 - Alexandria 5, Thief River Falls 3. TRF goals - Steve Wiseth (2), Brian Newton; TRF assists - John Marben, Shane Peterson, Mike Nelson, Mike Langland. Saves - Ben Owen 29; Alexandria 21.

■ Saturday, Dec. 9 - Thief River Falls 6, Alexandria 1. TRF goals - John Marben (3), Scott Rambeck, Shane Peterson, Mike Nelson; TRF assists - Scott Rambeck (2), Mike Langland, Dewey Worker, Paul Leister, Chris Swanson, Shane Peterson. Saves - Ben Owen 26/Alexandria 14.

■ Saturday, Dec. 9 - Roseau 4, Thief River Falls 0. Saves - Ben Owen 35/Roseau 9.

■ Season record - 3-4.

Bantam B

■ Sunday, Dec. 10 - Bemidji 9, Thief River Falls 3. TRF goals - Matt Tronivel, Derek Gustafson, Billy Puppe. TRF assists - Bailey Nordin, Bennett Pagnac.

■ Season record - 1-3.

TRFAHA Schedule

■ Friday, Dec. 15 - Pee-Wee A vs. Coleraine, 6 p.m., Old Arena; Pee-Wee B2 at East Grand Forks Invitational.

■ Saturday, Dec. 16 - Bantam A at Bemidji, 12-noon; Bantam B vs. Bagley, 5 p.m., Huck Olson MCC; Pee-Wee B vs. Baudette, 7 p.m., Old Arena; Pee-Wee B2 at East Grand Forks Invitational.

■ Sunday, Dec. 17 - Pee-Wee A at Baudette, 1 p.m.; Bantam B at Moorhead, 2:15 p.m.; Pee-Wee B vs. Grafton, 3 p.m., Huck Olson MCC, Bantam A vs. Red Lake Falls, 4:45 p.m., Huck Olson MCC; Pee-Wee B2 at East Grand Forks Invitational.

■ Monday, Dec. 18 - Pee-Wee B at Crookston, 7:15 p.m.

■ Tuesday, Dec. 19 - Bantam B at Roseau, 7 p.m.

City Hockey

Standings

	w	l	t
St. Hilaire Elevator	3	0	0
Silver Bullets	2	0	0
Brodin's/Budget Electronics	2	1	0
The Spot	1	1	0
Wennberg's	1	2	0
Radniecki's	0	2	0
Rude Construction	0	3	0

Results

Sunday, Dec. 10 - Brodin's/Budget Electronics 11, Wennberg's 8; The Spot 11, Radniecki's 6; St. Hilaire Elevator 10, Rude Construction 8.

Schedule

Sunday, Dec. 17 - (Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center) Wennberg's vs. The Spot, 6:45 p.m.; Rude Construction vs. Silver Bullets, 8:30 p.m. (Old Arena) Brodin's/Budget Electronics vs. Radniecki's, 8 p.m.

TRF boys start year with 72-50 win

Ten points by Ryan Swanson sparked a third quarter Thief River Falls breakaway Saturday as the Prowlers opened the 1995-96 boys high school basketball season with a 72-50 home court win over Crookston.

The Pirates, down 16-11 at the end of the first quarter and trailing by as many as nine late in the first half, made a run that cut the gap to 34-32 at intermission. But with Swanson leading the way, the Prowlers opened up game-clinching 58-41 third quarter spread.

Kyle Sanden led the Prowlers with 20 points, while Swanson netted 14 and Robbie Farbo 13. Brock Olson scored 14 points to lead a trio of double figure Crookston scorers.

"Overall, we're pretty happy," said Thief River Falls coach Scott Brekke. "I thought the kids played well. They played hard. It was a good way to start the season."

The game was moved from Friday to Saturday night because of the weather.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Crookston	11	21	9	9	50
Thief River Falls	16	18	24	14	72

Crookston - Scott Hanz 2, Nick Bronson 10, Cory Vaughn 10, Brock Olson 14, Nate Sevenburg 7, Josh Vadnais 5, Nathan Frish 2.

TRF - Ryan Swanson 14, Stefan Ranchott 3, Jon Blomker 2, Karl Anderson 9, Paul Kopari 9, Jared Brandt 9, Kyle Sanden 20, Courtney Skjerven 6, Robbie Farbo 13.

Prowlers split on hockey trip

Leaving ahead of the storm that hit much of Minnesota, Thief River Falls arrived in the metro area for a pair of weekend high school hockey games to continue the yearly match-ups with St. Paul Johnson and Blake that sends the Prowlers to the Twin Cities on an every-other-year basis.

If Thief River Falls would have not left a day early for a scheduled scrimmage in Alexandria on the way, the team would have met the fate of most other teams who had their schedules altered by the Friday blizzard.

The trip produced a split – a 6-3 Friday night loss to St. Paul Johnson and a 5-4 Saturday afternoon win over Blake.

Friday the Prowlers were forced to juggle their lines when forwards Keith and Kyle Anderson, who were scheduled to join the team in St. Paul after staying behind for family reasons, could not make it out of town because of the weather.

"We changed all three lines, and you could see it had an effect on the way we played," explained Thief River Falls coach Pat Cullen. "Johnson has a high-powered hockey team with a lot of skill people. We didn't play as well defensively as I would have liked."

Nick Chiodo, Aaron Ehrenstrom and Wade Chiodo scored against Johnson. The Prowlers played the Governors to a 1-1 first period tie before falling behind 4-2 in the second period. Ehrenstrom, Halsa, Nick Chiodo, and Wade Chiodo picked up assists.

Johnson out-shot Thief River Falls 38-25. Chanc Keefe started in goal for the Prowlers, giving way to Shane Duffy in the second period.

The Andersons were in the line-up against Blake, and it made a difference, Cullen said. "We played much better," he noted. "Everybody seemed to play better. I thought we definitely had an edge in the play, even though it might not have been reflected in the score. I don't think the game was as close as the score might indicate. Defensively we played a much better game."

Keith Anderson scored twice against the Bears, while single goals came from Trevor Lee, Wade Chiodo and Jason Breiland. Nick Chiodo and Andy Furuseth both picked up two assists, with Kyle Anderson, Steve Rambeck and Chad Nordhagen notching one assist each.

Duffy, after making his varsity debut in relief against Johnson, was back in the nets Saturday, making 20 saves in a game that featured a 2-1 Thief River Falls lead through two periods. A back-and-forth final period included a 2-2 tie, a 3-2 Blake, a 3-3 tie, and a 4-3 Blake edge before the Prowlers wrapped it up on Wade Chiodo's tip-in with three minutes to play.

The Blake goalie finished with 39 saves.

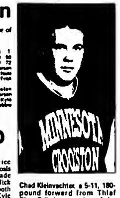
Saturday's win was the Prowlers' first victory of the year after a pair of losses. They will be at home for games against Iron Range opponents this weekend, hosting Greenway Friday night and taking on Hibbing in a Saturday matinee match-up.

It was announced that Dec. 5 Thief River Falls hockey game at Warroad postponed by weather has been rescheduled for Thursday, Jan. 4.

Wiltse, Brekke will be at Booster Club

Weekly Thursday 12-noon Thief River Falls Sports Boosters Club luncheon meeting at the Elks will feature Lincoln High School girls basketball coach Sally Wiltse and Lincoln boys basketball coach Scott Brekke as the guest speakers.

The public is invited. It will be the final Sports Boosters meeting of 1995. After a two-week holiday break, the group will resume the meeting schedule Jan. 4.



Chad Kleinvachter, a 5-11, 180-pound forward from Thief River Falls is a member of the University of Minnesota-Crookston hockey team.

Crookston wins in JV boys basketball

Crookston held Thief River Falls to just two points in the second quarter Saturday en route to a 43-37 boys junior varsity high school basketball win.

The first quarter ended in an 8-8 tie, but Crookston went ahead 21-10 at halftime and maintained a 31-19 third quarter edge.

Kyle Waterworth finished with 13 points to lead Thief River Falls' season-opening efforts.

Wolverines lose to Eagles

Red Lake Falls, after spotting Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke a 6-0 head start, ran away from the Wolverines 67-24 in a one-sided girls high school basketball match-up on Goodridge Monday.

"They have a real good outside shooting team," said Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Mike Gust. "They couldn't miss. And we were two steps behind on everything all night long."

The Wolverines fell to 1-3 with a 23 percent 9-for-39 shooting night. The Eagles wound up shooting 56 percent on a 32-for-57 showing. Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke was 6-for-10 at the free throw line, where Red Lake Falls had a quiet 1-for-2 night.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Falls	17	23	15	12	67
Goodridge/G-G	8	7	2	7	24

RLF - Kari Thompson 9, Jenny Byers 9, Sara Byers 5, Jenny Oscarson 2, Becky Perrault 10, Jaime Solheim 6, Allie Bernhud 9, Jodi Purath 8, Sara Fee 10.

G/G-G - Jenny Johnson 4, Jenny Nelson 9, Deanna Farbo 4, Jill Schuler 2, Melissa Bernston 5, Lori Hagen 9, Deanne Farbo 1.

Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Dec. 13 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS, 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating, 12:30-1:15 p.m. open hockey 6-under, 1:30-3 p.m. public skating, 3:30-4:15 p.m. high school, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Squirt Group 2, 7:45-9:45 p.m. Bantam B, 9-11 p.m. Dance.

Thursday, Dec. 14 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS, 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating, 12:30-3 p.m. public skating, 3:30-5 p.m. high school, 5:15-6:55 p.m. Junior Advanced, 5:30-6 p.m. S1, S2, 6-6:30 p.m. S3, Junior Advanced, 6:30-7 p.m. B2, B3 Junior Advanced, 7-7:30 p.m. B4, B5, B6, 7:45-9 p.m. high school, 9:15-10:15 p.m. Old-Timers.

Friday, Dec. 15 - 6-7:30 a.m. DPFS, 9 a.m. - 12:00 public skating, 12:30-3 p.m. public skating, 3:45-4:45 p.m. Bantam A, 5:30 p.m. Prowler JV vs. Greenway, 7:30 p.m. Prowlers vs. Greenway.

Saturday, Dec. 16 - 9 a.m. Squirts (Maroon vs. Red), 9:15 a.m. Squirts (Maroon vs. Blue), 10:30 a.m. Squirts (Green vs. Gold), 1 p.m. Prowler JV vs. Hibbing, 3 p.m. Prowlers vs. Hibbing, 5 p.m. Bantam B vs. Bagley, 7-9:30 p.m. DPFS, 9:45-9:45 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Dec. 17 - 12-1 p.m. public skating, 1:15-2:45 p.m. DPFS, 3 p.m. Pee-Wee B vs. Grafton, 4:45 p.m. Bantam A vs. Red Lake Falls, 6:45 p.m. city league hockey (Wennberg's vs. The Spot), 8:30 p.m. city league hockey (Rude Construction vs. Silver Bullets).

Old Arena

Wednesday, Dec. 13 - 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball, 3:45-4:45 p.m. Squirt Group 1, 5-6 p.m. 7-year-olds, 6-7 p.m. 8-year-olds, 7:15-8:15 p.m. public skating, 8:30-9:45 p.m. Pee-Wee B, 10-11 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Dec. 14 - 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball, 3:45-4:45 p.m. 7-year-olds, 5-5:50 p.m. 6-under Group 1, 5:50-6:40 p.m. 8-under Group 2, 6:55-8:15 p.m. Pee-Wee B and Pee-Wee B2, 8:30-10 p.m. Bantam A.

Friday, Dec. 15 - 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. high school broomball, 3:45-4:45 p.m. Bantam B, 5-5:50 p.m. Squirt Group 1, 6:05 p.m. Pee-Wee A vs. Coleraine, 8-9:15 p.m. public skating, 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Dec. 16 - 8 a.m. 8-under game, 9:15 a.m. 6-under game, 10:30 a.m. 7-8-year-olds game, 11:45 a.m. 7-8-year-olds game, 1 p.m. 7-8-year-olds game, 2-4 p.m. public skating, 4:15-5:30 p.m. girls hockey, 7 p.m. Pee-Wee B vs. Baudette, 9-10 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Dec. 17 - 12-1 p.m. open hockey 6-under, 1:15-2:15 p.m. open hockey 7-8-year-olds, 2:30-3:30 p.m. open hockey Squirts, 3:45-4:45 p.m. girls hockey, 5-6:15 p.m. public skating, 6:30-7:45 p.m. public skating, 8 p.m. city league hockey (Brodin's/Budget Electronics vs. Radniecki's), 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

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Gators' free throws beat Rams

Accurate free throw shooting paid off for Badger Greenbush-Middle River Monday in a 62-57 boys high school basketball win over Roseau.

The Gators cashed in on 18 of 21 free throw opportunities, including 7 of 8 down the stretch in the fourth quarter, to hold off the Rams.

"It was a excellent ball game," reported Badger Greenbush-Middle River coach Eldon Sparby. "Both teams played well."

The Gators trailed by seven early but went ahead 16-14 at the end of the first quarter, had a 34-29 half time advantage and maintained a 46-43 edge heading into the fourth quarter.

Matt Kujava scored 18 points, Jed Geer 14 and Aaron Roles 10 for the Gators. The Rams also had a balanced attack as Isaac Lang netted 17 points, Jacob Mertens 11 and Matt Sjulstad 10.

Roseau out scored Badger Greenbush from the field on a 24-for-52, 46 percent shooting night. The Gators got by with a 39 percent 19-for-48 showing.

"Roseau shot extremely well in the first half, but we took some of those easy shots away from them in the second half," explained Sparby.

The Rams had a quieter 9-for-14 free throw night and were out-rebounded 22-17. They also had more turnovers, 15-12.

"With both sides pressing, it was a pretty low turnover figure," noted Sparby, whose team improved to 2-0.

It was announced that the Gators' weather forced Dec. 8 postponed game against Goodridge has been rescheduled to Feb. 26.

	1	2	3	4	T
Roseau	14	15	14	14	57
BG-Middle River	16	18	12	16	62

Roseau - Mike Remko 2, Dustan Paton 8, Jacob Mertens 11, Matt Hedlund 2, Isaac Lang 17, Ben Hanseth 2, Matt Sjulstad 10, Greg Pladson 5.

BG-MR - Justan Rose 3, Matt Kujava 18, Aaron Roles 10, Guido Gussenhoven 2, Jed Geer 14, Andy Schantzen 2, Daryl Wachenheim 8, Sean Evenson 3

Bench helps secure NCTC win

Double figure scoring production off the bench by LaVonne Nelson and Tara Sugden were instrumental in a 73-68 Northland Community and Technical College women's basketball win at NDSU-Bottineau Monday.

Nelson scored 16 points and grabbed 9 rebounds – both team-high figures as the Pioneers completed a season sweep over the Lumberjacks that included a season-opening 54-43 home court victory back on Nov. 29. Erika Spilde added 15 points to the Pioneers' total, while Sugden scored 12.

Northland fell behind 12-0 at the start, but trailed only 37-35 at half-time.

"We were a little slow out of the gate – again," noted Northland coach Rick Nikunen. "But we kept plugging away. Once we got our legs back, they did all right. It was a good game. The kids off the bench played well for us."

Northland was 29-for-67 from the field (43 percent) and 8-for-14 at the free throw line. NDSU-Bottineau went 27-for-74 from the floor (32 percent) and 9-for-19 at the line. The Pioneers had a 39-25 rebound edge. The Lumberjacks topped the turnover charts 25-12.

It was the third win in five starts for the Pioneers.

Scoring

	1	2	T
Northland	35	38	73
NDSU-Bottineau	37	31	68

Northland - Erika Spilde 15, Ali Hietala 6, Gina Salverson 8, Janny Smith 7, Angel Mickelson 3, Tara Sugden 12, Carrie Olsen 2, Stacy Stanwick 4, LaVonne Nelson 16

Bottineau - Jessica McGhan 2, Leigh Zerr 1, Evonne Hoffman 29, Julie Debenne 6, Heather Mott 22, Mandie Deschamp 8

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Lincoln Weight Club membership grows following fall testing

Additions have been made to the Lincoln High School Weight Club membership list following fall testing 1995, it was announced by weight room supervisor Jeff Mumm.

The recent qualifiers include:

Bench Club

■ 185-200 - freshman Wade Chiodo, sophomores Jay Tanner, Adam Nordin, Mike Morris, juniors Karl Anderson, Nathan LaRoque, Paul Kopari, Billy Lubitz, Courtney Sjoerven

■ 205-215 - freshman Nathan Dicken, Garrett Novak

■ 220-265 - seniors Kyle Sanden, Lance Cota

■ 250-285 - sophomore Dacian Wolff

Seated Power Press

■ 130-165 - freshmen Wade Haviland, Alan Bolar, Jeremy Smsky, sophomores Eric Roaland, Mike Morris, Trevor Lee, Anthony Hendricks, juniors Tom Harbott, Chad Nordhagen, Ryan Stengrim, Jay Tanner

■ 150-165 - freshmen Jason Hansen, Garrett Novak, sophomore Adam Nordin, juniors Nathan LaRoque, Courtney Sjoerven, Billy Lubitz

■ 179-190 - freshmen Garrett Novak, Nathan Dicken, Wade Chiodo, sophomore Kyle Anderson, juniors Karl Anderson, Kyle Nelson

■ 185-220 - sophomore Dacian Wolff, junior Paul Kopari

Squat Club

■ 250-270 - eighth grader Duane Wolff, freshmen Aaron Hendricks, Tom Fogarty

■ 275-315 - freshman Nathan Dicken, sophomore Trevor Lee, junior Stephan Ronchetti

■ 320-360 - freshman Jeremy Smsky, juniors Jay Tanner, Kyle Nelson, Courtney Sjoerven, Jon Blomker, Paul Kopari

■ 385-400 - freshman Garrett Novak, sophomore Eric Roulend, juniors Paul Kopari, Jon Blomker, Ryan Stengrim, Billy Lubitz

■ 405-450 - sophomores Eric Roulend, Adam Nordin, junior Jared Brandt

■ 455-500 - junior Adam Nordin.

■ Girls 190-220 - sophomore Desirae Alberg

Big 3 Club

■ Freshmen - Jason Henson, Owren Novak, Nathan Dicken, Aaron Hendricks; sophomore Anthony Hendricks

Big Cat Club

Total weight from bench press, squat, seated power press.

■ 700 pounds - freshman Garrett Novak, sophomore Eric Roulend; juniors Paul Kopari, Kyle Nelson, Billy Lubitz.

■ 750 pounds - freshman Garrett Novak, sophomore Adam Nordin; juniors Jared Brandt, Paul Kopari.

■ 800 pounds - sophomores Adam Nordin, Dacian Wolff

Freshmen girls lose

Roseau beat Thief River Falls 45-24 Monday in freshman girls high school basketball.

The winners had quarter leads of 7-4, 22-14 and 38-19.

Taya Hunt scored 7 points to lead the Thief River Falls scoring.

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Roseau holds off MCC

Megan Taylor scored 31 points Thursday to lead Roseau past Marshall County Central 51-50 on girls high school basketball.

Underdog Marshall County Central started with a 16-12 first quarter lead and maintained a 27-25 halftime edge. But with Taylor scoring 12 points, the Rams doubled the Nordics 18-9 in the third quarter to go ahead 43-36.

"She (Taylor) is an outstanding ball player," said Marshall County Central coach Tom Mjelde. "We didn't give her any easy points. We had someone on her all the way down the court, and she still got her shots."

Marshall County Central came back and took a brief fourth quarter lead, and had thoughts of completing the upset by scoring with eight seconds left to make it 51-50.

The Nordics, however, then ironically paid the price for having too few fouls. With the bonus not yet in effect, several Marshall County Central personals in the final eight seconds failed to put the Rams at the free throw line, keeping the ball out of the Nordics' hands.

"It's tough to lose, but to be in the game against a team the caliber of Roseau, with a chance to win, is all you can ask for," offered Mjelde.

Darlene Nelson scored 19 points and Tricia Pederson 18 for the Nordics, who fell to 1-1.

Marshall County Central shot an even 50 percent from the field (19/38) and made 11 of 18 free throws. Roseau shot 42 percent from the floor (24/57) and had a quiet 3-for-6 free throw night. The Rams finished with a 28-27 rebound edge and the Nordics had more turnovers, 23-13.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
MCC	16	11	9	14	50
Roseau	12	13	18	8	51

MCC - Tricia Pederson 18, Darlene Nelson 19, Jackie Magner 3, Brandi Olson 8, Lacey Hirst 2, Niki Waterworth 2

Roseau - Swah Lundbohm 7, Paula Hovde 4, Kaylee Johnson 8, Cathy Gotzmann 1, Megan Taylor 31

City League Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Digi Key	13	1
Middle River	11	3
Arctco	11	3
Best Western II	8	8
Forsberg's	8	8
Northup	7	7
Best Western I	8	8
Hartz Truckline	3	11
Sea Monkeys	3	11
Glenda's Beauty Shop	0	14

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Narverud Cleaners	18	1
Double D Bees	18	2
Thrifty White Drug	14	8
Clip-N-Tan	14	8
Budweiser	12	8
Arctco	8	14
Tim Loeffler Agency	5	15
PCR Graphics	1	19
Diane's Daycare/Lavonne's	1	19

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	15	1
Cellular 2000	13	3
Bud Light	12	4
Universal Screenprint	11	5
Doc's Jocks	11	7
Carvers	8	8
Unpredictables	8	10
Tunberg Motor Co	8	10
500 Club	3	13
National Guard	3	13
Cactus Club	0	16

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Northwest Medical Center	19	1
Miller Lite	17	3
LaVonne's Grocery	14	6
St. Hilaire Elevator	13	7
Legion	11	9
St. Hilaire Supply	11	9
Evergreen Eating Emporium	7	13
Digi-Key I	4	16
Digi-Key II	2	18
Robson Honey	2	18

Results

Wednesday, Dec. 6 - (6 p.m.) Universal Screenprint def. 500 Club, Primetime def. Cellular 2000, (6:30 p.m.) Universal Screenprint def. National Guard, Primetime def. Cactus Club; (7 p.m.) Cellular 2000 def. Tunberg Motor Co., Doc's Jocks def. 500 Club, (7:30 p.m.) National Guard def. Unpredictables, Bud Light def. Cactus Club; (8 p.m.) Unpredictables def. Tunberg Motor Co., Doc's Jocks def. Bud Light

TRF freshman boys

Thief River Falls was a 48-29 A game winner and a 47-14 B game winner Saturday in freshman boys high school basketball against Crookston.

Collin Schaefer scored 17 points and Jeff Beste had 15 in the A game as Thief River Falls overcame a 16-9 first quarter lead with a 26-20 halftime edge and a 35-24 third quarter spread.

Double figure scoring by Joey Pribula (11 points) and Aaron Hendricks (10) led the Thief River Falls B team.

Middle School

Crookston defeated Thief River Falls 33-27 in the A game and 40-26 in the B game Monday in eighth grade girls basketball.

Nicole Wiseth led the Thief River Falls A team with 8 points; Ann Newton had 9 in the B game.

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Several traffic accidents reported to local LEC

With the advent of severe winter storms, law enforcement officials were busy responding to accident reports. Officials are asking that extra care be taken at intersections. Many intersections are snowcovered and icy.

Accidents. On December 6 at 6:05 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Second Street and Atlantic Avenue. Michael Edwin Olson, St. Hilaire, was driving a truck and backing from a driveway onto Second Street when his vehicle collided with a vehicle driven by Darlene Ellen Kezar, Thief River Falls, which was going west on Second Street. A passenger in the Kezar vehicle, Gordon Asmus, complained of a bruised knee. Damages were estimated at $50 to the Olson vehicle and $500 to the Kezar vehicle.

On December 6 at 1:51 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Sixth and Horace. James Michael Smsky, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup north on Horace and Gregory Owen Settlemeyer, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup east on Sixth Street. The vehicles collided in the intersection and both vehicles were considered a total loss.

On December 7 at 4:28 p.m. police received a report of an accident at First and Spruce. Jason Lyle Davis, Thief River Falls, was going east on First in a car when Janet Shirley Swanson, Thief River Falls, was going south on Spruce in her car. The vehicles collided. Swanson was cited for failure to yield. Damage to the Davis vehicle was estimated at $50. A damage amount on the Swanson vehicle was not available.

On December 7 at 3:20 p.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of First and Brooks. Jason Rodney Stavenes, Thief River Falls, was traveling west on First Street in a car and Wayne Raymond Lenhart, Thief River Falls, was traveling north on Brooks in a pickup when the vehicles collided. Stavenes said he was unable to stop because his brakes went out. He was cited for no insurance and failure to yield. There was an estimated $1,200 damage to the Stavenes vehicle, and $2,000 to the Lenhart vehicle.

On December 9 at 5:47 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Barzen and Highway 59. Kyle Dianne Joppru, Thief River Falls, was driving a car north on Barzen and Michael Donat Nault, Manitoba, was driving a semi west on Highway 59. Joppru stopped at the stop sign, proceeded into the intersection but was unable to proceed fast enough because of icy conditions of the road. The vehicles collided. Joppru complained of injuries. Damages were estimated at $1,000 to the Nault vehicle and the Joppru vehicle was considered a total loss. Charges are pending.

On December 9 at 10:47 p.m. police received a report of an accident at First and Maple. Isaac Michael Marceau, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on First Street when his vehicle collided with a vehicle driven by Todd Allen Brua, Thief River Falls, which was traveling south on Maple. Brua was arrested for gross misdemeanor driving while intoxicated and failure to yield. While being booked, a small bag of marijuana was also found. He is being charged with possession of a small amount of marijuana. Both vehicles were considered a total loss in the accident. A passenger in the Marceau vehicle received a bump on the head. A passenger in the Brua vehicle had a bump on his shoulder. Neither required hospital care.

On December 11 at 7:43 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Eighth and Duluth. Deborah Kay Altepeter, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on Eighth Street, and struck a vehicle driven by Shanna Rae Jorgenson, Thief River Falls, which was traveling south on Duluth. Jorgenson had a cut to her forehead and her vehicle was considered a total loss. The Altepeter vehicle had about $500 damage. Charges are pending.

On December 11 at 3:25 p.m. police received a report of an accident on Pennington Avenue and the Hugo's entrance. Brian Scott Olson, Grand Forks, ND, was driving a car south on Pennington Avenue. His vehicle collided with a car coming out of the Hugo's entrance and driven by Waymen Clifford Prosser, Halma. Prosser was turning left. Damages were estimated at $800 to each vehicle.

On December 11 at 10:58 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Eighth and Dewey. Cindy Ranae Levin, Thief River Falls, was driving a car east on Eighth Street. Richard Jerome Vicente, Thief River Falls, was driving a station wagon facing east on Eighth Street and making a left hand turn when the Levin vehicle collided with the rear of the Vicente vehicle. Vicente complained of a sore neck. Damages were estimated at $1,100 to the Levin vehicle and $1,500 to the Vicente vehicle.

On December 11 at 8 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the corner of Nora and Kendall. Betty Jean Olson of Thief River Falls, was driving a van west on Nora. Alicia Marie Roadfeldt, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on Nora. Olson was attempting to turn left and Roadfeldt was unable to stop. The Roadfeldt vehicle started on fire. There was $2,000 damage to the vehicle. There wasn't any damage to the Olson vehicle. The fire department was called.

On December 11 at 3:55 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of an accident at the corner of County road 56 and State Aid 3. Sheldon Wayne Defoe, Red Lake Falls, was driving a car west on County road 56. Robert Oakgrove, Redby, was driving a car south and slid through the intersection of County road 27 and the vehicles collided. The Defoe vehicle was considered a total loss. Damage to the Oakgrove vehicle was estimated at $3,000. A passenger in the Defoe vehicle complained of soreness. Defoe is being cited for failure to provide insurance and driving after revocation. Oakgrove was taken into custody for driving while intoxicated.

Driving while intoxicated. On December 7 at 12:20 a.m. police stopped a vehicle traveling south on Pennington Avenue. Charged with driving while intoxicated was Joshua David McDougall, 18, Thief River Falls.

On December 10 at 12:48 a.m. charged for misdemeanor driving while intoxicated was Donovan Burns Johnson, 63, Thief River Falls.

Minor. On December 10 at 12:43 a.m. cited for minor in a liquor establishment was Dean Lee Engen, Newfolden, 19.

Thefts. On December 5 at 8 a.m. an 18-year-old male of Thief River Falls was cited for theft following a shoplifting incident at Champs.

The following have been cited for issuance of worthless checks: Corey Lee Graves, 20, Thief River Falls, $95.06; Nicolle Marie Shivers, 18, Ada, $77.59; Sandra Faye Johnson, 35, Thief River Falls, $298.44; Richard Allen Mix, 29, Crookston, $48; Muriel Eloise Hart, 32, Goodridge, $117; Troy Allen Haugen, 18, Chaska, $301.13; Catherine Mary Helen Boekwitz, 41, Park River, ND, $68.75.

Consumption under age. On December 5 at 11:28 p.m. police received a report of loud music at an apartment complex behind the college. Cited for consumption under age were: Tara Lynn Peterson, 19, Middle River; Eric Paul Bruley, 19, Grafton, ND; Matthew James Formato, 18, East Grand Forks; Stacy Marie Olson, 18, Thief River Falls.

Traffic violations in court citation bulletin

Criminal sexual misconduct, issuance of dishonored checks, thefts, and traffic violations were among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for last week.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Scott Joseph Mirkovich, Fridley, 31, criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree, assault in the second degree, 40 months in prison, no contact with victim, $2,000 restitution; Lisle R. Rohlwing, Thief River Falls, 21, issuance of dishonored checks, $15, $141.86 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Kelly Beth Amundgaard, Thief River Falls, 23, theft - wrongfully obtaining AFDC, theft - wrongfully obtaining food stamps, $7.50, $2,316 restitution, 30 days in jail, and $485 restitution, and 10 days on second charged to be served concurrently;

Keith Robert Baune, Thief River Falls, 19, felony issuance of worthless checks, $27.50, $3,156.66 restitution, 120 days in jail, supervised probation for five years; Susan Lynn Boman, Warren, 34, issuance of worthless checks, $12.50, $64.20 restitution; Erin Patricia Dooher, Crookston, 31, issue dishonored checks, $30, $420 restitution, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, no Minnesota drivers license, $237.50; Kevin Charles Hart, Jr., Thief River Falls, 33, 72/55, driving after cancellation, $570, or 30 days in jail; David Scott Johnson, Thief River Falls, 27, driving after revocation, 30 days in jail; Kim Ilene Lian, St. Hilaire, 36, aiding an offender to escape from custody, $7.50, 210 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Lorae Ann Miller, Thief River Falls, 33, issuance of dishonored checks, $17.50, $69.95 restitution, 10 days in jail;

Martin Almendarez, Thief River Falls, 44, no current registration, $21.50; Jeri Lynn Pederson, Warroad, 28, issue worthless checks, $152.50, $32.32 restitution; Adam Kelly Lundeen, Trail, 20, failure to stop at stop sign, $76; Jason Travis Patterson, Thief River Falls, 21, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for six months; Timothy Miles Smith, St. Hilaire, 30, issuance of dishonored checks, $152.50, $30.39 restitution.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Ray William Magnusen, Middle River, 54, 65/55, $54.50; Teresa Kay Schantzen, East Grand Forks, 26, 66/55, $76; Ryan Thomas Gryskiewicz, Thief River Falls, 17, 70/55, $99; Andree Lynn Moser, Erskine, 30, 65/55, $64.50; Matthew Edward Rumpca, Newport, 23, over the center line, $76; Greggory Paul Anderson, Anoka, 41, 65/55, $64.50; Leon Duane Erickson, Warren, 52, 69/55, $76; Hilton Thomas McMahon, Thief River Falls, 39, seat belt violation, $47.25; Renee Joseph Perez, Thief River Falls, 26, 74/55, $99; Kathleen Elaine Ross, Fisher, 48, 65/55, $64.50; Jodi Lynn Peterson, Crookston, 23, 65/55, $64.50.

Thief River Falls police department cases: David Allan Sumner, Thief River Falls, 26, driving after revocation, no proof of insurance, $237.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Jeremiah Ole Coykendall, Thief River Falls, 19, failure to yield, no proof of insurance, $510; Rick Allen Fowler, Thief River Falls, 23, no driver's license, no proof of insurance, $705, or 60 days in jail; Rodney Louis Lajimodiere, Grand Forks, ND, 38, fleeing a peace officer, driving after revocation, six months in jail with all but 90 days stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year, and $582.50, and 60 days in jail stayed for one year;

Chad Lonny Nissen, Thief River Falls, 17, equipment violation - no bumper, $17.50; David Allan Snyder, Makoti, ND, 22, carrying a weapon without a permit, driving with an alcohol concentration of .10 or more, $827.50, 8 months in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years, $707.50 fine and fees on second count; Catherine Ann Qualley, Thief River Falls, 32, failure to yield to pedestrian, $122.50; Amy Faye Schmalz, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption by a minor, $87.50;

Jason Lee Blomquist, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption by a minor, $267.50; Nathan Thomas Hunt, Thief River Falls, 21, 50/30, $87.50; Inez Viola Mostue, Thief River Falls, 73, failure to stop for school bus arm, $252.50; Lavonne Ruth Nelson, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption by a minor, $87.50; Michael Scott Nelson, Red Lake Falls, 20, seat belt violation, $47.25; Charley Richard Parker, Newfolden, 44, 44/30, $76; Allison Marie Bjerklie, Trail, 18, disobey stop sign, $76; Karlea Marie Brateng, Thief River Falls, 20, consumption by a minor, $87.50; Delaine Kay Hammer, Thief River Falls, 46, 51/35, $87.50; Melissa Jill Waage, Thief River Falls, 20, consumption by a minor, $87.50.

Snowmobiler killed in race

Cory Steven Braseth, 16, Ulen, was killed Saturday during the Pine Lake Snowmobile Race near Gonvick.

Braseth apparently fell from his snowmobile while on the nine-mile track around the lake and was hit by other racers. The accident happened shortly after 2 p.m. Braseth was taken to Clearwater Memorial Hospital in Bagley where he was pronounced dead shortly after arrival.

As a result of the death, the races were called off Saturday. Races resumed and were completed on Sunday.

The incident is still under investigation.

Lare Ellen Haymond, a fifth grade student at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls, receives the "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" from her school bus driver, Chuck Wilcox. Wilcox says Lare is, "Very helpful and well mannered. She always follows the rules."

Strict enforcement of Safe and Sober holiday

Law enforcement officers will be out in force this holiday season, and throughout 1996, to make sure Minnesota motorists are safe and sober. Their aggressive enforcement of impaired-driving and seat belt laws is part of Minnesota's second year of the successful Safe & Sober campaign, a statewide highway traffic safety program. This year, Safe & Sober will kick off the 1996 campaign in partnership with Mothers Against Drunk Drivers (MADD), a national organization committed to ending drunk driving while providing support for victims of this violent crime.

Safe & Sober 1996 is aimed primarily at reducing impaired driving and increasing safety belt and child seat use in Minnesota. Nancy Franke Skala, state coordinator of the Safe & Sober campaign, has invited state officials and national and state legislators to join MADD and hundreds of law enforcement officers from around the state to celebrate the beginning of Safe & Sober 1996 and its first major enforcement period, December 15, 1995- January 1, 1996.

This year, more than 800 Minnesota law enforcement officers — representing the Minnesota State Patrol and over 50 other enforcement agencies from around the state — have pledged their support for the national campaign.

"We want all Minnesotans to drive safe and sober — every day of the year — because lives depend on it," said Department of Public Safety Commissioner, Michael Jordan.

During the campaign, there will be awareness activities and publicity about the campaign, and law enforcement agencies will increase enforcement efforts by putting extra shifts on duty to watch for impaired drivers and those who are not properly using seat belts and child seats.

"We'll really be stepping up our enforcement efforts, because we want the holidays to be safe for all drivers who are following the rules. It's not that there are more crashes during the holidays, but traffic tragedies that occur at this time of year can be felt especially deeply. We want the holidays to be safe for everyone to enjoy," said Jordan. "Minnesota's law enforcement officers will be aggressively watching for impaired drivers on area roads and highways."

Under Minnesota law, drivers can be arrested anytime their driving is impaired, regardless of the blood alcohol level. A level of .10 per cent or higher results in an automatic license revocation. Other laws relating to drinking and driving include:

- Not a Drop — In addition to the criminal penalties applicable under Minnesota DWI law, drivers under the age of 21 can have their license suspended if they are found to be driving with any amount of alcohol in their system.
- Child endangerment — Additional penalties apply if a driver arrested for impaired driving has a child under the age of 16 in the vehicle.
- Plate impoundment — On a third impaired-driving offense in five years, or the fourth offense within 15 years, the motor vehicle plates for all vehicles owned by the offender, as well as the vehicle driven by the offender at the time of the crash, will be impounded until the driver has a valid driver's license.
- Vehicle confiscation — On the fourth offense, the vehicle used in the offense may be confiscated.
- Jail time — State law required mandatory jail time after a second impaired-driving conviction within five years.

Gambling winnings are taxable

Gambling winnings are fully taxable and gambling losses are deductible within limits, according to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

Winnings from all types of gambling, including charitable gaming, casinos, raffles, state lotteries and dog and horse track betting, must be reported on the "Other Income" line on the front of Form 1040. If federal tax is taken out of the winnings, credit may be claimed on the "Federal Income Tax Withheld" line on the back of the form.

Taxpayers who itemize may claim gambling losses as a miscellaneous deduction on Schedule A, but the deduction cannot be more than the winnings. Any person reporting either gambling winnings or winnings and losses can not use the 1040A or 1040EZ short forms.

An accurate diary or similar record of gambling winnings and losses should be kept along with tickets, receipts, cancelled checks and other documentation. These need not be sent with the tax return but retained in case of audit.

To listen to a recorded message on this topic, call the IRS toll-free at 1-800-829-4477 and ask for tape number 420.

Courtney Ose qualifies as flight instructor

Courtney Ose, formerly of Thief River Falls and now of Grand Forks, ND, has received her Flight Instructor Pilot Certificate as a senior in the aerospace department at the University of North Dakota.

To earn her certificate, she successfully completed all the academic and flight lab requirements as established by the Federal Aviation Administration and the university, according to John Odegard, dean of the department.

"Each certificate is a challenge to attain here at the University of North Dakota," Odegard said, "and Courtney should be commended for her achievements."

The UND aerospace complex is considered the most technologically advanced collegiate environment for aerospace education, training and research in the world.

Take a stand against driving while impaired

"Take a Stand Against Impaired Driving" is the theme for National Drunk and Drugged Driving (3D) Prevention Month, according to the Minnesota Safety Council.

A decade of efforts by many public and private organizations has demonstrated that a combination of education and enforcement works to reduce impaired driving. In 1994, 16,600 Americans died in alcohol-involved crashes—the lowest figure in 31 years but still unacceptably high, according to National Highway Traffic Safety Administration officials.

In Minnesota last year, 35 per cent (226 fatalities) of all motor vehicle fatalities were classified as alcohol-related, compared to 45 per cent in 1989.

"We can take personal responsibility to combat impaired driving by designating drivers and being responsible party hosts throughout the entire year," states Carol Bufton, president of the Minnesota Safety Council. "Simple steps can help prevent these senseless tragedies."

Bufton urges Minnesotans to always wear safety belts, noting that safety belt use is extremely low among people killed in alcohol-related fatalities.

Offer reward for stolen snowmobile

Chippewa National Forest is offering a $1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of individuals responsible for the theft of a snowmobile from the Walker Ranger Station parking area on Thursday, November 30. The machine is a 1996 teal green Polaris Indy Trail Touring model.

Anyone with information on the theft should contact law enforcement officer Paul Nordeen at 218-547-1044, special agent Chet Lonczak at 218-720-5615 or the Cass county sheriff's office at 218-547-1424.

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The Second Section

Challenger students John Ellie, Daniel Wold, Dylan Johnson, Brandy Hermanson, and Katie Carter are practicing their Christmas songs for the Challenger Christmas programs scheduled between December 13 and 20. The third grade will hold a concert at 1 p.m. December 13. The fourth grade will hold a concert 1 p.m. December 14. The fifth grade will hold a concert at 1 p.m. December 15. The morning kindergarten will perform 9:30 a.m. December 20. The afternoon kindergarten will perform at 1:15 p.m. December 20. The second grade will perform at 2 p.m. on December 20.

Challenger elementary children plan several Christmas concerts

Students at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls will sing in the season with a series of holiday programs beginning Wednesday, December 13.

Principal Glenn Espe says each grade level will be featured in their own musical tribute to the season followed by community receptions hosted by students and organized by the School District 564 Volunteer Program. "This is the season for gathering and our holiday programs are very popular. The boys and girls and our staff have spent weeks preparing for these programs and we are looking forward to welcoming the community to our school."

Espe says special events parking will be available in both the north and south side parking lots. The public is invited to use the entrance off Evergreen as well as County road 61.

The Christmas program schedule is as follows:

- Third grade 1 p.m. December 13.
- Fourth Grade 1 p.m. December 14.
- Fifth grade 1 p.m. December 15.
- Morning kindergarten 9:30 a.m. December 20.
- First grade 10:15 a.m. December 20.
- Afternoon kindergarten 1:15 p.m. December 20.
- Second grade 2 p.m. December 20.

Programs are under the direction of music instructors Pat Beauchane, David Morkin and Marcia Knutson in the Challenger gymnasium. Espe is issuing a community-wide welcome. "We want everyone to come celebrate with our staff and students and we wish everyone the very best of holidays and a happy New Year."

Internet access available

A public access terminal for the Internet is now available at the Pennington county extension office in Thief River Falls and members of 4-H club families are encouraged to make use of it.

"Plan to spend some time in our office during the next few weeks to learn more about the Internet and what it has to offer," encourages Van Swanson, extension educator for 4-H. "We've found information on gardening, foods, animal sciences; the possibilities are endless."

"We have a schedule arranged, so simply stop in or call the office and we can arrange for a time to use the system. One of us will sit down with you to show you the basics on how to 'surf the net.'"

The office is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Children in sixth grade and younger must be accompanied by an adult.

Local American Cancer Society provides assistance in many ways

American Cancer Society, Thief River Falls chapter, is a completely voluntary organization dedicated to the principals of the American Cancer Society, which is dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, and diminishing suffering from cancer through research, education, advocacy and service.

American Cancer Society offers many service programs. Many of those are supported by donations made locally. Those services include: equipment loans; homemaker reimbursement; Road to Recovery; transportation reimbursement; gift items; resources, information and guidance, a Cancer Information handbook; Look Good, Feel Better program; I Can Cope, Reach to Recovery; CanSurmount; Oncology camp and sibling camp; School re-entry; and Kids Count, Too.

- Equipment loans — walkers, wheelchairs, hospital beds, and non-sterile dressings, to be used in the patient's home.
- Homemaker reimbursement — Up to $200 per fiscal year for housekeeping services provided by someone other than a family member.
- Road to Recovery — volunteers provide rides to and from treatment centers and clinics.
- Transportation reimbursement — 10 cents per mile up to $150 per fiscal year.
- Gift items — lap robes, wigs, slippers and laryngectomy bibs.
- Resources, information and guidance — information about ACS resources and community resources.
- Cancer Information Handbook — information about the disease, treatment, plus diary section for recordkeeping.
- Look Good, Feel Better — Group demonstrations by trained cosmetologists of makeup and hair techniques. Also, individual consultations.
- I Can Cope — classes provide factual information on all aspects of cancer: psychological, social and emotional.
- Reach to Recovery — visitation program providing support and information to a newly-diagnosed breast cancer patient. Visits made by trained volunteers who have experienced breast cancer.
- CanSurmount — one-to-one program that matches newly-diagnosed patients with trained volunteers who are cancer survivors.
- Oncology camp and sibling camp — provides scholarships to one-week oncology/sibling camp sessions at Camp Courage on Maple Lake near Monroe.
- School re-entry — presentations in preschool, elementary and junior and senior high classrooms provide students with information about cancer and how to be a friend to the cancer patient.
- Kids Count, Too — series of six classes dealing with changes in families as a result of cancer.

For more information about these programs and more contact the following individuals. In Pennington county contact Julie Desrocher at 681-2315. In Marshall county contact Lorraine Kallock at 695-2231. In Red Lake county contact Karen Schirrick at 253-4378. In Roseau county contact Jodi Jaenicke or Mary Anna Pekowski at 463-3211.

As of the 1993 financial year, the American Cancer Society met the standards of the Charities Review Council of Minnesota. For every dollar donated to the American Cancer Society, $.25 is spent on research, $.13 is spent on public education, $.05 is spent on professional education, $.09 is spent on patient services, $.08 is spent on community services, $.05 is spent on management, $.21 is spent on fund-raising, and $.14 is spent on national programming and supporting services.

For more information about the American Cancer Society and what services are available call 1-800-227-2345.

Social Security rep at HCC

A representative of the Grand Forks Social Security office will be at the Heritage Community Center in Thief River Falls Tuesday, December 19, from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Howard Kossover, district manager of the Grand Forks office, said that applications for benefits are not completed during the town visit and that all Social Security business can be completed by telephone toll free at 1-800-772-1213—a national number which *does not* connect the caller with the Grand Forks office.

Students on UMC chancellor list

Several area students have been named to the fall quarter chancellor's list at the University of Minnesota—Crookston, according to Donald Sargeant, chancellor. To qualify, students must complete 12 or more hours of college credit while attaining a 4.0 grade point average.

Among those named to the list are the following:

Argyle—Paige Guetter, environmental and natural resources; and Shannon Henrickson, health management;

Gatzke—Jeremy Engelstad, environmental and natural resources;

Gully—Rebecca Curfman, hotel, restaurant and institutional management;

Humboldt—Neil Wiese, plant industries management;

Kennedy—Chad Ingeman, general studies;

Red Lake Falls—Grant Seeger, post secondary educational opportunity;

Thief River Falls—David Erlenmeyer, agricultural industries sales and management; and Helen Wilson, health management; and

Viking—Janette Bjorgaard, information networking management.

Mn/DOT cautions snowmobilers of traveling on right-of-way

Minnesota Department of Transportation maintenance superintendent Dave Dalager reminds snowmobile drivers that is is illegal to drive on the in-slope of a ditch.

Dalager said that snowmobiles are restricted to the bottom and back slopes of the ditches. "There is an increased potential for danger when snowmobiles are on the in-slope," he said, "and the possibility of hitting a culvert marker is greater."

Dalager also noted that snowmobiles are not allowed to travel in the median strips on divided highways.

"The department wants snowmobilers to enjoy themselves," added Karen Bedeau, Mn/DOT public affairs coordinator, "and that means keeping safety in mind for themselves and their riders."

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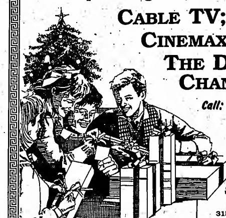

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Texas Vacation

Melvin and Judy Carlson and Jane Robbins visited their sister Vi and Warren Willenburg and family in Lewisville TX this past week. They enjoyed seeing Nancy and many sites in the Dallas area.

Lutheran Brotherhood #8218 donated two bags of mittens and a variety of head wear to Plummer school.

Kermit Lorenson hosted a Sunday dinner for guests Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lambert and son of Red Lake Falls.

On Wednesday, Lisa Eskeli and Ryan Thompson of Prior Lake arrived at the home of Melvin and Rosemary Eskeli to visit and wait for that great dinner ahead of them the next day. On Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. Steven Eskeli of Trail, Wes Eskeli, Jeanne Smith and David Eskeli of Roseau arrived. A wonderful day with family and friends.

Art, Alma, Clarence and Harold Hanson spent Thanksgiving Day at Warren at the home of Frank Knoll.

Dorothy and Rose Juneau of Red Lake Falls spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of there nephew Ron Juneau and wife Kathy of Plummer.

Dinner guests at the home of Doris Malwitz Thanksgiving Day were Robert, Arleen, Kari, Keith Slick of Baudette, Wayne, Vicky and Mackenzie Malwitz, and Donovan and Barb Cullins; afternoon guests were Brian, Connie, Jackie and Travis Peterson of Middle River.

Kari Slick of Grand Forks had fun sleeping over by Grandma Doris Malwitz home on Wednesday. What fun!

Thanksgiving day at the home of Mel and Peggy Hesse were Esther Dahl, Kelly, Brenda and Kayla Knutson of Middle River, D.J. and Mary Hesse, Beth Ramsett, Don Tucker, Floyd and Fern Hesse, Amanda and Ericka Grinde of Elk River, Ivan, Dean, Sandy, David and Harlee Hesse.

Thanksgiving coffee guest at the home of Martin and Fern Eskeli were Amelia Eskeli, Edward Eskeli and Ray Nenonen.

Dixie Koskela of Moorhead and Brad Bosch of Fargo, ND visited during Thanksgiving at Arlan Koskela home.

Doctor Susan Jacobs of Plummer drove to Oklahoma to visit with family this last week.

Cindy, Eric Nielsen and boys from Westby, MT and Bert Johnson of International Falls arrived at the home of Lorna and Bryce Huotari on Wednesday and had a nice visit thru Sunday morning.

Thanksgiving guests at the Rick Frolands home were Avis and Art Froland, Kerry and Griffin Newland, Jerilee of Grand Forks, Ben Carpenter of Oslo and Ginger Froland and Jason Peters.

Thanksgiving guests of Lorna Huotari were Tom and Wilma Huotari, Cindy, Eric, Taylor and Brett Nielson and Bert Johnson of International Falls.

Howard and Mette LaFayette spent Thanksgiving at Paul Walder's.

Visit From Brother

Karen Vigstol's brother Al and Renee, Ryan, Rory, Rody, Shirley of Minot, ND and Dorothy Larson of Thief River Falls were houseguests Wednesday thru Friday of Karen, Eldon and Karl Vigstol's.

Hilma Hemstad, Arlene Kelly and Pony Toulouse enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner at the home of The Walter Raedel's.

Amelia Eskeli met her daughter, Karen and Lowell Johnson and Nick of New York Mills. Also Octavia Brekke of Fosston and they all enjoyed a great Thanksgiving dinner at the Third Base in Brooks.

Membership Dinner

Saturday evening the American Legion Unit 623 held there annual membership dinner for all paid up members of the Legion and Auxiliary. After a delicious meal of roast pork and all the trimmings a program was held with Commander Merle Jesme as MC. Commander Jesme introduced all his officers then introduced our Auxiliary President Karen Fossell. President Fossell introduced all her officers. All posted officer's of the Legion and Auxiliary were recognized. There was a minute of silence for all the men and women of 623 that passed away this past year.

Howard Greenwald Legion Chaplain gave a reading on "What is the American Legion", a letter was read from Plummer school superintendent Rick Lonnson, Mr. Lonnson acknowledged all the good things the Legion and Auxiliary does for and with the school. Mayor John Halley was to address the group but was unable to attend due to illness. Our prayer's are with you John for a speedy recovery. Jeff Engseather won the door prize. The band that was to play was unable to come because of bad weather, so all left early to the safety of there homes.

Forty Years Together

Some of the guests at the Wedding Anniversary celebration for Merle and Vergel Sorenson of Oklee were Mrs. Konickson and Avis and Art Froland.

Allen and Val Mattison, Sam, Sara and Jacob of St. Hilaire, Jim and Theresa Mattison, Josh, Ryan, Mike and Bill of Thief River Falls were Thanksgiving guests of Jerry, Delyne Mattison and sons.

Visiting Edna Hyde Sunday were Barry and Della Rewertz, Rev. Schurr, Ron and Kathy Juneau.

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Pearl Laniel
698-4470

Dona and Joyce Rock enjoyed their Thanksgiving Holiday with their daughters Wayne and Vanessa Valentine and family of Maple Wood at the home of Bob and Peggy Orrack at Becker.

Marc and Connie Parenteau returned from Rochester on Tuesday evening from a weeks stay at some friends and St. Mary's Hospital.

Thanksgiving Holiday guests of Del and Cindy Determan were her parents, Paul and Norma Jean Beech of Slayton, Paul and Gail Beech and family of Breckenridge, Mike and Cathy DeMars and family of Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Nora Delage and Mrs. Ruby Westlake were Wednesday to Sunday guests of their son and daughter Louis and Diane Westlake of Moorhead.

Mrs. Dorothy Myhra returned on Sunday from Aurora, where she visited her daughter Darrel and Audrey Carpenter, grandson Mr. and Mrs. Todd Carpenter in St. Paul and enjoyed Thanksgiving with a granddaughter Greg and Julie Ann Mickalski of Hibbing.

Gary and Dannille Parenteau and boys of Fargo visited Wednesday to Sunday with his parents, Marc and Connie Parenteau.

Thanksgiving guests of Roger and Mary Jane Paradis were Ronnie and Dallas Paradie, Don and Evonne Thunde of St. Hilaire, Joy Kaushagen of Grand Forks, Hiedi Paradis of Moorhead and Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum.

Russell Hince and Mrs. Mable Sabourin and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince Monday.

Aurel and Gloria Parenteau and Mrs. Jeanne Gramer of Crookston traveled to Peru, IL to visit their aunt Mrs. Nowella and helped her celebrate her 80th birthday.

Darryll and Delores Grimm spent their Thanksgiving holidays with their children Darren Grimm of Salol, Denise Grimm of Williams and Darby Zentner and girls.

Tuesday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mr. and Mrs. George Burthwick, Tracy and John of Oklee, Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Mable Sabourin and Diane Plante.

Thanksgiving guests of Walter Sr. and Monica Novak were Gerard and Kim Novak and Alyssa of Thief River Falls, Jerome and Barb Novak, Nancy and friend Matt of Warroad, Rebecca Novak of Mankato, Walter Jr. and Cindy and family were afternoon guests.

Pearl Laniel and Roy Mayer of Thief River Falls were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. Ann Hince on Thanksgiving Day at 3rd Base.

Wayne and Robin Krobe and Allyssa of Grand Forks, Fred and Tammie Paradis and boys of Warroad were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. Joann Delage. Wayne and Robin and Allyssa left on Friday for Pennsylvania to visit his parents.

Mrs. Rena Kimbre of Erskine and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Clarence and Dianne Gagner and Danny, Mrs. Ragna Gunderson of Oklee were Thanksgiving Day guest of Mrs. Arleen Berry of East Grand Forks.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Ray and Ann Capp were Jeff and Nita Capp of Grand Forks Airforce Base, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Dougherty of Lakota, ND.

Marie and Carol Cardinal of St. Paul were Wednesday to Sunday holiday guests of their parents Ernie and Anne Cardinal.

Mrs. Lillian Hince was a Thanksgiving dinner guest of her grandson George and Rita Burthwick of Oklee.

Lauren Gagner of Hamm Lake visited his parents, Arthur and Martha Gagner over the Thanksgiving Holiday all were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Steve and Donna Josephson of Thief River Falls.

Ernie and Anne Cardinal, Carol and Marie Cardinal were among those who were Thanksgiving Day guests of Orvis and Donna Mossestad of Plummer.

Russell and Cheryll Hince hosted a Thanksgiving evening dinner party with his mother Mrs. Lillian Hince, Dean and Joy Torkelson and girls of Plummer, Michelle Hince, Lonnie Langton and Kevin of Terrebonne and Shawn Hince as guests.

Arthur and Martha Gagner, Lauren Gagner and Donna Josephson visited her sisters Mrs. Kate Bauer of Erskine and Mrs. Frances Klein of Fosston on Wednesday.

Trent and Brittnay, children of Tim and Branda Gagner of Fergus Falls were Monday to Wednesday guests of their grandparents Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Tammy Grove, Troy Gustafson and Courtney of Oklee and Mrs. Evangeline Grove were Friday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Thanksgiving guests of Walter and Willie Katschke were Lowell and Cindy Aitt, Ami and Ross, Karl and Joyce Magera and Kim all of Plummer, a friend, Chad Schmitz of Red Lake Falls, Wade and Sarah Olinde of Spring Grove.

Mrs. Ragna Gunderson of Oklee was a Tuesday guest of her daughter Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Lowell and Margaret Hamrum and children were Thanksgiving holiday guests of her parents Tom and Sara Sakshaled of Fargo.

Donny Gagner of Grand Forks, UND visited his school break at his home with Clarence and Dianne Gagner.

Jack and Anita Mattison and family of Minot, ND were Thanksgiving holiday Wednesday to Sunday guests of her parents Walter and Monica Novak.

Mrs. Barb Malby of Oklee, Carolyn Myhre and Dianne Gagner visited with Mrs. Connie Parenteau Wednesday evening.

Steve Magse of Miller Electric serves as observer as high school student Heather Heisler of Ogema gets an opportunity to try welding during Welding Demo Day IV at Northland Community and Technical College Wednesday, December 6.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scramstad and Esther Dahl of Middle River, Mr. and Mrs. Mylan Ruud, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ruud were among those who attended the 40th Wedding Anniversary party for, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Soranson at the Oklee Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar and Cordell Klamar were evening visitors on Thanksgiving Day at the Michael Tesarak home near Roseau.

Nathan and Karen Engevik and Katie of Roseau visited on Sunday at the Ruben Engevik home.

Nadine and Ed Wold, and Ryan Sorvig of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Harris, Nicholas and Kayla of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Severts and family of Middle River spent Saturday and Sunday at the Juel Auna home.

Dinner guests at the Clifford Klamar home on Thanksgiving Day were Brent Elseth of Thief River Falls, Russell Elseth of Newfolden, Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Klamar of Roseau. Other visitors were Karla Klamar of Thief River Falls and Adam Tesarek of Roseau.

Newfolden

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Saturday visitors and dinner guests at the Arnold Larson home were Jim and Andy Larson. They also helped [illegible].

Peter and Frances Gerszewski attended the dinner and Christmas party [illegible] Friday evening.

Kathy Harstad and Joan Larson visited with Marie Myhrer Tuesday.

Friday Frank and Harriet [illegible] visited with Roy and Laura Roppe.

Tuesday Curt and Elaine Thompson spent a couple of hours helping Emma Kammen with a few things [illegible] Christmas and also enjoyed a cup of coffee and goodies with her.

Ruth Tostrup enjoyed dinner and visit with Clara Hanson on Friday.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Ingvald Bakken home on Sunday evening.

Duane and Louise Ellingson of Aurora came on Saturday, Jane Olson of Cold Springs and Missy Ellingson of St. Paul came on Monday. They stayed and were houseguests at the Alice Ellingson home. They came up to attend the funeral of Louise Ellingson's mother and the girls grandmother Anna Rud on Tuesday.

Monday afternoon those that visited and helped Marshall Myhrer celebrate his birthday were Lila Olson, Helmer Myhrer, Helen Helland and Pat Helland.

Saturday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Shirley Lefrooth and Bud Thompson.

Peter and Frances Gerszawski were dinner guests along with others on Thanksgiving Day at the Roger and Patty Wagners home.

Floyd and Adeline Nelson visited with Curt and Elaine Thompson after the benefit supper for James Olson on Saturday evening and also celebrated Curt and Elaine Thompson's Anniversary.

Mark and Jane Schaumberg and Matt spent the weekend visiting at the Milton Erickson home.

Last Wednesday Aaron and Blanche Waterworth went to Fargo and spent three days.

Wednesday afternoon Lillie Olson visited with Kathy Roppe.

Sunday afternoon visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kari Jesme and Collin.

Sunday after church Floyd and Adeline Nelson and Clara Hanson enjoyed dinner and shopping in Thief River Falls.

Jason Erickson, Shelly Staebler and Ashley visited at the Milton Erickson home on Monday evening.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Curt Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Gib Tronvet celebrated their anniversaries with supper at the Evergreen Eating Emporium enjoying a very good meal and visiting afterwards. The Thompsons went over to the Tronvet home for a social evening. Other visitors there were Rachel Tvertan, Joe and Glenda Wessall, they all enjoyed a lovely evening.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited with Jeanette Kasprowicz at the Debbie Kasprowicz home in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Sunday Lillie Olson was a dinner guest at the Brad and Mona Olson home. Corey and Craig were also home later in the day. Lillie went over to Chuck Olsons to see Jerod before he left for camp on Monday.

Wednesday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Shirley Lefrooth home were Arnold and Vernice Larson and Bud Thompson.

Olga Thompson and Emma Kammen, Floyd and Adeline Nelson were invited guests of Curt and Elaine Thompson at the Christmas sing program put on by the String of Praise at the Westaker church on Sunday evening.

Thursday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Roy Roppe home were Arnold and Vernice Larson.

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Margie Coan
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... Sunday, Dennis Johnerud, the Jensen ... were dinner guests at the ... and Dave Fredrick home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Wiskow of Bis... spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Darrell's parents, Ole and ... Wiskow.

... and Brittany of ... Dean ... Renae and ... visited at the home ... and Marie Sundberg home of ... Saturday.

... spent Friday visiting ...

On Wednesday, Anda Andersen ... coffee guests with Olive ... were Jeanette Hoffman. The ... brought birthday greetings ... Happy Birthday Jeanette!

... picked up Shirley ... visited and were ... guests with Shirley, Mother and ... and LeRoy Mostrom in ... Monday.

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Helmets were down (top photo) as high school students attending Welding Demo Day IV at Northland Community and Technical College Wednesday, December 6, watched one of the demonstrations. In the bottom photo, instructors and students received answers to questions about equipment prior to one of the demonstrations.

Newfolden

Thursday evening Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed lunch with Edward and Janice Carlson and Robbie.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Hanna Moen home were Kent and Sharon Brasten and Jessica of Bagley, Kameron and Kathy Harstad of East Grand Forks, Kevin Harstad and Karla of Grand Forks, Chris and Debbie Brasten of Shevlin, Gerald and Diane Nelson and Natalie, Nathan and Nikki Nelson, Richard and Pat Moen after dinner Kim Fanfulik, Abbie and Alissa of Thief River Falls, Rory and Gaylene Anderson and boys of Karlstad, Lisa Johnson and girls of Karlstad, Gwen Hjelle, Wanda Dudley and girls. Dale Moen also called from Florida to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving Day. After dinner Kathy Harstad brought birthday cake and ice cream to celebrate Hanna's birthday. Birthday blessings Hanna!

Those that gathered at the Roger Mathsen home for Thanksgiving on November 23rd were Grandpa and Grandma Thompson, Lisa Wilson, Jeremy, Jayme, Amber and Mackenzie, Mark Thompson and Barb Herman of Moorhead, Dawn Thompson and Amy. We all enjoyed a very delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings. The younger ones played games in the afternoon also celebrated the birthday of Raanna Mathsen who was 5 years old in November and Mackenzie will be 5 in December we had chocolate cake and ice cream the cousins enjoyed opening their gifts and cards.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Jean Roppe home were Dale and Bonnie Wojtowicz Gantell and Jones, Naomi Bliss, Lee and Danyce Roppe, Erin and David of Minneapolis, Vivian Ruud of Thief River Falls, LeRoy Lian and Derlene Swagger of Gatzke, Ida Newman of White Bear, Della Elseth and Ben and Karen Gonsorowski.

Thanksgiving Day Roy and Laura Roppe were among many other relatives and friends to enjoy dinner and supper at the Frank and Harriet Kujava home in Warren.

Saturday visitors and supper guests at the Alice Ellingson home were Gordon and Adrianna Ellingson and Scott Ellingson and Mrs. Jim Larson. They all came up to attend the funeral for Eunice Hagen at Gatzke on Sunday.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Lillie Olson home were Brad and Mona Olson, and Craig, Lyla and Becky Olson, Traci and Brandi, Florence Borg, later on Chuck and Sherry Olson, Jared and Ryan and Ladewn Hanson visited there and enjoyed supper.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Emil and Lyla Vecura home were Clara Hanson, Mark Vacura, Angie and Brandon, Carter and Lana Schultz, Kevin and Steve.

Company during the passed Thanksgiving week at the Bill and Shirley Wagner home have been Jim and Karen Wagner of Roseau, Olga Thompson, Emma Kammen and Greg Carlson.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Huglen home were Roy and Mrs. Erling Huglen of Roseau, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Johnson and Taylor of Fergus Falls.

Thursday afternoon Jason Erickson, Shelly Staabler and Ashley visited at Tony Staabler home in Morris.

Monday evening visitors and luncheon guests at the Arnold Larson home were Ray and Carol Ness.

Friday, Anita Skadsom visited with Hanna Moen.

Harvey Skyberg was a Saturday evening visitor and had lunch with Curt and Elaine Thompson.

Vivian Ruud was an overnight guest of Jean Roppe Monday and attended Mrs. Mylan Abrahamson's funeral Tuesday at Gatzke.

Saturday evening, Roy and Laura Roppe stopped to visit and enjoyed coffee with Wallace and Joan Roppe.

Ruth Tostrup visited with Clara Hanson on Monday.

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Thanksgiving guests at Dobbie and Jim DuChemps were Mother Bunny, Walter and Shirley Vettleson of Trail, Wayne and Shiela Hern and family of Gonvick, Kevin and Kim Vettleson and family of Trail, Mike and Brenda Vettleson and family of Roseau, Ole and Targie Nesland of Grygla and Chris and Marci.

Visiting at Roger and Connie Hughes were Brad and Shelly Hughes, Toni, Bryan and Nicholas Schindler and Connies folks from Cass Lake.

Harold and Marion Vatthauer were Friday luncheon guests at Edna Hyde's home. On Saturday, June Bergerson was a guest at Edna's.

Dalla Rewertz, Ruth, Denny and Sherry Wilkens, Mr. and Mrs. John Praska and Joey Warring were guests at Jon and Paula Praska's home.

George and Clarice Bryant and granddaughter of Crookston and Roger and Edna Hyde were turkey supper guests Friday at the Duane Bouchor home.

Visit From Sister

Carol Moe Sandstrom and husband Turre stopped in for a nice visit with brother Bud Fossell and wife Karen on their way back home in Saginaw from Greenbush.

Coming on Wednesday at Carl and Eunice Koskela home were Kathy and Darel Brasgalla from Bismarck, ND. Daughter Lisa arrived on Thursday from Fargo, ND. They all had a great time and stayed till Sunday.

Saturday Kathy, Darel and Lisa Brasgalla, Carl and Eunice Koskela went to Baudette to visit Darel's dad and family.

Thanksgiving Day Clare Hossa drove to Gatzke where she picked up Bonnie Nelson and Tina Nelson in Grygla. The three gal's then went to Baudette where they had dinner at John and Shirley Haglunds' home. Other guests there were Mark and Joyce Andrew, and Benjamin Washburn. On the way back to there homes they stopped to visit with Milo and Tammy Cleven of Warroad and all enjoyed a great evening meal together along with Shannon and Audrye Nelson of Gatzke and Ernest Nelson of Roseau and Rebecca Fisher of Thief River Falls. The same evening Clara, Tina and Bonnie stopped to visit Steven, Gay and Nathen Hosse of Warroad. What a long day but those ladies slept good that night.

Women in the Military

Amelia Eskell and Clara Holley are charter members of "Women in Military Service In America" a monument is being built in Washington D.C. to honor all women that served in our country. Congratulations to our Plummer ladies!

Dinner guests at Idolla Rewertz home Sunday was her brother Allen and sister Margie of Thief River Falls, Gary Hoffles and Ruth Wilkens of Plummer.

Birthday Party for David

Helping David Fox celebrate his birthday Sunday were mom and dad, (Shar and Don). Dobbie and Scott Greelis, Borlen and Joyce Carlson, Paule and Jeson Cater, Morlin and Judy Carlson and Connie and Roger Hughes.

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Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Juice or fruit choice, French toast sticks, syrup, egg pattie, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: 1-Submarine sandwich with fresh fixings, potato choice, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: 1-Italian dunkers with meat sauce, salad, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pasta bar.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: 1-Roast beef/gravy, mashed potatoes, roll, corn, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday, Dec. 21: 1-Submarine sandwich, cooks choice of potatoes, veggies, dip, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Juice or fruit choice, French toast sticks, syrup, egg pattie, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: 1-Hamburger on a bun, oven fries, apple slices with caramel dip. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: 1-Pita taco fixings, fruit choice. 2-Turkey club sandwich, potato rounds, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: 1-Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, roll, corn, peaches. 2-Polish sausage on a bun, hash brown pattie, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Dec. 21: 1-Chicken nuggets, oven fries, fruit choice, Christmas cookie. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit, cookie. 3-Bag lunch.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Juice or fruit choice, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Juice or fruit choice, French toast sticks, egg pattie.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: Chicken nuggets, bread, potato wedges, mixed fruit.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Mini tacos, cup of fixings, pineapple tidbits, bread, mini carrots, mini donuts.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Hamburger on a bun, oven fries, apple slices with caramel dip.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Pepperoni pizza, cooks choice of fruit and vegetables, bread, Christmas cookie.

* Menu subject to change.

* Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $5.00, 2 cartons per day is $10.00.

St. Bernard's

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, granola mix, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Waffles, syrup, sausage, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: "9th Grade Choice they will join us for breakfast today."

Thursday, Dec. 21: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: Pizza burgers, chicken soup, fruit choices, cookie, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Grilled cheese sandwich, chili, crackers, cookie, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Turkey bits with gravy, mashed potatoes, corn, cranberries, dessert, buns, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Sub sandwiches, chips, lettuce, cheese, tomato, pear sauce, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Blueberry muffin, cereal, juice, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: French toast sticks, syrup, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Cinnamon roll, Wheaties, juice, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Breakfast pizza, fruit, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: Hot ham and cheese on a bun, potato chips, whole kernel corn, pineapple, bread and milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Italian dunkers, meat sauce, lettuce salad, cookie, bread and milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Submarine sandwich, tator tots, lettuce, peach sauce, bread and milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Italian chicken on a bun, green beans, fruit cup, ice cream bar, bread and milk.

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Breakfast pizza, fresh fruit, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Scrambled eggs with ham, toast, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Assorted rolls, granola mix, juice, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Choice of cereal, muffins, juice, milk.

Friday, Dec. 22: No school.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: Chicken burgers, vegetable tray with dip, peaches, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Tuna with lettuce and cheese, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Hot dogs, French fries, fresh fruit, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Barbeques, chips, pickles, corn, mixed fruit, milk.

Plummer

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Cheese omelet, Frosted Flakes, grape juice, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Cinnamon roll, Life Cereal, orange juice, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Captain Crunch, Froot Loops, apple juice, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Cinnamon roll, Cheerios, orange juice, milk.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: Chili, cheese and crackers, bologna sandwich, pickles, vegetable stix, bananas.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Corndogs, French fries, corn, peach sauce, chocolate chip cookie.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Sausage pizza, salad, fresh fruit, Rice Krispie bar.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Turkey roast, mashed potatoes and gravy, cranberries, dinner roll, baked apples.

Senior Meals: Thief River Falls

Your nutrition center: a place for meals and information on services for older adults.

Monday evening, Dec. 18: Turkey and dressing, whipped potatoes, scallop corn, cranberry apple salad, pumpkin dessert, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Spaghetti, meat sauce, mixed veggies, tossed salad, garlic toast, pears, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Meat loaf, boiled potatoes, beets, roll, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Ham, potato dumpling, green bean casserole, roll, cherry cake, milk.

Friday, Dec. 22: Lemon pepper pollock, potatoes, California mix, roll, vanilla pudding, milk.

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Gatzke

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Chaelle Ruud, also Mrs. Tim Howard, Garry Ruud spent the day visiting with Terry Ruud at Moorhead and later visited at the Howard home at Warren. Garry left for his home in Palm Bay, FL on Thursday. Cheslie and Arlatta took him to Grand Forks and later visited at the Harley Bulcholz home.

Leonard Olsen of Skima visited on Monday at the Alan Saverts home.

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Senior Meals

Newfolden

Monday, Dec. 18: Salmon loaf, baked potato, peas and carrots, applesauce muffin, peach cobbler, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Spaghetti with meat sauce, lettuce salad with dressing, whole kernel corn, pickle, garlic bread with margarine, pineapple tidbits, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, broccoli, roll, margarine, sorbet, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Baked fish fillet, paprika potato, stewed tomatoes, bread and margarine, lemon snow pudding, milk.

Friday evening, Dec. 22: Christmas vacation.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 18: Milk, apple juice, muffins, Cheerios.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Milk, orange juice, toast, oatmeal.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Milk, apple juice, Corn Chex, toast with peanut butter.

Friday, Dec. 22: Milk, orange juice, scrambled eggs, cinnamon toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 18: Dakota hotdish, lettuce salad, boiled eggs, bread, butter, applesauce, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 19: Cream of chicken, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, jellied cranberry, lemon jello with vegetable, vanilla pudding, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 20: Cream of tomato soup, grilled cheese, pickles, saltines, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 21: Tuna macaroni casserole, buttered peas, lime jello with pineapple, milk.

Friday, Dec. 22: Barbecued hamburgers, French fries, pickles, fruit cocktail, milk.

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Thanksgiving evening visitors and overnight guests at the Clayton Johnsrud home were Mrs. Ron Fulton, Jesse and John Dahlstrom of Roseau.

Friday visitors and dinner guests at the David Sjulestad home were Mr. and Mrs. Orland Aspen of Hills City and Amy Aspen and David Robertson of Bemidji. Mr. and Mrs. Orland Aspen were also overnight guests at the David Sjulestad home that night.

Monday night, Randy Theraldson was a visitor and supper guest at the David Sjulestad home.

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Heart And Grit.....

Lin Smithwick, staff writer for the Becker County Record in Detroit Lakes, wrote a poignant follow-up to the classic football match-up between the Lakers from DL and the Prowlers of Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls. We feel it captures a big part of the essence of high school sports competition and shows how non-contestants can share in the perceptions of the team and community. Following is Smithwick's story.

Heart and grit, that's what it is all about.

Over the years, there have been so many moments of excitement and heart-attack times with the Laker football team.

They dim in comparison with the Section 8 title game held in Fargo last week.

It is this game that will be talked about for years to come.

The lights pronouncing the final score of Thursday's game with Thief River Falls blink on the Fargodome scoreboard: 21-20. The score was final after four quarters of pain and agony.

All week, prognosticators warned fans this could be a tough game. The Prowlers, they said, probably had more talent, speed and depth.

No one said anything about that team having more heart or grit.

The football fans who are not football-smart barely listened to those negative words. They never believed them for a second.

Who cares about talent, speed and all that stuff. Heart and grit count every time.

Especially the heart and grit of Coach Rick Manke and his Laker football team and coaches.

It might be the fourth quarter and the Lakers might even be behind a little. Somewhere from deep inside these guys pull together and figure out how to win.

For the seniors, it might well be the idea that any of these games can be the last Laker football game of their career.

Last Thursday, these seniors and fellow teammates weren't ready for the season to end. Not just yet.

Their determination did not calm fainting hearts watching breathlessly as the Prowlers edged themselves into field goal position.

How long can three minutes last? FOREVER!

A penalty, interceptions and Prowler mistakes gave the Lakers all they needed to take the lead and keep it.

"When those last seconds ticked off the clock, relief swept over the Laker fans.

Fortunately, the services of Dr. Tom Seaworth and Scott Vanderhagen, trainer, weren't needed on or off the field.

As the class Laker team and fans applauded the second place effort of the Prowlers, the reality hit home that, yes, indeed, the Lakers had won their sixth Section 8 championship title.

It took guts and grit, but the Lakers prevailed.

Watching the sad, dejected Prowler faces, everyone knew that for their seniors, this was the last game of their high school career.

How easily it could have been the Lakers.

For one team to win, another has to lose.

Respect goes out to the Prowler team, which provided the Lakers the biggest challenge of the 1995 season.

The Prowlers were ready to play us and ready to beat us. They had watched the films and done their homework.

What doesn't show on video and what Prowler scouts may not have taken time to notice, is the grit in the guts of the Lakers.

They deserved to win that game Thursday, because they dug deep for that extra effort it takes to be Laker champions.

Other teams might have given up, surrendered to a pesky offense and a determined defense.

Not this team. Not the Lakers.

After the game was finally over and the awards and celebrations ended, the teams retired to respective locker rooms in the bowels of the Fargodome.

For some, a severe case of shock and numbness settled in.

It was over.

The mighty and often muddy Lakers had prevailed.

Fans trickled out to start the drive back to Detroit Lakes. Hundreds of fans bedecked in faithful red and white colors had defied winter's first storm to come to Fargo for the game.

Weary, but happy, the trek home was to begin.

The images of those first post-game moments will outlast many other memories.

An exhausted Flint Motsenbacher, the Lakers' talented defensive coach, slumps on the floor, leaning against the wall.

There is nothing to say to him. He knows only too well what his kids went through to pull that win away from the Prowlers.

A handful of other Lakers coaches and media people stand just outside the locker room door.

Time is momentarily crystallized as everyone sorts out their own thoughts and feelings.

A return to the dome football field tugs at a lone Tribune reporter.

Just one more look at that scoreboard. Just one more look at that score.

By that time, the field and the stands were empty.

Signs proclaiming the power and strength of both teams hang everywhere.

At the far end of the field, one Prowler football player, a senior, kneels on the outside line of the far end zone.

His head is bowed and his face is buried in his hands. Near him is the helmet he has worn for the last time. There are tears for him. He is, after all, some mom's son.

At that moment, no one can console him. No one can erase the defeat. No one can take away from him, however, that he has just played one of the best games of his career. He has tears for a missed opportunity just as the Lakers and Laker fans would have had if the game had ended differently.

Unfortunately, in football as in life, someone has to win, someone has to lose.

Watching this young man, the reality of Thursday's dome win hit hard.

The spirit of competition between the Lakers and the Prowlers is part of the northern Minnesota gridiron tradition.

A tradition as rich with sportsmanship as it is with gamesmanship.

A story told by John Hovdenes the next day emphasizes the point.

Matt Hovdenes had taken a hard hit early in Thursday's game. Concern prompted a call to his dad the next day.

We were reassured that Matt would be fine, even though he didn't remember the first quarter of the game.' Then John told a story about something that happened just before Thursday's game.

The Hovdeneses had stopped to eat before going to the dome.

A couple from Thief River Falls sat nearby.

They all struck up a conversation. The Prowler fans had no one from their family on the team. They braved the stormy weather to come and lend support.

They all chatted about the game and departed wishing each other well.

After the game, John reports, that couple made an extra effort to go out of their way to find the Hovdeneses to congratulate them on the Laker victory.

That takes heart. That takes grit.

Star Community News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

I would like to thank everyone who gave me news in 1995 and also wish you all a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!"

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest on Monday at the Jean Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson, Joanna and Kylie attended the wedding for Jeremy Johnson and Jennifer Nelson at Our Saviour's Lutheran church in McIntosh on Saturday evening. Joanna was one of the bridesmaids and Kylie was a flower girl. Jeremy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson and brother of Kylie and Joanna. A delicious supper was served to all. Later that evening Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson, Kylie and Joanna attended the wedding dance in Oklee.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kotrba visited and had coffee with Debbie Hanson in Thief River Falls.

Roger Nelson was a visitor on Tuesday at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Wednesday, Adeline Hanson was a visitor and dinner guest at the Leonard Johnson home.

The sewing group met on Thursday at the Marlys Johnsrud home were Marion Marquis of Oklee, June Johnson, Betty Troska and Pat Syzmansky and Elva Fiedler.

Jessica Johnson spent Sunday night with her grandmother Mayme Johnson.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was a visitor and supper guest on Wednesday night at the Jean Johnson home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited on Wednesday with her husband Clarence Johnson a patient at the V.A. Hospital in Fargo, ND.

Those who gathered at the Gerald Sjulestad home on Sunday to celebrate the December birthdays for Kelly Bjerkile, Shannon Sjulestad and Mandy Sjulestad. Their guests were Gerald Sjulestad, Mr. ad Mrs. David Sjulestad, Robyn, Adam and Shannon, Mrs. Ricky Bjerkile, Mathew and Emily and Kelly, Mrs. Rodney Bjerkile, Aric and Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sjulestad and Mandy, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Paulson and Arianna, and Hiedi Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bjerklie, Jami and Bryan and Edwin Sjulestad of Thief River Falls. A supper was served in honor of the birthday guests with birthday cake and ice cream. Kelly, Shannon and Mandy also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday Kelly, Mandy and Shannon.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Watne, David and Brittany of Grygla were visitors at the Lorraine Watne home.

Elva Fiedler attended a Senior Companion meeting in Crookston on Wednesday.

Friday night visitors and lunch guests at the Marie Naeseth home were Jean Johnson, Michelle and Monica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson. They also visited with JoAnn Naseath and Megan and Dan Wallman and Zachary of Motley house guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Mildred Hovet of Thief River Falls attended the wedding for Jeremy Johnson and Jennifer Nelson held on Saturday evening at Our Saviour's Lutheran church in McIntosh. Then later Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Mildred Hovet attended the wedding dance in Oklee. That night Mildred Hovat was an overnight guest at the Eddy Stucy home.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Visitors and dinner guests on Saturday at the David Sjulestad home were Kevin Tharaldson and Bobbie Paulson.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson visited and had coffee with Anna Kriel at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

Friday, Jessica Johnson was an overnight guest at the Allen Hawk home. Then on Saturday, Mrs. Allen Hawk, Zane, Jesse and Jenny and Mrs. Clarence Johnson were visitors and lunch guests at the Jean Johnson home and Jessica returned home with them that day.

Dave Naeseth was a visitor and had coffee with his grandmother Mayme Johnson on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon, Lorraine Watne, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hanson, Dean and Luane, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Thrane of Thief River Falls went to Wannaska to help Jaann Olson celebrate her birthday along with her husband Kent Olson. A lunch was served with a decorated birthday cake and ice cream. Joann also received gifts and cards. Happy Birthday JoAnn!

Jarad Haugen was a visitor on Thursday evening at the Tim Lundeen home.

JoAnn Naeseth and Megan and Dan Wallman and Zachary of Motley were weekend guests at the Merle Naeseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Adam, Robyn and Shannon attended the wedding for Jeremy Johnson and Jennifer Nelson held at Our Savior's Lutheran church in McIntosh on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. David Sjulestad, Robyn, Adam and Shannon also attended the wedding dance held in Oklee. Congratulations Jennifer and Jeremy.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen and Alissa were visitors at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Tony Rublechko was a visitor on Monday at the Clayton Johnsrud home.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Shannon and Alissa were visitors at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Aaron Chervestad of rural Oklee was a visitor at the Shirley Johnsrud home.

Jean Johnson and Mayme Johnson had dinner together on Friday at Handy Farms in Thief River Falls.

Gene Marquis visited and had coffee with his aunt June Johnson on Sunday.

Saturday, Leslie Iverson went to the Cities to attend the Viking football game on Sunday.

Roger Kriel was a visitor and supper guest on Monday at the Norman Kriel home.

Saturday night, Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor and supper guest at the Tim Lundeen home.

Mrs. Gene Marquis and Clara Peterson had coffee and visited on Thursday with Ida Haugen.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and dinner guests at the Leonard Johnson home.

Monday morning, Mayme Johnson was an out patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls. Then later that forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Marie Naeseth and Mayme Johnson had dinner at Dee's Kitchen. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Naeseth brought Mayme Johnson home that afternoon.

Wednesday night, Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited by phone with her nephew Duane Johnson of Fresno, CA.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went to Thief River Falls on Tuesday where Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud went to quilters guild and Clayton visited with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls.

One night during the week Mike and Linda Hanson and Matthew and David were visitors at the David Sjulestad home.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson enjoyed pizza with her grandchildren Jessica, Michelle and Monica at the Jean Johnson home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Eddy Stucy and Mrs. Gary Johnson attended a bridal shower for Jennifer Nelson at Our Savior's Lutheran church in McIntosh on Monday night.

Lorraine Watne and Mrs. Howard Hanson of Trail attended the Garden Valley telephone meeting and Craft shows in Erskine on Saturday afternoon.

During the week Kenny Barg of Thief River Falls, Donnie Jansen and Marlin Kotrba were visitors and coffee guests at the Norman Kriel home.

Thursday night, Mrs. Clarence Johnson visited by phone with her son Bob Johnson of Andover.

Jean Johnson and Jessica and Mrs. Clarence Johnson attended the 5 o'clock wedding for Jeremy Johnson and Jennifer Nelson held at the Our Savior's Lutheran church in McIntosh on Saturday evening. Congratulations Jeremy and Jennifer.

Friday, Elva Fiedler visited with Mable Paulson at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tiegland of Minneapolis were visitors and coffee guests at the Eddy Stucy home on Wednesday.

Notice Of
Proposed Property Taxes

The Board of Education of Goodridge Independent School District No. 561 will hold a public hearing on its budget and on the amount of property taxes it is proposing to collect to pay for the costs of the district for the 1996-1997 school year.

Attend The Public Hearing

All residents of the school district are invited to attend the public hearing of the school board to express their opinions on the budget and on the proposed amount of property taxes on:

Monday, December 18, at
7:00 P.M.
Home Economics Room
Goodridge High School
Goodridge, MN 56725

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Corrections: If an error is made in news or advertising publication, The Times encourages readers to call it to our immediate attention at 681-4450. We will attempt to correct the error or clarify the misunderstanding in the next issue.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Notwithstanding the low price of wheat, the elevators are full to overflowing and cars cannot be obtained to release the pressure.

—Our firemen will hold their second annual ball on New Year's Eve.

—Our village council has resumed operations on the hole in the ground, as they need a water supply worse than street lamps or side walks or the indictments of nonpartisans.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Postmaster Richardson removed the post office into the Dobner-Meehan block Sunday and for the next 10 years this will be the home of the office, the government having taken a lease for that length of time.

—James Meehan Jr. received a letter from his uncle, Patrick Meehan, stating that the latter had sold his 32,000 acre Colorado ranch at a handsome profit.

—Officers of the local Masonic lodge, elected Monday night, include Daniel Shaw, worshipful master; F. J. Stebbins, senior warden; G. R. Lanning, junior warden; W. E. Baker, secretary; T. L. Melgaard, treasurer; and Dr. George Tupper, trustee.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—George G. Johnson served as interlocutor at a successful Elks minstrel show, the end men including Dr. G. A. Penney, Harry Prichard and Lawrence Hermanson.

—As a result of the county option election held June 12, Thief River Falls saloons will close their doors December 18.

—George L. Stems was elected master of the local Masonic lodge.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—County Superintendent Ole R. Sande is studying for an advanced degree at Moorhead Teachers college.

—Andrew Breznay of this city was awarded $8,000 damages in district court after being struck by a car.

—B. F. Umland was named to succeed Chris Storholm as master of the local Masonic lodge.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—City council moved toward a reduction in light rates.

—National Tea company is opening a store on Main avenue.

—An automatic elevator is being installed in Oakland Park sanatorium.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—The American Legion postponed a carnival, set for last Saturday, because of a blizzard.

—Carl R. Anderson was reelected chairman of the Pennington county AAA farm program.

—Pennington county oversubscribed its $317,000 victory loan quota by buying $601,000 in bonds.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—James P. Taylor, a Detroit ex-convict with two prison terms behind him, was arrested in Joplin, Missouri in connection with the murder of Kenneth Lindberg, an employee of Northern state bank in Thief River Falls.

—Governor Orville Freeman and Manitoba Premier Douglas Campbell termed their conference in this city an "historic" meeting never before accomplished.

—Schools in this area were closed due to a severe blizzard.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—A fire burned a large hole in the roof of the Godfrey Carlson home, northwest of Thief River Falls.

—Morris Goddard was elected secretary of the Pennington county fair association, succeeding Jon Meusalem.

—Initial action toward possible establishment of the Thief River Falls area vocational technical school on its own site was taken by the Thief River Falls board of education when the board hired the architectural firm of Jyring and Whiteman of Hibbing.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Edgar Hetteen, founder of Arctic Enterprises and presently an officer of the corporation, has been elected president of a newly-formed Coalition of Minnesota Snowmobile organizations, formed in Duluth to act as the voice of the nearly one million snowmobiliers in Minnesota's 87 counties.

—To encourage improvement of deteriorated and substandard housing in Thief River Falls, the city HRA has adopted a rehabilitation loan and grant program.

—Another step toward development of an addition to the Thief River Falls area vocational technical Institute was taken by the Thief River Falls board of education, who directed an architectural firm to proceed with preliminary designing.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The Paul Peterick home in Thief River Falls, was destroyed by fire Friday.

—Larry Belmont was elected president of the Thief River Falls chamber of commerce, succeeding Ron Martin.

—The Northwest Regional Development commission voted to change the bylaws to permit the organization to be headquartered anywhere in the region, instead specifically in Crookston.

For next week: December 20, 1945

An announcement will be made about the purchase of the majority of stock in a local manufacturing business by a father and son, both of Thief River Falls, just after the son returned from active duty in the U.S. Navy. Which business is it?

Advanced question: Who were the new owners?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief-River Falls Public Library in the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Gatzke News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
459-3445

I want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a healthy New Year! Also thanks to all who gave me news.

Guests for supper on Tuesday at the Eugene Polansky home were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barnstein and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klamar.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Roan and Pam Hogenson of Grygla and Karyl Larson attended a wedding reception for Karla Schries and Harley McMillin at Greenbush on Saturday evening.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Engevik and Mrs. Dean Anderson of Newfolden were among those who attended the Christening for Engeviks great-granddaughter Alexander Louise Day at Fargo.

Dwight Peterson of Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar have been recent visitors at the Gene Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Juel Auno were to Warroad on Sunday where they attended a hockey game of Nicholas's.

Circle Meets

The Salome circle met on Tuesday afternoon at the apartment of Ingeborg Loven in Grygla. Those present were Pastor Arlen Lloyd, Mrs. Juel Aune, Mrs. Chesile Ruud, Mrs. Raymond Aune, Mrs. Rueben Engevik and Mrs. Rueben Brawley.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Chesile Ruud joined Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Noss of Thief River Falls for lunch at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. Later the Ruuds were coffee guests at the Noss home.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Tesarek and Marcus of Roseau and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar brought birthday wishes to Ashley Tesarek on her first birthday.

Tuesday evening Gene Engan visited at the Alan Severts home.

Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Chesile Ruud visited at the Terry Blaine and Russell Franzman homes at Grygla.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts visited at the Evalyn Severts and Bert Jones home.

Wednesday Roger Bernat of Roseau was a dinner guest at the Howard Lunsetter home.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota December 13, 1945
From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

Two Ration Boards Are Merged With Pennington Unit

"More work is in store for the Pennington county war price and ration board with the announcement that the number of boards in the Fargo-Moorhead OPA district will be reduced from 71 to 27, according to Board Chairman Waldie Christenson. When the change becomes effective January 1, the Pennington county board will assume jurisdiction over the counties of Red Lake and Roseau.

"From now on, Mr. Christenson stated, emphasis will be on price control. Reduction of the rationing burden by elimination of all rationed items except tires and sugar, and the transfer of industry and institution sugar allotments to the district office permit concentration on the big job ahead."

Ration Board Workers to be Honored Tonight

"With local service clubs serving as sponsors, a program of recognition for all persons who have assisted in the work of the Pennington county war price and rationing board will be held this evening in the Lincoln high school auditorium. At that time, official awards prepared by the Office of Price Administration will be presented to the many workers who have helped make the rationing program a success. In addition to the individuals who served in this capacity, recognition will be given to the schools of the county which have served in the program."

Saturday - Sunday - Monday
Gary Cooper
Preston Foster
"Northwest Mounted Police"
Avalon Theatre

Flu Still Rampant in Public Schools Here

"There was little improvement in the flu situation in the public schools of this city during the past week, Supt. Phillip L. Fjelstad reported this week, adding that on Monday approximately 300 grade pupils and 100 in Lincoln high school were absent from their classes. Most of the children remain away from school only three or four days, he stated. The flu bug also attacked three members of the board of education this week, with the result that the December session of the board was postponed from Monday to Friday evening."

Blizzard on Saturday Halts Traffic in Area

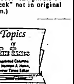
"The recent lengthy period of mild temperatures and bare ground was brought to an abrupt end Saturday, when eight inches of snow arrived driven by a high wind that created blizzard conditions. The precipitation amounted to .68 inch, according to the power plant gauge. The storm apparently centered in this locality, lighter snowfall being reported north and south of Thief River Falls."

First Model 1946 Nash Auto On Display

"Now on display in the showroom of C. Gustafson and Son is one of the first of the 1946 Nash automobiles. The car of the '600' series has been restyled completely and features greater body strength together with elimination of a quarter-ton of weight by using single unit welded steel body-chassis construction, it was announced by C. D. Gustafson, proprietor. In all, 119 changes have been made over the 1942 lines."

Colored Lights Put Up in Downtown District

"City employees last week completed the installation for the holidays of circles of colored lights on ornamental light standards in the downtown district, giving the area a festive appearance." (Emphasis on "last week" not in original news item.)



—A mining engineer tells us the Mesabi iron ore supply is good for at least 100 years. Depending, he might add, on how many wars the United States becomes involved in in the meantime.

—The good people of Pennington county will kindly take a bow for their performance in exceeding their quota in the Victory Loan drive...

—Are you with the majority, or has the flu bug overlooked you so far?

—Tommy Manville, asbestos heir, was married this week for the eighth time. There's a dandy argument against allowing wealth to be inherited.

—Coach Bernie Bierman's Gophers ended the football season at the bottom of the heap, but so far no one has suggested looking for a new coach.

—The Detroit Lakes Record poses this $64 question: When will the reconversion program get under way?

—We never expected to live to see the day when former Governor Elmer A. Benson would have a good word to say for former Governor Harold E. Stassen.

—Folks who like bananas will be interested in the news that the shortage is expected to continue for five years.

—Simile: As mysterious as the whereabouts of Russia's Premier Stalin.

—If you're bothered by the current shortage of suitable Christmas gifts, why not send 52 gifts in the form of a year's subscription to the hometown paper. —Adv.

—A lot of thoughtful people have been sleeping less restfully since the arrival of the era of the atomic bomb.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota December 11, 1895
From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Agricultural News

"The county roads are getting better but are still very rough. Good sleighing would be a first class good thing for the farmers and everybody else.

"The wheat blockade has been on in full force the past week and all of the elevators have been full most of the time. It looks a trifle as if St. Hilaire was getting the worst of it in the matter of obtaining [railroad] cars. On Monday each of the buyers here received one car, which were filled before three o'clock, while at Wylie with only one firm buying, ten cars were received. Very little effort seems to be made by the company to get cars here and we are of the opinion that the people here have not kicked as hard as other localities so do not get what they deserve. At the present rate of getting cars, it will be May before our wheat is marketed.

"St. Hilaire wheat buyers were treated a little better today as ten cars were set out here. This will keep the houses open all day but tomorrow will find them closed again."

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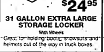
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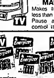
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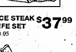
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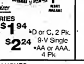
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Rick Stanseth, plant manager for Arctco, Inc., visited with students attending Welding Demo Day IV Wednesday, December 6, at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls. Stanseth spoke to the students and their instructors at the morning session and assisted Maibe Laidley of the Arctco staff at the company's table in the college cafeteria.

Ronald W. Leonzal, District 15 director of the American Welding Society, distributed materials and visited with some of the students from the Red Lake high school and their instructor during Welding Demo Day IV at Northland Community and Technical College in Thief River Falls on Wednesday, December 6. About 420 people attended the event.

Welding workshop draws 420 to NCTC Wednesday

Welding Demo Day IV attracted 420 students and instructors from area high schools to Northland Community and Technical College (NCTC) Wednesday, December 6. As the title indicates, it was the fourth annual event and the largest in attendance so far.

Don Howe, director of enrollment management at NCTC, said that pre-registration had indicated 500 would attend, but adverse weather caused Warroad and Roseau schools to cancel their trips.

The day began at 9 a.m. with an assembly program in the college gymnasium. A welcome was given by Sue Minnick, vice president of NCTC, and an introduction by Howe. Presenting information on their organization and/or employment of people with welding training were the following:

Larry Belkker, manager, OOW Welding Supply; Ron Leonzal, District 15 director, American Welding Society; Rick Stenseth, plant manager, Arctco, Inc.; Myron Morth, manager of components, Polaris Industries; Ann Eveslage, human resources, J. I. Case Corporation; and Jeff Gustafson, Minnesota Department of Employment Services.

Welding demonstrations were held in the college welding department and eight bus tours were conducted to Arctco, Inc., for students to view the robotic welding being conducted there. Howe expressed special appreciation to the local snowmobile manufacturer for opening its facilities to tours by the visiting students.

Conducting the welding demonstrations utilizing various types of welding and welding equipment were the following:

Chuck Buckley, Corex Company; Ralph Williams, OOW Supply; Steve Magee, Miller Electric; Brent Ireland, Lincoln Electric; John Bizal, Stoody Co.; Jack Valentine, Thermacote/Welco; Dean Hableton, Smith Equipment; Dan Sumpter, Welder Steamfitter; and Joe Lambrecht, Thermal Dynamics.

In addition to the welding demonstrations and tours to Arctco, students were provided the opportunity for tours of the campus and new campus housing. Howe said the demo day has been expanded to offer activities for students who are not interested specifically in the welding program.

Welding Technology is a diploma program at NCTC and requires 48 credits for graduation. Speakers at the demo day emphasized that they are seeking trained welders for their departments. A handout sheet included in packets students received at the event states:

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"The employment outlook for graduates of the welding technology major is very good. Graduates can expect to find full-time employment in production work, manufacturing, repair and maintenance as well as the construction industry. Welding skills also lend themselves to entrepreneurship and some welders go into business for themselves."

Through coursework in the welding technology program, students develop fundamental knowledge of metals, welding processes, safety and related equipment applications, several different arc and gas welding processes, and safe practices and proper maintenance on all equipment.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
661-3852

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hjalle went to Chaska to spend Thanksgiving with Clark and Sherry Hjalle. They came home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sustad and family hosted Thanksgiving Day supper at their home on Thursday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gustafson of Thief River Falls and grandson Jamie from Fargo, ND, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sorter, Amber and Trent of Bemidji, Corey Gustafson of Thief River Falls, Jeremiah Vad of Goodridge, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ness and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hjalle attended the wedding of Randy Audette and Michelle Fletcher at the Covenant church in Thief River Falls.

On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad called on Maynard Peters who is a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls.

Liz Swenson was a guest at the Darran Holter home to celebrate great grandson Cole's birthday. His grandmother, Nancy Holter from Cook was also there and other relatives and friends.

Marvella and Virgil Hjalle attended the wedding of Randy Audette and Michelle Fletcher at the Covenant church in Thief River Falls.

Kevin and Janell Swenson and children have arrived from Germany having completed his tour of duty there. They are presently staying at the Dave and Judy Bruggeman home in Thief River Falls. The next assignment is Hill Air Force Base near Ogden, UT. Kevin called at the Liz Swenson home on Tuesday evening and they drove out to visit Allan Swenson in Rosewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ranum spent Thanksgiving Day in Middle River at the Jack Bolte home and visited with other relatives and enjoyed a big dinner and a wonderful afternoon.

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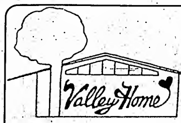
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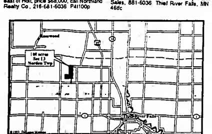

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Plummer News

Ellie Byer
488-4375

Mr and Mrs. Wade Grinde of Spring Grove arrived Thanksgiving morning to spend time at her parents, Carl and Joyce Magers. They returned to their home on Sunday.

Elizabeth Hamilton, Brian and Kevin arrived Wednesday evening at the home of her sister Joyce and Carl Magers. They returned to Bloomington Sunday.

Guest of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gary LaCoursiere on Thanksgiving day where Joe Willett and Josie Klasen of Oklee, Techla Willett of Oakland Park in Thief River Falls, Eileen Olson of Oklee, Carl, Joyce and Kimberly Magers of Plummer, Chad Schmitz of Thief River Falls, Elizabeth Hamilton, Brian and Kevin of Bloomington, Carrie Willett, Dustin, Nicole of Dilworth, ND, Shannon Willett of East Grand Forks, Tom Willett family, Don Willett family of Warroad, Doug and Jessie Willett and Sarah and Wade Grinde of Spring Grove.

Afternoon guest on Thanksgiving Day at the Walter Katschke home were Carl, Joyce and Kimberly Magers of Plummer, Chad Schmitz of Red Lake Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Grinde of Spring Grove.

Thursday, Jean Mett and Amelie Eskell accompany Pastor Johnson of Immanuel Lutheran church to Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls for their monthly church service.

Thanksgiving guest at the home of Carol and Jerry Gerardy were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wallberg of Apple Valley, David Gerardy and friend Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Howard of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Mike LaSalle and family of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. M. Konickson of Thief River Falls, Tammy and Josh Gerardy of Thief River Falls, Charles Gerardy of Thief River Falls, Kevin and friend Lisa of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gerardy of Fargo, ND.

Sunday coffee guest of Amelia Eskell were Eddie Eskell and Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Sunday guests at Edna Hyde home were Karen, Eldon and Karl Vigstol and Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Dinner guests at Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gerardy's Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wallberg of Apple Valley, Mr. and Mrs. John Wallberg of Thief River Falls, Tammy and Josh and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gerardy of Plummer.

Great Visit

Evelyn Albert spent a week visiting her daughter Renae in Minnetonka.

Happy Birthday From Finland

Konickson celebrated her birthday Monday with twenty two relatives and friends. She had two long distance phone calls from relatives in Finland to wish her many more happy birthdays!

A happy birthday goes out to Kelly Kruger who celebrated her birthday on Monday. Kelly is the daughter of Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Note from our Mayor

Mayor John Hellay would like to thank all of the people that sent prayers, cards, called and went to see him while he was in the hospital. A big thanks goes out to the kids of Plummer school, and the American Legion and Auxiliary for their support.

Birthday Party for Jacob

Sunday was a great day for Jacob Malwitz. At his home a great celebration took place to observe his fourth birthday. Dad (Kevin) was host and mom (Gloria) was the hostess and served a delicious lunch and then birthday cake. Other guests were sister Megan, Grandma Doris Malwitz, Sharon Baron, Amy and Dan, Donovan and Barb Cullums, Wayne and Vicky Malwitz, Woodrow, Glenyce and Bruce Eskek.

Welcome Home Bunny

Wednesday, Bunny DuChamp arrived back home to Plummer. Bunny ended her twelve day stay at the home of her son Lenny and daughter-in-law, Mike DuChamp in Washington State. The days were filled with fun and laughter. While there Bunny had a nice visit with her sister-in-law, Sheila Nesland of Castle Rock, WA. Ray and Alyce St. Marie came to visit Bunny and had a great time. Ray and Alyce are living in Seattle, WA and send a hello to all in Plummer.

Monday Evening Meal

Plummer Senior's enjoyed a pork chop dinner Monday evening at 4:30 p.m. Our guests for Tontes meal was Jim Herdbiska, loan officer of the Plummer State Bank. Edna Hyde showed her Christmas tree that she and Howard Greenwald made and is selling chances on it for $1.00. We will draw the name of the lucky winner at the *Senior potluck dinner on December* 20th. The money collected will go to the Senior Citizens club of Plummer and Brooks. The four door prizes fro the Monday meal was donated by Margaret Greenwald and the winners were Alma Hanson, Clarence Hanson, George Ollie and Alice Jobe. Call 465-4246 to make your reservations for next Monday.

Herb and Esther Walters spent a week with family in the Cities with June and Jim Smith of Hugo. Thanksgiving they were guest of Pat and Barb Pinc of Hayster, IA and Cathy Markley of Rockford, Brian and Janelle Wilde their children and Taylor and Ben of Forest Lake, also visiting at Barbs home was Jeff and Iva's daughter Alaina of Roseville.

Monday, Herb and Esther Walters stopped in to visit David and Gail Walters and their son's, Mike, Nick and Dan Harris.

Wavell Sorenson joined her grandchildren at the Plummer school on Grandparents Day. Grandchildren Kassandra and John Sorenson and Mallon Gerardy and Grandma had a great time.

The Tommy Gerardy family enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner and supper at their home with guests Taylor and Willie Prestegaard of Thief River Falls. John, Delaine and Maren Hammer of rural Thief River Falls, Lloyd and Wavell Sorenson, Russell Lorenson of Roseau, Carl, Rita, Karson, John and Jeffrey of Plummer. Melery, Brett and Abegail Joining this nice group that night was Peter and Mary Gerardy of Fargo, ND.

At the Magnell home Thanksgiving guests were Denise, Lillian, Jenna, Jareen and Nathan Magnell, Danielle Stonehouse, Bob and Corlan Kleinschmidt from Oklee, Pat Melvgin of California, Jason, Toni, Krista, Brooke and Jacob Magnell. Steve Roster dropped in to visit too.

25th Anniversary Party

Mr. and Mrs. David Westerlund of Hilton Head Beach, S.C. were honored on Tuesday evening with a surprise party. The occasion being their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

Fern Hesse acted as M.C. for the program assisted by JoLayne Simpson and Linda Mattison provided piano selections and a skit by Fern and Crystal Martell told of the couples earlier life when they were Plummer residents was hilarious. Sheryl Greenwald read a poem entitled "25 years". Lorina Westerlund also read a message from their daughter who was unable to attend and many pictures were taken.

A delicious luncheon was served after the program to around 100 guests. At the guest booker were Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Genereux. Punch was served by Howard Greenwald. Cutting the anniversary cake made by Edna Hyde who also made their wedding cake 25 years ago when they were married here at the Presbyterian church were Hilma Hemstad and Margaret Greenwald. Polly and Roger Skjerven were host and hostess.

David and Mable came Monday for a short visit in Plummer and were accompanied back to South Carolina by David's mother who will spend the winter months in the sunshine.

Viking News

-Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

On Tuesday evening, Christian Transportation representatives, Rob and Coleen Kerr of Hamilton, Ontario, Canada and presently based in Overland Park, KS, arrived from Winnipeg, Canada to the Ken Huiding home in Crookston. The Kerrs and Huidings then went to the RBJ restaurant where they met with Mr. and Mrs. Ragnvald Aaker of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Vigstol of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hjalla and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sustad and they enjoyed a fellowship dinner.

Following the dinner the Huidings extended an invitation to their home for more time of fellowship and dessert and refreshments. The Kerrs will be touring on to other points in Minnesota and making contact with Wisconsin Central Railroad workers. They will return to Ontario for CTI business December 9 and for the Christmas holidays before returning to their headquarters in Kansas in January.

Monday night, Leonard and Marcella Gonsorowski were visitors at the Bert Kron home.

Sunday afternoon, Gordon and Adelle Skjarvan attended the "Tree Walk" at the Jim Bitzegaio farm and went to Ron Coreys for supper.

On Sunday afternoon, Betty and Lori Ranum, LeRoy, Ruth and Jennifer Sustad were amongst the large crowd who gathered at Trinity Lutheran church in Crookston for the annual Santa Lucia Festival sponsored by the Agassiz Swedish Heritage Society. Music and singing in both English and Swedish was enjoyable. A festive bunch of Christmas goodies was served.

Liz Swenson attended the "Tree Walk" at the Bitzegaio farm on Sunday with her granddaughter and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Grandstrand invited Bert and Joyce Kron to accompany them to the Santa Lucia Festival in Crookston on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. George Erickson went to the Christmas Concert at the Old Avalon Theatre in Larimore, ND and were supper guests at the Jeff and Becky Erickson home.

Virgil Hjelle attended the Holmer Kalbakdalen funeral at the Green Funeral Home on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon, George and Emma Erickson and Earl and Joyce Erickson attended the Santa Lucia Festival in Crookston.

Tuesday evening the Erickson families attended a potluck supper in Zion Parsonage.

Dean and Patti Grandstrand and children visited at the Melvin Grandstrand home on Sunday and Ward and Barb Sinn were called on Monday evening.

Melvin and Irene Grandstrand attended the potluck supper at Chells on Tuesday evening.

The Arnold Woloski family were supper guests at the Randy Skjerven home in Grand Forks on Sunday.

Newfolden

Tuesday Lillie Olson visited with Bud and Ruby Moen in Thief River Falls.

Visiting the passed week at the Olga Thompson home have been Clare Hanson, Dave Thompson, Bev Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Thompson and son Cambell of Thief River Falls and Bill and Shirley Wagner and Curtis Thompson.

Valborg and Reynard Huglen attended the funerals of Phyllis Abrahamson and Eunice Hagen at the United Lutheran church in Gatzke late last month. Phyllis attended school in Newfolden from 1941-1944 and was confirmed at Bethlehem Lutheran in the same class as Reynard.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home were John and Dorothy Schaumberg of Mahnomen, Pat and Jim Todahl and Eileen and Courtney of Fertile. Allen and Sue Mattsen, Jessica, Andrew and Nathan of Twin Valley, Butch and Elaine Schaumberg of Bemidji, Dale Schaumberg and Tony of Grand Forks, Shelly Steebler and Ashley, Jason Erickson, Milton and Beverly Erickson.

Sunday evening visitors and supper guests at the Arnold Larson home were Todd and Kan Jesme and Colin. Gail Larson visited and had coffee with them.

Saturday visitors at the Hanna Moen home were Darcene Moen, Dennis and Beverly Moen and Douglas of Oklee, Gaylene Anderson and boys. They also brought Hanna Moen birthday wishes.

Friday evening visitors of Jean Roppe were Jean Johnson, Kristen and Brandon, Joe and Eunice Novak, Della Elseth, Wallace and Joan Roppe.

Valborg Huglen hosted the monthly executive committee meeting of the Thief River Falls Area Christian Womans Club at her home on November 28th.

Friday visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Jane Schaumberg and Matt, Brian Gillund, Dean Anderson and Jill.

Tuesday afternoon visitors at the Arnold Larson home were Gerald Gillund and Stanley Larson.

Saturday visitors at the Hanna Moen home were Kamaron and Kathy Harstad, Joan Larson and her grandson.

Supper guests of Jean Roppe Monday evening were Wallace and Joan Roppe and Della Elseth.

The death of Garfield B. Nordrum, 89 of Vancouver, WA and formerly of Bismarck, ND on November 18th has been noted. Garfield's Parents the Gilbert Nordrums lived at one time on the farm northwest of Newfolden later owned by the Torkel Forlands and presently owned by the Emory Flatans.

Friday evening Milton and Beverly Erickson, Jane Schaumberg and Matt visited at the Dean Anderson home.

Wednesday afternoon Arnold and Varnice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Sue Dondelinger.

Sunday those that visited and brought Hanna Moen birthday wishes were Elona Moen and Beth, Mervin and Betty Moen, and Gladys Stromberg. Birthday blessing Hanna!

Saturday afternoon visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Brian Gillund and Ernie Johnson.

Wednesday visitors at the Jean Roppe home were Leroy Lian and Darlana Swagger and Della Elseth.

Monday evening, Mrs. Garold Gillund visited at the Milton Erickson home.

Clare Honson and Della Elseth visited and enjoyed coffee with Jean Roppe on Tuesday.

Sunday evening Beverly Erickson visited at the Jason Erickson home.

Tuesday forenoon, Milton Erickson visited with Jeanette Kasprowicz of the Debbie Kasprowicz home in Thief River Falls.

Last Tuesday visitors at the Jean Roppe home were Edwin and Dolores Stromlund and Engvold and Gladys Rud.

Sunday, Beverly Erickson visited at the Mark and Jane Schaumberg home.

Tuesday evening, Dean and Mary Anderson and Jill visited at the Milton Ericksons home.

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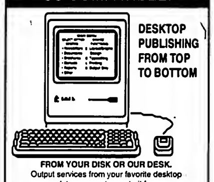

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Christmas Greetings
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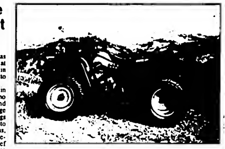
Christmas Eve dinner again at the Evergreen

Annual community Christmas Eve dinner will again be served at the Evergreen Eating Emporium in Thief River Falls with the meal to begin at 5 p.m.

The dinner is open to all those in the community who will have no family with whom to spend Christmas Eve. There is no charge for the meal, but free will offerings are accepted for those who prefer to contribute. To make reservations, arrangements for rides or home-delivered meals, call the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce at 681-3720.

Volunteers are also needed to help serve the meal at the restaurant and to deliver the home-delivered meals. Those interested in helping are also asked to call the Chamber of Commerce office so that a list of volunteers can be compiled.

Those who will be unable to assist in person but would like to contribute toward the annual meal may send donations to Community Christmas Eve Dinner, c/o City Clerk's Office, P.O. Box 528, Thief River Falls, MN 56701.



Arctco's first all-terrain vehicle, the Bearcat 454, rolled off the assembly line in Thief River Falls today (Wednesday).

Arctco unveils ATV

Arctco, Inc., manufacturer of world class snowmobiles and personal watercraft, has introduced a utility four-wheel drive all-terrain vehicle (ATV).

Called the Bearcat 454 4x4, it has the highest ground clearance and the longest travel in the industry. The Bearcat also has the largest engine displacement of any four-stroke ATV.

Ground clearance was one of the most important features considered when designing the Bearcat. With its 9.2 inches of ground clearance, 7.2 inches of travel and low center of gravity, the Bearcat leads the way in getting over rocks, stumps or trenches.

The Bearcat has a fully independent, double-A arm front suspension system and a semi-independent rear axle, delivering easy control and handling and unparalleled maneuverability.

The Bearcat's aggressive, liquid-cooled 454cc engine offers reliability and durability in all temperature conditions. The machine's innovative front differential keeps both front wheels turning over rough terrain for true four-wheel drive. And the Bearcat has high-low range for superior trail performance and exceptional towing capacity.

Shifting is easy, with Bearcat's auto clutch, five-speed transmission

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Centennial kickoff event planned New Year's Day

Official kickoff of the Thief River Falls centennial year is being planned for Monday, January 1, in and around the National Guard armory in Thief River Falls.

Events during the day will include a snowmobile trail ride from Thief River Falls to area communities and return, sliding and sledding on the armory hill with outdoor music and refreshments beginning at 2 p.m., Kitty Cat and sleigh rides during the afternoon, a bonfire lighted with a flaming arrow, official centennial opening ceremonies at 5 p.m. in the armory, with food and entertainment to follow.

Persons planning to spend time sliding on the armory hill are asked to bring their own sleds. Coffee and hot chocolate will be available at the L. B. Hartz Park picnic shelter near the armory and the armory itself will also be open for warmup and use of restrooms.

The kickoff program at 5 p.m. will be opened with advancement and posting of the colors by the color guard from American Legion Post 117 in Thief River Falls. Miss Thief River Falls 1995, Tera Marquis, will sing the National Anthem and the welcome and proclamation of the centennial will be presented by Mayor Bob Reeve.

Brief presentations with invitations to participate in centennial events and information on the year-long event will be made by co-chairs Jean Heinrichs, Jane Mattson and Dale Wennberg.

Recognition of January Centennial Royalty will take place. Tera Marquis will lead in the singing of "We're From Thief River" and the January royalty will head the line for the lunch to be served. The lunch will include barbecues, pickles, chips, centennial cake, ice cream, soft drinks and coffee.

While the food is being served, entertainment will be provided by a number of local groups and individuals including the Lincoln jazz band, vocalist Kelsi Holland, students Missy Lampe and Tera Marquis of the Northland Community and Technical College music department and "Arlene and Friends," a vocal and instrumental group including Arlene Huseth,

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Rehabilitation project to start

Business owners who expressed an interest in a downtown commercial and rental rehabilitation program last year will soon receive letters informing them that the city is prepared to begin processing applications.

Last year the city was awarded $1,027,500 for a downtown commercial and rental rehabilitation project. Tuesday night, the Thief River Falls city council was informed on the progr of establishing policies and procedures for loaning out the funds.

Judi Bruggeman, project director, explained that since Thief River Falls was one of the first communities to receiving funding under the program that the city's policies and procedures will be used as a model for other programs. As a result, review of the policies and procedures took longer than anticipated.

Tuesday night the council adopted the rules and procedures. Bruggeman said she was probably prepared now to accept applications but thought it advisable to wait until after the holiday season. She said her office, which will be located in the engineering department office at Horace and Second Street will be open for business on January 2.

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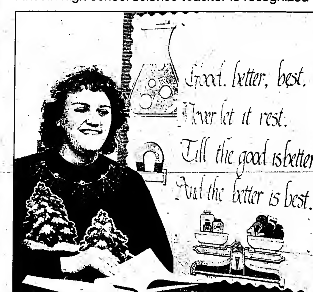
Patti Johnson earns MASWCD state award

Lincoln high school science teacher is recognized for long-term contributions to environmental education



Even when waiting for an answer from one of her science students, Patti Johnson is rarely without a smile. After a dozen years of teaching at Goodridge high school, Johnson joined the Lincoln high school faculty in the fall of 1994. She formed an Envirothon team and coached it to area and state championships and a trip to the national Envirothon in Rexburg, Idaho, last summer. She is presently working on the Envirothon for a second year and establishing a science fair which is scheduled to be conducted January 26 and 27 in the Lincoln cafeteria. The science fair will have at least 100 entries and could have many more. The motto on the wall at her left is one she often uses to challenge her students to greater effort, but it is also one that she abides by in her own science teaching efforts.

by Marvin Lundin
Times Editor

*"People don't care
What you know,
Until they know
That you care."*

This slogan on a large sign at the front of Patti Johnson's science classroom at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls is an indicator of the attitude that led to her nomination and selection for the 1995 MASWCD Education Award. Kids know that she cares and they learn what she teaches.

Last Monday, December 11, she accepted the award at the annual convention of the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts in St. Cloud. The award plaque notes that it is "For Outstanding Contributions to Environmental Education."

As much as the award itself, and perhaps moreso, Patti appreciates the efforts of the people who saw fit to nominate her (without her knowledge) and provide the substantiating information that led to her selection. "That was pretty special to me," she said.

Award Was a Surprise

The first knowledge she had of the award was in a letter from the MASWCD shortly before Thanksgiving advising her that she had been selected and inviting her to attend the state convention to receive the recognition.

Her nominators would admit that the motivation for nomination came from Mrs. Johnson's involvement and success with the 1994-95 LHS Envirothon team. That first-year team swept through its area competition at Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge, defeated the defending state champion team and others for the state title in Fridley, and advanced to the national Envirothon in Rexburg, Idaho.

History of Involvement

But Johnson's involvement with environmental education extends far beyond last year's performance.

A graduate of Lakota (ND) high school, Patti earned a bachelor of science degree in biology and psychology from the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks. She and her husband Vern moved to Grygla (where he continues to teach fourth grade and serve as coach and athletic director) and she taught part-time in the 1981-82 school year.

In 1982-83 she became *the* science teacher at Goodridge high school, holding that position through the 1993-94 school year and teaching up to eight sections of science each year in grades six through 12.

She also coached volleyball and basketball for five years at the Goodridge school.

Second Year at LHS

Now in her second year at Lincoln she teaches three sections of ninth grade physical science plus two sections of a new course called "Global Science," an elective open to students in grades 10-12. There are 59 students in the two sections, studying integrated life, earth and physical science and chemistry.

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State award for outstanding contributions to environmental education was received by Patti Johnson, Lincoln high school science teacher, by the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts. She coached the Lincoln Envirothon team to a state championship in its first year during the last school year and has been an active promoter of science education in and out of the classroom throughout her teaching career.

Season's Greetings

Patti Johnson earns MASWCD state award

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The course explores man's role on earth in relationship to energy, resources and the environment.

There is no question "Mrs. J" is a competent and dedicated teacher in the classroom. In addition to her bachelors degree she has acquired more than 60 graduate credits, primarily taking classes she felt would benefit her teaching in science, although she aspires to at least one and perhaps two, masters degrees. That aspiration continues to be deferred to some future date.

Teaching Outside the Classroom

It is beyond the classroom walls, however, that she has distinguished herself with "outstanding contributions to environmental education," as the state award plaque states.

While teaching at Goodridge she encouraged participation in the essay contest sponsored annually by the Marshall Beltrami Soil and Water Conservation District. She participated in Ag Week, Earth Day and Soil Stewardship projects.

"In order for students to gain a better understanding of field wind breaks, conservation tillage and other important conservation practices, she has organized farm tours," her nominators for the state award wrote.

"Annual trips to Agassiz National Wildlife Refuge give the students an in-depth look at wetland flora and fauna. Tours of the area rice paddies give students the opportunity to view an alternative crop and check out the variety of waterfowl the paddies support, including pelicans and swans," the nominators added.

Initiates Science Fair

Patti also initiated the science fair in Goodridge as a tool in developing an active interest in science among her students. This was a project beyond the classroom, but students could receive extra credit for participating. The exhibits were judged by a science teacher from another school (Patti also judged his science fair) and winning entries were selected.

Last year Mrs. Johnson took three Lincoln students to the regional science fair at Bemidji State University and sophomore Jennifer Vad (a transfer student from Goodridge under the state's open enrollment option) gained advancement to the state science fair.

This year Lincoln will have its first full scale science fair on January 26 and 27 in the high school cafeteria. There will be at least 100 exhibits and Patti hopes for many more than that. The event is open to all students in grades nine through 12 and the exhibits will be open for public inspection. Winners will have the opportunity to advance to the regional science fair at BSU.

Success With Envirothon

Two years ago at Goodridge Mrs. Johnson formed an Envirothon team and coached it to the area championship. Last year she improved on that feat at Lincoln as her first year team won both the area and state contests and gained entry to the national event. The success was not without effort.

"We came in to school early at least once a week in order to practice for the Area I competition," wrote Sarah Leach, a member of the 1995 LHS Envirothon team, in a letter written for the team in support of Mrs. Johnson's nomination.

"Practice was increased to about three mornings a week for the state competition. Since the national competition was during the summer, we had at least one practice each week from 7:30 in the evening to about midnight. This was easy for us because we all lived in or close to Thief River Falls. Ms. Johnson, on the other hand, had an hour drive to and from each practice—but that never slowed her down."

This degree of interest and enthusiasm coincides with another motto on Mrs. Johnson's science classroom wall:

"Good, better, best.
Never let it rest.
'Til the good is better
And the better is best."

Envirothon Interest Grows

Student success creates student interest. Last year it was a struggle to develop a group of nine interested students to field a six-member Envirothon team. This year there are about 40 registrants and about half that number attending practice sessions each Tuesday at 7 a.m. Patti drives from Grygla in the predawn cold to be there to practice with them. Theme this year is "Land Use—Green Ways," and what it really means is so far a bit of a mystery.

She also works with fellow LHS science instructor Vern Isaacson and the environmental club he advises at Lincoln. She has an ambitious student project in mind, through Boston University, but at present is not ready to talk about it in public.

Needs a 36-Hour Day

One of those people who could benefit from a 36-hour day so she could get eight hours of sleep, Patti is a mother and solid community citizen at well. She and Vern have a daughter, Carrie, eight years old and a son Bret, four years.

She is a member and past president of the Grygla chapter of the Women of Today and is president of the Grace Lutheran church council as well as the charitable gambling manager for the Grygla Jaycees.

Patti serves on the board of the City of Grygla tree nursery, a division of city government which operates a tree nursery. More than 2,000 trees of many different varieties were planted in 1992 and are now available free of charge to residents of the city who want them for transplanting. At one time the city was the smallest in the nation to be designated a Tree City USA by the National Arbor Day Foundation.

For six years at Goodridge she chaired the Goodridge Education Association negotiating team and she is now in her ninth (and she says her last) year as vice president of the Kramer-Brown Uniserv governing board, the regional unit of the Minnesota Education Association.

A Coach And a Friend

Sarah Leach's letter reveals more about Patti's relationship to the Envirothon team and the students whose lives she touches:

"This dedication that Ms. Johnson displayed provided our team with a great amount of motivation. Her energy is contagious. Her belief in us was limitless. When we started Envirothon, we had no clue on some issues. However, her energy and belief motivated our team to learn anything and everything we could. Even before the Area I competition, we had our eyes set on Nationals. Her dedication and her belief in our team is what instilled this desire in us and motivated us to carry it out.

"Most importantly though," Sarah wrote after consulting with the team, "Ms. Johnson was a coach when we needed one and a friend when it was appropriate....All of us respect her very much. She knew how to make us utilize our talents to the highest degree.

"....Ms. Johnson not only taught us facts about the environment, but also facts about life. This is one of the greatest accomplishments that a teacher can make. She has found the fine line between a teacher and a friend. She knows when it is best to be each one. That is why she deserves the Education Award so very much."

"People don't care what you know, until they know that you care."

City ready to start rental rehabilitation

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Under the program, $686,250 has been set aside for the estimated 30 commercial units, and $231,250 for the 50 downtown rental units. A lot more money will be involved, Bruggeman said, because owners will be required to add about one-quarter of the total of their own money.

Bruggeman was in charge of a similar program in Crookston. She said the program really stimulated the economy.

There is a lot of paperwork involved, which might frustrate contractors, but she doesn't anticipate any trouble getting contractors. She said there will be some federal and state requirements. Contractors like the guarantee provided by the money, and it ensures employees will be paid well.

Bruggeman was complemented by council representatives on completing the enormous amount of work required by the plan. She said she looks forward to getting started, but said "It's going to be a challenge."

The council gave its approval to a request to go ahead with a fund-raising campaign by the Swimming Pool Committee. Council representative Dale Wennberg explained that the swimming pool was not included in phase I of the proposed Multi Events Cultural Center near Northland Community and Technical College. They have asked to be allowed to raise funds for a pool that would be located on land adjacent to the proposed center. The site offers land, parking and access to utility hook ups. The committee is proceeding with a fund-raising campaign for an indoor community swimming pool.

Following reports of as many as six accidents each since 1994 at Sixth and LaBree and Sixth and Horace, the city council approved a recommendation to install yield signs on Sixth Street at each of the intersections.

An amendment to a bed and breakfast ordinance will permit meals to be served to individuals other than overnight guests. Parking, number of sittings and other issues were addressed by the ordinance. Two council representatives, however, still had a number of questions and expressed concern for neighborhoods, since any bed and breakfast would probably be located in a residential district. The ordinance was proposed because of a request from Dr. Dixie Klein to serve meals to a limited number of individuals at her bed and breakfast.

The city council certified its final property tax levy for 1996 at $1,025,800. It also approved the city's 1996 budget with total planned expenditures of $15,376,611.

In other business, the city council approved a low quote of Northern State Bank for the city's checking account services for 1996-1998, approved establishment of an account with John G. Kinnard and Co. and authorized the city administrator to act as the city's representative for financial transactions, authorized a Class A gambling premises permit application from the American Legion, approved an extension of interest only payments with one principal down payment on a loan made to Behavioral Dynamics, approved a loan extension for Black Magic Motorsports.

Items on the consent agenda included declaring a set of hockey nets as surplus property, a progression raise for Lisa Johnson, approved on-sale intoxicating liquor licenses, wine licenses and club on-sale liquor licenses, approved the write-off of delinquent utility billing accounts of $15,418.15, approved certification of unpaid accounts from the city of Thief River Falls, approved a progression raise for Tony Brennan, called for bids on a new truck chassis and packer body, approved a dance permit for Matt Perkins on December 15 at the armory, approved a dance permit for Julie Gustafson on December 22 at the armory.

Arctco unveils ATV

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and exclusive rocker shifter.

Other Bearcat features include hydraulic disc brakes on front and rear, with single-lever control, a long wheelbase; Instrumentation and gear position indicators; easy-shift reverse; large rack and payload capacity; high-amp alternator; and full floor boards.

Dry weight of the Bearcat is 625 pounds. Fuel capacity is 4.25 gallons.

MSRP of the Bearcat will be available on November 30.

Optional equipment and accessories for the Bearcat include plow and attachment, Warn winch and attachment and gun case/attachment. Arctco also offers Bearwear clothing, including boots, helmets, gloves and other apparel.

Centennial kickoff set January 1

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Evelyn Albaugh, Don Olson, Mildred Hovet, Anna Kriel and Hazel Huot.

The events are all open to the public free of charge. Centennial souvenir items will be on sale and centennial buttons, which will be good for prize drawings and special event admission throughout the year, will also be available. Persons interested in registering for the centennial beard contest may also do so at the armory that day and the judging will be held in June.

Johnson heads MN watersheds

Vernon Johnson of Clearbrook, a member of the board of managers of the Red Lake Watershed District, was reelected to a second term as president of the Minnesota Association of Watershed Districts at the organizations annual meeting December 1 and 2 at the Radisson Arrowwood in Alexandria.

Other officers include Denn Oleson, Hutchinson, vice president; Bob Wright, Felton, secretary; and Susnn Scribner, Minnetonka, treasurer.

Members of the Red Lake district board who attended the annual meeting along with administrator Lowell Enerson and state president Johnson were Leonard Moe of Marshall county and Russell Sander of East Polk county.

The Red Lake Watershed District includes all of Red Lake county, most of Pennington county and parts of Mahnomen, Polk, Itasca, Marshall, Clearwater, Beltrami, Roseau and Koochiching counties.

About 250 watershed district managers, engineers, attorneys, natural resource professionals and others attended this year's meeting which provided them with an opportunity to receive training on a wide variety of topics, including drainage maintenance, permitting and water quality improvement.

"We need this continuing education to ensure that we are doing a good job in water management," Enerson said. "In addition, the meeting provided a chance for managers to learn about how other watershed districts throughout the state are dealing with some of the issues that affect all watershed districts, such as flood management and water quality."

Keynote speaker Robert Sopuck, executive director of the Manitoba Sustainable Development Coordination Unit, speaking on the topic "Getting Rich—Save the Environment," projected the idea that environmental management improves as countries grow wealthier.

Economic growth and sound environmental policy should go hand-in-hand, rather than compete with each other, he said. "We need to balance environmental, economic and social health to achieve sustainable development," he added.

Pelican River Watershed District in west central Minnesota was recognized as the outstanding watershed district of the year in Minnesota. Watershed districts are local units of government based on natural hydrologic boundaries. There are 42 districts in Minnesota, covering about a third of the state, with each district governed by a board of three to nine managers.

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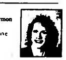
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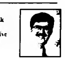
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Pine Tree farm is the place for an old-fashion Christmas

by Elizabeth Ott
Times Reporter

Sometimes dreams do come true. Anyone who doesn't believe it can ask Jim and Robyn Bitzegaio. For 15 years they dreamt of having a Christmas tree farm. Since moving to Thief River Falls four years ago, they have turned that dream into reality. At Christmastime they share their dream with the community.

Jim and Robyn Bitzegaio moved to Thief River Falls in January of 1992. Their children, Vicki, 17, Matt, 16, and Amanda, 13, also help with the farm.

Each year on the first weekend in December the Bitzegaios invite the community to an open house at Pine Tree Farm. The trees they planted are not ready to sell yet. Instead, the Bitzegaios buy trees from some friends who own a pine tree farm near the Twin Cities and sell the trees at the open house. They also sell crafts, preserves and other homemade goodies in the old granary which Jim and Matt have converted to a guest house. Visitors to the farm can also enjoy a ride on a sleigh pulled by two Clydesdale horses.

The highlight of the open house is the tree walk. The Bitzegaios donate trees which local organizations, clubs and businesses decorate. Visitors to the farm vote for their favorite tree by putting money in a donation pail by the corresponding tree. The group whose tree raises the most money wins a plaque. The money in the pails is donated to the hospice and the trees are given to Pennington County Social Services for distribution to needy families. People have suggested that the Bitzegaios auction off the trees, but they feel that giving the trees to needy families is important.

The Bitzegaios like the tree walk because it is a way to involve the community in the open house. People of varying ages, little kids, youth, and adults, all enjoy decorating the trees. The groups donate their time and the ornaments on the trees. Some groups make ornaments; others purchase ornaments. This year the trees were decorated by the Kindergarten at Challenger, Headstart, Girl Scout Troop #190, Kiwanis, Key Club, National Honor Society, Youth at First Baptist Church, Youth at Evangelical Free Church, Rose Wold's Day Care, Pennington Square, JCPenney, Ladies of the Elks and Pine Tree Farm. The buckets for collecting the monetary votes were donated by the China King and Bridgeman's. This year's winner was Headstart and the tree walk raised a total of $264.63.

The tree walk is set up in a barn and accented by a large lighted manger at the end of the walk. Also in the barn are cider, cookies and other holiday goodies. Bitzegaios said they see people who haven't visited in months sit down by the stove in the barn and visit. That's really what the Bitzegaios are trying to accomplish. They want people to remember old friends and fond memories and to experience an old-fashion Christmas. The night before the open house the family says a prayer that everyone who comes out to the farm will enjoy themselves and have a special time.

Their prayers are always answered. Each year Jim and Robyn receive cards and notes from visitors to the farm expressing how much they enjoyed the open house.

Jim Bitzegaio unloads Christmas trees from the sleigh as shoppers carefully examine the trees during Pine Tree Farm's annual open house. This year the Bitzegaios sold 160 pine trees.

They estimate that this year 900 to 1,100 people visited the farm, and they sold 160 trees this year. Robyn made almost 700 jars of jelly and sold all of them. They also sold 300 containers of homemade candy. On Sunday guests had free hot dogs and pop at a bonfire where the family served about 125 hot-dogs and 8 liters of pop.

Putting the open house together takes a lot of time and preparation. They start preparations in January. The entire family is talented and each contributes by making items such as stained glass, candles and stationery. In the fall they begin making Christmas wreaths and swags. The jellies and jams are made from fruits and vegetables grown on the farm. The apples for the apple butter are picked at Jim's

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Thief River Falls Area SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.

UMYF for grades 6-12 will be held at the United Methodist Church from 3 to 7 p.m. Call 681-4388 for transportation.

Christmas Programs at Challenger Elementary at 9:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 1:15 p.m. and 2 p.m..

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at Senior Center in Goodridge.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters at noon at the Elks Club, guest speaker is Dr. Mark Hinckley, Superintendent of Schools.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

Senior Dance at the Heritage Center from 7-10 p.m.

Friday

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at the NWMC

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. at room 113 at the hospital.

No School

Saturday

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church.

Sunday

Al-Anon and Al-Ateen meet at Room 113 of the hospital at 8 p.m.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

Christmas Eve Services at 5 p.m. at United Methodist Church. Caroling at Valley Home to follow.

Christmas Program at Viking Covenant during 10:30 worship.

Monday

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!!

No School this week

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church basement in Middle River

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:30-7:30 in Thief River Falls.

Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. at room 113 of the hospital.

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

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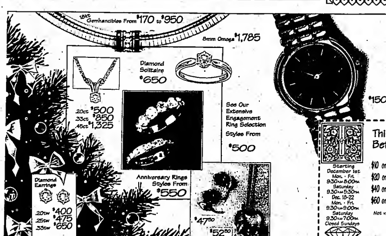

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The Bitzegaios bought Pine Tree Farm almost four years ago. Each year the family works together to host an open house. Pictured are Jim and Robyn with the family dog, Lonesome. In back are Vicki, 17, Mandy, 13, and Matt, 16.

Christmas Is a special time at Pine Tree Farm

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parent's home in Indiana. They also sold some crafts made by close friends and family members. Eventually they would like all of the items they sell to be unique to the farm.

The family hired members of the Lincoln high school choir to help with guest parking. On Sunday Swingsations, of which Vicki and Matt are members, entertained guests with their singing.

Robyn says she's really proud of how everyone works together to make the open house a success. Everyone has their job. Matt and Jim help people with their trees; Mandy is in charge of the barn with the tree walk; Vicki and Robyn mind the store in the granary.

Many of the Bitzegaio's friends and neighbors help too. They snowblow the driveway and help set up the items for sale and just make sure everything is running smoothly.

Some of the preparation for the tree sale takes many years. Pine trees take eight to 10 years to grow to maturity and even after all those years of shearing, weeding and fertilizing, only one in three trees planted becomes a Christmas tree. The Bitzegaios have planted 1,500 trees each year since moving to the area. In about four more years, their hard work will finally pay off when they are able to sell the first crop of Christmas trees grown on Pine Tree Farm.

. . . Christmas Peace

Christmas has become too much. There are too many gifts to give and get, too many decorations to hang on the inside and outside of the house, as well as on ourselves, more cooking and baking than anyone will ever consume, and more parties, programs and get-togethers than several people can attend. One poor human being can run him- or herself ragged getting into the spirit of Christmas.

Sometimes I think it would be nice if we could space Christmas out over the year instead of packing it all into one month. Wouldn't it be great if the Christmas spirit were alive and well during the entire year? (Notice I said the Christmas spirit. By this I do not mean the commercialism and hype of Christmas, but I mean those rare Christmas feelings that creep into our hearts every so often and make us happier than usual. That is what I would like to see all year around. I call it Christmas peace.)

I know that somewhere between the gift-giving rat race and the over-blown preparations for the holidays, I will find Christmas peace. I know it is there, because every so often I catch a little glimpse of it.

I saw it in the Christmas card and letter from an old friend that made me smile.

I saw it the other day when the snow was falling softly all around — big flakes that drifted softly to the ground and covered everything with a fluffy blanket and made me feel warm and cozy inside.

I always feel it when I hear the real Christmas story or sit in front of the nativity scene in church before the services begin.

I felt it Saturday night when I crawled into my warm bed with a satisfied feeling after a day of shopping, wrapping gifts, baking and cleaning.

I saw it one year when we went to Christmas Eve services on an very cold night with the quilted puffs of snow shining and twinkling as if to mimic the stars in the sky.

I hear it when I listen to Christmas carols, especially the old favorite ones that I remember from when I was small.

I smelled it when I sat down and put my feet up to rest after putting up the Christmas tree. I smelled the real pine smell of Christmas — not the kind that comes in a package.

I felt it when my grandchildren kissed my cheek.

I felt it and heard it and saw it when my grandson was in his first school program.

I saw it when the birds flocked around my bird feeder on those cold days and I felt good about having remembered to feed them.

I tasted it in the cup of hot tea and spicy Christmas cookie I had after work.

I felt it once when I abandoned what "important thing" I was doing and sat down to pet and cuddle the dog, who was very lonely and in need of attention.

Yes, Christmas peace is there and all we have to do is find it. My wish is that all of you, too, find the peace of Christmas at least once during this holiday season.

The people's choice for best tree this year was a small tree decorated by the kids and parents of Headstart. Many of the ornaments were made by the children and their parents. The Tree Walk at Pine Tree Farm raised $264 for the hospice.

Wilman and Juneau to wed

Nancy Jo Wilman would like to announce her engagement and upcoming marriage to Daniel Rae Juneau.

She is the daughter of the late James Walter Wilman of Ashland, WI and Constance Marie (Eriksen) Knopf, of Washburn, WI, formerly of Ashland, WI and the stepdaughter of John W. Knopf of Washburn, WI.

Daniel is the son of Joseph Anthony Juneau and the late Christine Frances Juneau of Terrebonne.

Moccasin Garden Club meets

The Moccasin Garden Club met at the Kralka Hall on November 21 at 7:30. Hostess was Carol Hammer and co-hostess was Carolyn Haugen. The meeting opened with President Arlene Thune. Members recited the Gardener's Creed. Roll call was answered to "a flower that blooms in your birth month." Those attending were Joan Baker, Beattie Mickelson, Joan Nelson, Arlene Thune, Valerie Torstveit, Bea Wilson, Betty Troska, Jan Anton, Randi Hodny, Pat Swanson, Rhodella Tieman and Marge Prestebak.

There was a business discussion on Awareness Week and planning 1996 year booklets. The program on landscaping was presented by Jim Breiland. Questions and answers followed. The next meeting will be in February of 1996.

NWMC Expectant Parents classes begin in January

The winter session of Expectant Parents Classes will begin at Northwest Medical Center on Tuesday evening, January 2, 1996 at 7 p.m. in Meeting Rooms B1B2. Registrations are being taken now.

The classes are designed for those in their first six months of pregnancy. Parents and parents-to-be are provided with information that promotes healthy babies and healthy mothers and gives the new families a good beginning. The classes will be held on Tuesday evenings for five consecutive weeks and are free. The instructor is Evadell Tangquist, RN, Patient Education Coordinator at Northwest Medical Center.

For more information, or to register, call 681-4240, extension 446.

BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On December 12, a baby boy was born to Douglas Hall and Yvonne Pendelton of Thief River Falls. He has been named Nichols Taylor Hall.

• On December 14, a baby boy was born to Michael and Stacy Carter of Newfolden. He has been named Logan Michael.

• On December 16, a baby boy was born to Donald and Kathie Johanneck of Red Lake Falls. He has been named Raymond Jason.

Roots and Wings program presented at Franklin

Roots and Wings is a six session parenting program developed by the Hazelden foundation. It is based on the latest research which tells us what skills children need to face today's problems and how they can learn these skills. Parents, families and other caring adults can make a big difference in children's lives.

Through this workshop you will be able to: discover factors that protect children from high-risk behavior, use teachable moments to talk to children about your family values and standards, make consequences work for both yourself and young people, show your children how much you love them, help your kids deal with their feelings, strengthen family rituals and traditions.

The Roots and Wings Program will be held each Monday, January 8, 1996 through February 12 at the Franklin School. Each session will be from 6 to 8 p.m. with time for breaks and snacks. Pizza and pop will be served before each session at 5:30 p.m. and activities will be provided for the entire family.

A cost of $7 per person will cover the workshop and needs to accompany the registration. Enrollment is limited, so sign up early at the Community Education Department or mail application to Community Education Department, 230 LaBree Ave, S. Thief River Falls, 56701. For additional information, call 681-8740.

Sessions are fun and supportive. There will be lively activities, games and time to just be with other parents like yourself. We'll learn from each other and celebrate the good things we do for our kids. There are two lasting bequests we hope to give our children. One of these is roots, and the other is wings.

Christmas Eve services at United Methodist

Christmas Eve worship will be held at the Thief River Falls United Methodist Church at 5 p.m. on Sunday, December 24. This candle-light service will feature timely music and messages of the season. At the conclusion of worship, those who wish to carol for the residents of Valley Home will do so. Everyone in the area is invited to take part in this evening of worship and celebration.

Viking Covenant to have Sunday school program

Viking Covenant Sunday school Christmas program will be December 24 at 10:30 during the worship hour.

Senior dance at Heritage Center

All senior citizens are invited to attend a senior dance on Thursday, December 21 at the Heritage Center from 7-10 p.m. The Cathy Erickson Band will perform.

Student letter exchange looking for pen pals

Student Letter Exchange in Waseca is offering free pen pals for boys and girls ages nine to 11 years old.

The 58-year-old pen pal program has received thousands of letters from students from England who saw the movie Pocahontas. These boys and girls want pen pals their own age in the United States. To become a pen pal mail to the Student Letter Exchange a note with the student's name, complete mailing address, age and sex. Write to: Student Letter Exchange, 215 5th Avenue S. E., Waseca, MN 56093.

Quin County Board meeting canceled

The Quin County Board and Advisory Committee Meeting will not be held in December.

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CORRECTION

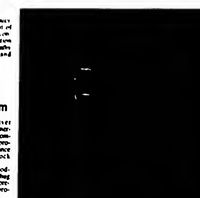
Cathy Erickson's name was accidentally omitted from the list of people and businesses which contributed to the Senior Federation open house on December 6. Cathy Erickson donated her time and musical talents to the afternoon.

Schug attends Life insurance education program

Brian E. Schag, Thief River Falls, a Modern Woodmen of America district representative, has completed a five-day educational program at the fraternal life insurance society's home office in Rock Island, IL.

Selected from Modern Woodmen's nationwide field force, Schug was one of 30 life insurance representatives who attended the program.

The program reinforced the concepts of sound financial planning for families through Modern Woodmen life insurance plans, annuities and IRAs. Schug also reviewed fraternal benefits and activities available through Modern Woodmen's fraternal program.



Peters and Baker to marry

Kristen Peters of St. Hilaire and Elliot Baker of St. Hilaire are pleased to announce their engagement and forthcoming wedding.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Peters of Viking and Mr. and Mrs. Harris Halvorson of Viking. She is a 1990 graduate of Marshall County Central High School and is employed at Digi-Key.

The groom-to-be is the son of Lannette Baker and the late Robert Baker. He is a 1987 graduate of Lincoln High School and owns Bakers Acres of St. Hilaire.

A January 14 wedding is planned aboard "The Fantasy" Cruise ship, Port Canaveral, FL.

Card of Thanks

We want to extend a very sincere Thank You to the entire community, and neighborhood for all the kindness you have shown our family after the sudden death of Brian Geske.

Our son, brother and grandson will always be missed. Special thanks to St. Hilaire rescue squad, EMS, law enforcement personnel and Northwest Medical Center for all your efforts.

Also Pastor Rothchild for his very comforting words, and many visits, also his excellent message for Brian's funeral. We also thank Green Funeral Home and the entire staff for their kindness; Also the entire congregation of St. John Lutheran church.

To our many neighbors, friends, and relatives who sent cards, flowers, memorials, brought food to our home, also helped with chores, hauled hay and wood during this very difficult time. Thank you to all and may God richly bless each and everyone of you, and have a Blessed Christmas Season.

Leonard and Marge
Gary and Lisa
Nancy and Spencer Larson, Jr.
John Geske

What a coincidence! Laura (Mrs. Thomas) Gullikson (left) and Lori (Mrs. Robert) Thompson (right) were born two days apart. Their babies were born one day apart: Megan on November 19, Dakota on November 20. Megan's grandparents are Orval and Gerry Stocks of TRF and Marge and Amos Thompson of Grygla. Dakota is the grandson of Pat Dunning and Dale Dunning both of TRF and Tom and Lynn Gullikson of Middle River.

Miller and Retka exchange vows

Diane Miller and James Retka were united in marriage on September 16, 1995 at 2 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls. Father Joe DeCrans was the officiant of the double ring ceremony. Parents of the bride are Robert and Phyllis Miller of St. Hilaire. Parents of the groom are Allan and Sandra Retka of South St. Paul.

Special music was provided by singer Lisa Simenson, friend of the bride, and Voilet Barr, friend of the groom. Vocal selections were "Household of Faith," "God, a Woman and a Man" and "The Wedding Song." Organ selections were "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," "Hymne" by Vangelis as the processional and "Canon in D" as the recessional. The reader for the service was Dana Haagenson, sister of the bride.

Serving as maid of honor was Darla Miller of Mayville, ND, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Danita Miller of St. Hilaire and Darcy Nelson of Lakeville, sisters of the bride, Julie Olson of Thief River Falls, friend of the bride, Pam Welkener of Lafayette, LA, friend of the bride, and Jennifer Retka of South St. Paul, sister of the groom.

Kelly Ciacoaki, niece of the groom, served as flower girl. The bride's personal attendants were Tammy Bergan and Regina Sanders, friends of the bride.

For his friend's wedding Greg Kingery of Rosie, IA served as best man.

Groomsmen were Dan Simon, St. Louis Park, Joe Hamlin, South St. Paul, and John Paulson, Bismarck, ND, friends of the groom, Pete Mattison of St. Hilaire, friend of the couple and Darrel Miller of Hillsboro, ND, brother of the bride.

Ring bearers were Joshua Larson of Warroad, godchild of the bride, and Scott Bremel of South St. Paul, godchild of the groom.

Usherettes were Dawn Larson of Warroad and Dana Haagenson of Moorhead, sisters of the bride; Barb Bremel of South St. Paul, Amy Retka of Coon Rapids and Deb Retka of St. Paul, sisters of the groom.

Honored guests were Mary McCollum, Bejou, Ervin and Florence Miller of Mahnomen, grandparents of the bride.

Program attendants were Tim Nelson and Stephanie Larson, nephew and niece of the bride, Mark Bremel, nephew of the groom, and Jenna Krumrie, godchild of the groom.

Hosts and hostesses at the reception were Ken and Connie Mehrkens and Bob and Rita Wold, friends of the bride. Guest book attendant was Nancy Sturgeon, friend of the bride.

Cul cutters were Delores Miller, godmother of the bride, and Joyce Sergot, godmother of the groom.

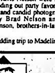
Coffee was served by Ila Flesche, friend of the bride, and Linda Hand, aunt of the bride. Punch was served by Claire Bretzke and Erin Rosenberg, friends of the bride. The flower hostesses were Julie Miller, sister-in-law of the bride, and Laurie Semanko, aunt of the bride. Gift table attendants were Julie McCollum, Janelle McCollum and Shila Natwick, cousins of the bride, and Kyle Mehrkens, Darin Wold and Dana Flesche, friends of the bride.

Waitresses were Kim McKeever, Rikka Flesche and Brittany McMillan, friends of the bride, Jayne Nelson, Bethany White, Jeanna McCollum, Anna Inwards, cousins of the bride and Stephanie Larson, niece of the bride.

The bride's nephews Zachary Larson and Travis Nelson were in charge of handing out party favors. Videography and candid photography were by Brad Nelson and Loren Haagenson, brothers-in-law of the bride.

After a wedding trip to Madeline Island and Copper Harbor, MI, the happy couple is at home in St. Hilaire. The bride is a 1983 graduate of Lincoln High School and a 1988 graduate of the University of North Dakota. She works in the Human Resources Department at Arctco, Inc. The groom is a 1983 graduate of South St. Paul Senior High and a 1988 graduate of Bemidji State University. He is employed as a product engineer at Arctco, Inc.

ON THE OTHER HAND



Angela Haugen
Lincoln High School

I woke up this morning, stretched and crawled out from underneath a heated blanket. A pair of chilly sun dogs pepped in through a crack in my curtains. The bathroom greeted me with icy tiles and frosted windows. "Big Red" bellowed from my alarm, "You better bundle up out there cause it's gonna be a cold one today!"

Faithfully, I tiptoed out to the frigidness of my straight stick. I clamped my eyes shut, held my breath and cranked the key. Yep, started right away, first time like always. With a quick pat to the dashboard, I darted back into the house to fix breakfast.

I love my car. It's like an angel from God when in reality I treat it like crap. I wait entirely too long between oil changes (three, maybe four thousand miles). The vibrant red exterior turns to a creamy brown, caked with crust, before I'll even think of taking a sponge to it, and I never warm it up before I leave for school; well, not long enough anyway. "What did I do to deserve such a wonderful car?" I say to myself.

But, this particular morning it decided to take all its past frustrations and it drop them vehemently at my frozen feet. Sure, it started all right, even got me going to town, but as I was soon to find out it was all a cruel joke. A mile from my house the wretched thing just up and died. Do you think it would start again? Of course not. It pathetically whimpered and gasped for the warmth of a heated garage, a luxury only the parents in my family have been blessed with. My perfect, flawless car had failed me.

I continued to crank the key in the ignition, but it stubbornly clicked like the chattering of a chilly child. After a short time it wouldn't even turn over. It just sat there, smiling impishly at the stranded girl. Shivering, I sat alone on the snow-covered gravel road. The frustration was immense-like being trapped, helpless, under the frozen cover of the Red Lake River. After reprimanding my disobedient car repeatedly, ripping the bright orange key chain out of the ignition and whipping it across the interior, I buried my head in the comfort of my furry steering wheel.

A gray Thunderbird approached quietly, coming to a halt ten feet past my car. An older man stepped out of his car, walked toward me, and tapped on the window.

"Having some car trouble?" He smiled tenderly and chuckled a little.

"Yeah..," I said, embarrassed, "I think my starter's finally gone. Do you think you could give me a lift to my house?"

"Sure, It's no problem." I shuffled to his car praising God for sending someone so soon. "You're a Haugen, right?" He pointed in the direction of my house and I nodded, slightly stunned. "You must know my wife then." We continued to converse until we reached my house. I thanked him and ran inside out of the blowing gusts. I popped Alanis in the CD player and turned up the volume. Then I sat on the couch, enraged with the incompetency of my car.

Staring at the ceiling, I thoroughly thought about the man that had picked me up. He didn't have to do that. It was an act of pure kindness and thoughtfulness. The rage left me, and I sat there in silence waiting for my Dad to bail me out. It's comforting to know that there are still a few saints left in this presumably condemned world.

Once again, I would like to thank the man who so kindheartedly stopped and rescued the stranded girl from her frozen, red, 1987 Tempo.

Paggen named member of college Irish club

Jennifer Paggen, daughter of Al and Sharon Paggen, Thief River Falls, is a member of the College of Saint Benedict and Saint John's University Irish Club for the 1995-96 academic year. Paggen is a junior accounting major at the College of Saint Benedict.

The Irish Club meets at various times throughout the year to promote the positive aspects of the Irish culture. In the spring, they will hold an Irish poetry reading as well as the usual St. Patrick's Day celebration.

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TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Christmas Feel Box

With all of the excitement of the season, sometimes we need a quiet activity that can help quiet a child. A "Homemade Feely Box" may be the answer.

Select a medium-sized box with a lid. Cut a small hole in one side to insert a child's hand. Inside the box, put the traditional Christmas items such as ribbons, wrapping paper, non-breakable ornaments, stockings, bells, candles, etc.

The child puts his/her hand into the opening and tries to identify the item by touch only. Try it, it's not as easy as it sounds!

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need scraps of wrapping paper, glue, vinegar, a paint-brush and scissors.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

With the holidays approaching, the Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Paxton, Tom. The Story of Santa Claus. This captivating story takes readers to the Old Forest to discover how a gentle old woodsman became the bearer of gifts and cheer for girls and boys the world over.

Riley, Linnea. 12 Days of Christmas. In bold, bright cut-paper artwork, a young man is portrayed as giving his true love 12 extravagant, unusual gifts from a mischievous partridge to 12 companionable drummers.

VIDEO VARIETY

Snow White Christmas. Young Snow White plans to open a Christmas castle for the pleasure of all the children and creatures of the land, but the wicked Queen has other ideas!

**There will be no Storytime until January 24, 1996 at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Families and Television

Ninety-eight percent of all households in the United States own one or more television sets. Television wisely used can be a wonderful entertainment source in a family. But, like everything else, television can also have harmful effects. Following are some ways to use television to help, not harm, your child:

•Don't use television as a baby-sitter. It may seem harmless to place children in front of the television, regardless of the quality of programming, when you are busy around the house. However children build strong family ties from their participation in household chores. As much as possible, include them in these activities.

•Carefully select the shows your family watches. Be the parent and insist that certain shows are off limits.

•Set aside a time for "family shows," you watch together. When parents and children talk about the program's content, family members gain insight about the program and each other.

•Don't use television as a reward or punishment. If you do so, you place too much value on the medium. Instead, try to think of something more directly tied to the child's behavior.

•Be as selective with your child's television diet as you are with what he or she eats. Just as we are what we eat, to some extent, so, too, we are what we watch.

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

Talk with your child about what he or she thinks the television programming means to him or her.

Arctco awards profit sharing to employees

Arctco Inc., recently announced its 13th consecutive year of profit sharing by awarding a longevity bonus to its employees at the company's annual Christmas party held Saturday, December 16.

Arctco's profit sharing program for the 1996 fiscal year will again be paid to employees in two portions. The longevity portion of the bonus, based on company profitability and employee length of service to Arctco, was paid Saturday, and a fiscal year-end bonus, based solely on Arctco's profitability, will be paid to employees in May.

"The fixed rate longevity bonus paid to all employees in December rewards them for their long-term commitment to Arctco," said Arctco President and Chief Executive Officer Chris Twomey. "And because Arctco has made a strong commitment to sharing its profits with the people responsible for creating them, we will again be sharing our profits with all Arctco employees in May."

As an example, an Arctco employee who has been with the company since its inception 13 years ago would have received a $975 longevity bonus Saturday. Arctco employees historically have also received a much larger bonus, based entirely on the company's profitability, in May.

"We're proud to be able to say that in the 13-year history of this company, we've always been profitable and we've always shared those profits with our employees," said Twomey.

Aguiman weds Dahlstrom

Jocelyn Q. Aguiman and James A. Dahlstrom were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony at 3 p.m. on November 26 at Cansayong Catholic Church at Malimono, Surigao Del Norte, Philippines.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josef Aguiman of Malimono, Surigao Del Norte, Philippines. The groom is the son of Mrs. Alvin Dahlstrom and the late Alvin Dahlstrom of Thief River Falls.

After a wedding trip to Surigao City, Island of Mindanao, Philippines, the couple will reside in Thief River Falls. The bride is a 1989 graduate of Malimono High School and a 1994 graduate of Northeastern College. She is employed by Coca-Cola, Quezon City. The groom is a 1973 graduate of Lincoln High School and is employed by school district 564.

ON MY MIND

Kim Chadwick-Quade

To: Santa Claus At
The North Pole

Dear Santa Claus:

Yes, I have been a very good girl this last year. In fact, I'm sure you're aware that we've now lived in Thief River Falls a full year, and then some. It's been a good 12 months. we've all made some friends, joined some organizations and have made ourselves at home.

Things are a little hectic around here, just as they are at most homes at Christmas time. With this last cold weather spell and all this snow, we're hoping we can travel to be with our families. It's been difficult to plan trips, or anything, with a storm every three or four days.

So, my first request has to do with all the snow. Now, we do have two decent shovels and one small plastic one for our son. But with all this snow we've had, I'd really like a snowblower. This might be an impossible request because many stores are sold out of this commodity. A snowblower might be a little too large for your bag and the sleigh, but do the best you can. If not, next year I'll probably have to ask for a new back and some warm mittens to go with it.

If a snowblower is out of the question, we'll just have to plan to stay home (snowed in, of course) and find things to do. The problem is that my request from last year was not filled. We're still looking for some pinochle players; card games with friends make the winters go much faster. I'm sure you're trying, though.

Hopefully during this long winter I'll have some time for all that reading I've been wanting to do. There are some fairly-recently-new books that I'd like to read: a new one by Mary Higgens Clark, one involving the medical examiner Kay Scarpetta, and generally any mystery that's on a bookstore or library shelf. Maybe you can hide one of these in your bag for me. I love to read, but I never get anything else accomplished when I'm immersed in a book.

Speaking of books, my son and I just finished reading that book that Tom Hegg wrote about you and Peef, your Christmas bear. That must have been difficult to give up a bear that you made and kept for so many years. But, your sharing made some child happy and I guess that's what counts. What a great message of giving for the children (and adults) at the holiday season. I was definitely touched.

Our 5-year-old son is definitely excited about the holiday season again this year. The big question is, though, how are you going to get in the house through the chimney? We'll leave the door open, just in case. Our son likes to imitate your job: he fills his pillowcase with toys and dumps them under the tree! He makes it look so easy.

He's caught Batman fever and is hoping for a wide array of Batman paraphernalia. It's hard to keep up with his requests because every television commercial contains some toy that's a "must have."

Hope all is well at the North Pole and with Mrs. Claus and all the reindeer. My list is a little short this year because it seems we have what we need: family, warm house, food and transportation. (I could use a cleaning lady, but they're a little hard to come by!)

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Lori Golightly sings in Luther College group

Lori Golightly, daughter of Clayton and Joanne Stupen of Thief River Falls, a graduate of Lincoln high school and a sophomore at Luther College in Decorah, IA, has been selected as a member of Collegium Musicum, the college's madrigal choir, for the current school year.

Lori is pursuing majors in music performance and management. The choir performs music of the Middle Ages, Renaissance and Baroque periods and the performers wear 16th Century costumes.

The Musicum performed at the college's Juletide Fest December 1 and 3 and Iowa Public Television is broadcasting the concert December 19 and 25.

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Arthur Gustafson, 88

Thief River Falls — Arthur Gustafson, 88, died Monday, December 18 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls. Arrangements are pending with Green Funeral Home.

A complete obituary will appear in the December 27 edition of the *Times*.

Minnie Wold, 78

Thief River Falls — Minnie Wold, 78, died on Thursday, December 14 at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.

Services were held on Monday, December 18 at 10 a.m. at Zion Lutheran Church with Rev. Dennis Raymond officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and soloist Ron Wold. Selection was "Little Brown Church in the Vale." Congregational hymns were "Jesus Loves Me" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Ron, Bruce, Robert, Phillip and Peter Wold and Stewart Efteland. Honorary casketbearers were all of Minnie's grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Interment was at Fort Snelling National Cemetery, Minneapolis.

Minnie Efteland was born on November 14, 1917 in Thief River Falls to Peter and Olga (Stene) Efteland. She was baptized and confirmed at Zion Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls, and attended school in the area at Washington and Lincoln High School. She worked at Jung's Bakery for a short time.

Minnie was united in marriage to Ingvald Wold on August 6, 1938 in Thief River Falls. The couple made their home in Thief River Falls where Minnie raised a family of eight children.

She was a lifelong member of Zion Lutheran Church. She enjoyed embroidery, cooking, baking, nature and its wildlife, and traveling and she most enjoyed spending time with her family.

Minnie is survived by her children, Grace Busse, Thief River Falls, Ronald, Nevado, CA, Bruce, Bemidji, Robert, Florissant, MO, Phillip, Crookston, Peter, Crookston, Deb Brekke, Oklee and Edith Vedbraaten, Fosston; 25 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; brother Stewart Efteland, Crystal; sister Edith Hill, Bemidji; many nieces and many nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and by her husband Ingvald in 1986.

Myrtle Joringdal, 94

Thief River Falls — Myrtle Joringdal, 94, died Monday, December 18 at Northwest Medical Center, CNC Unit, Thief River Falls.

Services were Tuesday, December 19 at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls with Dennis Raymond officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and soloist Van Swanson. Selections were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Amazing Grace." Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "Oh, Come, Oh, Come Emmanuel."

Honorary casketbearers were Curdis Nelson, Russell Nelson, Bernie Seaverson, Tron Fonnest, Oscar Mossestad and Walter Netteberg. Active casketbearers were Ray Olson, Dale Olson, Kenneth Poole, Paul Smeby, Steve Hagen and Willard Hince.

Myrtle Sophie Mellum was born September 11, 1901 in Climax to Ole and Anna (Lunde) Mellum. As a small child she moved with her parents to Seattle, WA, where they resided for some time. The family moved to Thief River Falls, where Myrtle attended school, graduating from Lincoln High School in 1921. Following graduation she worked as a bookkeeper and secretary.

On July 6, 1927 she was united in marriage to Richard Joringdal at Zion Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls. The couple lived in Thief River Falls where Mr. Joringdal operated a barber shop. He passed away on January 31, 1958.

Myrtle was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church and was active in its organizations.

She is survived by several nieces and nephews.

Myrtle was preceded in death by her husband Richard in 1958; two sons, Robert in 1958 and Gerald (Jerry) in 1993; her parents; three brothers, Norman, Walter and Henry; and one sister, Ann.

Nathan Lee Erickson, 15

Warren — Nathan Lee Erickson, 15, passed away on Friday, December 15 in Warren.

Services for Nathan were held on Tuesday, December 19 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Warren with arrangements by Quanrud-DuBore Funeral Home, Warren. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Warren.

Nathan was born March 15, 1980 at Crookston, the son of Delbert and Junelle Erickson. He was a lifelong resident of Warren. Nathan was in the 10th grade at Warren High School.

He was an active member of the Boy Scout Troop 50. Nathan was also active in Our Savior's Lutheran Church and in Luther League activities.

Nathan was a hard worker who enjoyed doing many things. He enjoyed working part time at the Town Square Restaurant. He liked to be outdoors, hunting, fishing and camping. He also liked music and disc jockeyed dances at the church and school. Nathan enjoyed working on cars. As a young boy, he enjoyed participating in football.

He is survived by his mother Junelle and her husband James Beito and father Delbert Erickson and fiancee Kathy Long and sister Bethany, all of Warren. He is also survived by his grandparents, Gordon and Merle Torgerson, Betty Voytilla, all of Warren and step-grandparents Louis and Alice Beito of Strathcona; 12 aunts and uncles, many cousins and special friends Jessica and Brian Long.

He was preceded in death by his grandfather Vern Erickson and step-grandfather, Larry Voytilla.

Carrol E. Eliason, 59

South Milwaukee, WI — Carrol E. Eliason, 59, died on Sunday, November 26.

Services were Wednesday, November 29 at St. Sylvester's Catholic Church with Rev. Joseph Driscoll celebrating. Interment was at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery with arrangements by Molthen-Bell and Sons.

Carrol grew up and went to school in Thief River Falls.

He is survived by mother Mitilda "Tillie" Eliason; children Susan Pennington, Nancy Berg, Anna Mae Schweitzer and Karen Goran; brothers and sisters, Arlene Dahle, Shirley Hovet, Harvey Eliason and Sharon Grobove; eight grandchildren; nieces, nephews other relatives and friends.

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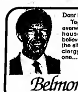

Dear Readers,

Too often a person who has lost a loved one is overwhelmed with visitors for a week or so, then the house is empty. Even good friends stay away, believing that people in sorrow like to be alone. "That's the silent treatment - there's nothing worse," says one clergyman. "Our friend has not only lost a loved one...he has lost us too."

Respectfully,

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William Maijala, 78

Middle River — William Maijala, 78, died Wednesday, December 13 at his home in Middle River.

Services were Saturday, December 16 at First Lutheran Church, Middle River, with Pastor John Jorgenson officiating. Special music was by organist Lois Peterson and vocalist Cathy Erickson. Selections were "Be Not Afraid," "On Eagles Wings" and a medley of old time tunes. Congregational hymns were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Beautiful Savior."

Casketbearers were Arne Tuura, Art Matero, Virgil Erickson, Richard Luoto, Norman Svegdahl and Steve Haugen. Military honors accorded by the Middle River American Legion Post and by the Thief River Falls VFW Post. Arrangements were by Collins Funeral Home. Interment was at First Lutheran Cemetery.

William Harold Maijala, the son of Solomon and Rina (Hatanpaa) Maijala, was born on June 28, 1917, in Spruce Valley township, Marshall county, near Middle River. He attended school and grew to manhood there. He was baptized and confirmed at the Finnish Lutheran Church.

Bill served with the U.S. Army from March of 1942 until his discharge in November of 1945, and served in the Asiatic-Pacific theater.

He returned to the family farm, and on October 16, 1954 he was united in marriage to Bernice Arends at First Lutheran Church in Middle River. The couple has since lived and farmed in Spruce Valley township.

Bill was a long-time member of the Middle River American Legion Post and was a past Commander and a charter member Drill Squad. He was also a long-time member of the Thief River Falls VFW Post and of the Crookston Chapter of the DAV. He was a member of the Thief River Falls Eagles Lodge#2368 for many years and served on First Lutheran Church Council. He was a member of the Middle River Community Club and served on the board of directors of the Middle River Central Livestock Association for 30 years. In 1992, he was named Middle River Outstanding Senior Citizen of the Year.

He had been in failing health for the last two years.

Bill is survived by his wife Bernice; one son Harold, Middle River and one daughter, Susan of Hovland; one brother Edwin, Tacoma, WA; five sisters, Bertha Johnson, Minneapolis, Martha Koontz, West Jefferson, NC, Alice Watson, Tacoma, WA, Olga Mamie, Meza, AZ and Elma Bonetto, Cle Elum, WA; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents and five brothers, John, Bernard, Raymond, Thomas and Don.

Anna Besserud, 89

Roseau — Anna Besserud, 89, died at the Roseau Area Hospital on Tuesday, December 12.

Funeral services for Anna were held on Saturday, December 16 at 2 p.m. at the Rose Free Lutheran Church with Rev. Larry Severson officiating and interment will be at the Moe-Rose Cemetery, Roseau. Helgeson Funeral chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Anna was born September 4, 1906 at Norway, the daughter of Sevrina (Inderli) and Eric Glennen. At the age of three she came to America where she moved many times within northern Minnesota. She was unable to continue school after the fourth grade because she was needed to help at home.

On June 27, 1925 she and Albert Besserud were united in marriage at Roseau. They lived in a new home on the Besserud homestead in Jadis township, Roseau county, where they raised their family of eight and farmed. Anna was very busy seeing to the needs of her large family and cooking and baking for church activities. She also sold lefse and flat bread.

In 1982 they moved to Badger and lived for a year before moving to Roseau. She was very active in the Rose Free Lutheran Church and was currently residing at the Eventide Home In Roseau.

She is survived by her three daughters, Adeline Swenson, Roseau, Ruby Holm, Menahga and Ardis McLeod, Margarita, CA; three sons, Lewis, Roseau, Ronald, Harvard, IL and John, Thief River Falls; 33 grandchildren; 73 great-grandchildren; 12 great-great-grandchildren. She is also survived by two brothers, Knute Glennen, Detroit Lakes and Ben Glennen, Dandridge, TN and five sisters, Rose Teschke, Seal Beach, CA, Josie Danielson, Roseau, Lena Sandstrom, St. Paul, Berget Schultz, St. Paul and Esther Johnson of Huntington Beach, CA.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Albert on May 3, 1988; one son, Earl; one daughter, Joan; two grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Ervin H. Engesether, 83

Fosston — Ervin H. Engesether, 83, died Saturday, December 16 at his home in Fosston.

Services will be Friday, December 22 at 10 a.m. at the Trinity Lutheran Church, rural McIntosh, with Pastor Dale A. Mellgren, officiating. Special music will be provided by pianist Heidi Quam and Edie and John Mattson. Visitation will be Thursday from 7-9 p.m. with a 7:30 prayer service and the Mattson Funeral Home Chapel, Winger and one hour prior to services at the church.

Pallbearers will be Ervin's grandsons Randy Versdahl, Jeff Engesether, Brian Laniel Ronald Engesether, Justin Laniel, Edward Engesether, Robbie Engesether. Honorary pallbearers are Ervin's granddaughters and great-grandchildren.

Ervin, the son of Severt and Toni (Midboe) Engesether, was born February 20, 1912 in rural McIntosh, Polk county. He was baptized and confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church of rural McIntosh. After attending country school near McIntosh, he bought a threshing machine and did custom threshing for area farmers.

He married Bernice Marsonette on March 31, 1934 at McIntosh. After marriage, they farmed in the Brooks and Hill River township area of Minnesota. In the fall of 1941, they moved to their own farm north of Winger. Besides operating his own place, he continued threshing, combining and chopping corn for other farmers. He moved to Fosston after retiring in the early 1980's.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, rural McIntosh, and a charter member of the Woodmen of the World in Oklee.

He is survived by four sons, Gerald, Burkburnette, TX, Marvin, Plummer, LeRoy, Plummer, Robert, Fridley; two daughters, June Versdahl of Winger and Sharon Laniel, Denver, CO; brother Sam of Portland, OR and four sisters, Edna Carlson of Sun City, AZ, Nora Leverson, Fridley, Bertha Simpson, Northfield and Clara Raoum of Northfield; 26 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Allen; infant brother Helmer; three sisters, Gena Mabel and Selma.

Alice Winans, 88

Ulen — Alice Winans, 88, of Ulen, died at the Viking Manor Nursing Home on Tuesday, December 12.

Services were held on Saturday, December 16 at Calvary Lutheran Church, Ulen, with Pastor Harvey Abrahamson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Renee Hansen and soloist Lyle Manthe.

Casketbearers were Shannon Dullum, Marlo Winans, Michael Winans, Scott Winans, Lee Winans, Ronald Winans and Greg Winans. Honorary casketbearers were Orville Sather, Doris Moen, Doris Opsahl, Ruth Gilbertson, Carol Lehtola and Harold and Maybelle Dinsmore. Interment was in Calvary Lutheran Cemetery, Ulen with Anderson Funeral Home of Twin Valley in charge of arrangements.

Alice Helmina Erickson, the daughter of Ole and Karen (Klemetson) Erickson, was born April 1, 1907 near Ulen. She was baptized and confirmed at Calvary Lutheran Church and attended school in Ulen.

On August 5, 1925, she was united in marriage to Louis Winans. They made their home on farms near Ulen until his death on March 20, 1955. Alice continued to live on the farm and began working at the Dinsmore farm as a housekeeper. She moved into Ulen in the mid 1960's and was employed as the Viking Manor Nursing Home from then until retiring in the early 1980's. She became a resident of the Viking Manor Nursing Home in 1987.

Alice was a lifetime member of Calvary Lutheran Church and had taught Sunday School there for many years. She enjoyed gardening, especially working with her flowers.

She is survived by two sons, Jerry, Moorhead and Morland, Bemidji; her daughter Joyce Dullum, New Brighton; three daughters-in-law; 26 grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; two sons, Roger and Charles; two sisters Edva and Clara and one brother, Clifford.

River Valley

A weekend Sunday Orinn and Clarice Stolaas, Buntoh and Lester Vad and the Vincent Lundeen family visited with the Olaf Stolaas's.

Rev. Keough Patnode, 94

Bemidji — Rev. Keough Patnode, 94, of Bemidji, former parish priest in Thief River Falls and Oklee, died Thursday, December 14 at the rectory of the St. Paul Catholic Church in Bemidji.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 18 at St. Philip's Church in Bemidji. Interment was at the Holy Cross Cemetery in Bemidji under the direction of the Cease Family Funeral Home of Bemidji.

Keough Patnode was born in Red Lake Falls, in Gervis township to Charles Patnode and Sylvina Emard on May 6, 1901. He went to school at country school, Patnode District 112. He attended seminary at St. Laurence in Mt. Calvary, WI for five years and afterwards attended St. Boniface College in St. Boniface, MB for two years of philosophy. His theological studies were at St. John's Seminary in Collegeville for four years.

He was ordained Father Keough Patnode by the Most Reverend Joseph Busch, Bishop of St. Cloud at St. John's Abbey in Collegeville on June 1, 1930 and celebrated his first solemn Mass on June 2 at Red Lake Falls. On July 4, 1930 Father Patnode began a two year assignment at St. Philip's in Bemidji under Fr. Fahling, the pastor.

On May 13, 1932 Fr. Keough Patnode became pastor of St. Francis Xavier Church in Oklee where he would be for 20 years. It was during this time, at the beginning of the depression, where few families had cars and times were hard, that Father Keough continued to develop an apostolate to visit and care for the sick and shut-ins, for which he became well-known and dearly loved. He renovated the Oklee Church in 1951.

On June 28, 1952 Fr. Patnode became pastor of St. Bernard's parish in Thief River Falls. During his years at St. Bernard's he continued to have special care for the sick and visited those in the hospital daily, both Catholics and non-Catholics. In 1955 he was instrumental in forming Our Lady of Lourdes Knights of Columbus Council in the parish.

In the same years he began Sunday Masses at each of three mission churches at Grygla, Goodridge and Middle River, traveling to one of these parishes each Sunday afternoon for 4 p.m. Mass.

In 1968 he began the construction of the new rectory and library in the parish. At the same time the seventh and eighth grades of St. Bernard's School were discontinued.

In 19 years more the 10 different associate pastors served with him.

Father Keough Patnode returned to Oklee on September 1, 1971 to be pastor of St. Francis Xavier Parish and St. Charles mission church in Trail.

After his return to Oklee and Trail, he continued his diligence for the sick, worked hard on Religious Education and preparation for the sacraments as he had done throughout his priesthood. Several building projects also gained his attention. He remodeled the sanctuary in 1971, built a new basement in 1975, a new kitchen in 1978 and remodeled the sacristy in 1979. He also renewed the interior of St. Charles in Trail.

In 1984 Fr. Patnode retired from Oklee and took up residence at St. Philip's rectory in Bemidji where he continued his ministry to the sick, the shut-ins and those in nursing homes until 1995. He had served the Crookston Diocese as a priest for 65 years. He was always deeply grateful for the hospitality and care given him by the people and priests of St. Philip's.

He was a rich conversationalist, a humorist, a man of reflection, a man of prayer, a priest, a child of God.

He is survived by his brother Paul Patnode, Bemidji; three sisters, Rebecca Malerich of Maple Plaine, Lucy Patnode of New Hope and Marie Corman of Minneapolis and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; an infant brother; two sisters, Alice Bambanek and Marguerite Kaster; sister-in-law, Eleanor Patnode, brother-in-law, John Corman.

Memorials are preferred to St. Philip's School Endowment Fund or St. Philip's Church Building Fund.

Q&A SOCIAL SECURITY

Provided by the Social Security District Office in Grand Forks, ND

A. Explain to me why, as a businessman, I have to sell my business before I can get Social Security but a farmer can have his son run the farm and still get SSA even though he is helping his son do the work.

Q. First, there is absolutely no requirement that anyone sell their business before receiving Social Security. You have wrong information.

Going from there, it is true that SSA representatives discuss a person's retirement plans in some detail. After all, we are talking about a program designed to partially help replace income reduced due to retirement.

Anyone receiving Social Security, except for benefits based on a person's own disability, is subject to the Annual Earnings test. The test deals with how much a person can work and earn in any given year before earnings affect the amount of SSA paid that year. The Annual Earnings test covers both employees and the self-employed.

When a retiree has worked strictly for wages, in a business with no family connections, it is fairly easy to establish when he or she actually lessens work activity or retires and how much he or she has earned.

On the other hand, this becomes more difficult when a person is self-employed or part of a business in which they have ownership interest. Then SSA representatives must develop not only expected direct earnings but also any expected services which the retiree expects to continue providing to the business.

Questions will be asked about other income, such as dividends or rent, to be received from the business, the number of hours expected to be worked after retirement, and the kind of business activity that the retiree will be performing.

Note that total withdrawal from work is neither mandated nor expected. However, a self-employed person actively involved in running his or her business may not be considered retired even though his or her earnings are low. Let me emphasize that this development is for anyone who is self-employed or in a family type business; whether it involves agriculture or not is not a concern.

Based on the 1992 Annual Earnings Test, a person under age 65 can earn $7,440 gross wages or net income from self-employment before earnings affect benefits. A person age 65 to 69 can earn $10,200 before benefits are affected and once past age 70 there is no longer any Annual Earnings test limitations. Amounts earnable usually change yearly.

Special procedures are used during the year of retirement so that benefits can be paid even though a person may have had high earnings up to retirement.

Q. How do I get an SSA speaker for my group?

A. Call or write and ask. No fee is ever charged for an SSA speaker and we try to fill all requests. To help us respond to your needs, we will ask what topics you want discussed and a few questions about the size and age range of the expected audience.

Q. I have a claim for disability pending and just got a letter saying that "Medical evidence regarding your impairment(s) has been reviewed by this office. We are required to evaluate such conditions three months after the problem began. Therefore, no further action will be taken on your claim until ________. At that time, additional medical evidence will be requested from your doctor to assess your current conditon." Why the delay?

A. Illnesses such as strokes or heart attacks can show large patient improvement in a relatively short time after the initial attack. Because disability determinations involve anticipated ability to work for periods of a year after onset, some medical development is delayed to give the person a chance to medically stabilize. This is done for relatively few disability claims.

Q. Social Security just sent me a letter stating that my change of address was processed. It shows my correct home address but I did not send in an address change. I have direct deposit so that my check goes directly to the bank and the letter said that this would not change. What is this about?

A. The address change could have come from either of two primary sources. It is possible that you were included in a mass change of address initiated by a post office updating rural route or box number designations.

Secondly, SSA sometimes requests updated addresses directly from banks if mail sent to the home of someone using direct deposit gets returned.

Jill Dekkers

Kendra Dimich

Dekkers, Dimich in music contest

Two young musicians who are seniors at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls will perform before judges in the Young Artists Solo Competition Saturday, January 6, in the Reineke Fine Arts Center at North Dakota State University in Fargo, ND.

Jill Dekkers will play the flute and Kendra Dimich will play the piano. Jill is the daughter of Bev Dekkers and Willard Dekkers and Kendra is the daughter of Judy and Tom Dimich.

Included in the competition this year will be instrumentalists, including pianists, in grade 10-12 from Battle Lake, Fergus Falls, Menagha, Moorhead and Pelican Rapids in addition to Thief River Falls in Minnesota, and from Fargo, Christine, Hillsboro, Wahpeton and West Fargo in North Dakota.

The public is invited and encouraged to attend the competition finals on Saturday, January 6, at 1 p.m. in the recital hall at the fine arts center. Families are also welcome and there is no admission charge. A reception in celebration of the competition's 15th anniversary, as well as honoring the winners and other contestants, will be held immediately following the finals.

Three cash awards will be given in the regional competition. The top performer will be provided with a scholarship opportunity at one of the three colleges and universities in the Fargo-Moorhead area. He or she will also present a solo performance with the Fargo-Moorhead Symphony during its family concert on February 22.

Northwest Airlines is again offering the Musical Arts Award for the first place winner and parents for a trip to Washington, DC. Tickets to a Kennedy Center performance are offered by the competition co-sponsors.

The annual competition is co-sponsored by KCCM 91.1 FM, Minnesota public radio in Moorhead and the Fargo-Moorhead Symphony Women's Association. Vi Barrett and Ruth Landfield of Fargo are major underwriters for the event with associate underwriters including Ruth Dahlke and Nancy S. Harris of Moorhead and Pam and Michael Burns, James and Barbara Glore and Jill and Greg Post of Fargo.

Legislature looks at speed limits

"After more than 20 years of federal control, states are getting a new opportunity to push their speed limits beyond 55 miles per hour and Minnesota is one of many states considering changes," says Sen. LeRoy Stumpf of Thief River Falls.

Some of the state's lawmakers are already at work on a task force assembled by Gov. Arne Carlson and recommendations are due in mid-January.

"The task force will work on several issues, including the interstate highway limit," Sen. Stumpf said. "Several years ago, Congress let states raise the level to 65 miles per hour on rural interstate routes. The question facing Minnesota is: should the interstate limit be raised to more than 65?"

Another question involves the so-called "Dimler Amendment." This law was passed after the federal 55 mph limit took effect. It is an exemption which allows violations of less than 10 mph over the limit to be kept off a driver's record.

"If the limits are raised, should Minnesota still grant the exemption?" the senator asks. "Critics claim continuing it would encourage excessive speeds. Supporters believe it is an appropriate way to deal with minor violations."

Another change in law since Congress passed the 55 mph limit is the seat belt requirement passed by the Minnesota state legislature. Due to safety concerns, some people will probably want to tie any speed increases to toughening this law.

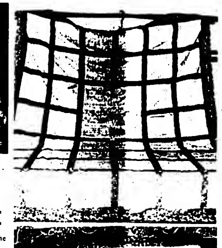
Under current law, failure to buckle up is a secondary violation in Minnesota. This means drivers can not be issued a ticket for failure to use a seat belt unless they are already being cited for a separate moving violation.

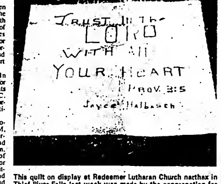
"Many seat belt law supporters want to see this become a primary violation, where drivers could be pulled over and ticketed just for failure to wear a seat belt," Sen. Stumpf said.

Rural and urban interests will probably have different views on raising speed limits, the senator added. Some drivers would like to see an increase to 65 miles per hour on interstates in urban areas and 70 miles per hour in rural areas. Other drivers are more interested in returning to the old limits of 65 mph during the day and 55 mph at night on state two-lane highways.

"It's too early to tell how all these issues will play out when the 1996 session starts in January, but there is a good chance the legislature will approve some new limits," Sen. Stumpf said.

"But if you are thinking about driving faster on vacation next summer," he reminded, "remember that most new laws passed in a legislative session do not take effect until the following August 1."





This quilt on display at Redeemer Lutheran Church narthex in Thief River Falls last week was made by the congregation for member Lynn Bylander who is hospitalized at the University of Minnesota hospital. It consists of 48 squares on which members wrote Bible verses, such as in the individual square pictured.

Redeemer Church cooperates on quilt for Lynn Bylander

"Advent is the season of hope in the Christian church. It was in this spirit of hope that the members of Redeemer Lutheran Church in Thief River Falls decided to make a quilt for a member hospitalized at the University of Minnesota Hospital as a result of a long and uncertain disease," states Rev. Galen and Rev. Marcia Sylvester, pastors.

Five weeks ago the congregation began work on a quilt of Bible verses for Lynn Bylander.

"Even though she was in the prayers of the church every Sunday, on the church prayer chain and in the prayers of members daily, they thought it would be wonderful to surround and cover her with the hope that comes from the Word of God," the pastors said.

Church member Lois Steiger, who owns and operates Annette's Fabrics; selected the material and the quantity that would be needed. Sue Dupree, a member of the local quilters' guild, washed the material to pre-shrink it and cut the 48 squares to be used in making the quilt cover.

Individual members of the congregation and the Sunday school classes of Lynn's two sons took the squares, wrote selected Bible verses on them and returned them to the church.

Diane Kays, also a member of Redeemer congregation, took the blue squares—the color of hope—and assembled them into the quilt top with a cross pattern forming the center. Enid and Roland Sande and Joyce Halbasch then tied the cover to the batting and backing.

The quilt has hung on display in the narthex at the church and is now being forwarded to Lynn at the hospital with the best wishes of the congregation.

"While she may be physically absent from her church family and their support," the pastors said, "it is hoped the quilt will remind her that God is with her in all things."

SHOP LOCALLY SHOP

Salvation Army HeatShare program provides fuel assistance in Minnesota

HeatShare has been a relatively new addition to services offered by The Salvation Army service unit in Thief River Falls, but it has been available for more than 12 years in Minnesota.

HeatShare is a voluntary, private, emergency energy assistance program administered by The Salvation Army. The program is committed to:

- Providing assistance to low income elderly, disabled, and others with special needs who have difficulty paying their energy related expenses;
- Gaining financial support within a county to assure a regular cash flow for energy costs;
- Obtaining support from a network of services to ensure that all those who need help receive it;
- Administering an effective program which benefits the community and makes it a better place to live;
- Providing education and resources to help reduce future heating costs.

The HeatShare program is sponsored by utilities in greater Minnesota. Most HeatShare funds are donated by utility customers through monthly contributions or one-time pledges. Contributions made in a particular community or city help fund households in that area. Customer contributions are used to serve eligible clients, providing not more than $300 per year.

Barry Froiland, Thief River Falls utility department, said only one donation has been made this year.

Anyone interested in making donations is encouraged to write a check to the Salvation Army HeatShare program and deliver it to the utilities department billing office. The billing office then sends it to The Salvation Army.

Northern Minnesota Utilities has also been receiving donations to the HeatShare program. They encourage customers who find themselves in difficulty to apply for protection under the cold weather rules and then seek assistance from ICCC, social services or The Salvation Army HeatShare program.

For more than 12 years, HeatShare has been apart of life in Minnesota. In 1982, Minnegasco and The Salvation Army teamed up to help seniors, the disabled and other needy individuals/families pay their heating bills. One year later, Minnegasco expanded HeatShare to reach parts of greater Minnesota, Lincoln, NE, and Sioux Falls, SD. In 1984, NSP initiated HeatShare's reach into St. Paul. Currently, HeatShare is administered in more than 81 counties and 667 cities statewide.

During its history, HeatShare has assisted more than 71,000 individuals with more than $9 million in heating assistance. Last year nearly 12,500 individuals in Minnesota contributed more than $1 million, helping 2,080 households pay heating bills. HeatShare is the eighth largest fuel fund in the country and the largest in Minnesota.

Through 11 months in 1995, HeatShare assisted 8,215 individuals with 2,654 grants up more than 30 per cent from all of 1994. In some areas of the state, requests for assistance increased by 250 per cent. The Salvation Army is looking to expand and intensify the program to help meet the needs of Minnesotans and welcomes any further revenues from public or private sources.

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Students in the seventh grade at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls donated money to be used toward purchasing Christmas gifts for children in the Thief River Falls area through the angel tree at the Kmart store. Some of the seventh graders who participated in the effort posed for this photo in front of the tree at Franklin late last week.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
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I want to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. And thanks a lot for the News items you gave me during the year.

Edwin Halvorson visited with his uncle Ted Halvorson in Clearbrook. And he also visited recently with his brother Raymond Halvorson at the Mac Manor in McIntosh.

Evonne Halvorson visited Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Halvorson and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson, Evonne Halvorson and Audrey Bergerson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Galen Halvorson home in Thief River Falls.

Ardith Kloth visited at the Dorothy and Rose Juneau home in Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Halvorson, Raymond Halvorson and Mr. and Mrs. John Djernes visited with their uncle Ted Halvorson at Clearbrook recently and helped Ted celebrate his 97th birthday. Happy Birthday Ted!

Edna Hawk and Ida Haugen called at the Willie Good home on Thursday and were coffee guests.

Edna Hawk left for her home in Seattle, WA on Saturday afternoon. Lois Burstad took her to the airport.

Lois Burstad, Edna Hawk, Linda Homme and Ida Haugen visited at the Pastor Daniel Faugstad home near Oklee on Tuesday afternoon.

Ida Haugen and Edna Hawk visited Gertrude Christianson on Thursday afternoon.

Ricky Bjerklie and Curtis Quam called at the Ida Haugen home Friday evening.

Supper guests at the Bud Homme home Friday evening were Edna Hawk, Mishawn Shaski and Ida Haugen.

Edna Hawk, Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen were coffee guests at the Gary Johnson home on Friday.

The Nazareth Sunday school held their Christmas program Sunday evening. Everyone enjoyed cookies and coffee after the program.

Thursday evening Sharron Johnson, Lois Burstad and Mishawn Shaski came to visit with Edna Hawk at the Ida Haugen home.

Lois Burstad, Edna Hawk, Bud and Linda Homme, Mishawn Shaski were supper guests at the Ida Haugen home Wednesday evening.

Grace Hammar and two of her granddaughters called at the Ida Haugen home on Saturday forenoon.

Entertainment Guide

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20
BAR BINGO
5:00 P.M.
THURSDAY, DEC. 21
BAR BINGO
5:00 - 6:30 P.M.
FRIDAY, DEC. 22
DANCE 9:00-1:00 P.M.
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SATURDAY, DEC. 23
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DEC. 18 AUXILIARY MEETING 6:00 P.M. WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	DEC. 19 OLD TIME DANCE 7-10 P.M. "BOB SKOGLUND"	DEC. 20	DEC. 21 BAR BINGO' 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 22 BAR BINGO' 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 23 BAR BINGO' 3-5 P.M.
DEC. 25 CLOSED	DEC. 26 AERIE MEETING WEEKLY RAFFLE DRAWING 4:00 P.M.	DEC. 27 3RD ANNUAL CUSTOMER APPRECIATION DAY LUNCH 7-9 P.M.	DEC. 28 BAR BINGO' 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 29 BAR BINGO' 5-7 P.M.	DEC. 30 BAR BINGO' 3-5 P.M.

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10 SUNDAY BINGO	11 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	12 FREE VIDEO POKER TOURNAMENT WIN CASH Daily Turkey Drawings	13 BLACKJACK Tournaments	14 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	15 DOUBLE PAYOUTS 1 A.M. - 8 A.M. 1, 3, 5, 7 A.M.	16 CRAFT SALE 9 A.M. - 3 P.M. Prime Rib & Walleye Special
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SDA community Christmas program on Friday, Saturday

"Celebrate the Coming" is the name selected for the dramatic Christmas musical to be presented at the Seventh-day Adventist Church this weekend. Program organizers urge those planning to attend to note the times of each performance: Friday, December 22 at 8 p.m. and Saturday, December 23, at 7 p.m. Doors will open to the public an hour before the scheduled performances.

"Planning this year's program stretched us in some new and interesting ways," notes director Ben Sayler. "We essentially 'built' the cantata ourselves by combining a radio script and selected music. In past years we have used the drama and music of a published package. This year we've had the challenge of adapting a script (designed for vocal-only performance) to the stage. This has been no easy feat, but we've been blessed with outstanding actors and actresses who are pulling it off with real finesse, and we are excited about the results.

"Having the freedom to handpick the music for the cantata has also been an unexpected joy — and challenge. On the one hand, we were able to choose music that I believe is some of the most beautiful we have ever performed. On the other hand, when we launched this endeavor it appeared that we might have to proceed without a score for the orchestra. However, with prayer and perseverance we were able to find orchestration for all the music selected. We are delighted with how everything has come together and we look forward to sharing the Christmas story with the community."

The drama itself begins prior to the engagement of Joseph and Mary. It exposes us to some of the Jewish customs of that day and attempts to place each within a social framework compatible for that era. For Mary (Shirley Hayek), three girlfriends, Deborah (Melva Campbell), Joanne (Key Teeters-Asp) and Rebekkah (Sylvie Rondorf) share some well-side gossip and teasing. For Joseph (Russ Holmaas), Jacob (Rob Burkel) is his trusted confidante. Jacob is a complex character who is at one moment a mature father-figure giving sound counsel and at the next, is exploding with indignation at the Roman oppression made visible by soldiers (Glenn Meekma and Leonard Rondorf) as they parade by with a troop of Jewish prisoners (Nathan Rittenour, Luke Nordvick, Philip Hoks, Matt Forbes, Cody Frame).

A bit of home-town flavor is captured at the engagement party for Joseph and Mary where two women (Gerry Forbes and Elsie Dailey) gossip and swoon over the couple-to-be. Rabbi (Bob Forbes) performs the engagement ceremony and then shares the customary treats with the children (Tammi Rittenour, Peter Hoks, Timmy Sayler).

The plot, which has up to this time taken place in Nazareth, suddenly changes to Jerusalem where the aged priest Zechariah (Jim Hoks), escorted by his wife (Heidi Hoks), is about to perform the temple service. Merchants (Leonard Rondorf and Stan Frame) and their customers (Ray Juhl and Ben Bucholz) observe Zechariah go into the temple and become concerned when he seems detained. They do not realize that an angel (Ben Scmitz) has visited Zechariah assuring him that God has heard and will grant his request for a child.

The story continues with the angel's revelation to Mary that she is to give birth to the promised Messiah and her subsequent visit to her cousin Elizabeth's home. After Elizabeth gives birth, Mary returns to Nazareth where the news of her pregnancy creates quite a predicament for Joseph. He does not understand the miraculous nature of the conception until he too is visited by the angel.

Because of taxation requirements, the couple is required to make an untimely trip to Bethlehem (some 70 miles). Exhausted and without a place to stay, Joseph implores an inkeeper (Glenn Meekma) for a room. He offers the desperate couple his stable where baby Jesus (Logan Ose, who also doubles as baby John) is born.

Musical selections include: "Christmas Jubilation", "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus", "Celebrate the Coming", "Glory be to God on High", "Jesus, He Shall be Great", "Be Exalted, O God" (solo by Solveig Swenson, descant by Glenda Olson and Cynthia Efta), "There's a Song in the Air" (solo by Heidi Hoks), "Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee," "Earth was Waiting, Spent and Restless", "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (solo by Jim Grindley), "Finale".

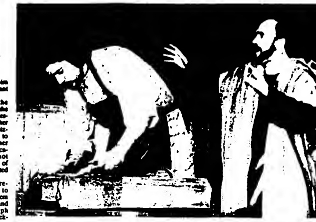
Orchestra members include: violin — Bonnie Swantek and Kent Larson; viola — Derek Druse; cello — Dawn Klopp; bass — Colin Browning; bassoon — Jan Klopp; flute — Marie Hvidsten.

Choir members include: sopranos — Cindy Arlt, Darci Delage, Cynthie Efta, Sarah Erickson, Heather Forbes, Jodi Larson, Glenda Olson, Joanna Swantek, Glorie Umber, Cori Walseth; altos — Shelly Burkel, Morton Campbell, Annie Forbes, Helen Johl, Lisa Pervis, Benji Sayler, Danny Sayler, Jolayne Simpson, Diana Simpson, Arlene Walseth, Karen York; tenors — Jim Grindley, Darci Nordvick, Aaron Pervis, Tim Rittenoor, Marilyne Sayler; bass — Joe Linder, Chuck Simpson, Bill Simpson, John Umber, Gary York.

The director is Ben Sayler, and accompanist, Sylvia Grindley. The stage manager is Joyce Meekma, assisted by Melve Campbell. The sound management is by Ron Meekma, lighting by Rod Glass, and costumes by Barb Holt, Deb Meekma and Susan Meekma.

"Once again our participants represent a very broad geographical area," notes Sayler. "We would like to acknowledge the following communities from which the singers, musicians, actors, actresses and support staff come from: Detroit Lakes, Fosston, Brooks, Greenbush, Grand Forks, Argyle, Viking, Grygla, Middle River, Plummer, St. Hilaire, Newfolden, Red Lake Falls, and Thief River Falls. We invite the community to join us as we 'Celebrate the Coming'."

There is no admission charge for the program; a freewill offering will be accepted. After the cantata, which will be about one hour and 15 minutes in length, refreshments will be served. Attended parking will be adjacent to and across the road from the church at 1024 Tindolph Ave. South.



Actors, Russ Holmaas, and Rob Burkel, performing in the Seventh-day Adventist Christmas musical, "Celebrate the Coming", rehearse a scene. Performances will be 8 p.m. Friday, December 22, and 7 p.m. Saturday, December 23.

"Celebrate the Coming" will be performed as a dramatic Christmas musical at the Seventh-day Adventist Church 8 p.m. Friday, December 22, and 7 p.m. Saturday, December 23. Doors will open one hour prior to the scheduled performances. Above, performers rehearse a scene: (from left) Glenn Meekma, Stan Frame, Jim Hoks, Heidi Hoks, and Ray Juhl.

DTED Loan helps add and keep jobs at Crookston plant

Five jobs will be created and 20 jobs retained at Phoenix Industries of Crookston, Ltd., through a loan recently approved by the Minnesota Department of Trade and Economic Development (DTED).

Hiring for three of the new positions at the manufacturing company will take place by early 1996; the new jobs will pay at least $8 an hour. Phoenix Industries currently employs about 135 people.

The $50,000 loan was made available through the Challenge Grant program, which is a cooperative partnership between DTED and the Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund. The funds will help Phoenix Industries to purchase a robotic work cell, which costs $250,000. The work cell will be used to trim fiberglass hoods for Polaris snowmobiles. Phoenix also supplies Arctco with some parts. Other funding will be provided by the Northwest Regional Development Commission revolving loan fund and First American Bank of Crookston.

"Our partnership with the Northwest Minnesota Initiative Fund helps us to create and keep good jobs in Minnesota," said DTED Commissioner Jay Novak in announcing the loan. "The Challenge Grant program is a key link in departmental efforts to assist new and expanding businesses in rural parts of the state." Phoenix probably would not have received the Polaris contract without the funds to purchase the robot.

Animals held at TRF pound

Two cats and a dog are being held at the Thief River Falls animal pound. Animals can be claimed by their owner or adopted. Animals impounded include: a brown and black male shepherd picked up at Hugo's; a female calico cat picked up at the Law enforcement center; and an orange cat picked up in the 200 block of North Kneale.

Noon Lioness held meeting on Dec. 13

Thief River Falls Noon Lioness held their monthly meeting at the Evergreen Eating Emporium on Wednesday, December 13, with 17 members and one guest present. Co-President Elaine Gonderson opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and Lioness table prayer. Tailtwisting was done by Gloria Lee. Dimes were won by Idella Samuelson and Marilyn Winters won the craft. Co-President Edie Brandli conducted the business meeting, shared a card from Leader Dog for the blind, highlights from Lion's newsletter and asked members to sign a Christmas card for Evergreen manager Diana Josephson. The motion carried to donate $100 to Hospice and buy 25 fund-raising tickets for the Lions Mid-Winter convention to be held in Mahnomen, January 19-21. Members participated in an ornament exchange and guest Pauline Hanson led the group in singing Christmas carols. The next board meeting is January 4 at the home of Edith Etter. The next regular meeting is January 10 at the Evergreen Eating Emporium. The project for January is Parade of Checks at the Mid-Winter Convention.

Little Oak

Sharron Johnson visited at the Ida Haugan and Mishawn Shaski home Thursday evening.

Pastor Dan Faugstad visited at the Ida Haugen home on Monday.

Ernest and Lorraine Mostrom have called at the Willie Good home during the week.

Callers at the Ernest Mostrom home during the week were Adeline Hanson, Willie and Jane Good.

Ida Haugen enjoyed a telephone call from Orrin Haugen of Hibbing Saturday evening.

Gatzke

Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Peterson, Harvey Mugaas and Eunice Larson were coffee guests at the Alan Severts home.

Snow! Snow! Snow!

Viking

Liz Swanson enjoyed lunch on Wednesday with grandson Kevin Swenson and family.

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Jodi Anderson Kozan in Christmas movie

Jodi Kozan, daughter of Richard and Judy Anderson of Thief River Falls, has the lead role in a motion picture produced in Saskatoon, Sask., Canada and which will be televised in that area at 6:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve.

Jodi is a graduate of Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls and a former Miss Thief River Falls. She is affiliated with the Gateway Players acting group and Pizzazz Modeling Company in Saskatoon, where she has lived since her marriage five years ago.

In a telephone interview with *The Times*, Jodi said that the screen play for "On a Wing and a Prayer" was written by Geoff Bradley and that she auditioned for the lead role, in which she plays the parts of two characters, one of whom is an angel.

The movie will take about an hour of television time and is being offered for network use in Canada and to movie companies in the United States, Jodi said. She worked on the picture off and on since September and took on the project on a volunteer basis for the experience and exposure.

Her previous experience has been in stage productions and in television commercials for Canadian business, including Saskatoon Tourism and Suzuki for Western Canada. She is also a full-time mom, caring for three-year-old Jaclyn and seven-month-old Jessica.

Jodi, her husband and the girls will be driving the 660 miles to Thief River Falls for a holiday visit, stopping enroute to visit her husband's family in Winnipeg, Man., Canada.

Jodi Kozan, daughter of Judy and Richard Anderson of Thief River Falls, has the lead role in a made for television movie shot in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, and which will be telecast there at 6:30 p.m. Christmas Eve. She is shown in the bottom photo in one of her costumes for the movie and holding her daughter Jessica, who was an extra in the movie along with her three-year-old daughter Jaclyn.

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"Up on the housetop, shinglers pause...." It wasn't the kind of weather carpenters would like for a roofing job, but Dale Bergeron (left) and his brother Lloyd tried to keep ahead of last Wednesday's seven-inch snowfall while shingling the Gordon and Colleen Jansen house on Arnold Avenue North. The snow isn't evident in this Times' photo taken later in the afternoon when it had somewhat subsided. The Bergerons combatted the snow by shingling strips up the roof instead of across it, sweeping the snow as they went. They had sat out the previous week's blizzard when the shingling job had been scheduled. "There are some things even we won't do," Dale quipped. The shingling has now been completed.

Dana Packard (left) of the Northland Community and Technical College farm management faculty was one of the agricultural teachers who attended the 47th annual National Vocational Agricultural Teachers' Association (NVATA) conference November 29-December 1 in Denver, CO. Packard, Region I director of the Minnesota Vocational Agricultural Instructors' Association, is pictured with Merle Richter, 1995 NVATA president. More than 400 secondary, post secondary and adult agricultural education teachers attended the conference.

Little Oak

Mrs. Arnold Haugen
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Lorraine Mostrom called at the Lester Hanson home one day during the week.

Ernest and Lorraine Mostrom and Randy attended the Christmas program at the St. Pauli church near Hazel Sunday evening. Their granddaughter Emily Mugass was in the program.

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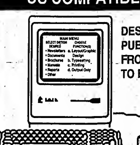

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Gas prices up slightly for Christmas

Christmas travelers will find gas prices slightly higher than they were over Thanksgiving, according to AAA Minnesota. A recent survey shows that the average price of unleaded self-serve gasoline is $1.11 per gallon. This is an increase of almost two cents since Thanksgiving, when the price of a gallon of self-serve unleaded gasoline was $1.092. The price of gas last Christmas was $1.114 per gallon, before jumping to $1.128 over the Fourth of July holiday.

"Demand usually picks up in December due to holiday travel, shopping and colder weather, which results in a slight price increase," said Barbara Tezak-Buchholz, AAA spokesperson. "this December, consumption also could be boosted by higher speed limits in many states."

Of the 150 stations surveyed, 85 said they would be open on Christmas Day.

According to the information provided, full-service unleaded gasoline prices in northern Minnesota were $1.321 per gallon and $1.473 per gallon for premium gasoline. Self-service gas was at $1.123 for unleaded and $1.254 for premium.

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Those who attended the Quilting Pillow Tops at the Senior Center in Goodridge on Tuesday where Merlys Johnsrud, Irene Lovely, Margie Coen, Marge Scheel, Gerry Nelson and Elva Fiedler.

Jessica spent Tuesday and Thursday overnight with her grandmother Mayme Johnson.

Monica Johnson was an overnight guest on Wednesday with her grandmother Mayme Johnson.

Sunday Monica and Michelle Johnson visited by phone with Sally Philipp of rural Thief River Falls.

AMPI major change to meet member needs

AMPI President Irvin Elkin has announced that the AMPI Corporate Board of Directors approved a major change in the direction of the cooperative, which is designed to improve AMPI's ability to meet member needs, respond to changing market conditions and to unify the cooperative's efforts to address industry needs.

The plan implements fundamental changes in the cooperative's administrative and operational structure including a team management approach. Work to consolidate the cooperative's administrative services will begin immediately as its three main administrative offices will be reduced to two with the corporate office sharing an existing AMPI facility in Arlington, TX, leading to a projected annual savings of approximately $1.8 million.

"This is a step to position AMPI not only for the New Year, but to continue as a dairy industry leader into the 21st century," declared Elkin, a dairy farmer from Amery, WI. "AMPI has faced and met all sorts of challenges since 1969. One of our great strengths has been the flexibility and willingness to adapt to change. We are excited about the potential of the approach to enhance AMPI's ability to compete and prosper in an increasingly competitive marketplace."

Elkin pointed out that with the sale of assets and transfer of members of the Morning Glory Farms Region to Foremost Farms USA completed and AMPI's financial position strong, the cooperative is well positioned to make changes for the future.

The plan was developed by a committee of the Corporate board based on a review of AMPI operations. The Corporate board unanimously approved it at its December 13-14 meeting in Bloomington, after detailed discussion during a joint meeting of AMPI's two regional boards.

Under the team management approach, AMPI's operation will continue with two regions — the North Central region, headquartered in New Ulm, and the Southern region in Arlington, TX. A management team consisting of the corporate manager and the two regional managers will develop and oversee strategic planning for the cooperative.

"This move is in the best interest of all AMPI members," stated Southern Region President Charles Beckendorf, a dairy farmer from Tomball, TX. "It responds to the voting delegates' directive to organize and operate the cooperative so as to provide the best possible return to member-owners and maximize dairy farmer income."

"Operational changes are being made. It is important to emphasize that everything being done is to enhance AMPI's ability to accomplish its original objective," said North Central Region President Lester Steffens, a dairy farmer from West Union, IA. "That being to maximize milk producers' long-term return from the total investment in their dairy farms and their cooperative."

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Pinspillers League	Wins	Losses
[illegible] Construction	7	0
[illegible]	7	5
[illegible] Realty	7	6
[illegible] Construction	6	5
[illegible]	6	5
[illegible]	6	5
[illegible] Dairy	5	8
[illegible] Community Club	5	5
[illegible]	2	5
[illegible] Asphalt	0	7
[illegible]	0	7
O-Team	0	7

High Game: [illegible] 204; [illegible] 186; Diane Wagner 181; [illegible] 201; Randy Rasmussen 200; [illegible] 194

High Series: [illegible] 161-201-172=534; Randy Rasmussen 146-184-200=530; [illegible] 180-169-177=526; Diane Wagner 146-181-174=500; [illegible] 118-165-204=487; Cindy Vennes 186-160-188=474

Service League	Wins	Losses
[illegible] Electric	109 1/2	40 1/2
Legion	69 1/2	80 1/2
[illegible] Trucking	63 1/2	86 1/2
McDonald's	68	82
NW Eye Center	77 1/2	72 1/2
Northern Motors	77	73
Thygeson Construction	61	89
NW Auto Body	60	90
Wagon Wheel	60	90

Farmer Merchant League	Wins	Losses
Goodridge Hertz	30	12
River Bend Farms	28	14
Wieeth Farms	27	15
Arnold Ace Store	25	17
[illegible] Drug	23	19
Tri State Breeders	21	21
[illegible] Auto	24	18
Aap Farms	21	21
Young Pine Lodge	20	23
Servig Oil	16	27

High Game: Andy Peterson 245; Tom Scholin 219; Bob Wold 218; [illegible] Johnson 214

High Series: Kevin Melvie 193-203-212=608; Andy Peterson 183-171-245=599; Tom Scholin 190-219-189=598; Bob Wold 177-219-166=561

Elks League	Wins	Losses
Horn's	28	14
Bronx's Bombers	28	14
Stompers	24 1/2	18 1/2
Big Boys	22	16
Sheldon's Grease Balls	21 1/2	18 1/2
Hogans Heroes	20 1/2	18 1/2
Rollers	20	20
Stags	19	21
Bulls	17	23
Alley Ratz	16	24
TNT's	7 1/2	23 1/2

High Game: Lynn Tie 211; Jerry Jensen 206; Greg Stauss 201; Lambert Brunkhorst 201

High Series: Jerry Jensen 206-194-197=597; Lambert Brunkhorst 155-164-201=520; Tom Williams 158-189-168=515; Lynn Tie 145-211-156=512

Tootsie Rollers League	Wins	Losses
Farmer's Union	69	46
Mr. Duane's	67	48
Busch Light	55	50
Family Bowl	51	54
Pennington Square	47	58
Brodin's	46	59

High Game: Elna Johnson 186; Deb Pierce 181; Arlene Peterson 179

High Series: Dollie Newland 185-156-166=487; Deb Pierce 146-151-142=469; Arlene Peterson 138-151-179=468

Nitehawk League	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	66	32
Creative Clippers	64	34
Northern Motors	56	42
Arctco	56	42
Loeffler Agency	55	43
Kwick Strip	49	49

[illegible]	Wins	Losses
[illegible]	42	56
Team 86	8	94

High Game: Sharon Harris 204; [illegible] 202; [illegible] 192; Dollie Newland 192

High Series: Dollie Newland 189-189-172=[illegible]; Roberta Kiesty 147-188-181=516; Linda Olson 166-181-159=504; Sharon Harris 140-204-159=503

[illegible] League	Wins	Losses
Northwest Asphalt	15	1
[illegible]	15	5
[illegible]	10	6
Hutchinson Transfer	10	6
[illegible]	8	7
Red Lake Electric	8	8
Lantern	8	8
[illegible] Law Office	5	15
Styles By Amy	5	15

High Game: Deb Cota 208; [illegible] 186; Carolyn Hanson 186; LeAnn Hensley 186

High Series: [illegible] 149-172-190=511; Deb Cota 130-208-147=485; Karen Plante 161-147-186=494

Sunset League	Wins	Losses
Sizzlers	45	11
Tommy O's	34 1/2	21 1/2
Material Girls	23	22
Farmers Union	86	86
NW Medical Center	87	85
Imaging Plus	86	30
KTRF CAD's	26 1/2	30 1/2
Fire Flies	23 1/2	23 1/2
Hill Trucking	23	23
Norwest	22 1/2	33 1/2
NW Eye Center	21	85

High Game: Rhonda Joppru 192; Lois Hajek 186; Carol Belland 186; Maggie Olson 186

High Series: EJ Johnson 178-180-170=528; Maggie Olson 177-186-157=520; Rhonda Joppru 174-149-192=515; Vi Johnson 176-162-171=509

Wednesday Nite Mixed League	Wins	Losses
KSRQ	28	14
Rick's Handyman Service	26	16
Spare Parts	21	19
Four Fun	19	23
TR Salvage	16	86
Classic Chevys	16	26

High Series: Bromley Carr 202; Rocky Ammerman 195; Ron Moen 195; Judy Nelson 174; Barb Ammerman 167; Cheryl Rosten 167

High Series: Kenny Lien 196-167-179=541; Rocky Ammerman 185-183-173=541; Ron Moen 171-174-195=540; Cheryl Rosten 167-167-147=481; Judy Nelson 174-142-158=474; Sharon Wold 168-129-154=451

Commercial League	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	383 1/2	176 1/2
Wikstrom Telephone	305	255
Thyren Auto	301	259
Germundson's Furniture	293 1/2	266 1/2
RV Sports	290 1/2	269 1/2
Pennington Express	259	261
Kalinowski Construction	253	307
VFW	231 1/2	308 1/2
1st National Bank	212	308
No. Border Whse.	211	349

High Game: Al Baumgartner 240; Ron Ruud 234; Kevin Melvie 231

High Series: Ron Ruud 211-214-199-234=858; Al Baumgartner 198-211-190-240=839; Lloyd Wagner 211-180-193-226=810

Six Pack League	Wins	Losses
Amoco 24	42	14
Glass Farm	41	15
Auction-2-Sell	30	20
B & E Car Wash	30	26
Joe's Floor & Tile	17	39

High Game: Craig Peterson 256, 202; Dan Lindquist 221; Suzanne Peterson 197

[illegible]: Patty Lindquist 194; Dollie Newland 192

High Series: Craig Peterson 640; Curt Oussreal 592; Paul Johnson 583; Suzanne Peterson 510; Jan Olson 504; Patty Lindquist 495

Honey Bee League	Wins	Losses
Larson's Drywall	18	10
Crystal Cafe	16	15
Phyllis's	11	14
Purdy's Shoe Store	14	14
Olson's Auto	15	15
B B B Express	6	19

High Game: Denise Hesseth 179; Sharon Wold 172; Lisa Stapleton 171; Cheryl Rosten 167

High Series: Sharon Wold 172-189-180=[illegible]; Cheryl Rosten 180-180-167=477; Laura Carlson 144-151-164=[illegible]; Mindy Brnyder 154-161-123=446

City League	Wins	Losses
FSA	22	6
Milk & Cookies	20	8
Rick's Appliance	15	8
The Spot	17	11
St. Hilaire Elevator	15	12
Homark	15	12
Hanson's Repair	14	14
Wilde Builder	6	16
MN/DOT	5	23

High Game: Jeff Feragen 213; Dwayne Duckworth 202; Mitch Mathieu 202

High Series: Dwayne Duckworth 202-197-175=574; Ken Garceau 169-192-173=534; Jeff Feragen 213-182-197=632

Bantam League	Wins	Losses
Bad Boys	23 1/2	7 1/2
3 Musketeers	23 1/2	6 1/2
Magic Raptors	16 1/2	13 1/2
Good Girls	18 1/2	14 1/2
3 Ninjas	17 1/2	15 1/2
Jr. Elks	17	15
3 Little Princesses	16	17
Blades	14 1/2	18 1/2
Lions	11	23

High Game: Tyler Jensen 141; Paul Sjoberg 128; Stacy Rasmussen 115; Jesse Lien 115; Michael Lunde 109

High Series: Tyler Jensen 85-141=226; Paul Sjoberg 100-126=226; Stacy Rasmussen 115-91=206; Michael Lunde 109-94=203; Jesse Lien 80-115=195

Junior League	Wins	Losses
Prowler Express	34	10
Bilx Photography	33	11
1st National Bank	28	16
State Farm	28	16
Team #10	26 1/2	17 1/2
Northern Motors	26	18
Family Bowl	26	18
Prowler Express Racing	26	18
Amoco 24	25	19
RV Sports	21	23
Nelson Equipment	20	24
Glen's Electric	20	24
Pennington Square	20	24
Team #17	18	26
Wieeth Farms	15 1/2	28 1/2
Genereux Realty	15	29
Team #13	12	32

High Game: David Bray 202; Kelly Natvik 187; Josh Cornelle 178; Cori Walseth 174; Stacy Hovet 173; Benji Marquis 171

High Series: David Bray 202-187-184=573; Josh Cornelle 166-127-178=471; Rachel Oraelis 165-143-157=465; Jeremy Jensen 151-139-169=459; Stacy Hovet 123-173-163=459

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DNR Gift Certificate

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources has discontinued its license and registration gift certificate. The gift certificate enabled individuals to purchase hunting and fishing licenses, and recreational vehicle registrations for others as gifts.

Although the program was initially well received when it was introduced in December of 1989, public interest has waned over the past couple of years, according to License Bureau administrator Margaret Winkel-Ledin. Other problems also contributed to the gift certificate's discontinuation.

"The number of requests for refunds on the certificates has been approaching the number of certificates actually used by customers," said Winkel-Ledin.

The reasons for the refund requests vary. Some gift recipients forgot to use their certificates when it was time to buy a hunting or fishing license, and later requested a refund. Others wanted a different type of license than the certificate specified. Still others decided to skip a year of fishing.

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Unemployment in region goes down

Unemployment in economic development Region I continues its decline in October, averaging 2.7 per cent across the seven counties and placing the region in a tie for second place among the 11 economic development regions in the state.

Only Region 11, which consists of Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott and Washington counties and the cities of Bloomington, Minneapolis and St. Paul, has a lower unemployment rate at 2.5 per cent. Region 6W, which includes Big Stone, Chippewa, Lac Qui Parle, Swift and Yellow Medicine counties, equals the 2.7 per cent in Region I.

Statewide the unemployment rate is 2.9 per cent. The rate ranges from a low of 1.3 per cent in Wilkin county to a high of 7.2 per cent in Clearwater county.

In Region I, Polk county edged out Roseau county for the lowest unemployment percentage at 1.8 per cent to Roseau county's 2.2 per cent. Polk was down from 2.4 in September and 2.8 in October a year ago. Roseau county had been steady at 2.3 per cent in September and 2.6 per cent the previous October.

Region I had an unemployment rate of 2.9 per cent in September and 3.4 per cent in October of 1994 before declining to 2.7 per cent this year.

Kittson and Pennington were the only counties in the region to show an unemployment increase in October, with Kittson going to 4.3 per cent from 3.0 in September and 3.8 in October of 1994 and Pennington edging up to 3.3 per cent from 3.2 in September and 3.5 per cent in October last year.

Marshall county had the highest unemployment rate in the region at 4.8 per cent, but it was down from 4.9 in September and 6.3 per cent a year ago.

Red Lake county unemployment stood at 4.2 per cent, down from 4.4 in September and 6.2 per cent last October. Norman county at 3.0 per cent was down from 3.2 in September and 3.4 in October a year ago.

Apart from Clearwater county at 7.2 per cent, the only two counties above six per cent unemployment in the state were Itasca at 6.0 and Koochiching at 6.3 per cent.

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Mustangs extend title reign

Aaron Chaput and Red Lake County Central did it again Saturday with a repeat sweep of MVP and championship honors in the fifth annual Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational boys high school basketball tournament.

The Mustangs, who have won the tournament four straight years after a runner-up finish in the inaugural 1991 event, held on for a 72-68 title game win over never-say-die Grygla-Gatzke.

Chaput was named the tournament's most valuable player – an honor he also won as a freshman when he helped start the Mustangs' title run.

In other final-round results of the eight-team, three-day event found Goodridge beating Warroad 51-42 in the third place game; East Grand Forks Sacred Heart over Red Lake Falls 51-35 for the consolation title; and Kittson Central beat Lake of the Woods 48-44 in the seventh place match-up.

Tournament Results

■ Quarterfinals · Red Lake County Central 72 Lake of the Woods 56; Goodridge 57 East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 65 Warroad 72 Red Lake Falls 46 Grygla-Gatzke 60 Kittson County North 53

■ Semifinals · Red Lake County Central 65 Goodridge 48 Grygla Gatzke 60 Warroad 57

■ Championship · Red Lake County Central 72 Grygla-Gatzke 68

■ Third place · Goodridge 51 Warroad 42

■ Consolation semifinals · East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 53 Lake of the Woods 60 Red Lake Falls 46 Kittson County North 44

■ Consolation final · East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 51 Red Lake Falls 35

■ Seventh place · Kittson County North 48 Lake of the Woods 44

All-Tournament Team

Red Lake County Central · Aaron Chaput (MVP), Mark Lorenson. Goodridge · Chris Grabowska, Benji Marquis. Grygla-Gatzke · Shaun Verbout, Jim Engelstad. Lake of the Woods · Matt Speiker. Kittson County North · Josh Whitlock. East Grand Forks Sacred Heart · Ben Senger. Warroad · Jon Doebler. Red Lake Falls · Josiah Hoeler

Red Lake County Central ...72
Grygla-Gatzke ...68

Each time Red Lake County Central appeared to finally be in control, Grygla-Gatzke charged back. But time finally ran out on the Eagles in the Mustangs' 72-68 title game victory.

"I didn't relax until there were about three seconds left," said Red Lake County Central coach Brad Borene. "Then I figured we finally had it."

A 3-point basketball by Aaron Chaput put Red Lake County Central ahead 16-15 with 2:42 left in the first quarter, and the Mustangs never trailed again. They went on a 10-0 run in the middle of the second quarter en route to a 35-26 halftime advantage.

But the streaky Eagles made it interesting. After going 3-for-18 from the field in the second quarter, they crept within 45-42 with 2:49 left in the third quarter before missing 11 straight shots and falling behind 55-44 at the final break.

That pattern continued through the fourth quarter when the Eagles opened with six straight points; lost ground in falling behind 61-52; then went on another 6-0 surge to make it 61-58 following a fast break basket by Jamie Lunsetter with 1:55 remaining.

Red Lake County Central met the challenge, however, when Paul Peterson scored on a base line drive, Mark Lorenson drilled a 3-pointer from the wing, and Bob Christianson added a fast break layup to make it 68-58 with only 59.6 seconds left.

But Grygla-Gatzke didn't go quietly. Down 70-60, the Eagles made it interesting when Scott Hogenson canned an off-balance trey with 24.5 seconds showing and, after a press-forced Red Lake County Central turnover, Anthony Holthusen flung up a 3-point attempt that found the net to make it 70-66 with 17.8 seconds still on the clock.

Two free throws by Christianson with 14.1 seconds to play re-built a 72-66 Red Lake County Central advantage. Two Grygla-Gatzke misses at the line in the final seconds finally put a stop to the Eagles' comeback bid that ended on a rebound basket by Jim Engelstad with just 2.0 seconds to go.

"I thought we had a chance until we missed that first free throw at the end," noted Grygla-Gatzke coach Vern Johnson. "I was pleased with some of the things we did, but we were kind of our own worst enemy with our shooting in the second quarter. We missed so many easy shots that came back to haunt us. And they they made theirs."

The Mustangs played without starting point guard Bryce Huotari, who went down with an ankle injury in Thursday's opening-round win over Lake of the Woods, but still came up with a solid team effort as Chaput netted 25 points, Lorenson 17, Shawn Hince 12, and Peterson 10.

"It's a very sweet win for the kids," said Borene. "I didn't know if we could do it with Bryce out, but the rest of them really picked it up. They (Eagles) really come at you, but we held our composure, took care of the ball and didn't give them that many fast break baskets. I was really pleased with the kids' efforts."

Grygla-Gatzke also featured a balanced attack as Engelstad scored 18 points, Hogenson 17 and Lunsetter 15.

Red Lake County Central had a 48 percent 32-for-66 showing from the field, while Grygla-Gatzke wound up with a 32 percent 25-for-79 shooting night. The Eagles were busy with a 13-for-21 game at the free throw line, where the Mustangs were a quiet 5-for-7. Grygla-Gatzke out-rebounded Red Lake County Central 43-34, and the winners topped the turnover charts 20-11.

The Mustangs' title-winning efforts put them at 5-1. The tournament marked the season debut for the 2-1 Eagles.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
RLCC	20	15	20	17	72
Grygla-Gatzke	16	10	18	24	68

RLCC · Bob Christianson 4, Mark Lorenson 17, Shawn Hince 12, Paul Peterson 10, Aaron Chaput 25, Jim Dulka 4. G-G · Jim Engelstad 18, Jesse Lunsetter 2, Aaron Holthusen 2, Anthony Holthusen 4, Derek Ruud 2, Shaun Verbout 8, Jamie Lunsetter 15, Scott Hogenson 17.

Goodridge ...51
Warroad ...42

Warroad shaved a 14-point fourth quarter deficit to 45-41 with 1:28 remaining, but couldn't complete the comeback, losing a 51-42 third place game decision to Goodridge.

The Huskies, who led 16-12 at the first stop, went without a point the first four minutes of the second quarter, but still came out a 30-18 leader at halftime. They maintained a 39-27 third quarter spread and were up 43-28 following a short jumper by Chris Grabowska with 6:09 remaining.

It was still a 45-36 gap with 3:34 to go, but Goodridge then turned the ball over on five consecutive possessions, adding fuel to an 8-point Warroad run that made it 45-41.

A 3 1/2-minute Goodridge scoreless streak ended on a Brent Philipp free throw with 1:17 remaining. He missed his second attempt, but Grabowska was fouled on the rebound, and he hit two free throws to make it 48-41 – effectively ending the Warroad comeback.

Marquis and Grabowska scored 18 and 16 points, respectively, to lead Goodridge. Jon Doebler led Warroad with 15 points.

"Overall, you have to be pleased," said Goodridge coach Eric Mickelson. "We're not real happy that we let the lead slip away like that, but winning two out of three isn't bad. Poor shooting in the second half against Red Lake County Central (a 53-40 loss in which the Huskies trailed only 25-23 at halftime) cost us the chance to be in the finals."

The Huskies are 3-1 overall. "I'm optimistic," said Mickelson. "People expected us to be down because we graduated so many kids, but I think we'll be okay."

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Goodridge	16	14	9	12	51
Warroad	12	6	6	18	42

Goodridge · Ben Hanson 2, Chris Grabowska 16, Jared Eidelbos 4, Benji Marquis 18, Trevor Klasow 2, Brent Philipp 5, Darren Arveson 4. Warroad · Pat Frislander 2, Charlie Peterson 2, Jon Doebler 15, Nic Thompson 8, Andrew Tuh 8, Adam Paulson 4, Tim Daniels 6

EGF Sacred Heart ...51
Red Lake Falls ...35

East Grand Forks Sacred Heart doubled Red Lake Falls 12-6 in the first quarter and never looked back in winning a 51-35 consolation final.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
EGF Sacred Heart	12	10	17	12	51
Red Lake Falls	6	7	12	10	35

EGFSH · Joe Zavoral 2, Ben Horken 4, Bryan Sims 4, Shane Cox 4, Erick Neil 5, Adam Rockstad 5, Ben Senger 12, Ben Brouillard 2, Dave Zavoral 10. RLF · Jeremy Moran 5, Jeff Martell 1, Josiah Hoeler 11, Justin Knott 11, Jordan Hoeler 4, Steve Ulrich 2.

Kittson Co. North ...48
Lake of the Woods ...44

Josh Whitlock scored 27 points to lead Kittson County North to a 48-44 win over Lake of the Woods in the seventh place game.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Lake of the Woods	15	12	11	6	44
Kittson Co. North	11	12	10	15	48

LOW · Orin Thoreness 2, Rian Berg 4, Cornelius Matthias 6, Clay Gubbels 3, Alan Johnson 1, Matt Speiker 22, Ed Humeniuk 4. KCN · Kevin Grabowska 7, Kris Hokanson 5, Cal Peterson 3, David Hemmes 4, Josh Whitlock 27, Tyson Twamley 2.

Red Lake County Central defender Paul Peterson tried to block this shot by Jim Engelstad of Grygla-Gatzke in the championship game of the Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational boys high school basketball tournament. The Mustangs won the tournament for the fourth straight year, 72-68.

Gators beat Prowlers in Friday dual

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River pinned a 59-15 high school wrestling loss on host Thief River Falls Friday, dropping the Prowlers' dual meet record to 1-3-1.

"We had to forfeit a lot of weights, and we're wrestling too many young kids," pointed out Thief River Falls coach John Belyea, who figures the Prowlers' line-up will be stabilized after the holidays injuries finally heal.

The Prowlers were shut out until Luke Davis, Adam Kuck and Nick Dee won consecutive matches at 160, 171 and 189, respectively.

B/G-MR 59, TRF 15

103 - Joey Wiskow (B/G-MR) pinned Brent Nelson 3:24; 112 - David [illegible] (B/G-MR) by forfeit; 119 - Troy Anderson (B/G-MR) pinned Justin Anderson :30; 125 - Scott Kasal (B/G-MR) pinned Josh [illegible] :38; 130 - Scott [illegible] (B/G-MR) dec. Bill Fogarty 15-0; 135 - Chad Lorenson (B/G-MR) by forfeit; 140 - Tim [illegible] (B/G-MR) pinned Josh Hagen :48; 145 - Josh [illegible] (B/G-MR) by forfeit; 152 - Logan Wallace (B/G-MR) pinned Jeremy [illegible] 3:30; 160 - Luke Davis (TRF) dec. Joel [illegible] 8-2; 171 - Adam Kuck (TRF) pinned Sheddean Hansen 2:30; 189 - Nick Dee (TRF) pinned Mike Vacura 5:11; hwy - Josh Kern (B/G-MR) pinned Robert Spry 1:21.

Football Coaches Clinic scheduled for NCTC Jan. 20

Plans have been made for the 12th annual Northland Community and Technical College Mid-Winter Football Coaches Clinic Saturday, Jan. 20.

Guest speakers will include Paul Miller, offensive coordinator at the University of St. Thomas and former head coach at Class AA state champion Apple Valley High School; Dallas Sollie, a McIntosh native and a one-time member of the Pioneers' coaching staff who is now the offensive line coach and sophomore coach at Owatonna High School; Mike Malmberg, head coach at Hawley High School; Mike Favor, head coach at Minneapolis North High School; Jeff Williams, defensive coordinator at Owatonna High School; and Bob Lingen, assistant coach at Stephen High School.

Cost of the clinic is $15 per coach, but an entire coaching staff from one school can attend for a flat rate of $50.

"We are excited to once again be hosting this event," said Northland Athletic Director Rick Nelson. "We feel this is a great service available to area high school football coaches and fans who want to learn more about the game of football. Each year the clinic gets a little bit bigger. Last year we brought 100 coaches into our community."

Clinic sponsors include the Thief River Falls Sports Boosters, Eagles Club, Pepsi-Cola Bottling and the merchants of downtown Thief River Falls.

For additional information and registration material, contact Nelson at Northland Community and Technical College, Highway 1 East, Thief River Falls, MN 56701; telephone 1-800-959-6282 or 218-681-0725.

Prowlers start strong in win over Wolfpack

Playing without center Kyle Sanden, who is sidelined by a knee injury, did not slow down the Thief River Falls offense Saturday as the Prowlers rolled to a 75-44 boys high school basketball win over host Kittson Central.

Jared Brandt scored 23 points on 10-for-15 shooting from the floor, grabbed 8 rebounds and blocked 4 shots as the Prowlers improved to 3-0.

"I was very happy with the kids," said Thief River Falls coach Scott Brekke. "They played good basketball from the get-go. We started strong, and then we came out in the third quarter and really took control."

Thief River Falls doubled Kittson Central 20-10 in the first quarter, maintained a 33-21 halftime spread, then opened up a 59-29 third quarter gap.

"We're big, we're physical, and we've got pretty decent depth," pointed out Brekke. "Teams can stay with us for a while, but then I think we wear them down."

Courtney Skjerven had a 15-point, 10-rebound game off the bench for the Prowlers, hitting 6 of 8 field goal attempts, and Robbie Farbo was 9-for-11 at the free throw line in a 15-point, 9-rebound effort.

Ryan Schwenzfeier led Kittson Central with 13 points.

The Prowlers were 26-for-61 from the field (43 percent) and 21-for-33 at the free throw line. The Wolfpack struggled through a 14-for-57 showing from the floor (25 percent) while making 14 of 28 free throws. Thief River Falls had a 40-33 rebound advantage. Kittson Central topped the turnover charts 22-21.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Thief River Falls	20	13	26	16	75
Kittson Central	10	11	8	15	44

TRF · Ryan Swenson 8, Tom Koehmstedt 2, Steffen Ronchetti 3, Jon Blomker 2, Karl Anderson 4, Paul Kopari 3, Jared Brandt 23, Courtney Skjerven 15, Robbie Farbo 15. KC · Josh Geere 1, Brian Olson 2, Casey Langen 8, Scott Erickson 4, Ryan Schwenzfeier 13, Brett Niles 3, Ben Diamond 4, Andy Kirkeby 9.

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Wednesday, Dec. 20
■ Basketball - NCTC men vs. UND-Lake Region, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 21
■ Swimming - TRF boys vs. Crookston, 5 p.m.
■ Basketball - TRF boys at Bemidji, 6:45/7:30 p.m.; TRF girls at NCTC/KTRF Invitational.
■ Wrestling - TRF at Larimore.

Friday, Dec. 22
■ Hockey - TRF vs. Bemidji, 5:30/7:30 p.m.

Sportsmen's Club to cancel Dec. meeting

Pennington County Sportsmen's Club meeting scheduled Dec. 21 has been cancelled. Next meeting will be Jan. 18.

TRF boys basketball JV wins 68-66 game

Thief River Falls got by Kittson Central 68-66 Saturday in boys junior varsity high school basketball.

Kyle Waterworth scored 13 points, Justin Walseth 11 and Jon Lee 10 for the winners, who improved to 2-1.

Aaron Ehrenstrom of the Prowlers looked for the puck after a save by Raiders goalie Adam Hauser in Friday's Thief River Falls vs. Greenway high school hockey game at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center. The visitors from Coleraine pulled out a last-minute 3-2 win.

Late goal beats Prowlers 3-2

Brian Schuster scored during a 4-on-3 power play with just 44 seconds left Friday to give Greenway a 3-2 high school hockey win over Thief River Falls at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

It was a disappointing finish for the Prowlers, who had their top two skaters – co-captains Keith Anderson and Nick Chlodo sitting in the penalty box at game's end. Chlodo went off for a high stick at 13:01 and Anderson was whistled for hooking at 13:36.

The Raiders from Coleraine, who lost D.J. Hill to an interference call at 13:32, worked the puck around the Thief River Falls zone before Schuster caught goalie Chanc Keefe leaning and rapped home the game-winner at 14:16.

It was the second goal of the night for the sophomore forward, who had tied it 2-2 on another pass-it-around-until-somebody-gets-open power play opportunity at the 10-minute mark of the second period.

Thief River Falls watched a pair of one-goal first leads disappear as Chad Hanson scored on a tip-in at 2:25 and Anderson did a neat bit of stickhandling to score on a power play at 14:07.

Greenway tied it for the first time on a ricochet out front to Blade Metzer, who spun around and whipped the puck into an open net at 8:58.

The Prowlers saw a bundle of near-misses slip away while outshooting the Raiders 12-5 in the second period, but produced little offense in the third period.

Scoring

First period - TRF, Chad Hanson (Wade Chlodo-Kyle Anderson), 2:25; Greenway, Blade Metzer (D.J. Hill-Jim Morani), 8:58; TRF, Keith Anderson (Nick Chlodo-Andy Furuseth), 14:07.

Second period - Greenway, Brian Schuster (Metzer-Joe Jorgenson), 10:00.

Third period - Greenway, Schuster (Perry Smiley-Jorgenson), 14:16.

Goalie Saves

TRF - Chanc Keefe 6-4-5-17; Greenway - Adam Hauser 9-12-4-24.

Change made in pool schedule

Starting Dec. 22, the Franklin Middle School pool will no longer be open for its 6-7 a.m. lap swimming.

"This time has not been cost-effective for the pool," explained pool director Kathy Huschle.

Beginning Jan. 2, the pool will offer lap swimming from 6 to 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Fridays. Cost will remain at $1.25. Passes can be purchased from the lifeguard at the pool.

"Swimming is an excellent, complete-body work-out, and we hope to increase interest in this form of exercise by offering lap swimming at these hours," said Huschle. "The pool temperature has been raised. Come and enjoy the pool during the holidays."

During the school holiday vacation schedule, the pool hours will be extended. Regular winter hours will resume Jan. 3. For additional information call Huschle at 681-8605.

Holiday Pool Hours

Friday, Dec. 22 - 1-5 p.m. and 7-9 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 23 - 1-5 p.m.; Sunday, Dec. 24 - closed; Monday, Dec. 25 - closed; Tuesday, Dec. 26 - 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, Dec. 27 - 1-5 p.m. and 7-9 p.m.; Thursday, Dec. 28 - 1-5 p.m.; Friday, Dec. 29 - 1-5 p.m. and 7-9 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 30 - 1-5 p.m.; Sunday, Dec. 31 - 1-5 p.m.; Monday, Jan. 1 - closed; Tuesday, Jan. 2 - 1-5 p.m. and 6-7 p.m. (lap swimming).

Girls tournament is underway in TRF

Red Lake County Central, Thief River Falls, Tri-County, and Marshall County Central were opening round quarterfinal winners Monday in the first Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational girls high school basketball tournament.

Quarterfinals and semifinal games were played at both Northland and Lincoln High School. Thursday finals are scheduled for Northland.

NCTC/KTRF Invitational

■ Quarterfinals Monday Dec. 18 · Red Lake County Central 56 Stephen 45; Thief River Falls 55 Kittson County North 28; Tri-County 56 Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 47; Marshall County Central 50 Argyle 26

■ Semifinals Tuesday Dec. 19 · [illegible] Red Lake County Central vs. Thief River Falls 6:30 p.m.; Tri-County vs. Marshall County Central 8 p.m.; consolation round (LHS) Stephen vs. Kittson County North 6:30 p.m.; Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke vs. Argyle 8 p.m.

■ Finals Thursday Dec. 21 (NCTC) seventh place 2:30 p.m.; consolation 4:15 p.m.; third place 6 p.m.; championship 7:30 p.m.

Red Lake Co. Central ...56
Stephen ...45

Angie Chervestad scored 26 points and Meckenzie Malwitz had 18 to lead Red Lake County Central past Stephen 56-45 in the quarterfinal doubleheader opener at Lincoln.

The Mustangs started with a 10-4 first quarter lead, fell behind 23-21 at halftime and trailed 34-30 through three quarters before a switch to a full court press sparked a game-winning fourth quarter surge.

"That (press) was our best offense," noted Red Lake County Central coach Rick Koivisto. "We started strong. Stephen played a good second quarter, and we came back and had a good fourth quarter."

The Tigers' Sarah Grabowska scored 17 of her game-high 25 points in the first half.

Red Lake County Central was 20-for-48 from the field (42 percent) and 13-for-22 at the free throw line. Stephen went 16-for-49 from the floor (33 percent) and 7-for-21 at the line. The Mustangs outrebounded the Tigers 22-16, but also had more turnovers, 26-15.

The Mustangs are 3-2.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
RLCC	10	11	9	26	56
Stephen	4	19	11	11	45

RLCC - Ami Tvedt 3, Jenny Brekkestran 4, Katie O'Neill 1, Catherine Roslan 2, Angie Chervestad 26, Meckenzie Malwitz 18. Stephen - Sarah Grabowska 25, Angie Jensen 2, Andi Noel 6, Sarah Kuznia 8, Trisha Chwialkowski 4.

Thief River Falls ...55
Kittson Co. North ...28

In a match-up of winless teams, Thief River Falls triumphed 55-28 over Kittson County North in the Lincoln doubleheader nightcap.

The Prowlers made quick work of it, leading 18-5 at the end of the first quarter. They were ahead 29-12 at halftime and up 40-18 through three quarters.

Kim Stenseth scored 21 points to lead the Prowlers. Naomi Nordin had 17 for the Cougars.

The Prowlers are 1-5.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Kittson Co North	5	7	6	10	28
Thief River Falls	18	11	11	15	55

KCN - Nancy Lupien 3, Sarah Peterson 2, Holo Nordin 6, Naomi Nordin 17. TRF - Lisa Swanson 8, Kim Hook 3, Cami Sorenson 4, Kim Stenseth 21, Becky Mooney 1, Nicole Kopari 8, Erica Owen 8, Alicia Bakken 3, Stephanie Leach 1.

Tri-County ...56
Goodridge/G-G ...47

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke watched an early lead slip away in a 56-47 loss to Tri-County to start the Monday doubleheader at Northland.

The Wolverines opened with a 17-9 first quarter lead and stayed within 24-21 at halftime, but fell behind 45-29 in the third quarter.

"We started strong – we were looking good," noted Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke coach Mike Gast. "They (Wildcats) switched to a zone and we couldn't hit a thing. The second and third quarters killed us."

Melinda Britten and Anna Bogestad led the winners with 17 and 16 points, respectively. Jill Schuler scored 10 points to lead the Wolverines, who were hurt when floor leader Jenny Nelson ran into foul trouble.

The 1-4 Wolverines were 20-for-59 from the field (34 percent) and 6-for-16 at the free throw line. The Wildcats went 23-for-49 from the floor (47 percent) and made only 9 of 24 free throws. The Wolverines' Desiree Kotrba pulled down 15 rebounds, but Tri-County finished with a 36-34 edge on the boards.

Scoring

[illegible]

Marshall Co. Central ...50
Argyle ...26

Marshall County Central jumped out to a 17-4 first quarter lead and never looked back in a 50-26 victory over Argyle to complete the first-night doubleheader at Northland.

The Nordics were up 32-12 at halftime and had a 45-20 third quarter cushion.

"We started off real strong," confirmed Marshall County Central coach Tom Mjelde. "We're real pleased with the efforts."

Tricia Pederson scored 20 points and Darlene Nelson added 13 for the Nordics, who were 23-for-50 from the field (46 percent) and 3-for-6 at the free throw line. The Eagles were just 11-for-38 from the floor (29 percent) and 4-for-9 at the line. Marshall County Central fin-

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Goodridge shooter Chris Grabowska went above Warroad's Brandon Landon for this shot in Saturday's third place game of the Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational boys high school basketball tournament. Grabowska scored 16 points in the Huskies' 51-42 win.

Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Dec. 20 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS, 8:45-10:45 a.m. 5th grade, 11 a.m. - 12:00 public skating, 12:30-2 p.m. fourth grade, 3:30-6:15 p.m. high school, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Squirts Group 2, 7:45-8:45 p.m. girls hockey; 9-11 p.m. Dance.

Thursday, Dec. 21 - 6-7:30 a.m. OPFS, 9-11 a.m. second grade; 11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. public skating; 12:45-1:45 p.m. second grade, 2-3 p.m. public skating, 3:30-5 p.m. high school; 5:15-5:45 p.m. Junior Advanced; 5:30-6 p.m. S1, S2; 6-6:30 p.m. S3, Jr Advanced; 6:30-7 p.m. B2, B3, Junior Advanced; 7-7:30 p.m. B4, B5, B6, 7:45-9 p.m. high school; 9:15-10:15 p.m. Old-Timers.

Friday, Dec. 22 - 6-8 a.m. OPFS, 8:15-9:45 a.m. public skating; 10-11:30 a.m. Bantam A, 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. public skating, 1-2:30 p.m. OPFS, 2:45-4 p.m. Squirts Group 1; 5:30 p.m. Prowler JV vs. Bemidji, 7:30 p.m. Prowlers vs. Bemidji.

Saturday, Dec. 23 - 8 a.m. Squirt Red vs. Squirt Gold, 9:15 a.m. Squirt Red vs. Squirt Blue, 10:30 a.m. Squirt Green vs. Squirt Maroon, 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. OPFS, 1:45 p.m. Bantam A vs. Warroad; 3:30 p.m. Bantam B vs. Warroad, 5:15 p.m. Pee-Wee B vs. Warroad, 7-8:30 p.m. public skating, 8:45-9:45 p.m. rental, 10-11 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Dec. 24 - 8-10 a.m. public skating, 10:15-11:15 a.m. open hockey Squirts, 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. open hockey 8-under; 12:45-1:45 p.m. public skating, 2-3 p.m. open hockey Pee-Wees and Bantams.

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Pioneers, Royals have Wednesday rematch at NCTC

A rematch will take place tonight (Wednesday) when Northland Community and Technical College hosts UND-Lake Region in a 7:30 p.m. men's basketball game in Thief River Falls.

The Royals edged the Pioneers 86-80 in overtime at Devils Lake last Thursday.

Northland is 2-4. The Pioneers will follow the UND-Lake Region game with a holiday break, resuming play Jan. 5 with a Minnesota Community College Conference-opening game at Mesabi.

Scoring

	1	2	ot	T
Northland	40	31	9	80
UND-Lake Region	38	33	15	86

Northland - Jake Rantanen 6, Matt Gustafson 2, Kenta McGaughy 8, Preston Treat 10, Hassan Jihad 9, Joey Wiebels 14, Don Beverly 20, Keith Parris 7, John Brown 4.

UND-Lake Region - Hinte 6, Williams 2, Suttles 15, Schwab 6, Linstead 15, Siegler 15, Severe 5, Lalum 3, Flesser 16, Johnson 4.

Greenway shuts out Thief River Falls JV

Greenway shut out Thief River Falls 6-0 Friday in junior varsity high school hockey.

The winners led 1-0 and 2-0 at the first two intermissions.

Shots were 23-22, Thief River Falls, whose goaltending was shared by Shane Duffy and Josh Holmes.

Aaron Chaput of Red Lake County Central put up a shot against Goodridge defenders Chris Grabowska (4) and John Gallagher (42) during Friday's semifinal meeting in the Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational boys high school basketball tournament. Chaput scored a game-high 27 points in the Mustangs' 53-40 win.

TRF skates to a 7-6 win vs. Hibbing

Keith Anderson scored three goals and picked up two assists Saturday afternoon in a 7-6 Thief River Falls high school hockey win over Hibbing.

Nick Chiodo scored twice and had two assists for the Prowlers, who bounced back from a disappointing Friday night performance in a 3-2 loss to Greenway with the spirited matinee outing at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

"We did a lot of things well," said Thief River Falls coach Pat Cullen. "We played with a lot of enthusiasm and fire. We had none of that on Friday."

Wade Chiodo and Steve Rambeck also scored for the Prowlers. Paul Gonsorowski collected three assists and Rambeck had two in the high-scoring contest that featured a 3-1 Thief River Falls first period lead and a 4-3 Hibbing second period advantage.

Scoring continued until Rambeck's game-winner found the net at 14:23 of the third period.

"The kids worked hard and found a way to win," offered Cullen. "They deserved to win the game."

Thief River Falls is 2-3 for the year.

Scoring

First period - TRF, Keith Anderson (Aaron Ehrenstrom-Steve Rambeck), 2:15; TRF, Wade Chiodo (Paul Gonsorowski-Steve Rambeck (7:02); Hibbing, Mike Perpich (un.), 8:08; TRF, Nick Chiodo (Anderson), 12:41.

Second period - Hibbing, Perpich (Joe Locher), 1:25; Hibbing, Greg Timmerman (un.), 1:43; Hibbing, Bill Robeck (Tom Forti-Chad Kolar), 2:16.

Third period - TRF, Anderson (Nick Chiodo), :39; Hibbing, Bill Techar (Robert Nelson-Perpich), 1:13; TRF, Anderson (Nick Chiodo), 5:43; TRF, Nick Chiodo (Anderson-Gonsorowski), 11:46; Hibbing, Forti (un.), 13:56; TRF, Rambeck (Gonsorowski-Wade Chiodo), 14:23.

Goalie Saves

TRF - Shane Duffy 5-7-9-20; Hibbing - Bob Bussey 12-7-16-35.

NCTC/KTRF Invitational boys basketball semifinals...

RLCC, Grygla-Gatzke advance

Red Lake County Central took its appointed spot in the finals of the annual Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational boys high school basketball tournament Friday with a 53-40 semifinal win over Goodridge, and was joined in the Saturday title game by Grygla-Gatzke, a 60-47 winner over Warroad.

The Mustangs have been a championship game qualifier each year in the 5-year-old tournament – finishing second to Goodridge in 1991, then winning it in 1992, 1993 and 1994.

East Grand Forks Sacred Heart got by Lake of the Woods 65-60 and Red Lake Falls edged Kittson County North 46-44 in the Friday consolation semifinals.

Red Lake Co. Central 53
Goodridge 40

Red Lake County Central turned a two-point halftime game into a 13-point win over Goodridge, 53-40.

The Mustangs got a bucket from Aaron Chaput with 1.3 seconds left to lead 16-15 at the end of the first quarter. Chris Grabowska scored with 3.5 second left to keep the Huskies within 25-23 at halftime, but Red Lake County Central had a 40-31 advantage to start the final period.

Chaput, a 6-2 senior, led all scorers with 27 points. Freshman Mark Lorenson added 18 to the Mustangs' total. Grabowska, a 6-1 junior, scored 20 points to lead Goodridge.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
RLCC	16	9	15	13	53
Goodridge	15	8	8	9	40

RLCC - Mark Lorenson 18, Shawn Hince 3, Paul Peterson 3, Aaron Chaput 27, Dustin Paquin 2.

Goodridge - Ben Henson 2, Chris Grabowska 20, Jered Eidelbes 2, Benji Marquis 3, Trevor Klesow 6, John Gallagher 7.

Grygla-Gatzke 60
Warroad 47

Balanced scoring carried Grygla-Gatzke to a 60-47 win over Warroad.

Aaron Holthusen and Shaun Verbout both netted 13 points, Jim Engelstad 12 and Jamie Lunsetter 9 for the winners, who trailed 18-17 at the end of the first quarter, but led 32-24 at halftime and maintained a 44-35 third quarter spread.

Tim Daniels scored 16 points to lead Warroad, while Andrew Tull had 11 and Jon Doebler 10.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Warroad	18	6	11	12	47
Grygla-Gatzke	17	15	12	16	60

Warroad - Pat Frolander 4, Charlie Peterson 4, Jon Doebler 10, Chris Heppner 2, Nic Thompson 2, Brandon Landin 2, Andrew Tull 11, Tim Daniels 16.

G-G - Jim Engelstad 12, Aaron Holthusen 13, Anthony Holthusen 5, Derek Ruud 3, Shaun Verbout 13, Jamie Lunsetter 9, Scott Hoganson 5.

EGF Sacred Heart 65
Lake of the Woods 60

East Grand Forks Sacred Heart was a 65-60 winner over Lake of the Woods to start Friday's action.

The Eagles led at the quarter stops 17-16, 41-30 and 50-44.

Dale Zavoral led the winners with 17 points, while Ben Senger had 16 and Adam Rockstad 12. Matt Speiker of the Bears led all scorers with 20 points, and Rian Berg added 14.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Lake of the Woods	16	14	14	16	60
EGF Sacred Heart	17	24	0	15	65

LOW - Greg Huinagle 2, Grin Thorsness 2, Rian Berg 14, Cornelius Matthias 8, Clay Gubbels 6, Marty Humeniuk 2, Matt Speiker 20, Ed Humeniuk 6.

EGFSH - Ben Horken 7, Bryan Sima 2, Shane Cox 4, Erick Neil 7, Adam Rockstad 12, Ben Senger 16, Dale Zavoral 17.

Red Lake Falls 46
Kittson Co. North 44

Red Lake Falls pulled out a final-quarter 46-44 win over Kittson County North to reach the consolation final.

The Eagles led 5-4 at the end of a low-scoring first quarter, trailed 24-20 at halftime and fell behind 38-33 in the third quarter.

Josiah Hoefer of Red Lake Falls led all scorers with 22 points. Kevin Grabowska scored 18 points and Josh Whitlock had 16 for the Cougars.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Red Lake Falls	5	15	13	13	46
Kittson Co North	4	20	14	6	44

RLF - Jeff Martell 3, Josiah Hoefer 22, Justin Knott 6, Jordon Hoefer 7, Steve Ulrich 4, Jesse Adelman 4.

KCN - Kevin Grabowsko 16, Kris Hokenson 2, Del Peterson 2, David Hemmes 2, Josh Whitlock 18, Jeremy Hastrup 4.

Area Sports

Red Lake County Central

■ Thursday, Dec. 21 - girls basketball at NCTC/KTRF Invitational.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River

■ Thursday, Dec. 21 - boys basketball vs. Stephen (at Greenbush); wrestling at New Richland quadrangular.

Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Dec. 21 - boys basketball vs. Warroad.

Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke

■ Thursday, Dec. 21 - girls basketball at NCTC/KTRF Invitational.

Marshall County Central

■ Thursday, Dec. 21 - girls basketball at NCTC/KTRF Invitational.

TRF Youth Hockey

Girls tournament

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College women's basketball...

Pioneers win, lose at Mesabi tourney

A split at the Mesabi Classic finished a 4-4 nonconference schedule for the Northland Community and Technical College women's basketball team.

The Pioneers handled Hibbing 67-45 Friday, then lost to host Mesabi 58-54 Saturday in the four-team, pre-determined tournament format. Northland added the trip to its schedule when the Dec. 8-9 winter storm forced the cancelation of home games against Willmar and Worthington.

It was the end to a busy four-game stretch in six days for the Pioneers, who will be idle until the Jan. 5 start of their Minnesota Community College Conference schedule – at Mesabi.

"We were real sluggish in both games," acknowledged Northland coach Rick Nikunen, "but I think a lot of that can be attributed to our schedule. We were glad to get the games, but the schedule was tough on the girls."

Northland 67
Hibbing 45

It took a few minutes to get going, but when Northland applied its full-court pressure midway through the first half, Hibbing crumbled in the Pioneers' 67-45 first round win.

Northland doubled Hibbing 32-16 in the first half to put the game out of reach.

Jenny Smith scored 15 points, LaVonne Nelson 13, Erika Spilde 12, and Tara Sugden 11 for the winners, who were 21-for-64 from the field (33 percent) and a productive 20-for-25 at the free throw line.

Kim Olson and Dawn Slosson both scored 10 points to lead the Cardinals, who went 19-for-59 from the floor (32 percent) and 6-for-11 at the line.

Angel Mickelson grabbed 10 rebounds to lead Northland to a 44-34 edge on the boards. Hibbing had more turnovers, 25-20.

Mesabi Classic

● First round - Northland 67, Hibbing 45, Mesabi 80, Itasca 44

● Second round - Hibbing 57, Itasca 42, Mesabi 58, Northland 54

Scoring

	1	2	T
Hibbing	16	29	45
Northland	32	35	67

Hibbing - Amy Homstad 8, Andrea Keller 2, Kim Aitunson 6, Kim Olson 10, Renee Braid 3, Dawn Slosson 10, Tricia Adamski 6.

Northland - Erika Spilde 12, Gina Salverson 5, Jenny Smith 15, Angel Mickelson 2, LaVonne Nelson 13, Carrie Olsen, Marcy Olsen 2, Tara Sugden 11, Stacy Stanwick 4.

Mesabi 58
Northland 54

Both sides took turns controlling play, with Mesabi taking over down the stretch in a 58-54 win over Northland.

The Pioneers overcame a 10-point deficit to pull within 32-30 at halftime, and opened up a 10-point lead of their own in the second half before going 6 1/2 minutes without a field goal.

Angel Mickelson had a 14-point, 11-rebound game for the Pioneers. Erika Spilde scored 10 points and Gina Salverson pulled down 10 rebounds.

Northland had a 34 percent 18-for-53 shooting game and a 15-for-24 showing at the free throw line. Mesabi turned in 34 percent 24-for-68 shooting, along with a 10-for-17 free throw night. The Pioneers had a 44-41 rebound edge, but also wound up with more turnovers, 24-19.

Scoring

	1	2	T
Northland	30	24	54
Mesabi	32	26	58

Northland - Erika Spilde 10, Ali Heitala 3, Gina Salverson 6, Jenny Smith 6, Angel Mickelson 14, LaVonne Nelson 3, Tara Sugden 6, Carrie Olsen 2, Stacy Stanwick 2.

Mesabi - Linda Scofield 6, Jenna Gigliotti 1, Leslie Cook 7, Heather Pavlich 6, Kristi Mugge 2, Taryn Zubich 15, Angela Schoenrock 6, Tracy Marinaro 13.

Outdoor News

Minnesota's black bear harvest during the 1995 hunting season was 4,900, the highest ever recorded in the state, according to the Department of Natural Resources. The previous record harvest was 3,175 in 1992.

Despite the high harvest, the DNR indicated that bear populations still remain above goal levels in most areas.

The high harvest was attributed to a very high bear population in the state because of lower than expected harvests the past two years and nearly ideal hunting conditions for taking bears, according to Dave Schad, DNR Forest Wildlife Program leader.

"We increased permits by more than 27 percent this year with the intent to increase harvest because the take in 1993 and 1994 was below objectives," Schad explained. "The high harvest resulted from the large carry-over of bears and the very poor natural food conditions for bears this summer and fall, which made bears more active and susceptible to bait.

"Bear harvest outside the primary forested part of the state were much highest than we have ever seen before," Schad noted. "This was probably due to the poor food conditions in the forest, and large movements of bears from heavily forested areas to more agricultural areas in search of food.

"Bear nuisance and damage problems were widespread and severe this summer and fall," Schad said. "Much of the harvest by hunters in these areas was concentrated near agricultural fields and other areas where bears were causing damage."

Despite the record harvest, bear populations in most of the state will likely remain above goal levels in 1996, Schad said. DNR managers will evaluate and use information from this year's harvest as permit quotas are set for the 1996 season.

For the 1995 season, a total of 11,950 bear hunting permits were issued in 11 quota areas in the primary bear range. An unlimited number of licenses were made available for hunters in areas outside of the 11 quota areas.

Applications for the 1996 season will be available about March 15. Application deadline will be May 3, 1996.

City League Volleyball

City Hockey

Arena Schedule

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B/G-MR girls wind up second

■ **Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational results**

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River girls wound up with a runner-up trophy in the three-day, eight-team Warren-Alvarado-Oslo Invitational high school basketball tournament.

The Gators beat East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 58-38 in the Thursday quarterfinals, got by East Grand Forks 51-50 in the Friday semifinals and lost to Kittson Central 45-34 in the Saturday title game.

Results sent Badger/Greenbush-Middle River into the holiday break with a 4-2 record.

B/G-Middle River 51
East Grand Forks 50

Stefanie Spathy tied it on a 3-pointer in the final minute, and Krissi Super won it by hitting an 8-foot bank shot with 14 seconds left as Badger/Greenbush-Middle River edged East Grand Forks 51-50 in the semifinals.

The close, well-played contest found East Grand Forks in front 12-10 and 23-22 at the first two quarter stops before Badger/Greenbush-Middle River went ahead 36-35 in the third quarter.

Super finished with 22 points, Sparby 11 and Nikki Wahl 10 for the Gators. Shari Rolandson led the Green Wave with 12 points.

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River was 23-for-57 from the field (41 percent) and 5-for-7 at the free throw line, where East Grand Forks went 14-for-19.

Tournament Results

■ Quarterfinals - Kittson Central 55, Crookston 43; Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 47, Fosston 41; East Grand Forks 55, Climax-Fisher 36; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 58, East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 38.

■ Semifinals - Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 51, East Grand Forks 50; Kittson Central 41, Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 30.

■ Championship - Kittson Central 45, Badger/Greenbush-Middle River 34.

■ Third place - Warren-Alvarado-Oslo 45, East Grand Forks 31.

■ Consolation semifinals - Crookston 73, Fosston 49; East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 65, Climax-Fisher 57.

■ Consolation final - Crookston 63, East Grand Forks Sacred Heart 47.

■ Seventh place - Fosston 55, Climax-Fisher 45.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
East Grand Forks	12	11	12	15	50
B/G-Middle River	10	12	14	15	51

EGF - Shana Mrzel 7, Shari Rolandson 12, Jill Hageman 6, Nicole Benson 7, Kate Rasch 10, Carrie Berg 2.

B/G MR - Krissi Super 22, Nikki Wahl 10, Tiffany Hagen 4, Amber Berg 2, Stefanie Sparby 11, Jill Wilhelmi 2.

Kittson Central 45
B/G-Middle River 34

Kittson Central pulled away in the fourth quarter Saturday in a 45-34 championship game win over Badger/Greenbush-Middle River.

The Wolfpack went up 17-9 in the first quarter, but couldn't shake the Gators until the end, settling for a 21-18 halftime edge and a 33-30 third quarter lead.

"We didn't execute very well down the stretch," pointed out Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Tom Neihauer. "They (Wolfpack) played good defense, and really beat us bad on the boards in the first and fourth quarters."

Lone Badger/Greenbush-Middle River scorer in double figures was Krissi Super with 22 points. Kittson Central was led by Sarah Erickson with 20 points.

The Gators struggled through a 30 percent 14-for-46 night from the field while making 5 of 6 free throws. The Wolfpack went 9-for-15 at the line.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Kittson Central	17	4	12	12	45
B/G Middle River	9	9	12	5	34

KC - Janna Lindgard 4, Kristen Melin 2, Nicole Albrecht 16, Stephanie Losch 2, Sarah Erickson 20, Jenny Iverson 11.

B/G MR - Krissi Super 22, Robin Klein 4, Amber Berg 2, Kara Super 2, Stefanie Sparby 2, Jill Wilhelmi 2.

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Fewer accidents reported to law enforcement last week

Fewer accidents were reported to law enforcement officials during the past week.

Accidents. On December 12 at 2:35 p.m. at the corner of Third and Davis, Kevin William Helm, Newfolden, was driving a car west on Third Street. Bill Michael Styles, Thief River Falls, was driving a car also on Third Street. An unknown vehicle between the vehicles started sliding. Styles stepped on the brakes which locked up and caused him to strike the Helm vehicle in the rear. The Helm vehicle struck a pickup which had no damage and left the scene. Styles received a possible [illegible] injury. Helm said his neck hurt. Neither required hospital care. Styles was cited for no insurance. Police approximated damage at $1,500 to the Helm vehicle and $200 to the Styles vehicle.

On December 13 at 7:05 p.m. police received a report of an accident at Pennington and Nora. Ronald Parker Northup, Thief River Falls, was driving a car west on Nora. Oliver Clayton Swanson, Thief River Falls, was driving a pickup south on Pennington Avenue. Northup was unable to stop on the ice covered roadway and collided with the Swanson vehicle. Swanson slid into a sign post. Damages were approximated at $250 to the Northup vehicle and $1,500 to the Swanson vehicle.

Thefts. On December 13 at 1:05 a.m. Deborah Souto, Thief River Falls, reported that her car had been stolen from in front of the St. Hilaire liquor store where she had left it running. It was located one block east in a snow bank. The incident is still under investigation.

Pennington county sheriff's department has cited the following for issuance of worthless checks: James Allan Hayes, 19, Karlstad, $105; Thomas Scott Taylor, 40, East Grand Forks, $225; Patricia Ann Ranta, 54, Roseau, $50; Melissa Barbara Arveson, 22, Thief River Falls, $42.06; Terence Patrick Farley, 43, Fargo, ND, $55; Dwayne Allred Dockin, 57, West Fargo, ND, $175, and Linda Ruth Levenhagen, 36, Bloomington, $185.80.

Peggy Ann Gasoff, 19, Thief River Falls, is being charged with one count of gross misdemeanor theft in connection with an incident September of 1995, in which she allegedly used another persons credit card to make purchases.

Bonita Luann Aasby, 39, Thief River Falls, was charged with altering and modifying pull tab tickets, which is a felony in connection with an incident on October 24, in which she allegedly modified a ticket by taping two tickets together and presenting them as a winner at a local bar.

Injury. On December 13 at 1:24 a.m. police received a report of a disturbance in the 600 block of North State. A man was taken to the hospital with a cut to his hand which took 10 stitches to close. Delray Gene Norlund, Thief River Falls, 41, was arrested. The information was sent to the county attorney's office for determination of charges to be filed in this incident.

Arrest. On December 14, Dave Brian Heden, formerly of Thief River Falls, was arrested on a felony warrant for criminal damage in the first degree. The charge stems from an incident back in April in which it is alleged that Heden damaged a cable line owned by Sjoberg's Cable TV.

Vandalism. On December 17 at 10:30 p.m. police received a report that a vehicle parked in the 1000 block of Longren Avenue had its windows smashed out. Damage amount is unknown at this time. The incident is still under investigation.

Driving while intoxicated. On December 17 at 1:27 a.m. sheriff's department arrested Bud Cameron, 51, Thief River Falls, for driving while intoxicated.

Sexual conduct. Wayne Kerry Loken, 45, International Falls, was charged with two counts of criminal sexual conduct in the second degree, and one count of attempted criminal sexual conduct in the second degree. Charges against Loken stem from from an incident on September 24, 1994 in the township of Goodridge, in which he allegedly had sexual conduct with two minor victims. He was arrested in July. He made bond of $25,000.

Christmas for Pennington County received additional funds for its children's gift giving effort recently from the Thief River Falls Elks lodge and club. Club manager Steve Stone (left) gave a check for $146 from two weeks of its sandwich sales campaign to Wendy Mattson and Dan Bylander, exalted ruler of the lodge, added $100 from the lodge in a check given to Malinda Traitline. The club has two more weeks to go in its sandwich promotion and expects to add more funds at the end of that time.

Variety of citations listed in Pennington Co. court bulletin

Citations for disorderly conduct, assault, and traffic violations were among the citations listed in the Pennington County Citation Disposition Bulletin for last week.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Jeannine Terese Ditterick, Thief River Falls, 22, disorderly conduct, $147.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year, placed on unsupervised probation for one year; Michael Allen Gunnarson, Thief River Falls, 22, fifth degree assault, and damage to property, $188.80 restitution, 90 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Jeremy Paul Kees, Thief River Falls, 20, no current registration, $41.50; David Bradley Schmidt, Red Lake Falls, 37, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years;

Maynard Willis Peters, Thief River Falls, 55, failure to yield, $122.50; Shirley Ann Sininger, Thief River Falls, 52, fifth degree assault, fine stayed, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Douglas Paul Stack, St. Hilaire, 29, driving while intoxicated, $727.50, 90 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Diane Kay Tiani, Newfolden, 33, overtime parking violation, $22.50;

Kathryn Marie Baum, Thief River Falls, 32, driving after revocation, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Vickie Lynne Berntson, Thief River Falls, 38, fifth degree assault, $27.50; Steven Jerome Gillespie, Thief River Falls, 26, assault in the fifth degree, $27.50, fine stayed, 91 days in jail with all but 10 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; James John Jaros, Thief River Falls, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Matthew Thomas Lawrence, Thief River Falls, 17, inattentive driving, $57.50;

Jeremy Wayne Abrahamson, Thief River Falls, 17, 65/55, $64.50; Jill Ann Lofstrand, Lengby, 18, 44/30, $76; Michael Roy Nelson, Thief River Falls, 25, disorderly conduct, $137.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Kim Richard Netland, Bagley, 18, consumption under age, $87.50; Mitchell Arnold Proulx, Red Lake Falls, 20, consumption/driver 1st, $87.50; Ryan Michael Rude, Thief River Falls, 18, 47/30, $99; Erica Hilda Bakken, Fosston, 17, 40/30, no current registration, $106.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Craig Lee Hjelmen, Grand Forks, ND, 42, 69/55, $76; Kathryn Marie Baum, Thief River Falls, 32, obstructing legal process, $27.50, fine stayed, 90 days in jail with all but 45 days stayed for one year; Kenneth Pius Martin, Thief River Falls, 40, malicious punishment, $27.50, six months in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Bonnie Baker Mullen, Thief River Falls, 18, receiving stolen property/possession, $27.50, 91 days in jail with all but five days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years, perform 240 hours of community service work; James Michael Moe, Grand Forks, ND, 18, 65/55, $64.50; Dennis Lavern Seaverson, Thief River Falls, 35, issuance of dishonored checks, $22.50, $120 restitution; Paula Marie Zutz, St. Hilaire, 18, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year.

Minnesota state patrol cases: Christopher Ray Aune, Gatzke, 23, 65/55, $64.50; Shirley Rae Dahlen, Goodridge, 53, expired registration, $41.50; Jared John Sunsdahl, Goodridge, 16, seat belt, $47.25; Jason Allan Engen, Thief River Falls, 26, seat belt violation, $47.25; Terry Lee Nygaard, Thief River Falls, 34, 68/55, $76; Elliot Ryan Baker, St. Hilaire, 28, seat belt, $47.25; Curt Allen Eckstein, Red Lake Falls, 17, seat belt, $47.25; Tracy Lee Ericksen, Minneapolis, 34, 65/55, $64.50; Danny Dwayne Russell, Grand Forks, ND, 36, 65/55, $64.50; Jamie Lee Lokert, Roseau, 24, seat belt, $47.25; Dean Hayden Meyer, Waconia, 25, inattentive driving, $122.50; Gregory Richard Radniecki, Thief River Falls, 45, no seat belt, $47.25.

Local woman arrested on drug charge

Deborah Ann Souto, 27, Thief River Falls, has been arrested on felony possession of a controlled substance. Souto was arrested following investigation by the Pennington County Sheriff's department working in conjunction with the Paul Bunyan Task Force of the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension.

The specific charge of controlled substance in the fifth degree stems from an incident in September of 1994. In September of 1994, several drug-related search warrants were executed in the City of Thief River Falls. Several individuals were later charged with federal drug violations and sentenced to prison.

Tuesday, Souto appeared in a Pennington County Ninth District court and was released on her own personal recognizance. Her next court appearance was scheduled for December 18.

Pennington County Sheriff Gerald Moe said more arrests are expected following this investigation.

More traffic this Christmas

Santa and his reindeer will find the highways and skyways busy this Christmas — New Year's holiday as a record 37.6 million Americans — 3 per cent more than 1994 — plan to travel, according to AAA Minnesota.

AAA estimates 29.8 million will travel by automobile, light truck or recreational vehicle, up 3 per cent from 1994. Travel by air, train or bus is expected to increase 4 per cent to 7.8 million. An estimated 5 million will travel in the Midwest, which is the same as last year.

"Consumers received an early Christmas present this fall when carriers reduced air fares for the fourth quarter and into 1996," said Ronald Siegmund, vice president of Member Services, AAA Minnesota.

The greatest number of auto travelers will originate in the West, with 7.9 million people on the roads, and in the Southeast with 7.6 million. Other regional projects are: Great Lakes, 5.5 million auto travelers; Midwest, 5 million; and Northeast, 3.8 million.

AAA's holiday travel projections are based on a national travel survey of 1,500 adults conducted by the U.S. Travel Data Center, which does special research for AAA.

Teenage boy in Warren dies from gunshot

Nathan Lee Erickson, 15, Warren, died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound on Friday, December 15.

Marshall County Sheriff's department received a 911 call at about 6 p.m. Friday, when Erickson's sister discovered that he had been shot. Marshall County sheriff's department stated that they have determined that he died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Erickson was the son of Delbert Erickson and Junelle Belto of Warren. He attended Warren High school where he was a sophomore.

An obituary appears in this edition of The Times.

Area extension educators provide review of winter

Several county extension educators with the University of Minnesota provided summary reports in the December issue of *Minnesota Ag News*, the monthly crop-weather report of the Minnesota Agricultural Statistic Service.

"There is good snow cover on most fields," the Mahnomen county extension educator reported. "Hay supplies are good. Many beef producers are feeding alternative feedstuffs—potato waste, barley screenings and beet pulp. A few acres of corn are still standing. Besides plowing, not much fall fieldwork got done. One third to one half of secondary tillage and anhydrous application was completed."

In Norman county, the extension educator reported that "Very cold weather has livestock producers concerned about feedstuffs. In bitter cold weather cattle need more energy feeds to stay warm. Most of the crops are harvested. Fall field work was not complete or was fall fertilization and chemical applications. Very wet conditions this fall could mean wet soil conditions for spring."

Roseau county extension educator report stated: "It's going to be a long winter for livestock people. We have had one month of winter already. Cattle are going to need extra feed. Forages are in good supply and feed costs high. There is good snow cover on fields and soil is not frozen very much. Most fields are in good fall condition."

LOW choirs to host concert

Lake of the Woods high school choirs will sponsor a concert by the "Singing Boys of Pennsylvania" on Friday, January 5, at the high school auditorium in Baudette.

Under the direction of Dr. K. Bernard Schade, the choir includes 26 boys from 10 to 14 years of age, selected from the organization's training choir, who have been rigorously preparing for two or more years.

Admission will be $10 for adults and $7 for persons of high school age and younger.

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Career Day offers students chance to talk to professionals

Juniors and seniors at LHS participate in opportunity

Junior and senior high school students at Lincoln High school in Thief River Falls are being given an opportunity to explore different career choices by visiting with professionals in the community.

The event, which is sponsored by the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce, and directed by the Lincoln High school counseling department, is broken down into 12 areas and eight sessions between November 8 and January 24. The 12 areas are education, government, business and sales, health, computer and technology, communication, services, aviation, trades and industry, criminal justice, outdoor related, and music/art/human service.

Vocational speakers are selected from businesses and organizations within the community. They are asked to discuss what they do, its attractive and undesirable features, and present outlook, the training needed, the rewards, and how to get started. They spend about an hour to two hours visiting with students.

Whitey Olson, guidance counselor at Lincoln high school, said judging by the number of students using the career information center, students seem to be more interested in requirements for careers. He said past students who have had an opportunity to think about careers and educational requirements, have also been coming back to seek out specific information. He mentioned that parents might be interested to know that special hours at the center have been set aside on Monday nights as well.

Todd McDonald, news director for KTRF in Thief River Falls, discusses the career of broadcasting with students at Lincoln high school. McDonald was volunteering his time to meet with students during one of the Career Day sessions scheduled throughout the year at the Thief River Falls school. The sessions allow students to discuss different career paths with local professionals.

Weather Service system to change to Grand Forks

Effective March 6, 1996, the National Weather Service office in Fargo, ND, will transfer its entire forecast and warning responsibility to the office in Grand Forks, ND, according to Lee C. Anderson, meteorologist-in-charge of the Grand Forks office.

In addition, the weather service office in Bismarck, ND, will transfer four counties in North Dakota (Benson, Eddy, Ramsey and Towner) and the office in International Falls will transfer two counties (Roseau and Lake of the Woods.

"County Warning Area responsibilities include the issuance of severe weather warning and related products, and short-term forecasts," Anderson said. "The responsibility of issuing flood warnings and river statements will transfer to the Grand Forks office—officially known as Weather Service Office (WSO) Eastern North Dakota—on May 1, 1996."

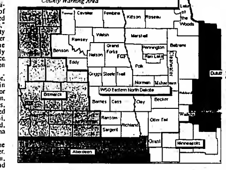
When the transfers are complete, WSO Eastern North Dakota in Grand Forks will be responsible for the Minnesota counties of Kittson, Roseau, Lake of the Woods, Marshall, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, Clearwater, Beltrami, Norman, Mahnomen, Hubbard, Clay, Becker, Otter Tail, Wadena and Grant.

The office will also serve the North Dakota counties of Towner, Cavalier, Pembina, Benson, Ramsey, Walsh, Nelson, Grand Forks, Eddy, Griggs, Steele, Traill, Barnes, Cass, Ransom, Sargent and Richland.

"Subscribers to the NOAA Weather Wire Service and the Family of Services should act to ensure receipt of the warnings, forecasts and related products for the adjusted counties," Anderson added.

"I assure you that this adjustment of responsibilities allows the National Weather Service to further improve our service to you. During the past several months, WSO Eastern North Dakota has increased the level of staffing and positively improved technologies as a result of the Modernization and Associated Restructuring currently happening in the National Weather Service. These changes make the best use of the available resources within the NWS."

National Weather Service Eastern North Dakota County Warning Area



Thief River Falls Quilter's Guild recently donated nine quilts to Violence Intervention Project in Thief River Falls for distribution to local clients. There are about 50 members of the quilter's guild and they donated many hours of work on the quilts. They meet at 7 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of every month at Northland Community and Technical College. Anyone with questions about the guild can contact Julie Desrocher. Pictured from left are Kathie Johanneck of VIP, Julie Desrocher, quilter's guild, Tom Jacobson, honorary member of the quilter's guild, and Desiree' Varner of VIP.

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Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
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Those who enjoyed a potluck dinner together on Thanksgiving day at the Margaret and Donald Rupprecht home were Joyce, John and Jim Sang from Grand Forks, Jon and Jerry Ortiecc and Amanda from Blaine, Deryl and Teresa Rupprecht from Fargo, ND, Pearl and Irwin Johnson of Rosewood, Lyle and DeeDee Johnson and Chad, Arnold and Marian and Julie Peterson, David and Betty Peterson, Ethan and Katrina, Ricky and Brenda Peterson and Shanelle, Lorraine and Fred Delmenn, Carol and Roger DeLap, Lisa and Laura, Marcdee Rupprecht and Shara Guidry all from Thief River Falls.

Larry, Carmen and Tony Gustafson, Stacy and Steve Beerman, Justin and Matthew spent from Thursday thru Saturday at the home of Susan and Joe Blackbird and Darwin. They enjoyed preparing and eating their Thanksgiving supper together in the Blackbird's new home.

Mabel and Eddie Anderson enjoyed the Thanksgiving weekend with other relatives at the Shirley and Ron Osborne home at Moose Lake.

Ida Rupprecht spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the Joan and Larry Dradan home in Moorhead. Other guests for dinner on Thanksgiving Day were Wendy and Bob Blue, Jason and Rachael and Candi Rupprecht from Fargo, ND.

Carmen and Larry Gustafson were dinner guests at the Stacy and Steve Beerman home on Sunday. The dinner was in honor of Carmen on her birthday. John and Lorraine Sannes joined them in the afternoon.

Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the Connie and Bill Stock home were Bernice Knutson, Bernice Trochmann, Myrtle Solberg, [illegible] and Roger Stock from Bismarck, ND. Visitors in the afternoon were Alice and Stephanie Dagen.

Ethel Nelson, Chris Nelson, Kevin and Heidi Nelson were dinner guests at the Cathy and Richard Nelson home on Thanksgiving Day.

Ruth and Lowell Henson, Valene Austed, Alicia and Rob Bessen motored to Minneapolis and spent Thanksgiving Day with Marlene Hanson. They returned home on Friday.

Jean Nelson, Margaret, Leslie and Darren Nelson, Dale and Brenda Nelson and Jordan were dinner guests at the Marlene and Rick Hill home at Fisher and Thanksgiving Day.

Carmen and Larry Gustafson attended the potluck supper and Christmas program at the Mission Covenant church in Viking on Sunday.

Howard Nelson was a Sunday evening visitor at the Ethel Nelson home.

Myrtle Solberg, Bernice Knutson, Bernice Trochmann, Jean Nelson, Carmen Anderson and Irene Nelson were among those who rode the Newfolden bus to Moorhead and attended the Concordia College Christmas Concert. Former Pastor Eugene and Iris Flostad joined the group at Concordia for an enjoyable visit.

Jerrold and Irene Nelson were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests at the home of JoDee and Ron Reierson.

Carmen Gustafson was a Monday evening visitor and coffee guest at the home of Mabel Christofferson.

Adeline Moe spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the Ronald and Barbara Moe home and Dalton.

Alice Oagen visited with Bernice Knutson at her home on Monday afternoon.

Ruth Henson and Valene Austed attended the Santa Lucia Christmas program at the Redeemer church on Sunday. Later in the evening Ruth and Lowell helped their grandson Robbie celebrate his birthday.

Steven and Ginny Anderson from Roseau were Tuesday afternoon visitors at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home.

Larry and Carmen Gustafson were Tuesday evening visitors and coffee guests at the Donald and Sandra Sterrhauer home near Holt.

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On Saturday Mrs. Renie Kembro of Erskine and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Ray and Rienette Walter of Thief River Falls, Steve and Melody Novak of Euclid were Thanksgiving Day dinner guests of Walter and Monica Novak.

Dick and Judy Olson visited his brother Thursday to Saturday, Jim and Val Olson and family of New London.

Thanksgiving dinner guests were Dick and Judy, Scott and Shannon Knutson and boys of Yankton, SD, Roger and Karen Olson and family of Minneapolis.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Rochelle Carlson of McIntosh, Mrs. Evangeline Grove, Renie Kembro, Brent and Dusty of Erskine, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Grove and Zacharay of Oklee, Michael Hagger and Mrs. Mable Sabourin.

Church Directory

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
Missouri Synod
121 Pine Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Daryl Rohrchild, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 9-12 noon • 681-4488
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
1300 East Nora Street, Thief River Falls
BLACK RIVER LUTHERAN PARISH
Rural St. Hilaire
Gaen & Marcia Sylvester, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-4:30 • 681-3390
Worship Services – Redeemer: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sunday at 8 & 10:30 a.m.; Christmas Eve service at 5 p.m. and at 11 p.m.
Worship Services – Black River: Sundays (This Sunday is Christmas Eve service) at 9:30 a.m.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
505 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Dennis Raymond, Gary Johnson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3296
Worship Services: Summer worship—Sundays at 8:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Education hour at 9:30 a.m.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH
1425 East Third Street, Thief River Falls
Richard Lundgren, Interim Pastor
Chad Parsons, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., 9-3 • 681-4449
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
315 North Duluth Avenue, Thief River Falls
Sandy and Cathy Stevenson, Pastors
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5 • 681-4718
Worship Services: Sundays at 10:30 a.m. - Joy 4 Kids Children's church; Sunday school (Ages 2-Adult) at 9:30 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Second & Horace, Thief River Falls
William Kerr, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-5:30 • 681-4388
Worship Services: Sunday, Dec. 24 at 10:30 a.m.; Christmas Eve worship service at 5 p.m.; Congregation carols at Valley Home at 6:30 p.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
211 Arnold Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Curtis D. Anderson, Pastor; Melvin Sich, Associate
Edsel Lindquist, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-5 • 681-3855
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday Bible school and Adult Bible fellowship at 9:45 a.m.; Evening Bible Hour at 6:30 p.m.

ST. BERNARD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
105 Knight Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Father Joe DeCrane, Pastor
Father Tim Busby, Associate Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30-Noon, 12:30-5
Worship Services: Saturdays at 5 p.m.; Sundays at 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
325 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
John A. Wolvenhen, Pastor; Timothy V. Bauer, Pastor
681-1310
Worship Services: Sundays at 8 a.m.—10:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:10-10:20 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Baptist General Conference
414 Horace Avenue North, Thief River Falls
Ron Guzman, Senior Pastor
681-2477
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.

ABUNDANT LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
1602 Pennington Avenue, Thief River Falls
Wesley Langaas, Pastor
Office Hours: Tues.-Fri., 9-12 noon • 681-2300
Worship Services: Sundays at 9:30 a.m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a.m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
1024 Tindolph Avenue South, Thief River Falls
Robert Forbes, Pastor
681-7685 Office or 681-4606
Worship Services: Saturdays at 11:05 a.m.; Sabbath school at 9:15 a.m.

PRECIOUS SEED BAPTIST CHURCH
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1007 County Road 62, Thief River Falls
Bob Waterbury, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8-12 Noon • 681-3842
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CHURCH ON THE MOVE
1563 Highway 59 Southeast, Thief River Falls
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Peter and Greer Mevis, Children's Ministers
Office Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9-5 • 681-5534
Wednesdays: Chosen Generation Teen Group at 7 p.m.
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Kid's On the Move Children's church.

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Nondenominational
Highway 1 East, Rt. 4 Box 11A, Thief River Falls
Curtis Jacobson, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs., 9-3 • 681-2285
Worship Services: Sundays at 10 a.m.; Evening service at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

CNC CHAPEL
Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

ST. PAULI LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
County Road 20 South of rural Thief River Falls
Terri Jo Skotum, Pastor
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Worship Services: This Sunday is joint worship at St. Paul. No Sunday school; Christmas Eve service at Calvary at 10 p.m.

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA
Water Street, St. Hilaire
964-5750 Office or 964-5447 Pastor's Home
Worship Services: This Sunday is joint worship at 10 a.m. at St. Pauli; Christmas Eve service is at 5 p.m. at St. Pauli and 10 p.m. at Calvary.

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, AFLC
401 South Saint Paul Avenue, Thief River Falls
Del Palmer, Pastor
Office Hours: Mon., Wed.-Fri., 9-2:30
Tues. 9 a.m.- 10:30 a.m. • 681-4643
Worship Services: This Sunday (December 24) is Christmas Eve Service at 4 p.m.

FAITH LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
601 North Dewey Ave., Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Phone: 681-7705 Church, 681-5482 Office
Worship Services: Sundays at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.

SILVERTON LUTHERAN CHURCH
Silverton Township, Thief River Falls
George Davis, Pastor
Office 681-5462
Worship Services: Sundays at 8:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 10 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
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Fr. Duane Pribula, Pastor
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Worship Services – Oak Park: Sunday, Dec. 24 at 11 a.m.
Worship Services – St. Petri: Sunday, Dec. 24 at 9 a.m.

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Women of Today's baby photo contest adds local history

In addition to current photos for its baby photo contest, the Thief River Falls chapter of Women of Today is looking for baby photos of long time area residents for a second division of the contest.

"Because 1996 is the Thief River Falls Centennial year, we have added this division to the contest in conjunction with the centennial celebration," stated Diane Peterson, contest chairman. "Prizes will be awarded in both categories."

Peterson said the contest uses photos of children up to three years of age. Registration forms for both divisions will be available beginning December 18 at Hugo's, Erl's, Super Valu, Pennington Square and Pennington Main in Thief River Falls. Entries must be postmarked by January 5 to be included in the competition.

Photos will be on display January 8-19 at the Northern State Bank branch, January 22-February 2 at First National Bank, February 5-16 at Norwest Bank and February 19-March 1 at Norwest Bank branch.

Anyone can vote for their favorite baby at a cost of 25 cents per vote. All proceeds will be donated to the DARE program. Persons with questions about the contest may contact Diane Peterson at 681-7348.

Cathy Belmont of Belmont Interiors discusses the career of interior design and decorating with students at Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls. Belmont was one of the local professionals to volunteer their time to Career Day sessions. Several Career Day sessions have been scheduled throughout the year. It gives juniors and senior high school students at the school an opportunity to discuss different career paths with professionals in that field.

Several agencies provide seniors information

Many times senior citizens have questions, said Rep. Jim Tunheim (District 1A), but they're not sure where to turn. There are many state agencies and resources available for seniors through a phone call.

Rep. Tunheim said they include:

• The Consumer Affairs Office of the Public Utilities Commission at 1-800-657-3782 which can help consumers resolve disputes with gas, electric and telephone utilities.

• Think you've been the victim of a scam artist, or you just want some information about how to protect yourself as a consumer? The Minnesota Attorney General's office operates a consumer information hotline with answers on a variety of consumer-related subjects. Simply call 1-800-644-7515.

• Questions about state taxes can be directed to 1-800-652-9094.

• Anyone with questions about transportation or other services for the elderly can call the Senior Link-Age Line at 1-800-333-2433.

• Veterans with questions about state agency programs and benefits for veterans and their families can contact 1-800-827-1000.

• The Office of Health Facility Complaints investigates complaints and concerns about abuse, neglect or the quality of patient care in institutional settings. Its number is 1-800-369-7994.

Anyone with questions or concerns can write Rep. Jim Tunheim at Box 66, Kennedy, MN 56733; or call (218) 674-4480; or write Rep. Jim Tunheim, 509 State Office Building, 100 Constitution Ave., St. Paul, MN 55155-1298; (612) 243-9635.

Gully News

Florence Berg
268-4236

Friends, relatives and former neighbors met at the Gully Cafe on Thursday to honor George Ness on his 88th birthday. Those attending spent much time reviewing and listening to happenings of seventy or more years ago. Especially interesting were the recollections of the Sunday afternoon baseball games, the players didn't arrive in a limousine but instead walked maybe 7 or 8 miles before playing on a hot day. One especially interesting game recalled was when the younger boys played against a bit older bunch. The "bets" were on the older ones, but Bloyd Ness hit a ball way out of the diamond, his short legs made tracks around the diamond and the boys won.

George's son Bill came from Thief River Falls for the party and he treated all the guests to delicious lunch of cake, ice cream, sandwiches and coffee.

Among guests present were Bloyd and Alice Ness, Esther Thorson, Esther Eliason, Esther Rindahl, Joe Brekke, Irene Carlson, Delores Ringsted, Natalea Haugen, Vida Strand, Evelyn Meyers, Millie Brovold, Cathy and Wendt Songer, Arnold and Sanne Brovold, Halvor and Vivian Rikje, Arlie and Luverne, Lore, Kenneth and Alice Forsberg, Bill Ness and grandson of Thief River Falls.

Gully American Legion Auxiliary members were busy preparing goodies for Christmas. On Monday afternoon, Cathy Songer, Irene Carlson, Sanna Brovold and Polly Carlson were at the Community Center packing the member's generous donations as well as the Legionnaires donation of candy and apples into Christmas gift baskets. Later that day they delivered 26 baskets.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turenne were Saturday callers at Effie Handy Sunday. Larry and Norma Emerson stopped in to see her.

Over 400 people braved the cold and stormy evening on December 5th to attend a benefit dinner held at the Legion at Crookston.

The dinner was given as a benefit for Jerry Forsberg who has been diagnosed with cancer. Jerry lives in Crookston with his wife Kathleen and has the Town and County Tires. A free will offering was lifted and given to Jerry to help with medical expenses.

The delicious dinner consisted of roast turkey and all the trimmings and was served by and at the Crookston Legion Post No. 20.

All food was donated by Crookston Implements, John Deere, Red Power International Inc., Case International, Paul Peterson and Jim Murphy.

Among those from here attending were Wanda and Rueben Rydeen of Warren, Barb Torgerson, Elwood Nordlend, John and Susan Sandlund all of the Clearbrook area, Kenneth and Alice Forsberg, Jerry's parents of Gully and Elaina Bergman of McIntosh.

Highlanding

Doloris Johnsrud spent Wednesday overnight with Gwen Nelson and family in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Doan Wiskow of Selot spent the Thanksgiving weekend at the Ole and Olive Wiskow home.

Reiner Community News

Dorothy Miller
378-4269

Christmas Supper At Reiner!

Mr. and Mrs. Salmer Holen hosted a supper at the Reiner church Wednesday evening, December 13th in observance of Christmas.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wells, Mrs. Brian Wells, Adam and Maja, Mrs. Donnie Wikert, Kyle and Kelsi, Mrs. Billy Wikert, Mr. and Mrs. George Wikert, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Halvorson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Helvorson, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and family, Stanley Erickson, Ethel Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller, Iva Wells, Mrs. Al Olson and Danielle and host and hostess, Salmar and Helen Halen, who served a great supper and planned a great program and entertainment! A Blessed Christmas to All!

Sunday evening, December 10th, the children of the Reiner Lutheran church presented a program, "Rejoice, The Promise Has Been Kept." Those who presented the program were Kyle and Kelsi Wikert, Cole Halvorson, Adam and Maja Wells, Nicole Olson, Jon and Kacey Miller and Danielle Olson, directed by their teachers, Candy Wells, Danette Olson, Lee Ann Wikert, Marilyn Miller and Joan Halvorson. Great program.

Kenny Coan visited with Gerald Nelson, Signe Miller and Reymond Parnow at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Thursday and also visited his mother Inge Coan, at the Valley Home. Edgar Miller visited with Inge Coan on Tuesday and also with Signe Miller.

Eddie Sjulestad of Thief River Falls brought "Get well quick" greetings to Jim Wells at the Jim and Iva Wells home one day last week and also visited at the Edgar Miller home. We all wish Jim a speedy recovery from his recent hip surgery!

Larry Sigerud was a visitor at the Otto and Hulda Sigerud home last week.

Otto and Hulda visited at the Steve Olson home at Gryglo one day last week.

Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sigerud visited at the Larry and Harry Sigerud home.

Belated Birthday!

Mr. and Mrs. James Wells hosted a belated birthday supper in honor of daughter, Rita Pamham, guests included Yvonne Pedarson, Glen Peters, Rita and Kenny Pernham and Jim and Iva. Happy Birthday, Rita!

Edgar and Dorothy Miller attended a music concert, "If only in my Dreams", at the Ada-Borup high school on Tuesday evening, December 5th, their granddaughter Jaclyn and Kari Miller sang in the choir. Edgar and Dorothy Miller also brought birthday cake and greetings to Kari Miller who celebrate her 13th birthday on December 6th! Happy Birthday, Kari!

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Mrs. Dallas Parade, Willard and Donna Bergeron of Oklee visited their mother Mrs. Louise Merril a resident of the Valley Home in Thief River Falls on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Dianne Gagner and her mother Mrs. Ragna Gunderson of Oklee spent Monday to Wednesday visiting her daughter Craig and Steph Kniaewske of Plymouth and Bill and Angie Stone of Chaplain.

On Monday Mrs. Evangeline Grove and Russel Hince visited their mother Mrs. Lilian Hince.

Mrs. Betty Folsom of Pennington, Mrs. Millie Schummer and Mrs. Jeannie Ammoson of Bemidji were Thursday to Sunday guests of Pearl Lane. Mrs. Dorothy Myhre was a Saturday guest.

Wayne and Robin Krebs and Alyssa of Grand Forks Airforce Base were Saturday and Sunday guests of her mother Mrs. Jeanne Delage.

Mrs. Diane Plante, Evangeline Grove, Jordi Fallon, Tommy Grove and Courtney Gustafson of Oklee were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Lilian Hince.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bolstad and Luke of Fosston, Mrs. Marlene Harbott of Thief River Falls were Sunday evening guests of their mother Mrs. Mayme Berberich.

Mrs. Bernie Kendro of Erskine and Mrs. Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lilian Hince on Wednesday.

Mrs. V. Gagner and daughter Mrs. Pat Proulx returned home on Saturday evening from Casselton, ND after spending a week at her son Mark's home.

Mary Jane Parade spent Thursday to Saturday with her daughter Todd and Heather Nelson in Fargo, ND.

Rod and Char Myhre of Red Lake Falls visited with their mother Mrs. Dorothy Myhre on Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Kalschie was a Saturday overnight guest of her daughter Jason and Sherri Engen in Thief River Falls.

On Saturday Mrs. Mable Sabourin, Russell and Cheryl Hince and Shawn visited Mrs. Lilian Hince.

Sunday afternoon Clarence and Dianne Gagner attended a Christmas program at the Ebenezer church of rural Oklee which their niece Cassie Jo Wilde was participating in.

Mrs. LuVern Sevegny and Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum attended the Red Lake County Extension Christmas party held in Plummer Hall Thursday evening.

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Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

Sunday afternoon Vernica Larson, Sybil Cwikla, Sue Dondalinger and Evan, and Kari Josma and Collin were among many to attend the baby shower for Mario Nass at the Lutharan church in Middle River.

Curt and Elaine Thompson enjoyed a nice visit from their naphew Greg Carlson last Friday afternoon December 8th also enjoyed coffee and goodies.

Friday afternoon, Anita Skadsam visited with Hanna Moen.

Roy and Laura Roppa visited with bert and Adalina Roppa on Thursday.

Elmar Holmstrom visited with Aaron and Blanche Waterworth on Sunday.

Saturday afternoon, December 9th, Curt and Elaine Thompson drove out to visit with Floyd and Adaline Nelson and brought them anniversary wishes and gifts also enjoyed lunch and a nice visit.

Dauna and Louisa Ellingson left for their home in Aurora after spending some time at the Alice Ellingson home also taking care of same things after the passing of Louisa's mom Anna Rud.

Thursday Alvin and Mildred Rondorf visited with Lillie Olson.

Sunday, Myron and Ilia Anderson visited with Lucille Skadsom also brought Lucille birthday wishes and a birthday cake.

Saturday forenoon Muriel Nelson and Harriet Hoito visited and enjoyed lunch at the Clara Hanson home.

Milton and Beverly Erickson visited at the Doan Anderson home on Wednesday evening.

Those that visited and enjoyed lunch at the Ray and Carol Ness home on Sunday afternoon were Esther Ness, Florence Hammar, Arnold and Vernica Larson, Elwin and DaDe Nass, Kyle and Keyta, Brad and Maria Nass, Del-Ray and Barb Noss, Shana Jorganson and a friend of hers. They also celebrated Esther's birthday.

Curt and Elaine Thompson enjoyed the Lions Christmas party last Saturday evening at the Community Center.

Thursday, Alice Ellingson and Dauna and Louisa Ellingson visited at the Chuck Ellingson home.

Saturday evening, Lyle and Becky Olson visited with Lillie Olson.

Tuesday afternoon, December 12th, Mike Phillips visited and had coffee with Curt and Elaine Thompson.

Emma Kammen celebrated her 85th birthday last Thursday, December 7th then Curt and Elaine Thompson took her up town for supper. Afterwards Olga Thompson, Shirley Wogner and Curt and Elaine Thompson went over to Emma's house with birthday wishes and gifts had a nice visit with cake, ice cream and coffee. Birthday Blessings Emma.

Saturday afternoon, Brad and Mona Olson visited with Lillie Olson.

Tuesday, Corey Skadsom and a friend of his visited at the Lucille Skadsam home.

Monday, Della Elseth and Gladys Garive visited over coffee with Clara Hanson.

Saturday visitors at the Milton Erickson home were Brian Gillund, Jason Erickson and Cody Gillund.

Wednesday forenoon visitors and coffee guests at the Arnold Larson home were Ken and Sybil Cwikla and Stanley Larson.

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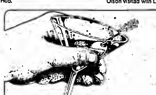
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Wednesday, Dec. 27: Swiss steak, boiled potatoes, carrots, bread, tapioca, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 28: Salisbury steak, parslied potatoes, peas and carrots, roll, peach crumble, milk.

Friday, Dec. 29: Barbecue on a bun or egg salad sandwich, potato salad, pickled beets, glorified rice, milk.

Lutheran Social service center nutrition program will serve meals at the Heritage center at 301 4th street East Monday through Friday except holidays. Serving begins at 11:45 a.m. Reservations are to be made one day in advance. To make reservations call 681-2793 between 8:30 a.m. and noon.

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Monday, Dec. 25: Christmas Day. No meal.

Tuesday, Dec. 26: Meatloaf, parslied potatoes, oriental blend, bread, margarine, fresh banana, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 27: Chicken ala King over biscuits, peas, strawberry gelatin with bananas, margarine, rice pudding, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 28: BBQ ribs, baked potato, sauerkraut, apple ring, garnish, bread, margarine, rhubarb crisp, milk.

Friday evening, Dec. 29: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, California blend, bread, margarine, pineapple, milk.

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

LUNCH MENU

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Dec. 25: Milk, orange juice, cinnamon toast, Kix.

Tuesday, Dec. 26: Milk, oranges, scrambled eggs, toast.

Wednesday, Dec. 27: Milk, grape juice, pancakes, syrup.

Thursday, Dec. 28: Milk, applesauce, Rice Krispies, muffins.

Friday, Dec. 29: Milk, apple juice, Kix, toast.

Lunch:

Monday, Dec. 25: Homemade chicken noodle soup, saltines, bologna sandwiches, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 26: Hot tuna buns, hashbrown potato, lettuce salad with peas and cheese, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 27: Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, bread and butter, ice cream, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 28: Hamburger noodle hotdish, beans, pear halves, milk.

Friday, Dec. 29: Hot dog on a bun, potato chips, pork and beans, pickles, apple crisp, milk.

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CHANGES
By Lyn Turenne

This Christmas essay is written by Lyn Turenne, wife, mother of three grown daughters, and instructor in English as a Second Language. Changes was written for a project by the Trinity Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. Lucy Aasland, President of Trinity WELCA, asked circle members to write for a booklet, Christmas Memories.

CHANGES

There are several reasons why the Christmas of 1991 stands out in my mind. My father had broken his hip and had been in a nursing home for ten months, so Christmas kind of loomed over me like a cloud. My children had spent every Christmas since their birth doing the same thing every year, and as for me, I had had the same type of Christmas for the last fifty years. How would we all cope with the changes? How could I bring myself out of my depression and get "with" the season?

I went through the motions of all the "Christmasy" things one does at this time of year, but I had little enthusiasm. Then I heard that the little community where my parents lived needed help with the community Christmas dinner. The town consists of only about 100 people, but there are many widows, widowers, or people who just have no family near. I decided that was where I would put my focus.

On Christmas Eve, I picked up my father at the nursing home, and as I wheeled him in, the house smelled so wonderful and familiar. He had a big smile on his face as the grandchildren hugged and kissed him. They couldn't wait for him to open their gifts to him and say the same thing he said every year, "It's too much; you're too good to me." The girls would reply, "No way, Grandpa; you deserve the best." We videotaped Dad as he talked about Christmases *years* ago. We reminisced about the green cradle he made for my sister 50 years ago and the little mirror he gave me the year I was six. He even talked about the year his father died at Christmas, and he bought a comb for five cents to put under the tree at school. He wrote "To Johnnie" because he knew he'd get nothing for Christmas (Grandma just didn't believe in frills.)

Christmas that day had been so special, and on the way back to the nursing home, Dad said, "It was such a good day," and I agreed.

Back at Mom's, the girls were not happy about eating in a cafe with a bunch of strangers, but I told them if they helped clean up and do the dishes, we'd get down to Uncle Bob and Aunt Marion's (sixteen miles away) faster, and we could begin our "normal" festivities. One by one, they wandered from Grandma's apartment down to the little cafe (both in the same building) and began to chat with the men and women. Then they began to serve wine and cut lefse, and soon they were smiling. Later, they were laughing and even got their tape player and put on some "Grandpa music" (polkas and waltzes). They truly had a good time, and by the time we had cleaned up, we still had time to go to Uncle Bob's, open gifts, and even get to the 10:30 services at Hope Lutheran in Fosston.

That night, as I sat in a pew of that little church with fourteen other family members, I realized that Christmas is not clinging to traditions, but is really the giving of oneself. My girls learned that lesson that year, as I looked at their glowing faces in the candlelight, I knew that the glow came from within.

That was Dad's last Christmas, as he died in February, but we were so fortunate to have that special Christmas with him and find the real meaning of Christmas by giving to someone else.

Last Christmas, my brother joined Dad at 6 p.m. Christmas Day, 1994. It wasn't so special in the true sense, but my brother gave us the gift of his presence through the holidays. He finally said that he had to go, but that he wanted to be with us through Christmas. He died quietly with loved ones surrounding him and with the glow of the Christmas tree on his face. Now again, we're facing the dilemma of how to keep Christmas amid the changes. Maybe the answer is in the giving of oneself – this year we'll have to wait and see.

Lynda Handy Turenne

Margaret Stock receives district bus conduct award

Margaret Stock, a School District 564 school patrol member and fifth grader at Challenger Elementary school in Thief River Falls, has received the District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award". The award was presented to Margaret by her driver, Terry Blacklance, and Transportation Superintendent Fred Mykleby.

Blacklance says Margaret is "an exceptional patrol member. She is good with others, respects others - she helps everyone keep a safety first attitude and it's great to have her on the bus." Blacklance drives route 33 for the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire School District.

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes in the Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire School District.

Rupprecht earns award for sales

Daryl Rupprecht, formerly of Thief River Falls, received an award for the top sales in November among eight territory managers for the South Dakota feed company he represents. Daryl has been territory manager in northern North Dakota since January of 1994. He and his wife Teresa live in Fargo, ND.

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Lt. Governor makes appeal for fuel funds

Lieutenant Governor Joanne E. Benson and the Minnesota Department of Economic Security are promoting the need for contributions to local, regional and state fuel funds this winter season.

In a public service campaign begun December 12, National Fuel Fund Day, Lieutenant Governor Benson urges Minnesotans to "keep the heat on for your neighbor."

"Each year, about 100,000 Minnesotan households need assistance to help pay their home heating bills," Benson said. "The majority have experienced an unexpected event or situation that impacted their household income; others, such as senior citizens, live on fixed incomes that may not cover higher-than-expected heating bills.

"The need for these assistance programs has been there for 20 years, ever since the energy crisis of the mid 1970s. This year, delays and possible cutbacks in federal energy emergency assistance to Minnesota's fuel fund will increase the demand on local and state public- and private-sector emergency fuel assistance programs."

The public service campaign urges Minnesotans to contribute directly to a local fuel fund, or to a statewide program that distributes donations within the community where they were received, such as the state of Minnesota's "Reach Out For Warmth" fuel fund or the Salvation Army's "Heat Share" program.

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Gatzke Community News

Mrs. Clifford Klamar
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Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Engevik visited with Mildred Nelson at ... at the Northwest Medical Center ... Thief River Falls and also at the Wal... Heaton and Olga Engevik homes ... Thief River Falls.

Harlene Overgaard of Roseville and ... Johnson of Eagen visited on Sunday with Karyl Larson.

Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts visited at the Berg Jones and Evelyn Severts home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Espe of Roseau visited on Wednesday at the Gene Peterson home.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune attended Kayla Harris's Sunday school Christmas program.

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar visited at the Alan Severts home.

Thursday the Martha Circle met at the Alan Severts home. Present were Mrs. Arvin Dahl, Mrs. Evert Westberg, Karyl Larson, Mrs. Peter Aune, Mrs. Roy Anderson, Ann Engelstad, Lyle Aune and Evelyn Severts. Sandy was the hostess.

Nathan Engevik of Roseau visited on Sunday afternoon with his parents the Rueben Engeviks.

Monday afternoon Glenn Aune and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Aune visited at the Clayton Carlson home in Thief River Falls.

Visitors on Thursday evening at the Alan Severts home were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Peterson and Lance, Gana Engen and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klamar and Blair.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polansky visited and were supper guests at the Bill Bernstein home.

Those attending a 80th birthday party for Mrs. Walter Lunsetter at CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Thursday were Pastor Arlo Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Engevik, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ruud, Olga Engevik, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Larson, Walter Lunsetter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lunsetter, Jesse and Jerryd, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bernstein, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Klamar, Mrs. Eugene Polansky, Richard Engelstad, Mrs. Marie Sistad, Mrs. Wayne Lunsetter, Mrs. ... Nelson and Mrs. Lyle Biskeuvelz.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Law Waters and Marcus and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Severts were dinner guests at the Bert Jones home.

Raymond Aune, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Linesand and Chelsey visited on Wednesday at the Juel Aune home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Klamar have been recent visitors at the Jerry Linder home.

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The Christmas Story Lives In The Retelling

"Christmas this coming Monday? Why, that's impossible! There must be at least a couple of weeks left. Are you sure it's so soon? I'm not ready for Christmas yet."

In the hustle and bustle of today's busy world, getting ready for Christmas is tied us with gift selecting, buying and wrapping, travel plans, house cleaning and decorating, food preparation, office parties and other social celebrations of one sort or another.

With all that activity we are no more ready to observe the coming of the Christ Child than the people of the world 20 centuries ago. The story of that birth in Bethlehem has lived through the centuries in its recording in the Scriptures and the telling and retelling.

Each year prior to Christmas we print in our editorial column the Christmas Gospel from the Second Chapter of Luke. This year the story is from *The Living New Testament Paraphrased*, published by Tyndale House Publishers in Wheaton, IL:

About this time Caesar Augustus, the Roman Emperor, decreed that a census should be taken throughout the nation.

"(This census was taken when Quirinius was governor of Syria.)

Everyone was required to return to his ancestral home for this registration.

And because Joseph was a member of the royal line, he had to go to Bethlehem in Judea, King David's ancient home—journeying there from the Galilean province of Nazareth.

He took with him Mary, his fiancee, who was obviously pregnant by this time.

And while they were there, the time came for her baby to be born:

And she gave birth to her first child, a son. She wrapped Him in a blanket and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the village inn.

That night some shepherds were in the fields outside the village, guarding their flocks of sheep.

Suddenly an angel appeared among them, and the landscape shone bright with the glory of the Lord. They were badly frightened.

But the angel reassured them. "Don't be afraid!" he said. "I bring you the most joyful news ever announced, and it is for everyone!

"The Savior—yes, the Messiah, the Lord—has been born tonight in Bethlehem!

"How will you recognize Him? You will find a baby wrapped in a blanket, lying in a manger!"

Suddenly, the angel was joined by a vast host of others—the armies of heaven—praising God:

"Glory to God in the highest heaven," they sang, "and peace on earth for all those pleasing Him."

When this great army of angels had returned again to heaven, the shepherds said to each other, 'Come on! Let's go to Bethlehem! Let's see this wonderful thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about."

They ran to the village and found their way to Mary and Joseph. And there was the baby, lying in the manger.

The shepherds told everyone what had happened and what the angel had said to them about this child.

All who heard the shepherds' story expressed astonishment.

But Mary quietly treasured these things in her heart and often thought about them.

Then the shepherds went back again to their fields and flocks, praising God for the visit of the angels, and because they had seen the child, just as the angel had told them.

Patti Johnson's Award Was Well Deserved

A story in today's issue of *The Times* tells about Patti Johnson and the award she received from the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts. It is an award earned over a number of years of special effort without any thought of recognition for it.

For that matter, there may never have been the public recognition except for the concern of a couple of people who believed exceptional effort should not go unrecognized. Maggie Leach and Barb Molskness provided the groundwork and the board of supervisors of the Pennington County Soil and Water Conservation District adopted the resolution making the nomination official.

We have known Patti for most if not all of the years she has been teaching full-time in our area, first at Goodridge and now in Thief River Falls. We are familiar with her work in establishing and developing the science fair at Goodridge and judging Don Fox's science fair at Pershing high school in Plummer. When the Envirothon competition came along, she was quick to adopt it as another teaching tool, although it meant many more non-school hours.

When she joined the Lincoln faculty last year, she continued her interest but with renewed enthusiasm. She organized and inspired a small core group of students to form an Envirothon team that researched, studied and practiced until they were the best in the area and the state. Now she is not only working on Envirothon again, but bringing science fair activity to Lincoln. The public can view student effort in that activity on January 26 and 27 in the Lincoln cafeteria.

"Good, better, best,
Never let it rest;
'Til the good is better
And the better is best."

This slogan is prominent on the wall of her science classroom at Lincoln. It's there because she believes in it. That's why she is among the best.

4-H NEWS

Happy Acres 4-H Club

Happy Acres 4-H club met at the Family Bowl on December 10 and all members participated in bowling. The meeting was called to order by Cami Sorenson, flag pledges were said and roll call was taken with donations of toothpaste to be given to the Violence Intervention Project.

Treasurer's report was given by Sunny Carlson. Motion was made and carried to use money from the Hot Wheels races for an angel tree gift with a committee of Laura, Desirae, Cathy and Sunny to purchase it.

The district retreat will be held at the Best Western for grades 7-12 on January 6 and 7, 1996. Deadline for applying for 4-H scholarships is December 29. Citizenship Washington Focus will be held July 13-20; deadline to register is January 16 and members must be in grades 10-12 to register. Cost is $1,025.

Red River Valley Winter Shows Arts-In information is at the county extension office. Everyone is encouraged to use the internet at the extension office. The club voted to buy Bingo prizes for the Roots and Wings classes. Cloverbuds will meet December 12 at Challenger elementary school.

Dates for the 1996 Pennington county fair have been set for July 10-14. Discussion was held on Knowledge Bowl and serving breakfast for the all school reunion June 27-30 in Thief River Falls. Enrollment cards are due by January 1. Next leader's council meeting was changed to Wednesday, January 3, due to the New Year's holiday on the regular meeting date.

Thank-you was extended to all who helped with child care for the Holiday Fair and the Little Brother/Little Sister program. Members will wrap presents for the angel tree at the Law Enforcement Center on December 18 from 5 to 7 p.m. They were also asked to bring banner ideas to the January meeting. Meeting adjourned.

Lindsey Swanson, reporter

4-H Leader's Council

Pennington county 4-H leader's council met December 4 at 8 p.m. in the courthouse meeting room in Thief River Falls. Flag pledges were said and roll-call was taken. Secretary and treasurer reports were approved as printed.

Old business included Ag Activities Day at Crookston which had four Pennington county 4-H members participating. People are still needed for committee sign-up. All enrollment cards need to be in the county extension office by January 1 or names will be taken off the mailing list. A report on MAVA was presented.

Under new business, deadline for 4-H scholarship application was announced as December 29, Citizenship Washington Focus deadline as January 16 and Knowledge Bowl entry deadline as February 9 with regional competition on March 20 and state contest on April 20.

A district retreat for members in grades 7-12 will be held January 6 and 7 at the Best Western Inn of Thief River Falls with registration deadline of December 19. Deadline for hosting opportunities is February 1.

Leader's council agreed to serve breakfast for the all-school reunion to be held June 27-30 in Thief River Falls. 4-H bulletins will have a price increase of 10 cents each starting Jan. 1, 1996. Date for January leader's council meeting has been changed to Wednesday, January 3, due to the holidays.

Cami Sorenson, reporter

Mike Howard (center), store manager at SuperValu in Thief River Falls accepts a First Dollar Award from Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors, Holly Haugen, and Norm Wessink. The name of the store recently changed because it changed affiliates from Gateway to SuperValu. Howard said as a result of the change in affiliates, SuperValu is able to pass on lower costs to the consumer and upgrade perishables. SuperValu is open from 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Saturday, and from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Sundays. It employs about 75 people.

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Star News

Shirley Johnsrud was a visitor on Thursday morning at the Kory Chervestad home of rural Oklee.

Sunday, Don Moen was a visitor and coffee guest at the Gene Marquis home.

Randy Johnsrud came home on Friday to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud. Randy went back to college in Bemidji on Saturday.

Sunday visitors at the Elva and Joel Fiedler home were Darwin Eidelbos, Allen and Jared, Tony Rubischke, Joey, Andy and Otto, David Ouoley and Justin. Justin Ouoley came to play with Brady Fiedler that day.

Shannon Lundeen was a visitor at the Gene Marquis home on Sunday night.

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LETTERS

To The Editor;

Chivalry is indeed alive in Thief River Falls!

On Thursday, December 14, the snowplow had left a ridge of snow across our driveway which I foolishly attempted to drive through to Edgewood Drive. Of course, I got stuck.

However, within minutes a man came along, took a shovel from his van and started to shovel the snow. It was a big job, but he kept on until he'd cleared the wheels enough so he could pull the car out with his vehicle, then refused to take any pay for his work and time.

I did not get his name, but but he was driving an Adams' Appliance van. "Mr. Adams," it's people like you who make this a better world and I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

A grateful (senior) citizen,
Mrs. Clifford Homstad,
Thief River Falls

Sarah Harger on dean's list at BSU

Sarah Harger, student at Bemidji State University and daughter of Rory and Roselynn Harger of Thief River Falls, was named to the dean's list. She is a double major in music at the university.

Strandquist ....

Sherrie, Scott and Stefanie Stowart of Bloomington arrived at the Peter Thompson home on Thursday evening and left Sunday morning. They came to attend the wedding of Mark Melby and Michelle Johnson.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Lawyer F. A. Grady is laid up with measles which he got in Crookston.

—Miss Ada McMahan will do plain sewing at her residence on the east side or go out sewing by the day.

—A lumberjack from Sprague's camp reports a full crew and wages of $10 to $18 per month and out to the swamps before daylight.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Swen Swenson's store in the Evenson block was broken into Saturday and a large amount of goods was taken.

—Articles of incorporation are being prepared for the Pioneer Sash and Door company, a new factory to be located north of the Great Northern depot.

—D. N. Winton of the Thief River Falls Lumber company purchased a new saw mill and several thousand acres of standing pine near Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—Two literary societies have been organized at the high school.

—Ira C. Richardson was toastmaster at the annual banquet of the fire department in the Evelyn hotel.

—A community Christmas tree provided by Peder Engelstad was brought in by P. W. Mahey and J. H. McKinney.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Three local Lutheran churches will join to present a Christmas cantata December 28 at the city auditorium.

—George Mostue, president of the Lincoln high school alumni association, was preparing for the annual reunion.

—A Boy Scout rally will be held December 26 at the city auditorium.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Lloyd Nelson was named president of the Pennington County Power association, sponsor of the Goodridge rural electrification project.

—City council named C. M. Everson, longtime resident, to serve as city poor overseer.

—District Judge M. A. Brattland and court reporter Harley Swenson were hosts to a group of officals at the housewarming in the new courtroom in the auditorium.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—Russell E. Olson, manager of the local employment office, resigned to accept an appointment as full-time secretary of the Civic and Commerce association.

—H. M. Hoel and son Howard acquired a substantial interest in Northern Woodwork company and have taken over management of the firm.

—With Fred Wengeler in charge, the Sportsmen's store opened for business in the L. B. Hartz block.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Dr. Dan Greene, city health officer, announced that the age limit of those eligible to receive the Salk polio vaccine has been raised to age 19.

—Solo numbers were sung by Donna Hesse, Marilyn Clausen and Dorothy Anderson at the Lincoln high school Christmas concert.

—Teen Berg was elected president of the local BPO Does.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Number of children under the age of 21 in the Thief River Falls school district increased by 14 from 4,176 in 1964 to 4,190 this year, according to the annual school census taken by Margaret Race, school nurse.

—Studying operation of cooperatives in Thief River Falls is Marcus Ngwe Mosi of Cameroon, Africa.

—S. E. Sindiag of Thief River Falls was elected president of the District 10 Minnesota Funeral Directors.

—Ron Alby was elected president of the local Sportsmen's club.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Three Goodridge area girls are still a bit shaken and puzzled following an experience involving an unidentified flying object (UFO) on highway 1, just east of its intersection with highway 219, south of Goodridge.

—The Northwestern hospital auxiliary is providing Christmas stockings large enough to wrap a baby in for all babies born there during the Christmas season.

—Seeking relief from a serious lack of student housing in Thief River Falls, Dr. Alex Easton, president of Northland community college, and Richard Berry, associate director of the area vocational technical institute, asked for and received approval from the Pennington county board of commissioners to explore the feasibility of converting the old Oakland Park Nursing Home building into a low-rent student dormitory.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—The Thief River Falls annual Christmas dinner for those who would otherwise be alone will be held Christmas Eve at Lon's restaurant.

—Northland community college is considering combining with Brainerd and Fergus Falls community colleges to form the Clearwater community college region.

—The Thief River Falls city council is debating whether to continue using salt on the streets to reduce slippery driving conditions.

For next week: December 27, 1945

An announcement will be made about a disastrous fire which destroyed about half of a block-long agribusiness plant in Thief River Falls, causing about $100,000 of damage. Which business was it?

Advanced question: What was the name of the business which owned this plant until its sale in 1943 to the present (1945) owners?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library in the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Viking News

Elizabeth Swenson
681-3852

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Johnson were among the forty-three people who went on the Hollidazzle tour with Bergen travel to Minneapolis last Wednesday. They toured many stores and saw a lot of beautiful city lights and attended the Chandhasen dinner theatre. They also toured Stillwater and three old historic homes, one with a collection of two thousand Santa's in various sizes. Some were animated but all were interesting. Another point of interest was the Swedish American Institute and Beckmann's Floral where hundreds of poinsettias were on display. The tour ended up at the Mega Mall before returning home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eart Erickson visited Ann Hanson at Oakland Park on Sunday.

The Rachel Circle of Zion Lutheran church met at the Wade Harbott home. Those who attended were Bernyce Grandstrand, Janet Berg, Joyce Erickson and hostess Sue Harbott.

Irwin and Pearl Johnson attended the piano recital for granddaughters Krissy and Katia Johnson held at Zion Lutheran church in Thief River Falls. Krissy also gave a vocal solo.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grandstrand attended the Christmas banquet at Zion Lutheran church on Saturday night. Pastor Chell gave the welcome and Morten Roley was guest speaker. Special music was provided by Lois Anderson and Lois Peterson. Mandi Jo and Melissa Halverson were waitresses.

The following women from Viking attended the Christian Women's meeting Tuesday night, Betty and Lori Ronum, Ardelle Anderson, Dorothy Pederson and Ruth Sustad.

The Rosewood and Viking area extends sympathy to Clarice Rooker in the death of her father Frank Smksy of St Hilaire.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota December 20, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

H.M. Hoel and Son Acquire Interest in Woodwork Co.

"In a major business transaction completed Saturday, H. M. Hoel of this city and his son, Howard, recently discharged from the Navy after four years of duty, acquired a substantial interest in the Northern Woodwork company, purchasing the stock in the corporation, formerly held by Andrew Stene of Montana."

Heart Hospital Aided By $304 Theatre Collection

"The projected Heart Hospital in Minneapolis for the treatment of children's and adults' heart ailments benefited to the extent of $304.80 from collections made recently in the two local theatres, Wallie Anderson, manager, stated this week, adding that a total of approximately $1,750 was collected in the chain of 13 Baehr-owned theatres. The Heart Hospital is a project of the Twin City Variety club, composed of men in the theatre field."

First Draftee from TRF Returns

"Sgt. Thaddeus Szymanski, first Pennington county selective service registrant to be inducted into service in World War II, recently received his honorable discharge. The son of Ben Szymanski, Route 3, city, he was inducted November 22, 1940, and, after serving in Alaska, left in September, 1943, for the European theatre, serving with the engineers in England, France, Belgium and Germany."

Tuesday - Wednesday - Thursday - Friday
Eddie Bracken
Veronica Lake
"Out of This World"
Avalon Theatre

Lincoln Choral Groups to Give Concert

"Lincoln high school choral groups under the direction of Miss Alma Klowitter, music supervisor, will usher in the Christmas season with a program in the Lincoln high school auditorium Friday afternoon. The public is invited to attend and a block of seats has been set aside for their use, Supt. Phillip L. Fjelstad stated today.

"Groups participating are the senior high school mixed chorus, the seventh and eighth grade choruses, the boys' octet and the triple trio, while soloists will include Helen Lindland, Mildred Schroeder, Onle Larson and Richard Biddick.

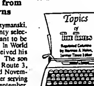
"Musical numbers will illustrate the Christmas story as it is read from Luke and Matthew by John Powell, narrator. Pantomimes of traditional scenes from the Nativity will be enacted by high school students. Miss Hedwig Husby heads the committee to supervise the staging of these scenes."

Lions to Supply Venison Dinner at Sanatorium

"Entering into the spirit of Christmas, the local Lions club is providing venison for a dinner to be served Friday noon, at the Oakland Park sanatorium to the patients and staff of the institution. Rev. Dan T. Beadle, accompanied by Ben Froland, Lions president, will extend Christmas greetings in behalf of the club."

Pennington County in Second Place in E Bond Sales

"With credit being given in the Victory Loan drive for all bonds sold during the month of December, Pennington county during the past week, advanced from fifth place to second among the 87 counties of Minnesota in respect to E bond purchases, with a record of 143.5 percent of quota. This county has done equally well in its purchases of bonds of all types, ranking in third place in the state, with a record of having bought 248.4 per cent of its quota. Red Lake county led the state in percentage attained of total quota, with 301.08 per cent."



—If you want spring to come in a hurry, just give your bank a ninety-day note.

—You're lucky if you don't have to do any traveling during the holiday season. It's tough.

—Simile: As happy as the girl whose soldier husband has got his discharge.

—If you own an electric refrigerator, you will take an impersonal interest in the fact that the annual ice harvest is at hand.

—Santa Claus didn't make any pre-holiday visit to Thief River Falls this season, but local youngsters won't mind if he keeps his date on December 24.

—While the formal Victory Loan drive is over, there is no law against buying more bonds to give for Christmas presents.

—The net result of all those investigations of the Pearl Harbor fiasco seems to be to prove that our military and naval leaders were asleep December 7, 1941.

—And did you see the total eclipse of the sun Tuesday night?

—Only three shopping days left in which to regret not having done it sooner.

—No place but in Minnesota could it be that on December 6 they were golfing and iceboating at Detroit Lakes.

—The meanest person in town is the one that stole the Sister Kenny coin receptacle from the postoffice here.

—Those who are too busy to write out "Christmas" might better write it "Yule" than "Xmas."

—Advises the Mahnomen Pioneer: Live so that when you bring home a box of candy to your wife, she doesn't get suspicious.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota December 18, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Holiday Planning

"The various Churches in the village have decided to join together in the matter of having a Christmas entertainment. The entertainment will be held in the Norwegian Lutheran Church and everybody is invited to bring their presents and hang them on the tree. A musical and literary program is being prepared and every effort will be made to make a merry Christmas for all.

"School closes next Friday for a two-weeks vacation during the holidays.

"The citizens of the village are busy these days preparing themselves for the holidays.

"A few inches of snow is badly needed and it would give us the best of roads. At present the roads are altogether too slippery."

For a night of science fun at Challenger Elementary and Preschool in Thief River Falls, students brought their parents along. Elizabeth Quick, science technician, explained the "hands-on" approach to science at Challenger and displayed materials from a unit on water which is studied by third grade students. Families then tried some of the experiments including finding how many drops of water can fit on a penny and how water droplets react on paper, paper towel, waxed paper and aluminum foil. The evening was hosted by Challenger Parents, Teachers and Students in Partnership (PTSP).

River Valley

Kathy Dulka
796-5454

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Stolaas, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Stolaas and Vincent, Galina, Robbie and Katie Lundeen attend the Christmas Program at Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge.

Good luck to all of the area athletes who have started the winter sports programs in the area. The Red Lake County Mustangs Basketball program started on Friday in Plummer and the Red Lake County Mustangs Wrestlers participated in a tournament in Fosston.

Tuesday, November 21, Rita Lundeen's father, Lloyd Edort from Wisconsin and her foster brother, Steve Muellar also from Wisconsin helped Rita and Perry move from their trailer home into the family house. They also celebrated the Thanksgiving Holiday with Rita and Perry. Merle and Armilla Lundeen have moved to Watertown, WI where Merle is currently employed.

Friday evening callers at the Clance and Olaf Stolaas home were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rednecki, Monty Haugen, Ardeen Lundeen, and Juell Chervastad.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Stolaas, Vincent, Galina, Robbie and Katia Lundeen attended the wedding of Joramy Johnson and Jennifar Nelson in McIntosh.

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D.A.R.E. Instructor

Project D.A.R.E. (Drug Resistance Education) is at the forefront of substance use prevention education programs. It is designed to give young people the facts about drugs and alcohol and to "inoculate" them against negative peer pressure by teaching them self-management and resistance skills. This unique program, developed in 1983 as a cooperative effort by the Los Angeles Police Department and the Los Angeles Unified School District, uses well-trained uniformed police officers to teach in the classroom. Employing a formal, semester-long curriculum, Project D.A.R.E. focuses special attention on students in elementary school exit grades (5 or 6) who are not yet likely to have been led by their peers to experiment with alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs and are, therefore, more receptive to prevention education. The D.A.R.E. curriculum for junior high and middle school has also been developed and is in its second year.

We asked the following students who attended the D.A.R.E. program in 5th grade the following question:

"After completion of the D.A.R.E. program what was the most important message you remember or what had the greatest impact in your life?"

Kacie Jablinske
Grade 7 – Franklin
"Never do drugs because it can affect your health. I know I would never do them."

Audry Nelson
Grade 7 – Franklin
"Know how to say no and walk away"

Desire Aehlert
Grade 7 – Franklin
"Hang out with the right kind of people. Get involved in activities instead of drugs."

Nate Sorvig
Grade 7 – Franklin
"Drugs are bad. I didn't really know how bad or how bad the effects can be until we watched a movie in the D.A.R.E. program."

Paul Leister
Grade 7 – Franklin
"The way drugs can have an effect on you, slow you down or speed you up."

Some of the many questions asked of D.A.R.E. Instructors are as follows:

What do you do when your Mommy or Daddy drinks and drives?

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Why do they make drugs?

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Polaris tops $1 billion in annual sales

Sales for 1995 by Polaris Industries, Inc., have passed the $1 billion mark, according to W. Hall Wendel Jr., chairman and chief executive officer.

"We are especially proud of this milestone because our growth has come from within," Wendel said. "Combined sales of all Polaris product lines in 1995 are expected to be at least 30 per cent over the prior year with sales increases in the ATV and personal watercraft segments exceeding 40 per cent."

Polaris entered the snowmobile business in 1954. It began manufacturing ATVs 10 years ago and personal watercraft in 1992. In the last five years sales have increased from less than $300 million to more than $1 billion.

AmeriCorps team assists nursing home

AmeriCorps team members from the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service in Warren spent December 5 helping at the Kittson Memorial Nursing Home.

The volunteers helped make lefse and bon bons and put up Christmas decorations. Making lefse was a new experience for most of the AmeriCorps workers, but with the guidance of activity director LaDonna Truedson and assistant Jane Christian, they soon learned the proper techniques.

On December 13 the group also helped with Christmas baking and writing Christmas cards at the Good Samaritan Center in Warren.

AmeriCorps is a national service program which engages 20,000 Americans of diverse backgrounds in performing community service in return for an educational award which may be used to pay for college, job training or graduate school or to pay back student loans.

BSU anthology seeks creative women writers

"Dust and Fire," an anthology of creative works by women and published by the Women's Center and Women's Studies Program at Bemidji State University, is seeking submissions of poetry, letters, diaries, memoirs and narratives for the 1996 edition.

Manuscripts must be typed, can be no longer than 1,000 words in length, and no more than three works can be submitted by any one writer. Submissions must include the name, address and a brief biography of the writer, and a stamped, self-addressed envelope for acceptance notification. Submitted material will not be returned.

Send submissions to: Women's Resource Center, Hobson Memorial Union, Bemidji State University, 1500 Birchmont Drive NE, Bemidji, MN 56601-2699. For more information call 218-755-2827.

Clifford chairs Mt. St. Benedict Foundation

Dr. Thomas Clifford, former president of the University of North Dakota in Grand Forks, has accepted the volunteer position of honorary chair for the Mount St. Benedict Foundation at Crookston.

The foundation has been established "to provide an opportunity for the general public to participate in the Benedictine Sisters' mission."

Dr. Clifford will speak at campaign public engagements on behalf of the Benedictine Sisters and provide leadership skills, experience and talents to assist with the overall activities of the foundation.

License exams for Plumbers set for March

Examinations for state journeymen and master plumber's licenses, and water conditioning installer and contractor licenses, will be conducted in March at four locations: the Albert Lea National Guard Armory, the Detroit Lakes National Guard Armory, Duluth Technical College, and North Hennepin Community College in Brooklyn Park.

Applications may be obtained by calling (612) 215-0836 or by writing to the Plumbing Unit, Minnesota Department of Health, 121 East Seventh Place/Suite 220, Box 64975, St. Paul 55164-0975. Applications must be returned by February 15 to be eligible for the March examinations.

The next scheduled examinations will be given in September.

Ingrid Morken, daughter of David and Mary Morken of Thief River Falls and a graduate of Lincoln high school, is pictured in India where she spent the fall semester in the study abroad program of Gustavus Adolphus College. A junior at Gustavus, Ingrid studied in Madras, India. Each year about 200 students participate in the college's study abroad programs and approximately 35 per cent of all graduating seniors have had a study abroad experience. The study programs are available in Australia, Austria, Belgium, Colombia, Dominican Republic, England, France, Ghana, Greece, Hungary, India, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Kenya, Mexico, Namibia, Nepal, New Zealand, Russia, Scotland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Zimbabwe.

Jeff Hitland, president of the SnowDrifters snowmobile club in Thief River Falls, was presented a More Progress Award from the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce for the club's efforts in connecting groomed Thief River Falls' snowmobile trails to Middle River trails. Hitland said the club worked closely with the Middle River Jaycees. As a result of their work, the Thief River Falls' trail groomer will groom trails north of Middle River, which now connects the Thief River Falls and Middle River system to the Roseau system. Maps of the trails will soon be available at local businesses and the Thief River Falls Chamber of Commerce. Hitland (center), is pictured with Norm Wessink, chamber ambassador, and Holly Haugen, chamber ambassador.

County highway departments ask help with snow

County highway department officers have asked residents of their counties to do their part in making roads safer for everyone's travel this winter—and obeying the law.

The officials note that it is illegal as well as dangerous to put snow on county highways by plowing, blowing, shoveling or any other means. Putting snow on a county highway can subject both the property owner and the person putting the snow on the roadway to civil liability if a road hazard occurs that causes a traffic accident.

"We ask that all citizens obey these rules that are designed to keep highways safe during the winter months," the officials stated.

Gatzke

Monday Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Engevik motored to Roseau and visited at the Senior Citizen Center.

Darren and Emily Larson and Bennett of Anoka have been recent visitors at the Karyl Larson home.

Saturday afternoon Dale Rogers and a friend Eric of Minneapolis and Dan Rogers of Texas visited at the Gene Peterson home.

Friday Jay Neppl of Breckenridge, Mrs. Godfrey Friedt and Mary of Rochester, Paul and Anita Polansky of Holton, KS were dinner guests at the Ray Scott home in Red Lake Falls.

Tri-Valley bus schedule set for December 25-29

The Tri-Valley Heartland Express has released its schedule for the week of December 25 through December 29. All riders are welcome and the buses are fully accessible. Call 1-800-584-7020 for your local coordinator.

Monday, December 25
HOLIDAY

Tuesday, December 26
Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Destination Grand Forks 10:45 a.m. Departs Winger at 8:30 with stops in Fertile 8:45, Red Lake Falls 9:20, Gentilly 9:35, Crookston 9:50, Fisher 10:20 and East Grand Forks 11:15.

Marshall County Bus: Destination Grand Forks 10 a.m. Departs Stephen at 8:30 with stops in Argyle 8:45, Warren 9, Alvarado 9:20 and Oslo 9:30.

Wednesday, December 27
Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Destination Thief River Falls 11 a.m. Bus departs Crookston at 8 a.m. with stops in Mentor 8:30, Erskine 8:45, McIntosh 8:55, Gully 9:30, Trail 9:45, Oklee 10:05, Brooks 10:15 and Plummer 10:30.

Marshall County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thursday, December 28
Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Crookston.

Marshall County Bus: Destination Thief River Falls 9:00 a.m. Departs Strandquist at 8 a.m. with stops in Newfolden 8:15 and Holt 8:40.

Friday, December 29
Polk/Red Lake County Bus: Destination Thief River Falls 11:35 a.m. Departs Gully at 9:15 with stops in Trail 9:25, Oklee 9:50, Plummer 10:15 and Red Lake Falls 10:45.

Marshall County Bus: Transportation city-wide in Warren beginning at 10 a.m.

Thief River Falls has city-wide routes and handicapped accessible Dial-a-Ride services Monday through Friday by calling 681-6760.

All routes return the same day. Please call ahead to reserve your place on the bus.

Reiner

Edgar and Dorothy Miller visited at the Kenny Coan home on Monday evening. Gary Miller visited at the Kenny Coan home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller visited Signe Miller at the Nursing Home in Moorhead on Wednesday, December 6th! Signe Miller is now a resident at the CNC Unit at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls and feeling much better!

"Happy Birthday" to Dolores Keim of Lakota, ND who celebrated her birthday on December 12th.

Brooks

Willard and Shirley Hince of Thief River Falls, Evangeline Grove and Diane Planto were Sunday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince.

Greg and Donna Porontoou and boys of Crookston were weekend guests of his parents Marc and Connie Porontoou.

Wesley and Carolyn Myhro hosted a dinner party Sunday evening with Mrs. Dorothy Myhro, Clayton and Boo Lorson of Plummer, Wally and Mario Saogor of Red Lake Falls as guest.

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WANTED- Remodeling and building projects, J & F Building and Remodeling Contractors, 681-7302 or 469-0421. 8t103p

SNOW REMOVAL- I have a 1995 Hydra-Mac, TRF area, 681-8740. 2t102p

Lawn & Garden

FOR SALE- Arions, Lawn-Boy, and Toro lawn and garden equipment. Used equipment. Hamm's Repair, Warren, MN 745-4296. T50dc

Help Wanted

DRIVERS AND DRIVER TRAINEES needed for expansion?? We train. Burlington Motor Carriers DTDTB. Call 1-800-332-7415. Tuition reimbursement, excellent pay, pkg. + benefits. $30K+ 1st yr. $40K+ 2nd yr. 4tfc

HELP WANTED- Full and part time positions open on dairy farm. 253-2767. Red Lake Falls. P41101p

HELP WANTED- Immediate opening for temporary secretary/bookkeeper. Send resume to P.O. Box 326, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. 2t103c

HELP WANTED- Limousine driver needed. Must have perfect driving record. Call 681-4320. 97tfc

HELP WANTED- Licensed Practical Nurses. Part time 56.74 hours per two week pay period. Benefit package available. Every other weekend, combination of shifts available. Oakland Park Nursing Home. TRF. Equal Opportunity Employer. 85tfc

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HELP WANTED- Earn up to $500.00 per week assembling products at home. No experience. Info 1-504-848-1700 Dept. MN-8345. 4t104p

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LOST- One freighter sled between Thief River Falls and Warroad Estates, $50.00 reward. Kenneth Berg, 681-1579. 1t101f

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Northland Community and Technical College currently has a vacancy for a Safety & Health Compliance Coordinator/Instructor in Custom Training continuing Education. The position is full-time seasonal from September-June each fiscal year, with an appointment date of January 29, 1996. Position qualification: post secondary diploma or two year degree and experience as follows: 1) Three years experience as a Safety/Health coordinator of business or industry. 2) MSHA certified instructor. 3) Experience in conducting safety audits, writing safety programs, and dealing with OSHA contestations. 4) Working knowledge of Code of Federal Regulations 1910 and 1926. Starting hourly rate of $12.72 (range $12.72-16.60), plus excellent benefit package. Interested candidates are to submit a letter of application, resume, and transcripts to Northland Community and Technical College, Becky Holthusen, Director of Human Resources, 1101 Highway One East, Thief River Falls, MN 56701. Applications must be received by 4:30 p.m. on January 3, 1996. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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FOR SALE- Frigidaire double oven stove, (top and bottom oven), call 681-1402. 97tfe

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Public Notices

RADAR RUN

Radar Run and Mini Cross Country, Dec. 23rd, 9:30-4:30, Seegers Dam, Red Lake Falls, 253-4381 or 253-4481, all events timed. 2t102p

CARD OF THANKS

Inez and I wish to extend our sincere thanks to all who sent the many cards and for all the many phone calls during the hospital stay and treatment at Dakota Hospital in Fargo. Thanks also to the doctors and nurses at Northwest Medical Center and Dakota clinic and hospital at Fargo, and to Pastor Rothchild of St. John church for his many visits.

God Bless
Merry Christmas
Thank You
Inez and Ray Olson

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone who came to my 90th Birthday Party. Thanks to all who sent cards, gifts and their best wishes. Thanks to those who were in the program, Bryan, Vernon, Jodi and the great-grandchildren and Pastor Johnson. Thank you to my children and their families who put the party on. God Bless you all.

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1985 FORD 4x4, Ext. cab XLT Lariat, loaded, 351, some rust, 119,999, $4,750.00, 681-4623. P41192p

FOR SALE- 1988 Mercury Sable, very good condition, call 964-5725 after 6 p.m. P41102p

FOR SALE- 1982 Ford F-150, new battery, tires, more. Also, 1993 580 ZR, cover, 218-681-2414. P41103p

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FOR SALE- 1993 Arctic 580 ZR, excellent condition, cover. Also, 1982 Ford F-150, 218-681-2414. P41102p

FOR SALE- 1992 Arctic Cat Prowler, 1,200 miles, asking $2,800.00. Also, 1993 Arctic Cat Jag 2 440, 378 miles, $3,000.00. Call 681-2458. 98tfc

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FOR SALE- 1990 Arctic Cat Cougar, carbides, studs, handwarmers, cover, nice. Asking $2,150.00, call 681-8777. P41104p

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Legal Notices

December 20, 1995
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
November 27, 1995, 7:00 p.m.
S O S C Conference Room A

A Regular Board Meeting of Independent School District #564 was held on Monday, November 27, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Hank Hallstrom, Dennis Kasow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee, and Darla Twomey. Also present was Mark Hinckley, Superintendent of Schools.

Vice Chairperson Carl Clark called the meeting to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

A motion was made by H. Hallstrom and seconded by D. Twomey to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

The November 1 Enrollment Report was distributed and briefly discussed.

The Prowler Girls Tennis Team was recognized for being named 1995 State Academic Champions for Region 8AA as were the following individual students for being named to Academic All-State Teams: Keith Anderson, Football; Kendra Dirsch, Volleyball; and Becky Mooney, Cross-Country.

The Board thanked the VFW Post 2780 for their donation of $250 for next summer's German trip, Domino's Pizza for donating $99 from their Halloween Promotion to the Chemical Awareness Program, and Dan Shalland for donating WordPerfect 6.1 software to the district.

Lincoln Science Teacher Patti Johnson was recognized for receiving the Environmental Education Award from the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

The Board expressed some of their ideas for possible presentations at future Board meetings.

Carl Clark reported on behalf of the Board Negotiating Team indicating the Team had met with the teachers two weeks ago and were scheduled to meet again this week and next. Both groups are working on a goal of finalizing the contract before the Christmas holiday.

Darla Twomey reported that representatives of the Multi-Events Cultural Center are scheduled to present a scaled-down version of the center to the Legislature this week.

Jean Larson and Cheryl Lee reported on behalf of the Community Education Advisory Council noting issues discussed included budget, youth development, SCANS skills, and the Centennial Kick-Off Celebration scheduled for January 1.

PER Committee representative Cheryl Lee reported the committee reviewed the Health Curriculum textbook purchases and heard a report on Medical Careers at their last meeting.

Hank Hallstrom referred to minutes of the last Northwest ECSU Board meeting which were distributed.

Business Manager Harry Nelson presented the 1995-96 revised budget for approval and reviewed the need to advertise for bids to purchase buses. Harry also updated the Board on what is currently happening with the drainage ditch problems at Challenger.

A motion was made by L. Belmont and seconded by J. Larson to approve the Minutes of the November 13, 1995, Special and Regular Board Meetings and the November 16, 1995, Special Board Inservice as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by L. Belmont and seconded by J. Larson to approve the bills as submitted and on file in the School District Business Office. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by L. Belmont and seconded by J. Larson to accept the resignation of Joan King as Cleaner in the District effective November 2, 1995. Motion carried unanimously.

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The next Regular Meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 11, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

Board members were reminded of the Tax Levy Hearing scheduled for Thursday, November 30, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in the School District Service Center.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.
-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
-s- Carl A. Clark, Vice Chairperson

TRUTH IN TAXATION HEARING
November 30, 1995, 7:00 p.m.
S O S C Conference Room A

The Truth in Taxation Hearing of Independent School District #564 was held on Thursday, November 30, 1995, at 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the School District Service Center.

The following Board members were present: Larry Belmont, Carl Clark, Hank Hallstrom, Dennis Kasow, Jean Larson, Cheryl Lee and Darla Twomey. Also present were Mark Hinckley, Superintendent, and Harry Nelson, Business Manager.

Chairperson Dennis Kasow called the hearing to order and Clerk Darla Twomey established that a quorum was present.

A video presentation was given.

Business Manager Harry Nelson reviewed the 1995-96 budget.

The preliminary 1995 Payable 1996 Levy was reviewed and discussed.

The 1995 Payable 1996 Levy will be adopted at the December 11, 1995, Regular Board Meeting.

The Hearing adjourned at 7:45 p.m.
-s- Darla Twomey, Clerk
Dennis Kasow, Chairperson

December 13, 20, 1995
STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY COURT
PROBATE DIVISION
Court File No. ______
In Re: Estate of Mabel Sigerud, Deceased.

ORDER AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADJUDICATION OF INTESTACY, DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP AND APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE IN SUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

It is Ordered and Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of December, 1995, at 10:15 o'clock A.M., a hearing will be held in the above named Court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the adjudication of intestacy and determination of heirship and for the appointment of Larry Sigerud, whose address is RR 2, Box 184, Goodridge, Minnesota 56725 as personal representative of the estate of the above named decedent in supervised administration, and that any objections thereto must be filed with the court. That, if proper, and no objections are filed, said personal representative will be appointed to administer the estate, to collect all assets, pay all legal debts, claims, taxes and expenses, and sell real and personal property, and do all necessary acts for the estate. Upon completion of the administration, the representative shall file a final account for the allowance and shall distribute the estate to the persons thereunto entitled as ordered by the Court, and close the estate.

Notice is further given that ALL CREDITORS having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said personal representative or to the Clerk of the Court within four months after the date of this notice or said claims will be barred.

Dated: 12/4/95
(COURT SEAL)
L.B. Jorgenson, Judge
-s- Barbara Beno
Acting Court Administrator

John C. Novacek
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 494
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(218) 681-4956
Attorney I.D. No. 80010

December 20, 27, 1995
PURCHASE OF DIESEL TRUCK WITH REFUSE PACKER BIDS CLOSE
January 16, 1996
Thief River Falls, MN
Advertisement For Bids

The City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of: ONE (1) NEW DIESEL TRUCK CHASSIS WITH REAR LOADING, HEAVY DUTY, REFUSE PACKER BODY for the Sanitation Department.

Bids will be received until 10:00 a.m. on the 16th Day of January, 1996, at the City Administrator's Office, 123 Main Avenue North, Thief River Falls, MN 56701, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bid forms shall be secured at the office of the Public Works Director, Box 528, 324 East Second Street, Thief River Falls, Minnesota 56701.

Bids must be submitted on the furnished bid forms.

Bids must be accompanied by a bidders guarantee to the City of Thief River Falls in an amount equal to, but not less than, 5% of the total amount bid for the new truck and packer.

The Thief River Falls City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or parts of bids, and to waive informalities therein, and further reserves the right to award the contract in the best interest of the City.

DATED: December 15, 1995
CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA
Roger DeLap
City administrator

December 20, 27, 1995
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
PB 96-209

The State of Minnesota, Department of Natural Resources, Region 1, will receive sealed bids for the installation of a new high efficiency LP gas furnace at the Assistant Manager's Residence, Bldg. #1-023, Red Lake Wildlife Management Area (Norris Camp), Lake of the Woods County, Minnesota.

Bids will be accepted until 3:00 P.M., January 4, 1996 at Field Services Region 1, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, 2115 Birchmont Beach Rd. N.E., Bemidji, MN 56601, (218) 755-2019. Bids received will be opened and read aloud at the above noted date, time and place.

Bid forms, plans and specifications will be available from Field Services in Bemidji. You can get a bid package by calling or visiting the address listed above.

The State of Minnesota, Department of Natural Resources, Region 1, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in the bidding.

December 6, 13, 20, 1995
NOTICE

The deposition of any deleterious materials (such as snow) on public roadways is a misdemeanor and punishable under the laws of this state. In an effort to avoid any confrontation with the law and offer the traveling public the greatest possible degree of safety, we urge to refrain from littering public roadways.

The adjoining landowner to a public thoroughfare is responsible for that segment of road. In the event such misdemeanors are noted and reported to the County Engineer's Office, corrective action must be exercised. In the event the accused landowner fails to take immediate corrective action, County Forces will be employed to initiate safety measures and costs for such effort charged to the respective landowner.

Further clarification of this matter can be obtained by contacting the County Engineer's Office.

December 20, 27, 1995, January 3, 1996
CITY PROJECTS – BIDS CLOSE
January 18, 1996
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS – Sealed proposals will be RECEIVED until 11:00 A.M., January 18, 1996 by Roger DeLap, City Administrator of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on behalf of the Commissioner of Transportation as agent for said City for the construction of the city project listed below. Proposals will be opened and read publicly by the Commissioner of Transportation or his representative at the City Hall in Thief River Falls, Minnesota, immediately after the hour set for receiving bids.

Minimum wage rates to be paid by the Contractors have been predetermined and are subject to the Work Hours Act of 1962, P.L. 87-581 and implementing regulations.

READ CAREFULLY THE WAGE SCALES AND DIVISION A OF THE SPECIAL PROVISIONS AS THEY AFFECT THIS PROJECT

The Minnesota Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Act) as amended and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Subtitle A, Part 21, Non-discrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation, it will affirmatively assure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded maximum opportunity to participate and/or to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, disability, age, religion, sex or national origin in consideration for an award.

In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, and Title 23, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 230 Subpart A-Equal Employment Opportunity on Federal and Federal-Aid Construction Contracts (including supportive services), it will affirmatively assure increased participation of minority groups and disadvantaged persons and women in all phases of the highway construction industry, and that on any project constructed pursuant to this advertisement equal employment opportunity will be provided to all persons without regard to their race, color, disability, age, religion, sex or national origin;

In accordance with the Minnesota Human Rights Act, Minnesota Statute 363.03 Unfair discriminatory Practices, it will affirmatively assure that on any project constructed pursuant to this advertisement equal employment opportunity will be offered to all persons without regard to race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, status with regard to public assistance, membership or activity in a local commission, disability, sexual orientation, or age.

In accordance with the Minnesota Human Rights Act, Minnesota Statute 363.073 Certificates of Compliance for Public Contracts, and 363.074 Rules for Certificates of Compliance, it will assure that appropriate parties to any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement possess valid Certificates of Compliance.

If you are not a current holder of a compliance certificate issued by the Minnesota Department of Human Rights and intend to bid on any job in this advertisement you must contact the Department of Human Rights immediately for assistance in obtaining a certificate.

The following notice from the Minnesota Department of Human Rights applies to all contractors:

"It is hereby agreed between the parties that Minnesota Statute, section 363.073 and Minnesota Rules, parts 5000.3400 to 5000.3600 are incorporated into any contract between these parties based on this specification or any modification of it. A copy of Minnesota Statute 363.073 and Minnesota Rules, parts 5000.3400 to 5000.3600 is available upon request from the contracting agency."

"It is hereby agreed between the parties that this agency will require affirmative action requirements be met by contractors in relation to Minnesota Statutes 363.073 and Minnesota Rules 5000.3600. Failure by a contractor to implement an affirmative action plan or make a good faith effort shall result in revocation of its certificate or revocation of the contract (Minnesota Statute 363.073, Subd. 2 and 3)".

Construct Bridge No. 57519 (200 x 10.0 Foot Steel Half Through Solid Rib Arch), Modular Block Retaining Wall, and Concrete Sidewalk

S.P. 170-080-02 (Ped/Bike Bridge), Minnesota Project NO. TEA 5795 (094) length 0.048 mile, located over Red Lake River, Riverside Avenue to Columbia Avenue, in Thief River Falls. The major items of work are 551 sq. ft. of Modular Block Retaining Wall, 1,723 sq. ft. of Concrete Sidewalk and Construct Bridge No. 57519.

Item	Counter Price
Plans and 1 Proposal	$17.25
Proposals, only per copy	$12.00

Proposals, plans and specifications may be examined and secured in Room B-9 of the Minnesota Department of Transportation Building, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155. The City Engineer of Thief River Falls, Minnesota will have copies of the above for examination only.

REQUESTS FOR PLANS AND PROPOSALS MAY BE SUBMITTED ON CONSTRUCTION FORM NO. 21120 OR ON COMPANY LETTERHEAD, AND MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY CHECK, DRAFT OR MONEY ORDER, PAYABLE TO THE COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORTATION. ALL MAIL ORDERS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO PLANS AND PROPOSALS, 395 JOHN IRELAND BOULEVARD, MAIL STOP 684, ST. PAUL, MN 55155.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check made payable to the Commissioner of Transportation, or a corporate surety bond made in favor of the State of Minnesota in an amount as designated on the proposal form.

PLEASE NOTE
7% MINNESOTA SALES TAX MUST BE INCLUDED ON ALL COUNTER PURCHASES AND MAIL ORDERS WITHIN ST. PAUL. A 6.5% SALES TAX MUST BE INCLUDED ON ALL ORDERS SHIPPED TO POINTS IN MINNESOTA.
COUNTER PURCHASES MAY BE MADE BETWEEN 7:30 AM AND 4:00 PM.
James N. Denn
Commissioner of Transportation

November 22, 29, December 6, 13, 20, 27, 1995
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Date: November 8, 1995
YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

1. Default has occurred in the conditions of the Mortgage dated September 10, 1979, executed by Merle L. Lundeen, also known as Merle Lundeen, and Armilla M. Lundeen, also known as Armilla Lundeen, husband and wife, as Mortgagor(s), to The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, formerly known as Farm Credit Bank of St. Paul, now known as AgriBank, FCB, as Mortgagee(s), and filed for record September 20, 1979, as Document Number 109602 (or in Book 160 of Records Page 90), in the Office of the (County Recorder) of Pennington County, Minnesota. The land described in the Mortgage (is not) registered land.

2. The Mortgage has been assigned as follows: N.A.

3. The original principal amount secured by the Mortgage was $100,000.00.

4. No action or proceeding at law is now pending to recover the debt secured by the Mortgage, or any part thereof.

5. The holder of the Mortgage has complied with all conditions precedent to acceleration of the debt secured by the Mortgage and foreclosure of the Mortgage, and all notice and other requirements of applicable statutes.

6. At the date of this notice the amount due on the Mortgage, and taxes, if any paid by the holder of the Mortgage is "One Hundred Twenty-three Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-nine and 85/100 ($123,389.85) Dollars".

7. Pursuant to the power of sale in the Mortgage, the Mortgage will be foreclosed and the land described as follows: S1/2 Sec. 14, T152N, R40W, SE 1/4 Sec. 15, T152N, R40W, will be sold by the County Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public auction on January 9, 1996, at 10:00 a.m., at the Pennington County Law Enforcement Center in Thief River Falls.

8. The time allowed by law for redemption by Mortgagor(s) or Mortgagor's personal representatives or assigns is twelve (12) months after the date of sale.

9. THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED.

AgriBank, FCB, formerly known as Farm Credit Bank of St. Paul and also as the Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul
Attorney(s) for Mortgagee or Assignee of Mortgage:
Robert W. Orseth, Association Counsel for AgriBank, FCB
1749 38th Street SW
Box 6020
Fargo, ND 58108-6020
Robert W. Orseth
MORTGAGEE OR ASSIGNEE OF MORTGAGE
Robert W. Orseth, Association Counsel of AgriBank, FCB

Newfolden

Tuesday evening, Harvey Skyberg visited and enjoyed coffee with Curt and Elaine Thompson.

Sunday dinner guests at the Jason Erickson home were Mark and Jann Schaumberg and Matt, Milton and Beverly Erickson. Dean Anderson and Jill visited there in the afternoon.

Curt Thompson visited and enjoyed coffee with Olga Thompson and Emma Kamman.

Star News

Jean Johnson and her children Jessica, Michelle and Monica were supper guests on Sunday evening at the Clarence Johnson home.

Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and lunch guests at the Obert Hovet home.

Michelle Johnson was an overnight guest on Sunday with her Grandmother Mayme Johnson.

Jean Johnson, Jessica, Michelle and Monica were visitors and supper guests Tuesday evening at the Clarence Johnson home.

A product party was held on Sunday afternoon at the Jean Johnson home. Those who attended the party were Agnes Eidelbos and granddaughter Michelle Eidelbos, Joyce Burkel and Colest Leech both of Thief River Falls, Cheryl Wallman, Renae Bjorklie and Marie Adams.

Mrs. Howard Hanson and Dean of Trail and Lorraine Watne were visitors at the Lowell Watne were visitors at the Lowell Watne home in Grygla on Sunday night.

Thursday, Mrs. Gene Morquis and June Johnson were shoppers in Thief River Falls.

Sunday night, Joan Johnson and Jessica attended the Christmas program held at the Faith Lutheran church in Goodridge. Jenny, Jesse and Zand Howk took part in the program.

Lorraine Watne went to Grygla to attend the headstart for grandparents at the school in Grygla on Monday. Her granddaughter Brittony Watne is one of the pupils in headstart.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kotrba and Tiara and Dann Adams were visitors and supper guests at the Norman Adams home.

Brian Solberg was a caller during the week at the Bruce Solberg home.

Norman Adams and Darin were brief callers at the Larry Kotrba home on Saturday.

Friday, Lawrence Kloven of Cook called and visited by phone with his sister Mrs. Clayton Johnsrud.

Donnie Jansen and Mary were callers on Saturday at the June Johnson home.

Mrs. Vernon Iverson was among others that attended the Ladies Aid Christmas party held at the Ekelund Lutheran church. A potluck lunch was enjoyed by all. There was also an exchange of Christmas gifts on Monday.

Monday night Agnes Eidelbos visited by phone with her daughter Mrs. Harry DeBoer of Spring Lake Park.

Kelly Oehlen was a brief caller at the Obert Hovet home on Saturday.

Coffee guests during the week at the Leonard Johnson home were Dela Anderson, David Oehlen, Vernon Iverson and Kelly Oehlen.

Elva Fiedler went to Christmas on the prairie on Tuesday at the Senior Center in Goodridge.

Jean Johnson and Dolly Kainz were shoppers in Grand Forks on Thursday evening.

Sunday evening Alison and Eric Bjorklie and Don Moen were brief callers at the Gene Morquis home.

Mayme Johnson was a breakfast guest at the Jean Johnson home on Sunday.

Plummer News

Effie Byer
[illegible]-4378

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Grinde of Spring Grove arrived Thanksgiving morning to spend time at her parents, Carl and Joyce Magers. They returned to their home on Sunday.

Elizabeth Hamilton, Brian and Kevin arrived Wednesday evening at the home of her sister, Joyce and Carl Magers. They returned to Bloomington Sunday.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gary LaCrosse on Thanksgiving Day were Joe Willett and [illegible] of Oklee, [illegible] Willett of Oakland Park Nursing Home, Thief River Falls, Eileen Olson of Oklee, Carl, Joyce and Kimberly Magers of Plummer, Chad Schmitz of Thief River Falls, Elizabeth Hamilton, Brian and Kevin of Bloomington, Carrie Willett, Dustin and Nicole of [illegible], Shannon Willett of East Grand Forks, Tom Willett and family, Dan Willett and family of Warroad, Doug and Jessie Willett and Sarah and Wade Grinde of Spring Grove.

Afternoon guests on Thanksgiving Day at the Walter [illegible] home were Carl, Joyce and Kimberly Magers of Plummer, Chad Schmitz of Red Lake Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Grinde of Spring Grove.

Thursday, Jean Mott and Amelia Eskeli accompanied Pastor Johnson of Immanuel Lutheran church to Hillcrest Nursing home in Red Lake Falls for their monthly church service.

Thanksgiving guests at the home of Carol and Jerry Gerardy were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wallberg of Apple Valley, David Gerardy and friend Bonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Hoard of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Mike LaSalle and family of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. M. Konickson of Thief River Falls, Tammy and Josh Gerardy, Thief River Falls, Charles Gerardy of Thief River Falls, Kevin and friend Lisa of Thief River Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gerardy of Fargo, ND.

Sunday coffee guests of Amanda Eskeli were Eddie Eskeli and Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Sunday guests of Edna Haydin were Karen Edon and Karl Vigstol and Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Dinner guests at Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gerardy's Sunday were Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wallberg of Apple Valley, Mr. and Mrs. John Wallberg of Thief River Falls, Tammy and Josh and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gerardy of Plummer.

Great Visit

Evelyn Albert spent a week visiting her daughter, Renae in Minnetonka.

Happy Birthday From Finland

Konickson celebrated her birthday Monday with 22 relatives and friends. She had two long distance phone calls from relatives in Finland to wish her many more happy birthdays.

A happy birthday goes out to Kelly Krueger who celebrated her birthday on Monday. Kelly is the daughter of Ron and Kathy Juneau.

Note From Our Mayor

Mayor John Holley would like to thank all of the people that sent prayers, cards, called and went to see him while he was in the hospital. A big thanks goes out to the side of Plummer [illegible] and the American Legion and Auxiliary for their support.

Birthday Party For Jacob

Sunday was a great day for Jacob Malwitz. At his home a great celebration took place to observe his fourth birthday. Dad (Kevin) was host and Mom (Gail) was the hostess and served a delicious lunch and then birthday cake. Other guests were sister Megan, grandma Doris Malwitz, Sharon Beron, Amy and Dan Donovan and Barb Cullins, Wayne and Vicky Malwitz, Wondine, Gertyce and Bruce Esker.

Welcome Home, Bunny

Wednesday, Bunny DuChamp arrived back home to Plummer. Bunny ended her 12 day stay at the home of her son, Lenny and daughter-in-law Mary DuChamp in Washington state. The days were filled with fun and laughter. While there Bunny had a nice visit with her sister-in-law Sheila Nesland of Castle Rock, WA. Ray and Alyce Ste. Marie came to visit Bunny and had a great time. Ray and Alyce are living in Seattle, WA and send a hello to all in Plummer.

Homemaker's Christmas Party

On Thursday the Plummer hall was the place to be. At the hall was held the annual Red Lake Falls County Homemakers Christmas Party and the Plummer-Brooks Hollyhocks group was host. The party was small because of the bad weather, but lots of fun was had by all. Our county coordinator Jeanne [illegible], our county president Linda Tayle, Mayor John Holley and wife, Plummer homemaker groups from all over the county and guests. There was readings, group singing, fun contests, accordian playing by Florence Twight and three Hee Haw girls – Edna Tayle, Rosemary Eskeli and Debbie [illegible]. There was a white elephant sale. Each group gave a Christmas table centerpiece. Christmas gifts were exchanged and a great lunch was served. A special thanks goes out to Evelyn Glass of the Lake Pleasance homemakers for a lovely reading and to the Buzzel Dozen for their fun Christmas game. The homemakers have two purposes: Education through monthly programs planned by the groups for the entire year, and sociability over coffee, community projects, sharing homemaker ideas, skills and meeting new people.

Christmas Musical

Many people enjoyed the Christmas musical put on by the children of Plummer school on Monday night. The musical was "The Return Of The Star" and all in it was great! How fortunate we are to have Mrs. Joy Ann Dahl as one of Plummer's many, many talented teachers. Mrs. Dahl is the music teacher. The Kindergarten did a great program as follows: "I'm A Little Snowman," "Up On The Housetop," "Ring Those Bells," and "The Reindeer Hokey Pokey."

Laverne Keppedal was at the VA hospital in North Dakota for five days. Laverne had an operation. He would like to thank all the people that called and helped he and his family through. He is doing good now. So nice to have people helping people.

St. Barnard's students in grades 1 through 5 will present Angels Aware after a kindergarten and pre-kindergarten concert 7 p.m. Wednesday, December 20 at the church in Thief River Falls. The concert is under the direction of Pauly Schmaltz and Laura Brickson.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Willie Good called at the Orben Good home Sunday afternoon.

Stanley Erickson and Ethel Johnson of Goodridge visited at the Willie Good home on Thursday.

David Dahlen called there on Monday as he was around with the snow plow and opened up blocked driveways.

Those that came to the Gary Johnson home last week to celebrate Sharron's birthday was Beate Mickelson. She called there on Sunday. Lois Burstad and Grace Hammer called on Monday and Ardith Kloth and Ida Haugen called there on Wednesday. She also received birthday greetings by phone for Bradley and family in Jamestown, ND and Robyn and family of Richfield. Sharron received nice gifts and cards from her guests and they all were served birthday cake. Happy Birthday Sharron!

Edna Hawk of Issaquah, WA came by plane to Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon. The plane was laid over in the Twin Cities due to the snow storm Friday. Lois Burstad met Edna at the airport and took her to her mom's home, Ida Haugen. She will spend a week visiting relatives in the area.

Company at the Ida Haugen home on Sunday afternoon were Lois Burstad, Mishawn Shaski, Linda and Bud Homme and Edna Hawk. They also were supper guests there.

Gary and Sharron Johnson enjoyed a visit by phone from Orrin Haugen of Hibbing one day last week. Ida Haugen enjoyed a phone called from Orrin on Saturday and from Clara Peterson on Sunday.

David Arvpson and Kyle visited at the Ernest Mostrom home on Sunday. Jane Good and Orville Christianson also called there during the week.

Trail Community News

Mrs. Albert Aaknes
268-4542

Doris Evje and Darren of Fosston were brief callers on Rose Aaknes on Thursday afternoon.

Howard and Sylvia Flataland attended the parish meeting at Nazareth Church on Thursday evening.

Tanner Howard Flataland, son of Wesley and Barb Flataland, was baptized on Sunday, Dec. 3, at the Mt. Olive Church. Sponsors were David and Janet Bakke. Tanner Flataland is a grandson of Howard and Sylvia Flataland. After the baptism dinner guests at the Howard Flataland home were Pastor and Linda Lehmann, Oklee, Marvel and Virginia Flataland, Gordon Flataland and children, Wes and Barbara Flataland and children, David & Janet Bakke and children of Bagley and Judy Seyller and children.

Andy Seyller visited with Rose Aaknes on Thursday evening.

Mt. Olive Ladies Guild held there annual meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Rose Aaknes. Pastor Lehmann took the minutes for Sec. Kathy Bakke. It was decided that the Treasurer Rose Aaknes pay all bills. Pastor and Linda Lehmann were suppose to take a Christmas gift to Norma Carlson from the aid. Lunch money and 10% was given to the man. Annual report from the treasurer Rose Aaknes was read. They decided to house the same officers for the next two years. This is the last Ladies Guild meeting until April 1996. Lunch guests were Pastor and Linda Lehmann, Sylvia Flataland, Ruby Christianson and Rose Aaknes served the lunch.

Adeline Pravost of Oklee visited with Rose Aaknes on Thursday forenoon.

Around twelve ladies that attended the baby shower for Tanner Flataland, son of Wes and Barbara Flataland, at the Joyce Cala. On Sunday afternoon, Tanner received many gifts and cards. Joyce Ronning and Hazel Nelson served the lunch.

Sympathy goes out to the brothers and sister of Donald Weberg, 87, of Trail who died Friday, Dec. 8, 1995 at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Fargo, ND. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1995 at the Sand Valley Lutheran church in Trail.

The Trail auxiliary to VFW Post 6426 met Nov. 3, 1995 at 8:00 p.m. with six members present. Doris Evje junior vice presiding. Secretary and Treasurer reports were given, approved and placed on file. There were no bills presented. General orders #5 were read and all other communications. Committee reports were given. Grygla auxiliary reporting 100% membership paid.

Write Your Congressman

As of now the Department of Minnesota V.F.W. Auxiliary can no longer apply for cancer insurance because of change in state laws.

Community Activities

Do all you can to remind people, November marks the end of World War II. Remember the M.I.A. One body was recently returned to northern Minnesota. Keep the light alive. We received Health and Happiness Certificates from National Home.

M.M.S. to pay four Membership Dues

M.M.S. to give a $5.00 door prize at the Veteran's Day supper. M.M.S. to give $10.00 to Service Man's Center at Minneapolis/St. Paul airport. Given for cancer aid and research: $3.00 in memory of Bill Baurgo and $5.00 in memory of Bert Vigan from Leone Brekke.

Audit report was read and approved, meeting was adjourned to reopen Dec. 1 at 2:00 p.m. Potluck lunch with Irene Wisherd to bring raffle gift. Toni Schmit won the meeting drawing of $2.00. Hostesses were Irene Carlson and Delons Ringstad.

I would like to thank everyone who gave me the news in 1995, and also wish you all a "Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year."

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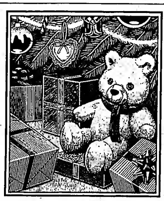
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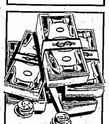
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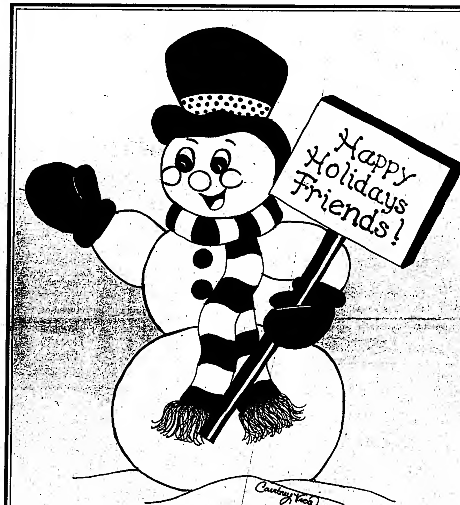

Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1995

SUPPLEMENT TO
The Times
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HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL!

Dear Santa,
I would like a go-cart My mom would like a new car My Dad would like a prowler cap My sister would like stuff for her hair My brother would like a sega nintendo I would also like new hockey gear I hope you eat and drink the cookies and milk I leve for you
Dylan Jahl

Dear Santa,
I want to see you. My brother wants a snowsuit. And I a doi house. And I want a paint set with stuf to paint with. And I want rolerblads. A jar of rings. I want a crown.
Anne Lawrence

Dear Santa,
I hoep you are fine. I wold like you to try to mak my brother be nice to me. And I want my size Barbie, and a jeep a play cor. Cuz I way 50 punds. and For my mom and Dad I want a toastor. and for my brother is a play jeep will good bye
Suzy Rosenbraun

We Wish You A Merry Christmas
And A Happy New Year!
Many thanks for your loyal support.
Jane's Beauty Shop

SEASON'S GREETINGS
The holidays are almost here, and we don't want to wait another minute to let everyone know how much we appreciate their business!
Thank you all
and happy holidays!
RAINBOW NURSERY

Best Wishes At Christmastime
May Christmas bring many blessings to you and yours. Thanks so much for your valued patronage.
The Jewel Box

Wishing You Every Happiness At Christmas
May peace, love, joy and good fortune, visit your home this holiday season. We would like to wish all our friends and customers a safe and happy holiday season.
Jim Dagg Insurance Agency

WE'RE PRESSED FOR TIME...
To wish you a really neat Christmas! We appreciate your patronage.
LAUNDRYLAND
1519 Hwy. 59 S.E.
Thief River Falls

Wherever you may go,
Amid the frost and snow,
It looks oh so pretty,
Across our fair city,
We're having such a great season,
And you good folks are the reason!
Thanks so much for your support and friendship!
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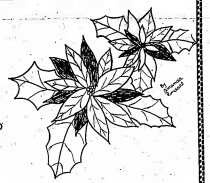
COUNT ON A GREAT CHRISTMAS

Here's hoping it all adds up to an outstanding season for all our friends and neighbors!
Richard, Tom, Michelle, Ray, Phyllis, Lee, Barb and Marion
ANDERSON, POISSANT & KAYS AND CO.
218-681-4287

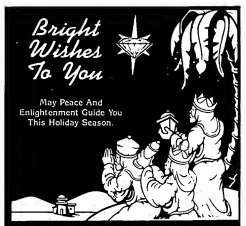
IT'S CHRISTMAS...
May Your Spirits Soar!
Our best wishes for a wonderful holiday.
VFW Post 2793

We'd like to join you and your family in praying for peace on earth this Christmas and wish you all the very best the season has to offer. Many thanks for your kind patronage.

Thief River Falls JCPenney

Season's Greetings
from
First National Bank
May all your hopes and dreams come true this holiday season and beyond.
Many thanks and Merry Christmas
Member FDIC

SEASON'S GREETINGS
May the warmth of the season be shared by you and yours.
We appreciate your valued patronage.
Merry Christmas, everyone!
EVERGREEN EATING EMPORIUM



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To our Friends and Customers:

The Magic of Christmas never ends. One of the truly great gifts are family and friends.

It is with pleasure that we pause from the usual routine of business to say Thank You to our Customers and Friends. We appreciate your business and extend our Best Wishes for a Joyous Holiday Season and Successful New Year.

Best wishes for a Happy Holiday Season and a Happy New Year!

ERL'S MARKET
Erl & Barb, Jeff & Julie
Mike & Nikki and Bradley

Joyous Noel

Toffee Cookies
Soda crackers (Keebler or Ritz or Waverly)
2 sticks margarine
1 cup brown sugar
12 oz. pkg. chocolate chips

Cover 10x15 inch pan with aluminum foil, shiny side up. Arrange soda crackers over pan (2 + 1/2 does it). Heat oven to 400 degrees. Melt margarine in a sauce pan, add brown sugar and boil 3 minutes. Pour over crackers and bake 3 minutes. Remove from oven, run it off. Sprinkle chips over hot cookie base, return to off and wait enough to melt spread chips, sprinkle with nuts. Score for easier cutting. Store on Refrigerate. Tastes like English Toffee.

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Cheese Potatoes
1 pint half & half (coffee rich)
2 large pkg. shredded sharp cheddar cheese
1/2 pound butter
2 pkg. frozen hash browns (not patties)

Heat cream, cheese, butter over low heat until melted. Thaw frozen potatoes in 9x13 pan. Salt, pepper and onion salt them. One hour before baking pour cheese to cover top of thawed potatoes. Do not mix. Save 1/2 pkg. of shredded cheese to sprinkle on top. Bake 1 hour at 350 degrees.

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Wishing all the best to our friends and neighbors, all over town! Thank you for your friendship and support.

Pennington Square Main Express

Peace On Earth

May the love of God smile upon you at Christmas.

Merry Christmas

Green Funeral Home, Inc.

Dear Santa,
I want a cry baby and My little brother want a toy gun for and My big brother a puppy.
Casey Knott

Dear Santa,
How are you? I am fine Thank you for camping barbie Last year something I want this year is jazy jewlery and my sister want a bayswatch Barbie, and my dad wants a snowcar and if they do get it they'll love you and they already Love you. Well good by if I stay a wake I'll seen you then.
Angie Noreen

Dear Santa,
I want you to drek the milk wane you get ther and I want a my size Barbie I want ya to give me a babby puppy and a dady cat and a Terry thing tot ya have well I gen I want a baby puppys and a baby mins and sum bells and a puppi off and give me a friend
Cassidy Linn

Dear Santa,
I would like a puma. My mom would like some nails. My dad would like a sweter. My sister would like a Barbe car. I would like a new helmet. I would like a super NES. p.s. How are your rane dear O I just about forget what shoud I lewe out for you.
Lucas Genereux

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the Gifts. I want a Quiz While. I want soem Barbie-tech toys. I want tie asses. I want a dog. I want a car. I want a parrot. I want a pistol. on my wall to look at.
Nathan Pedersen

Dear Santa,
I want a monster truck. I want a motor cycle. I want a genie. I want a arc on. I want a dinosaur. I want a magic carpet. I wanta a cein deer. I want to be the richest boy on the planet.
Leon McKenzie

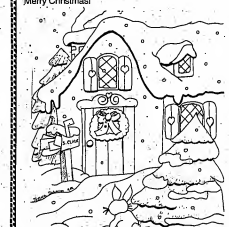
Dear Santa,
My cousin Jonathan wants some clothes. And my cousin Rebecca wants soye. I wants clothes and soys and 19 dollars and jean and a fish.
Trod E. Wagner

Dear Santa,
I want my own snowcat. Thader cat 900. Telephone shotgun
Andy Appel

Dear Santa,
Well my sister have a kitty cat and well she share. and well we get a good game. and well I get a red cat because my sister get a red and so can I have a red cat for Christmas and what well my mom and Dad get.
Justine Erickson

SEASONS GREETINGS
From Our Homes To Yours!

We hope your holiday season is really something to write home about! Enjoy all that the season has to offer with friends and family and plenty of good cheer. Merry Christmas!



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218-681-4960

Here's hoping that your holiday brings loads of contentment and many good things.
Thank you for your valued support.

Caulfield Studios

Dear Santa,
I want a dirt bike I want a new helmet I want a snowcat
Derek Hesse

Dear Santa,
Hi, Santa How are you I am fine. will you make my brother to be nice. My Mom wants a house. My Dad wants a flanel shirt. Me and my mom want a cat.
Stephanie Reuggeman

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my gifs last year I would like a snowcat and a go-cart and for my mom and dad I would like a biger hous with everything it has right now except biger and a big pool and gjoie stuf and 900 snowcat and a sega and for my mom and dad Chevrolet pickup Dodge mustang and 4 Tigerbirds
Jared Peterick

Dear Santa,
I like you because you are cool I want a remote control car and crisis cross crash and a hear cat and a sega game gear with road rash I was just wondering do you get sick of eating milk and cookies
Tyler Anderson

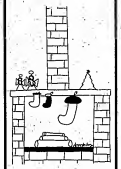
HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Wishing all the best to our friends and neighbors, all over town! Thank you for your friendship and support.

RUSTY NAIL

Tidings Of Comfort & Joy

May your Christmas be filled with all you hold dear. Thank you for helping to make our year.



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Wishing You A Holiday Of Abundant Joy!

FROM THE STAFF OF

FORSBERGS, INC.

Best Wishes For A Healthy Holiday Season

It's been our pleasure to be of service to you.

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1-800-649-8878 • FAX (218) 681-8218

Happy Holidays
ELDERLY BOARD & CARE
LONG OR SHORT TERM
Phone: 681-3286
523 Arnold Ave. South
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
Valley Home

Once Upon A Christmastime...
May you and yours enjoy a storybook season, and live happily ever after!
Falls Book Co.

In the tradition of Christmas cheer, we'd like to extend our sincere thanks for your friendship this past year. May your season abound with love.
CBC INC.
Serving People & Industry

Dear Santa,
I want the DL. Orendfulleb. I want bocad endove. I want a sigs vino gama.
Adam

Dear Santa,
I would like a go-cart. And I would like a JAG. And I would want you to get my Dad a new pickup. And can you get my Mom a new car. I would like you to get my sister a doll. And can you get my dog a bone. I want you to get my cat some Kitty treats. And I want a whole bunch of Hot Wheel cars.
Brady Stanley

Dear Santa,
I want a pair of ice skates I want a puppy dog I want a game I want a little Christmas tree
Patty Connole

Dear Santa,
I want a quiz-whiz. Grand champion. basketball game. basketball book. telephone in my room. Stuffed animal extinct. B-B gun. a parrot to talk with. a bat. a wolf. a fox a moose. a snake.
Casey Engelstad

Dear Santa,
I want a ZRT 900. I want every thing in. I want a puppy dog Merry Christmas.
Tyler Johnson

Dear Santa,
I would like some new clothing. and my mom wheadd like a watc and my brother would like a new toy. and my dad would Like a new van too. and my cat would like a new fix. and my other cat would like a mouse and my dog would like a bone.
Amanda Keefe

Dear Santa,
I want a snowcat and my grandpa n grandma wants and my mom wants a sleeping bag and my brother wants a lizard and my sister wants my size Barbies. and my grandpa wants a i cob ox.
Erin M. Fish

Dear Santa,
I want a nerf mix force razor beast and a football goal and black hockey gloves.
Tyler Holen

Dear Santa,
I am excited for Christmas. I would like an electric football game, Vikings garbage can and a dog football kit. My little sister wants baby check-up. It will be fun to be with all my family on Christmas. We can go snowmobiling and ride in the cat cutter.
Love
Corey LaSalle

Good Wishes All Season Long
Pennington County Recorder

However You Say It,
"Merry Christmas!"
Swanson TRAVEL
113 Third Street East
Thief River Falls, MN 56701

Dear Santa,
I want a snowbord for Christmas. and I want my family to get something in. and my Grandma to. and I whant a pair of choppers and a mad bomber hat. and a dirt bike. and a snow car a EXT 580. and a toy bat man. anything I don't need a toy. good by.
Tyler Carpenter

Dear Santa,
How are you? I'am fine. Thank you for the gifts. Once I got a teddy bear from you. How are the reindeer. My mom would like a dish washer. My dad would like a mad bomber hat. My sister would like a barbie house.
Rachel Selberg

Dear Santa,
Thank you for the Polly Pocket Thank you for the barbies. Christmas is my favorite holiday because it was Jesus birthday. I like what you gave me last year. I hope you will fill my stocking all the way up to the top. I hope I like the presents that you bring.
Sarah Ann Mattison

Dear Santa,
This year for Christmas I would like a Kitty cat, football, and an air pump for my bike.
Aaron Joppru

Dear Santa,
I want a snowcat, a remote control monster truck with 4 wheel drive.
I also want a pickup model, and a motorcycle bike with pedals on it. Also hot wheels trucks and cars, and candy, and a blue motorcycle.
Love
Lucas Eckstein

Hope Your CHRISTMAS is A Real BELL-RINGER!
With our thanks for your kind patronage.
Eagles Club

Enjoy a Delicious Holiday with Extra Helpings of Love!
Happy Holidays
PIZZA HUT

BEST HOLIDAY WISHES
PHILLIPS QUALITY GARDENS
Mike, Dawn, Justin, Becky, Krista

WITH WELL WISHES
May you and your loved ones be blessed with the gift of good health at Christmas and all year through.
Medicine Shoppe

May you and yours share much joy in this beautiful and loving season. Thanks so much for your friendship.
Dr. Hazard Veterinarian

REX CAFE

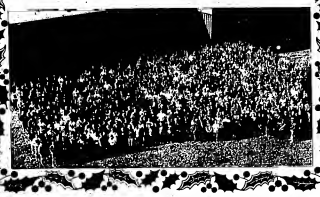
ALL THE BEST TO YOU!

FROM
TOM & THE CREW
ACE RENT-ALL

Season's Greetings From All Of Us To All Of You

ARCTIC CAT
World Class Snowmobiles

As the Christmas season grows near, we'd like to thank all of you for making our year. We appreciate your friendship and support.



Dear Santa,
I hope my grandpa gets better for Christmas. I want a lot of toys for Christmas. I want my family to always be together at Christmas and by the way, I was wondering if Rudolph still leads the sleigh. Your friend,
Love
McKenzie Comstock
I Love You Santa

Dear Santa,
I would like to get a remote control car, a diary, a dog, a spelling game for our computer, a puzzle, leather chopper mittens, and new boots
Lisa Dowers

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like computers, lip smackers, tape-recorder, babys lovers, Cinderella movie, and "the baby sitters club" book 2.
Hannah Bednarek

Dear Santa,
I would like a STARTER jacket and a 10 speed that is purple and blue. I would like a CD player and some CDs. I would like brown hiking boots. I would like a 15" TV and a VCR and some movies. I would like a Sega Genesis and some games to go with it. Also. I would like a telephone in my room.
From
Ashley Leister

Dear Santa,
I want a Cabbage Patch doll with hair accessaries I hope you have a good year.
Love
Heather Belto

Dear Santa,
I hope you are OK in the North Pole. I would like Karate Fighters and a T.V. and a saga say hi to Mrs. Claus and the reindeer.
Blake Haviland

A SEASON OF PEACE

WISHING A JOYOUS SEASON TO ALL.

LOREN'S AUTO SALES

Dear Santa,
I would like an tea time castle and a robe. Please I can't wait till you come. I hope everyone has a nice Christmas. We have some cookies and milk. I like to help mom bake. I'm going to my aunt and uncles for Christmas all my cousins will be there. Merry Christmas Santa.
From Kaley Jensen
I Love You Santa

Cabbage Salad

1/4 cup oil
1 1/2 tbsp sugar
1/8 tsp. pepper
1/2 tsp. accent
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 cup Chinese vinegar
1/2 head of cabbage
1 chicken breast (optional)
1 pkg. Ramen noodles
almonds
chopped green peppers (optional)
chopped onion (optional)

Mix the top six ingredients for the dressing. Now set that aside. Cut all the vegetables and chicken up and put into a bowl. Finally, stick all the ingredients into the bowl and stir. You might want to wait until you are ready to eat before putting the dressing on, noodles tend to get saggy.
—Mary Klamer, Gatzke

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Cranberry Fluff

1 pound cranberries, ground
1 1/2 cups sugar
1 pound mini marshmallows

Combine ground cranberries and sugar. When sugar is dissolved, add marshmallows. Refrigerate overnight.
1 cup whipping cream
2 cups green grapes
1 tsp. vanilla
2-3 apples, diced

Combine grapes and diced apples to cranberry mixture. Whip cream, add vanilla. Fold fruit mixture into whipped cream.
—Loreen Hanson, Thief River Falls

WITH HEARTFUL THANKS!

B & E CAR WASH
B & E
LAUNDROMAT
ST. HILAIRE, MN

Happy Holidays!

A Bouquet Of
BEST WISHES
For Love and Peace at Christmas!
And a heartfelt "Thank You!" for your valued friendship.
Halls Floral, Inc.

CHRISTMAS TIDINGS

May this be a season of love and happiness for your whole family!

KAINZ CHIROPRACTIC

CHRISTMAS, A Time To Cherish

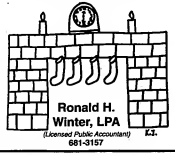
...And a time to say "thank you" to all the cherished friends we've met this year. Happy Holidays!

Hutchinson Transfer

DO THE HOLIDAYS IN STYLE

May you enjoy a beautiful season with your loved ones. Thanks for your devoted patronage!
Creative Clippers

Seasons Greetings!
Hope your holidays are spectacular.



Ronald H. Winter, LPA
(Licensed Public Accountant)
661-3157

AID ASSOCIATION FOR LUTHERANS

In this special season of sharing, may you and your family find peace and love.

Happy Holidays
from your AAL district representative

Colleen L. Holen
Ronald Hansen
218-681-8105
Thief River Falls

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RMAA 10-95

Oriental Salad

3 cup left over chicken or turkey (cut up)
8 oz. Chinese pea pods, sliced
1/2 cup sliced water chestnuts
1/2 cup chives, chopped up
2 1/2 cup red seedless grapes, halved
1/2 cup toasted slivered almonds

Toss together, refrigerate several hours.
Dressing:
1/2 cup vegetable oil
3 tbsp. soy sauce
3 tbsp. lemon juice
2 tbsp. sugar
1/4 tsp. ground pepper
1/8 tsp. ground ginger
salt

Toss with salad just before serving!
—ReNae Vagle, Roseau

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Wild Rice Soup

9 slices of bacon, cut up
1 medium onion chopped
1 1/2 cup cooked wild rice
2 pints half and half
2 10 3/4 oz. cans cream of potato soup
2 cups cheese, shredded

Saute bacon and onion, drain. Mix rice with half and half. Combine all ingredients in heavy pan and heat stirring until cheese melts. Serves 12.
—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Breaded Chicken

1/2 cup sour cream
1/2 cup mayo
1 tbsp. parmesan cheese
1 tbsp. soy sauce
1/2 tsp. dry mustard

Mix all ingredients well. Rinse 3-5 pounds of chicken breasts, coat with above mixture then roll pieces in 1 cup crushed seasoned bread crumbs. Bake 350 for 1 hour.
—Mary Westlake, Plummer

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BBQ Chicken Wings

1 1/2 cup soy sauce
2-7 1/2 ounce jars, apricot Jr. baby food
1 clove garlic, diced fine
1 tbsp. ginger
chicken wings

Mix soy sauce, apricots, garlic and ginger. Pour over chicken wings. Cover and refrigerate overnight. Line a cookie sheet with foil. Place wings singlely over foil and pour rest of sauce over wings.

Bake 325 degrees for 1 1/2 hours. Turn and baste halfway through baking time. Serve hot or cold.
—ReNae Vagle, Roseau

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Applesauce Salad

1 box cherry jello
1/4 cup red hots
1 cup hot water
1 1/2 cup or 3/4 cup applesauce

Add jello and red hots to hot water.* Then applesauce. Now refrigerate to let set.
—Karla Klauer, Thief River Falls

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Corn Casserole

1 can whole kernel corn, drained
1 can French style green beans
1 can cream of celery soup
1/2 cup cultured sour cream
1/2 cup grated cheese
1/2 cup chopped onion
salt
1 roll Ritz crackers crushed
1 stick margarine melted

Crushed Ritz crackers and mix with margarine. Mix soup, cheese, sour cream and onion. Layer corn and beans in a baking dish. Pour soup, cheese, sour cream and onion mixture over corn and beans. Top with crackers and margarine mixture. Bake 30 minutes at 300 degrees.
—ReNae Vagle, Roseau

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Peace, Joy and Happiness to You and Yours,
Merry Christmas and many thanks from all of us
Warm Wishes

Barry Peterson
HANSON CONSTRUCTION

IT'S CHRISTMASTIME
And we're happy to have you as our friends!
Hope it's the merriest Christmas yet!

FISHER ELECTRIC

Quickie Quiche

8 strips bacon diced
1/2 cup Bisquick
1 cup shredded Swiss cheese and some cheddar too
3 eggs
1 1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup margarine melted

Combine all except bacon and cheese in blender for 15 seconds. Pour into greased 9" glass pie pan. Sprinkle bacon and cheese on top. Press below the surface. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or till knife comes clean. Let stand 10 minutes before serving.
—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Crock Pot Dressing

1 cup butter
1 cup chopped onion
2 cup chopped celery
12 cup dry bread crumbs
3 1/2 to 4 1/2 cup chicken broth
2 eggs, well beaten
1 tsp. poultry seasoning
1 1/2 tsp. salt
1 1/2 tsp. sage
1 tsp. thyme
1/2 tsp. pepper

Mix all ingredients, then add bread crumbs. Pour into crock pot. Cook on high 45 minutes, then on low 4-6 hours.
—Carlene Hammond, Hallock

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Mashed Potato Dressing

4 or 5 Potatoes
1/2 pound of pork sausage or hamburger
Sage
poultry seasoning

Peel, cook and mash potatoes. Season to taste. Fry pork sausage or hamburger and then crumble and add to mashed potatoes. Add sage and poultry seasoning to taste. Overnight for taste buds. This was our favorite as we grew up. Very different but we loved it.
—Mrs. Ernest Anderson, Stephen

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Texas Turkey Stuffing

4 boxes of Jiffy corn muffin mix
6 eggs
1 stalk celery, chopped
1 cup chicken bouillon
2 tsp. poultry seasoning
salt, pepper
2 tbsp. sugar
2 large onions, chopped
1/2 loaf of bread

Mix 4 boxes of Jiffy corn muffin mix according to package instructions. Bake in a 9x13 pan. Let cool. Beat 6 eggs with a fork. Stir in celery, bouillon, poultry seasoning, pepper, salt and onions, cut cornbread in small squares (it will be crumbly). Break loaf bread into small pieces. Add bread and cornbread to egg mixture and lightly knead. Stuff large turkey and bake according to turkey directions. This recipe makes enough stuffing for a 20-24 pound turkey. It can easily be cut in half for a smaller turkey.
—Carol Moerman, Thief River Falls

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Vegetable Casserole

1 can cut green beans (15 ounces) drained
1 can whole kernel corn (15 ounces) drained
1 can (10 3/4 ounces) cream of celery soup, undiluted
1/2 cup sour cream
1/2 cup shredded cheddar cheese
3/4 cup butter or margarine, melted
3/4 cup saltine crumbs
1/4 cup almonds toasted (optional)
1/2 cup chopped onion

In a bowl combine beans, corn, soup, sour cream and onion. Pour into an ungreased 2 quart baking dish. Combine butter, crumbs and almonds. Sprinkle over vegetables.

Bake uncovered at 350 degrees for 35-40 minutes or until bubbly. Yield 6-8 servings.
—Alpha Lindberg, Thief River Falls

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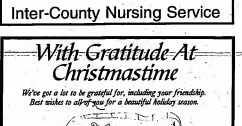
BEST WISHES
Now's hoping
It's a wonderful life
for you, all through
the holidays!
We appreciate
your patronage,
and look forward to
serving you again,
in the future.
Optical Images
Kazyn Rabovsky

Seasons Greetings
On this merry occasion We'd just like to say. May you enjoy a great holiday! Thank you for shopping with us.
SEARS

A healthy & happy holiday to all



Inter-County Nursing Service

With Gratitude At Christmastime
We've got a lot to be grateful for, including your friendship. Best wishes to all of you for a beautiful holiday season.

LUTHERAN BROTHERHOOD
A Family of Financial Services for Lutherans
Kay Wedul-Steiger

With Best Wishes And Heartful Thanks To All
ANDERSON BROTHERS 66

Seasons Greetings

St. Hilaire Municipal Liquor Store

Thanks for visiting us this year!

BOB AND AL'S SERVICE

Yuletide Greetings
With thanks aplenty to all our customers and friends this holiday season.
We're truly grateful for your continuing support.
Merry Christmas to everyone!
Sheers
118 LaBree Ave. N., Thief River Falls
681-1477

Norwegian Macaroons

1 cup sugar
1 cup flour
1 cup coconut
1 3/4 cup oatmeal
1/2 cup chopped nuts
1 tsp. baking soda
1 cup melted butter
1 egg

Mix all dry ingredients together. Add melted butter and egg. Roll in ball and flatten with glass. Cookies should be thin and crisp. Bake at 325 degrees until light brown (10-12 minutes). Frost with almond bark (melt in microwave). I let the batter set a few minutes after mixing. It is easier to work with.

—Darby Rajewski, Thief River Falls

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Chocolate Nut Toffee

(The easiest homemade Christmas candy!)

1 cup sugar
1 cup butter
1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips
1/4 cup chopped walnuts

In a 2 qt. saucepan, combine sugar and butter. Cook over low heat stirring occasionally until candy thermometer reaches 300 degrees (about 25 minutes). Spread on wax paper lined jelly roll pan. Sprinkle chocolate chips over hot toffee. Let stand 5 minutes. Spread melted chips evenly; sprinkle nuts on top. Cool and then break into pieces.

—Rhonda Amundson, Thief River Falls

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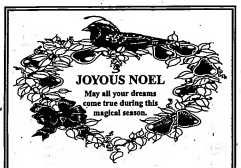
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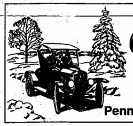
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Celebrate is a time for giving, and we'd like to give our thanks to all of you who have given us so much this past year. Happy Holidays!
Cathy Belmont Interiors

Rhubarb Muffins

1 1/2 cup sugar
2/3 cup oil
1 egg
1 cup buttermilk
2 1/2 cup flour
1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1 1/2 cup diced rhubarb
1/2 cup nuts (optional)

Mix sugar, oil, egg and buttermilk. Add dry ingredients and vanilla. Add rhubarb and nuts. Fill each muffin tin only half full. Mix and make topping.

Topping:
1/2 cup sugar
1 tbsp. melted butter
1 tsp. cinnamon

Put topping on top of each muffin before baking. Bake 25 minutes at 350 degrees.

—ReNae Vagle, Roseau

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Family Favorite Fudge

3 cups white sugar
1 small dessert spoon cocoa
1 tsp. corn starch
1 tsp. vanilla
Pinch of salt

Add enough milk to cover dry ingredients. Bring to a full roll and boil for 3 minutes. Pour into a buttered 8" square pan. Cut in squares when cool. Enjoy!

—Sharon Poppen, Thief River Falls

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Lemon Poppy Seed Bread

1 box Lemon cake mix
1 (3.4 ounce) box instant lemon pudding mix
1/3 cup vegetable oil
3 tbsp. poppy seed
4 eggs

Mix all dry ingredients. Add hot water, oil and eggs. Beat 10 minutes. Bake at 350 degrees for 50 minutes, till golden brown. Makes 2 loaves.

—Helen Kworeciej, Thief River Falls

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Tropical Fruit Cake

1 1/2 cups pecan halves or Brazil nuts
1 1/2 cups walnut halves
1 pkg. (14 ounce) pitted whole dates
1 pkg. (4 ounce) candied pineapple, diced
1 cup maraschino cherries (drained) red and green
3/4 cup flour
3/4 cup sugar
1/2 tsp. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
3 eggs

Put fruit and nuts in bowl. Add all dry ingredients. Beat eggs, vanilla and pour over floured nuts. Mix well. Spoon into two bread pans. Bake at 325 degrees for 1 hour. Scorches easily.

—Delorie Lorenson, Strathcona

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Funny Face Wands (2 dozen)

1 cup butter
2 tbsp. powdered sugar
1 cup walnuts, chopped fine
1 cup cake flour
1 tsp. vanilla
german sweet chocolate
red cinnamon candies
silver ball candies
colored balls or red licorice strings

Mix together and roll in log shape. Bake. When cool dip 1/2 way in melted chocolate. Lay on waxed paper. Make faces with candy

—Marilyn Halstensgard, Mentor

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Gobble Good Turkey Casserole

1 can cream of mushroom soup
1 can cream of celery soup
1 package onion soup mix
1 cup rice
1 1/2 cup milk
3-3 cups leftover turkey or ham or chicken

Combine all ingredients in large casserole. Bake covered for 45 minutes at 350 degrees.

—Amber Westlake, Plummer

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PEACE & JOY
...And much happiness to you and yours this holiday season.
Service Master of Thief River Falls
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A CHRISTMAS "SHOE-IN"
Hope it's a Christmas you'll go head over heels for!

Purdy's Shoe Store

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

And Loads Of Thanks!
May your season be brimming with all the trimmings, just as our hearts are overflowing with gratitude.
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HAPPY HOLIDAYS
Wishing you aisles of smiles and a carful of fun this Christmas. Thank you so much for putting us on your shopping list all year long!
HUGO'S

Christmas Special Fruitcake

3 cups coarsely chopped walnuts, pecans or other nuts
1 pound pitted dates, coarsely chopped
1 cup halved maraschino cherries

Combine the above ingredients in a mixing bowl. In another bowl, stir together:

3/4 cup all purpose flour
3/4 cup sugar
1/2 tsp. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt

Add to fruit mixture, stir until well coated. Beat 3 egg whites until foamy stir in 1 tsp. vanilla. Fold into nut mixture. Pour into two small loaf pans or a greased waxed lined 9-in. x 5-in. x 3 in. loaf pan. Bake in 300 degree oven for 1 hour and 45 minutes. Depending on size of pans.

—Audrey A. Bergan, Roseau

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Peanut Butter Cookies

1 cup brown sugar (packed)
1 cup white sugar
1 cup shortening
2 cups flour
2 eggs, well beaten
1 tsp. soda in 2 tbsp. hot water
1 cup peanut butter (add last)

Roll in balls and flatten with fork. Sprinkle on a little sugar.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Napoleon Cremes
(A tasty alternative to fudge)

Three layers
Bottom Crumb Mixture
3/4 cup butter
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 cup unsweetened cocoa
1 tsp. vanilla
2 cup graham cracker crumbs
1 egg beaten

In a 2 qt. saucepan, combine all crumb ingredients except graham crumbs and egg. Cook over medium heat till butter melts. Remove from heat. Stir in crumbs and egg. Press on bottom of buttered 9" square pan, cool

2nd Layer Filling
2 cup powdered sugar
1/2 cup butter, softened
3 1/2 oz. pkg. Instant vanilla pudding mix
3 tbsp. milk

Combine all filling ingredients in small bowl; beat till smooth (1-2 minutes). Spread over crumb crust. Chill till firm (30 minutes)

3rd Layer Glaze
6 oz. semi-sweet chocolate chips
2 tbsp. milk

In 1 qt. saucepan, melt glaze ingredients over low heat. Spread over top of bars. Cover, refrigerate until firm (about 1 hour). Cut into 1" squares. Store in refrigerator.

—Rhonda Amundson
Thief River Falls

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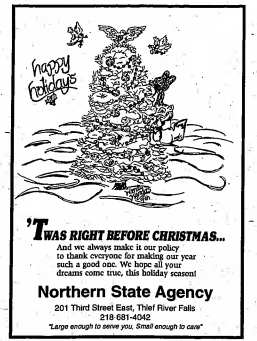

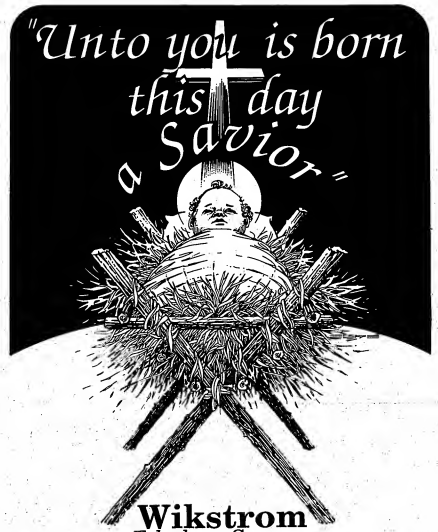

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Impossible Pumpkin Pie

1/2 cup Bisquick mix
1/2 cup sugar
1 egg
1 3/4 cup pumpkin
3 tbsp. soft butter
2 12-ounce can evaporated milk
2 tsp.-1 tbsp. pumpkin pie spice

Put everything into the blender and blend until well mixed. Pour into buttered, deep 9" or 10" pie plate. Bake in 400 degree oven for 30 minutes or until tests done. Cool, then serve with whipped cream or ice cream. Serves 6-8.

—Irene Paulson, Karlstad

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Honey Apple Pie

Prepared pastry for 2 crust pies
6 medium apples
1 tbsp. flour
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 tsp. salt
3 tbsp. brown sugar
1/2 cup honey

Fill pie shell with apples sliced. Mix flour, cinnamon, salt, brown sugar. Pour over apples. Put on top crust, seal, making edge. Slit and bake at 450 degrees for 15 minutes. Then reduce heat to 350 degrees and bake for 25-30 minutes until bubbly.

Topping for Honey Apple Pie
1/4 cup brown sugar
2 tbsp. honey
2 tbsp. flour
2 tbsp. soft butter
1/4 cup walnuts

Mix topping ingredients. Spread over crust and return the pie to oven for 10 minutes.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Pecan Pie

1 pkg. (3 1/4 oz.) vanilla pudding and pie filling
1 cup corn syrup
3/4 cup evaporated milk
1 egg, slightly beaten
1 cup chopped pecans
1 unbaked 9-inch pie shell

Blend pudding mix with corn syrup. Gradually stir in evaporated milk, and egg; whisking to blend. Then add pecans. Pour into pie shell. Bake at 375 degrees until top is firm and just begins to crack - about 40 minutes. Cool at least 3 hours. Garnish if desired.

—Irene Paulson, Karlstad

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Sweet Mingiers

1 package (6 oz) semi-sweet chocolate chips
1/4 cup peanut butter
1/2 cup dry roasted peanuts (optional)
6 cups Kellogg's Crispin cereal
1 cup powdered sugar

In a large microwave-safe bowl melt chocolate at high for 1 minute. Stir and heat an additional 30 seconds at high or until melted. Stir in peanut butter and peanuts. Gently stir Kellogg's Crispin cereal into chocolate, peanut butter mixture until well coated.

Range top directions. Use double boiler; melt chocolate over low heat stirring constantly until melted. Remove from heat. Stir in peanut butter and peanuts. Pour mixture over cereal.

Final step. Place powdered sugar in 2 gallon storage bag. Add coated cereal to sugar and close bag. Gently toss cereal mixture until well coated. Store in airtight container in refrigerator. Makes 8 cups.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Pecan Tarts

2 sticks olea
8 oz. cream cheese
2 1/2 cups flour

Mix, roll into 3/4 balls. Press balls into tart pans, covering walls.

Add filling:
2 eggs
2/3 cup white sugar
2/3 cup dark Karo syrup
2 tbsp. melted oleo
1 tsp. vanilla
1 pinch salt

Mix and pour into tarts adding 1 whole pecan on top of each and covering with more filling. Cover top with chopped pecans. Bake at 350 degrees for about 25 minutes. Enjoy!

—Kathy Juneau, Plummer

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Ice Box Cookies

1 cup brown sugar (packed)
1/2 cup white sugar
1/2 cup margarine
1/2 tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped nuts
2 cup flour
1 large egg

Make into loaves and put in refrigerator over night. Slice and bake.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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May the story of Christmas bring joy to all.
TOY SHOP
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Christmas Is Almost Here...
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Microwave Caramel Popcorn

1 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup white karo syrup
1 stick margarine
1 tsp. vanilla

Melt and boil 2 minutes. Add 1/2 tsp. soda. Pour over 6 quarts of popcorn in paper bag. Stir. Microwave for 1 1/2 minutes. Take out and shake well, turn bag to other side and microwave for another 1 1/2 minutes. Let cool on waxed paper.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Popcorn Balls

6-8 qts. popcorn
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 cup white sugar
1/2 cup syrup
1/4 cup water
1 tbsp vinegar

Boil until it spins a thread add 2 tbsp. butter, 1 tsp. vanilla, then 1/2 tsp. soda. Pour over popcorn and make into balls.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Cracker Jacks

10 cups popped popcorn
1 1/2 cup peanuts
1/2 cup margarine
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup dark syrup
1/2 cup salt
1/4 tsp. baking soda
1 tsp. vanilla

Mix popcorn and peanuts in a large bowl, keep warm in oven 250 degrees. Melt margarine in heavy saucepan, stir in brown sugar, corn syrup, salt and bring to boil. Boil without stirring 5 minutes. Stir in baking soda and vanilla. Quickly pour over warm popcorn mixture. Spread in shallow pan. Bake at 250 degrees for 45 minutes. Stir every 15 minutes then turn out onto foil to cool.

—Paulette Odette, Thief River Falls

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Hot Punch

2 cup cranberry juice
2 cup apple juice
1 cup orange juice
In basket pot:
1/4 tsp. whole cloves
1/4 tsp. whole allspice
1 stick cinnamon
1/4 cup sugar (optional)

Put in electric coffee pot as for coffee. Can be reported.

—ReNae Vagle, Roseau

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Caramel Sauce for Popcorn

Easy and quick
1 large marshmallow
1/2 cup margarine or butter
1/2 cup brown sugar melted and poured over popcorn about 2 quarts or more.

—Mildred Hanel, Thief River Falls

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Caramel Chocolate Squares

1-14 oz. pkgs. caramels
5 oz. evaporated milk
1-Betty Crocker Super Moist German Chocolate Cake Mix
2/3 cup margarine, melted
3/4 cup chopped walnuts
1-6 oz. pkg. semi-sweet chips
1 cup pecan coconut

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Heat caramels and 1/4 cup evaporated milk over medium heat, stirring constantly. Mix together cake mix, margarine, remaining milk and nuts. Spread 1/2 of cake mixture in 9 x 12 ungreased pan. Bake for 6 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle chocolate chips and coconut over this layer. Drizzle caramel mixture over.

Drop remaining cake mixture by teaspoonfuls over this layer. Spread evenly. Bake until cake portion is slightly dry to the touch. 15-20 minutes. Cool and refrigerate until firm. 48 bars.

—Mary Ann Lefberg
Thief River Falls

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Have Yourself A Merry Little Christmas!
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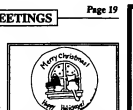

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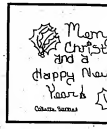

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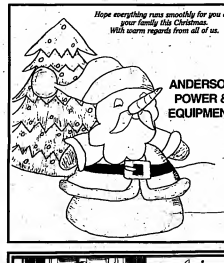

ANDERSON POWER & EQUIPMENT

Frosting

1 cup brown sugar
3 oz. cream cheese

Mix together. Let set to soften. Add 1-8 oz. carton cool whip.

—Darby Kajewski, Thief River Falls

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Scotcharoo Bars

1 cup Karo syrup
1 cup sugar

Mix and boil 1 minute. Add 1 cup peanut butter. Mix until smooth. Add 8 cups Rice Krispies. Put in 9 x 13 pan. Frost with 1 cup chocolate chips and 1 cup butterscotch chips. Melt and mix well.

—Mary Ann Lofberg
Thief River Falls

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Dip

2 cups mayonnaise
2 cups finely shredded cheddar cheese
3-4 green onion tops, chopped
real bacon bits

Mix all together and serve with crackers.

—Darby Kajewski
Thief River Falls

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Fruit Dip

8 oz. cream cheese
1 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup white sugar
1 tsp. vanilla

Mix all ingredients together and serve as a fruit dip. Refrigerate (Can store for quite a while).

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Buttered Pecan Torte

60 Ritz crackers, crushed
1/2 cup butter, melted
2 pkgs. Instant coconut cream pie filling (3 3/4 oz per pkg.)
1 1/2 cups milk
1 quart butter pecan ice cream, softened
1 large tub of Cool Whip (9 oz.)

Combine cracker crumbs with the melted butter. Divide in half and place half in the bottom of a 9x13 pan. Combine the pudding with milk, beating for about 2 minutes, then add the softened ice cream and spread on the cracker crumbs in pan; top with the remainder of the cracker crumbs and melted butter. Must refrigerate 8 to 10 hours.

Rooshink Shnoosk

1 24 oz. bag potatoes o'brein
6-8 eggs
1 pound bacon
1 1/2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
salt & pepper to taste

Slice bacon in large skillet until crisp. Reserve 2 tablespoons bacon grease in skillet. Discard rest. Drain bacon, break into pieces, set aside. Brown potatoes in skillet, medium heat. Turn down heat, break eggs over potatoes (sunnyside up). Cover until egg white is set. Sprinkle cheese and bacon over top. Cover until cheese melts. Salt and pepper to taste. 4-6 servings.

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Holiday Delight

1/2 cup orange juice
1/4 cup frozen strawberries
1/4 cup pineapple juice
1/4 cup cream-half
1/4 cup frozen raspberries
1/2 banana

Blend ingredients and pour into a tall glass.

—Liz Ott, Thief River Falls

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Pistachio Salad

1 4 oz. pkg. instant pistachio pudding mix
1 large carton cool whip
1/2 cup nuts, chopped fine
1 tbsp. sugar
1 16 oz. can crushed pineapple, drained well
1/2 cup miniature marshmallows

Put in bowl and mix well. Chill. Serves 12.

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Colico Beans

Brown:
1 pound hamburger
1/2 pound bacon, chopped
1 medium onion, chopped

Mix together:
1-16 oz. can kidney beans (drained)
1-16 oz. can lima beans (drained)
1-28 oz. can Bush's baked beans
1 cup ketchup
1 cup brown sugar
4 tsp. mustard

Add meat mixture and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

—Mary Ann Lofberg
Thief River Falls

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It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas!

Opportunity's knocking and we'll just like to say.
Hope your season is perfect in every way.
May it open the door, for good tidings and cheer –
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Mountain Dew Salad

2 3 oz. pkg. lemon jello
2 cups hot water
1 cup Mountain Dew
1 20 oz. can crushed pineapple, drained, save liquid
1 cup pineapple juice
2 cups miniature marshmallows
1 can lemon pie filling
1 8 oz. carton Cool whip, thawed

Dissolve jello in water. Add Mountain Dew and pineapple juice. Cool. Add pineapple and marshmallows. Put in 9 x 13 pan. Let set in refrigerator. Mix pie filling and Cool Whip together. Spread over to refrigerate.

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Holiday Salad

2 cups cranberries (ground)
1 red apple diced with peelings on
1 pkg. wild strawberry jello
1 cup boiling water
1 cup sugar
1/4 cup walnuts
1 cup whipped cream

Grind cranberries, mix sugar and apple and add to jello with water mixture that has slightly set. Add whipped cream, fold in. Add nuts.

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Nut Clusters

1 pkg. almond bark (chocolate)
1 (12 oz.) pkg. semi-sweet chocolate chips
1 (12 oz.) pkg. milk chocolate chips
2 cans peanuts
2 cans mixed nuts

Melt almond bark, semi-sweet chips and milk chocolate chips over hot water. Stir in peanuts and mixed nuts. Drop by teaspoon on wand paper.

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Cheese Balls

1 stick margarine
1 lbs. pkg. cream cheese
1 8 oz. cold pack cheddar cheese

Blend at room temperature. Chill. Shape into ball and roll in chopped nuts.

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Vegetable Pizza

1 pkg. crescent rolls

Press and spread out in a 9 x 13 inch pan. Bake at 375 degrees for 11 minutes. Cool.

1/4 cup Miracle Whip
1 pkg. Hidden Valley Dressing mix
8 oz. pkg. cream cheese

Mix and spread on crescent rolls. Top with shredded carrots, broccoli and cauliflower pieces.

—Denise Laymon, Warren

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SEASON'S GREETINGS

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Scotties

1 (12 oz.) pkg. butterscotch chips
1/2 cup peanut butter
6 cups corn flakes

Melt chips and peanut butter in large pan over low heat. Stir often. Add corn flakes and mix well. Butter pan or cookie sheet. Spread into pan and let harden. Break into pieces and serve.

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Miniature Cheese Cakes

24 cupcake liners
24 vanilla wafers
2 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese (softened)
3/4 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 tbsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. vanilla
1 tbsp. blueberry, peach or cherry pie filling
1/2 cup chopped nuts

Line paper cups with wafer and place in cupcake pans. Beat cream cheese, sugar, eggs, lemon juice and vanilla until light and fluffy. Fill the liners 3/4 full with the cream cheese mixture. Bake in oven at 375 degrees for 20 minutes or until set. Top each with a spoonful of pie filling and 1 teaspoon of nuts. Chill.

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Fudge

1 can evaporated milk
4 1/2 cups sugar
1 box semi-sweet chocolate
1 bar German chocolate
1 large bag chocolate chips
1 large jar marshmallow creme
1 tbsp. butter
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup chopped walnuts
1/2 tsp. salt

Mix and boil milk and sugar for 5 minutes. Stir constantly. Turn heat very low, add rest of ingredients. Mix until thoroughly melted. Makes cookie sheet full.

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It seems just like the good old days of yore.
With family, friends and the folks from next door.
So enjoy this time of laughter and fun.
As we send our best wishes to everyone!

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May the warmth of the season embrace you.

Arnold Avenue Store

We're sending out our best wishes to all you wonderful people who visited us this year.

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We appreciate your support!

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Merry Christmas to all!

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

Wishing you a star-studded holiday!

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Happy Holidays

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Season's Greetings

Season's Greetings
MERRY CHRISTMAS
HAPPY HOLIDAYS
Joyous Noel

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With friends and family galore,
Just like back in the days of yore!
Have a good old time on Christmas!

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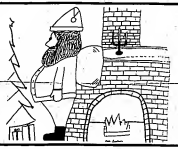

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We love taking care of your animals!

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At
River Road Casino

The Sky's the Limit!

May your spirits soar and may your joy have no boundaries this holiday season.
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

The holidays may be better with butter.
But we'd like to add cheese balls, egg nog, cream puffs, ice cream, sour cream...
Happy Holidays

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NAIL DOWN A GREAT HOLIDAY!

There's no place like home for the holidays, and we hope that yours is filled with love and laughter this holiday season.

Thank you for your building trust in us.

UBC

...to all begins with you!
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WISHING YOU A GIFTED SEASON

Hope its filled with joy and mirth, love, contentment, and peace on earth.

Les's Sanitation

Happy Holidays
And Heartful Thanks
To Our Many Good
Friends...

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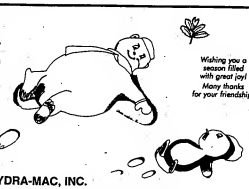
HOLIDAY GREETINGS



Wishing you a season filled with great joy!
Many thanks for your friendship!

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Here's to a season of merriment and mirth, joy and laughter, peace on earth.

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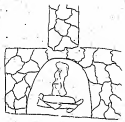
Country Holiday Greetings

We wish all our neighbors a beautiful season.



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A Fanciful Christmas

Wishing you all things merry and bright. Seeing you this past year was a real delight.

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DASHING THROUGH THE SNOW...

Wherever you're headed, we hope your holiday is filled with merriment.

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Here's to the best customers in the world!

Thanks for a great year!

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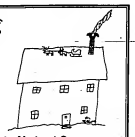

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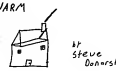
We are grateful for your patronage throughout the year.

Warm Regards This Holiday Season

Super 8 Motel

Thanks for your valued patronage.

HAPPY HOLIDAY
HAVE A WARM
WINTER



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In The Spirit Of The Season

God bless you and yours at this holy time of year.

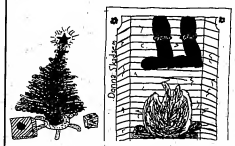
The Queen

GREETINGS, FRIENDS!

Here's hoping your holiday is smooth sailing all the way.

Home Lumber Co. of TRF

Best Holiday Wishes



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Seasons Greetings

Thanks for your friendship and trust throughout the year.

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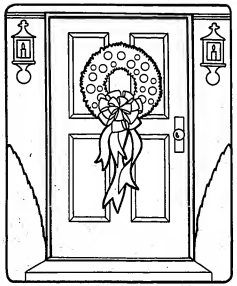
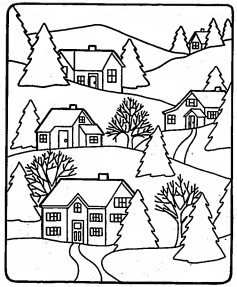
HEY KIDS... BRIGHTEN UP THESE CHRISTMAS PICTURES WITH CRAYONS, COLORED PENCILS OR MARKERS!





Shift Into Holiday Gear!

Everyone here is all revved up to wish you a high-powered holiday celebration, where everything runs smoothly!

Speed's Automotive

GET READY TO

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Everything is in place for the festivities to begin. The halls are decked, the family's gathered, and you have our very best wishes for a merry Christmas!

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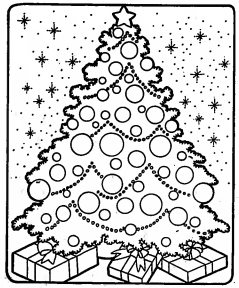

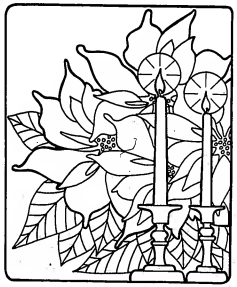

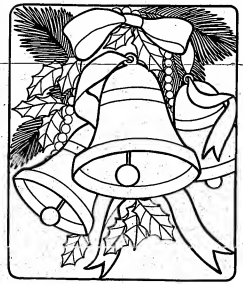

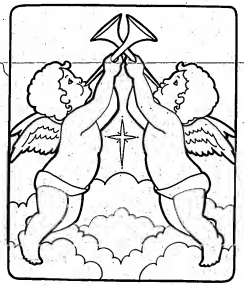

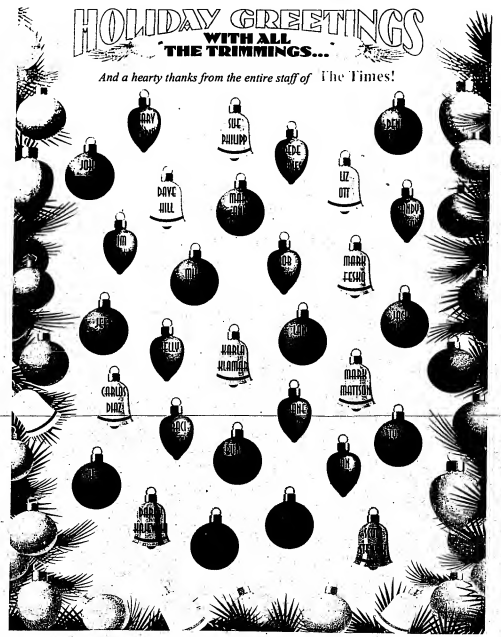

Who's Who Page 3
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County to levy $3,830,177

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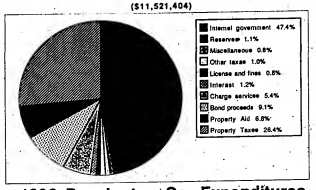
1996 Pennington County Revenues

($11,521,404)



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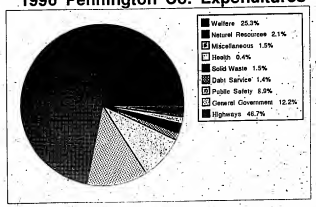

Pennington county board of commissioners is expected to adopt its final levy for 1996 at its next meeting. The gross levy is expected to be $3,830,177. It represents a gross levy increase of 2.82 per cent, but a 5.10 per cent net increase to taxpayers.

Pennington County Auditor Ken Olson said most individual taxpayers will see very little increase. Some taxpayers could see a decrease, but it also depends on the individual's township levy and several other factors.

Property taxes might go up (or down) depending upon: the market value of your property; market value of other properties in your area; changes in the county budget and levy; changes in the city budget and levy; changes in the town budget and levy; changes in the school district's budget and levy; an additional school referendum levy; changes to a special district's budget and levy; mandates which may have an impact on school, city, town or county; state or state or federal government side; a change in classification taxes; new development may be captured in tax increment districts and some taxes go to pay for service bonds; special assessments may have been added to your tax bill. Of the many reasons property taxes may go up or down, the county board has discretion over only the budget and levy.

By fund, the biggest change is expected in the road and bridge fund. The road and bridge fund is expected to increase from $600,000 in 1995 to $700,000 in 1996, due to several projects.

While the road and bridge fund is expected to increase by $100,000 in 1996, the solid waste fund is expected to decrease by $100,000, from $313,750 to $213,750. The decrease is due to SwisPenCo taking over the solid waste facility. Olson said the county still has to provide funds for the composting facility and debt service.

The county budgeted for $54,945 to pay for the elevator at the county courthouse, and Long's Bridge. The county board recently awarded bids on the bridge to the East Grand Forks company with the low bid.

A slight increase in the levy for

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370 on Franklin second honor roll

Three hundred and seventy students at Franklin middle school in Thief River Falls were named to the second six-week honor roll, according to the office of Bill Hahne, principal.

The list included 86 students who had straight A (4.00) grades, 156 with A average (3.5-3.99) grades and 128 with B average (3.00-3.49) grades.

Grade six had the most honor students with 154, including 38 straight A, 60 A average and 56 B average.

There were 116 honor students in grade seven, including 27 with straight A, 30 with A average and 39 with B average.

An even 100 students from the eighth grade were placed on the honor roll including 21 straight A, 46 A average and 33 B average.

A list of honor students for the second six-weeks period includes the following:

Straight A

Grade 6—Jeremy Blasejewski, Bethany Brown, Trevor Christensen, Matthew Dimich, Michael Dotez, Brianna Dyer, Walter Forsey, Heather Hanson, Jessie Harjes, Chelsea Heinzel, Kelsey Hruby, Sarah Isaacson, Katrina Johnson, Magie Johnson, Michael Kimball, Cody Knutson, Brenda Kupsi, Tyler Lahren and Brittany Larson.

Also Sarah Lofgren, Nicholas Matilla, John Mickelson, Jacqueline Mooney, Sara Niemela, Beth Padilla, Jamie Radloff, Nicole Ryan, Rebekah Salem, Lyle Sleigter, Jillian Stenseth, Sara Sundby, Trevor Swenson, Jason Swenson, Gilbert Tostveit, Alicia Vigness, Sarah Willick, Kelly William and Kara Zimmer.

Grade 7—Jessica Bergland, Tristin Gonsoulin, Karen Christensen, Amy Christenson, Ayla Donlin, Cristin Henderickson, Kristi Holland, Cassandra Holthusen, Katy Hook, Nicholas Knot, Michael Langlaas, Paul Leister, Kelsey Lides and Tiffany McAnenay.

Also Taylor McCarty, Audrey Nelson, Michael Nelson, Katy Olson, Noel Paul, Taya Penas, Carissa Pucek, Kylie Rognlie, Laura Schmitz, Julie Sjoberg, Steven Smith, Delsey Stotler and Steven Vonesh.

Grade 8—Wade Cain, Deidre Dolly, Lora Danielson, Marissa Hanson, Seth Harlow, Angela Johnson, Kimberly Kirkeide, Reyn Lanin, Rebecca Leach, Jonathan Lofgren, Sonja Lopez, Matthew Lukosky, Rachel Mattson, Nicolas Miller, Amber Morkrid, Emily Mugass, Kristen Nabhen, Brent Nelson, Anders Olin, Tyler Stinson and Ryan Wang.

A Average

Grade 6—Arlinder Adamson, Daniel Almquist, Nichole Amundson, Kelleigh Anderson, John Anderson, Robert Anderson, Justin Barron, Kelly Bendickson, Allan Benson, Jason Blakely, Alicia Borneman, Riley Brantley, Wade Brummond, Jared Burns, Lisa Carlson, David Christensen, Trent Christenson, Darren Colby, Barbara Cook and Jeremy Cook.

Also Joshua Frazer, Amber Gerardy, Angela Goodwin, Brooke Graf, Meghan Grassl, Amy Hagen, Joseph Hall, Ashley Hanvic, Lane Haugen, Allisa Helmstein, Abbie Hoaske, Jermiah Hunt, Mandi Johnson, Clifton Juhl, Naomi Kenner, Adam Knotts, Jessica LaFrinIere, Naomi Lawrance, Christopher Leach and Shannon Linder.

Also Peter McAskers, Nathaniel Mazzy, Kayla Nerson, Christopher Novik, Kristi Olson, Jeffrey Olson, Jessica Pearson, Jason Rendorf, Rebecca Rudschlub, Marcie Schafer, Cheryl Schuh, Michael Smith, Lydya Sullom, Jessica Sullman, Jared Swanson, Jessica Swanson, Emily Tweet, Rebecca

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Glenn and Joan Peterson home at 1307 Duluth Avenue North won the first place award of a $250 savings bond in the annual Thief River Falls Jaycees holiday home decorating contest. There were 15 participants registered in the contest with registration held at local banks. The Peterson decorations included yard area and trees not shown in the area covered by this Times' photo, taken as the late afternoon sun was setting behind an overcast sky.

Head Start students from the preschool area of Challenger Elemantary and Preschool in Thief River Falls entertained residents of Valley Home last week with some Christmas songs. Pictured are Brittany Wightman, daughter of Bill and Stacy Wightman; Brian Verbout, son of Nancy Verbout; and Irene Garza, daughter of Francis and Rene Garza, all of Thief River Falls.

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from all of us at
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Happy New Year

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Thief River Falls students listed in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* book

A number of students from Thief River Falls have been named to the 1994-95 publication of *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, according to Educational Communications, Inc., publisher of the annual listing.

Named from Thief River Falls are:

Andrew Barth, Ryan Bendickson, Vicki Bitterplatz, Keith Blix, Jared Brandt, Neil Brown, Christopher Bruggeman, Nicole Burns, Sunny Carlson, Joshua Clark, Amanda Close, Wendy Dahl, BrAnn Dargis, Rick Domenski, Jenni Eichten, Robby Farbo, Chaney Fullerdal, Reed Fredland, Andy Furuseth, Elizabeth Goddard, Matthew Gustafson, Anne Halvorson and Joshua Harris.

Also Kara Johnsrud, Alyssa Johnson, Melanie Johnson, Nathan Johnson, Peter Johnson, Jamie Kalmes, Keturah Kelly, Amanda Kennedy, Anthony Kennedy, Trevor Knutson, Paul Koepke, Nicholas Koer, Nathan LaBarge, Chris Langevin, Kari Larson, Sarah Leach, Stephanie Leach, James Lehrer and Michelle Mathews.

Also Rebecca Mattson, Tamar Mooney, Kim Martin, Larry Mykiver, Marty Mykiver, Missy Nadisch, Jeanne Nelson, Kyle Nelson, Misty Nelson, Chad Nordhagen, Abbegail Nordhagen, Jennifer Olin, LeAnn Olson, Melynda Olson, Anne Padilla and Brianna Palmer.

Also Jana Philipp, Tonesha Pirtle, Arianna Quist, Amanda Reiahl, Stefan Remfurtz, Amy Rumple, Bryan Rumple, Kyle Sandon, Brin Schmitz, Carey Sorenson, Ryan Swanson, Tosha Swanson, Mary Thorson, Andrea Tix, Amber Troy, Christopher Tsukalas, Jenna Tsukalas and Kyle Warmouth.

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January WIC program schedule is set for Redeemer church

Community Focus

Parenthood p. 7
Kim Quade questions her parenting skills, especially on holidays.

Don't cut back on nutrition when cutting back on calories

Christmas has come and gone and the new year begins soon. To many Americans the new year means one thing: diet time! Some resolve to lose weight during the new year, others just want to shed the holiday pounds they gained. When cutting down on calories, it's important not to cut down on nutrition.

Eat foods high in vitamins

Vegetables are the staple of any nutritious menu. For those who still don't like to eat there vegetables, the American Institute for Cancer Research suggests eating more fruit. Nutrition experts advise eating five servings of fruit or vegetables each day. A serving equals a half-cup of fruit or vegetables, six ounces of juice, or one cup of raw leafy vegetables.

Both fruits and vegetables are good sources of dietary fibers. Fruits such as cantaloupe and honeydew melons, grapefruit, kiwifruit, oranges, strawberries, raspberries, mangos, carambola (star fruit) and papayas are high in vitamin C.

Beta-carotene (vitamin A) is found in carrots and broccoli, but it's also found in apricots, cantaloupe, mangos, nectarines, papayas and plantains (cooking bananas). Green leafy vegetables provide beta-carotene and folate, a B vitamin. Bananas, oranges and cantaloupe supply folate.

Remember that fruit cannot completely replace vegetables in a balanced diet. Vegetables provide minerals that are not present in significant amounts in fruit.

Differing nutritional needs

Nutritional needs for men and women are different. Women's bone mass is 10 to 25 per cent less than that of men and a lack of dietary calcium can put women at risk for health problems like osteoporosis. About 1,000 milligrams of calcium per day is sufficient from age 25 onward, except for pregnant and lactating women who need 1,200 to 1,500 mg. Post-menopausal women also need about 1,500 mg per day unless they take replacement estrogen.

Low-fat and non-fat dairy products are an excellent source of calcium. One cup of milk has 300 mg of calcium, regardless of wether it's whole, two per cent, one per cent, or skim milk. One 12-ounce glass of milk, one cup of yogurt or two ounces of cheese meets one third to one half of a woman's daily calcium needs.

Non-dairy sources of calcium include tofu, broccoli, beet and mustard greens, collards, spinach, parsley and watercress.

Another special need of women, especially those who must meet the demands of menstruation, pregnancy or lactation, is iron. Inadequate iron consumption can lead to anemia, which robs women of energy.

Most women need to absorb 15 mg of iron daily. Sources include red meat poultry, seafood, eggs, beans, dried fruits, fortified breads and cereals and leafy green vegetables.

Top Ten reasons to eat more fruits & vegetables

10. **Eating more fruits and vegetables can help control your weight.** Many vegetables contain 50 calories of less for a whole cup, you could only eat five potato chips of one small cookie for that.

9. **Fruits and vegetables are an important source of dietary fiber.** One type of fiber helps to lower blood cholesterol and improve control of blood sugar, while another type can lower risk of intestinal problems like diverticulosis, constipation and colon cancer.

8. **Set a good example.** Letting your children see you enjoy fruit and vegetables is much more effective than nagging at them to eat right.

7. **Hearty servings of fruits and vegetables instead of red meats, desserts, and chips can help you eat less fat to lower blood cholesterol and reduce you cancer risk.**

6. **Satisfy your sweet tooth.** Fruit's natural sugars can satisfy a craving for sweetness. Yet compared to most other sweets, the sugar is released more slowly into the body, causing a less dramatic rise and fall in energy levels.

5. **Color!** The vibrant reds, oranges, greens and yellows add visual appeal to any meal.

4. **Folic Acid,** found in many fruits and vegetables, is making big news for its apparent abilities to inhibit cancer development, help prevent a certain type of serious birth defect and fight heart disease.

3. **Vegetables and fruits are a major source of vitamin C and beta carotene** which are important antioxidants that can lower risk of cancer.

2. **Phytochemicals,** natural compounds found in plants that can do work to protect our health, are an exploding area of research.

1. **Pure pleasure!** Experiment with new ways of serving a variety of fruits and vegetables.

Souce: American Institute for Cancer Research

Potucek gains promotion as loan specialist

Jerrilyn Potucek has been promoted to loan services specialist for the east region of Farm Credit Services of Grand Forks, ND, conducting real estate transactions for the entire region which includes most of northwestern Minnesota.

A graduate of Warren high school and the secretarial program of Aaker's Business College, she began working for Farm Credit Services in the Warren office in 1969 as an office assistant. She has been office coordinator since 1993.

She and her husband Duane farm near Warren and have two daughters—Randi, a registered nurse in Yakima, WA and Rachel, a senior at Warren high school.

The families of Headstart won the people's choice award at the tree walk on Pine Tree Farm. Participants pictured are Brittany Stenvik and Ronnie Ross DeVitt. In back are Jody Stenvik, Wanda Nelson, Headstart staff, Denise Naeseth, Headstart staff, and Tracy DeVitt.

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Wednesday

Blood Sugar Screening from 10 to 11 a.m. at Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls.
UMYF will not meet this week.
A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at Goodridge Senior Center.

Thursday

TRF Sports Boosters will not meet this week.
Coffee Break at Crossroads will not meet this week.
A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

Friday

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at the NWMC.
Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. at room 113 at the hospital.

Saturday

A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at St. Bernard's Catholic Church.

Sunday

Al-Anon and Al-Ateen meet at Room 113 of the hospital at 8 p.m.
A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

Monday

Praise Through Play at United Methodist Church will not meet this week.
A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church basement in Middle River.

Tuesday

Grief Support Group at United Methodist Church from 7:30 to 9 p.m. For more information call Northland Community Hospice 681-6189.
Abuse Survivors Support Group meets from 5:30-7:30 in Thief River Falls. Call 681-5557 or 1-800-660-6667 for questions and to register.
Al-Anon meets at 8 p.m. at room 113 of the hospital.
A.A. meets at 8 p.m. at the north conference room at NWMC.

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Josephsons to celebrate wedding anniversary

Steven and Donna Josephson are hosting a 45th wedding anniversary celebration in honor of Lynn and Diana Josephson. Friends and relatives are invited to join them at the Best Western from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, December 31. There will be coffee, cake and lots of reminiscing.

SPEAKING OF
Sherry LeCouriere

. . . The Way It Is At Our House

Since I am on vacation from my day job for a week and this is, appropriately, the day after Christmas, I am going to reprint a poem I wrote for this column a few years ago. Every time I read it, I see just how true to life it is — at least at our house!

. . . 'Twas the Morn After Christmas

'Twas the morn after Christmas and all through the house,
Things were fit neither for man nor for mouse.
The stockings were empty and littered the floor,
And the spirit of Christmas had fled out the door.

See Mom is attired in new slippers and gown,
The former bright orange, the latter puce brown.
She resembles an elf as she scurries about,
Cleaning and straightening, beginning to shout.

Her nerves are a-shalter from cooking and shopping;
She has worked since Thanksgiving without any stopping.
Now Christmas is done and she wants things to be,
Back to normal as fast as they can be, you see.

Dad slumps in a chair, his eyes glued to TV;
There are football games playing all day, one, two three.
He munches cold turkey and sips on a beer;
Not a bit of the ruckus near him can he hear.

He spent Christmas Eve night setting up the new toys,
Skinned knuckles, banged thumbs, uttering (censored) noise.
Christmas Day he played host to both friend and foe;
Filled with holiday spirit and joy, "Ho, ho, ho!"

The children are fighting about their new toys;
They shout and they scream, both the girls and the boys.
O'er the floors and the tables the toys are all scattered,
Some still working, but otherwise most of them shattered.

Johnny is crying — he lost his new ball;
Mary is mad — she got no "Boopsie" doll;
Bobby rides his bicycle through the front hall;
And Baby sits screaming in the midst of it all.

In the kitchen the dog is munching the trash;
The cat leaps on the counter; things fall with a crash.
Christmas leftovers linger in fridge and on tables,
No one eats them or knows what they are without labels.

Dirty dishes from yesterday fill up the sink;
Not one drop of egg nog is there left to drink;
Cookies and treats lie forgotten on trays,
Because no one remembered to put them away.

The Christmas tree, yesterday glowing and bright,
Lost all its glitter and looks like a fright.
Around it the carpet crackles and crunches,
Christmas balls and tree needles have fallen in bunches.

The floor is all littered with scraps, bows and tags;
The back entry bulges with filled garbage bags.
Don't pick it up now or put them away —
Cuz Grandpa has lost what he got yesterday.

By the weekend, however, the noise, mess and turmoil,
Will be cleaned up and done, with the house back to normal;
Just in time, don't you see, to start new preparations,
For New Year's Eve parties and Day Celebrations.

NEW BIRTHS

Northwest Medical Center reports the following births since last week's edition of The Times:

• On December 16, a baby boy was born to Timothy and Lucretia Salveson of Winger. He has been named Matthew Ryan.

• On December 19, a baby girl was born to Michael and Bette Jorgenson of Thief River Falls. She has been named Karlee Jean.

• On December 20, a baby boy was born to Lawrence and Sherry Knott of Red Lake Falls. He has been named Jermey Michael.

Special program at Telemarken

The annual "Christmas at Telemarken" program will be held at Telemarken Lutheran Church, rural Goodridge, on Sunday, December 31 at 2:30 p.m.

There will be special music, carol singing, recitations, readings and a mediation in the program. One carol will be sung in Norwegian. The women of the church will serve a lunch of coffee, hot cider and Christmas goodies. Everyone is invited to attend.

TIMES FOR TODDLERS

ACTIVITIES

Christmas Stickers

Children love to receive and give stickers. The following activity is a way for your children to make their own Christmas stickers with all those wrapping scraps left over from wrapping presents.

You will need: scraps of Christmas wrapping paper; vinegar, glue, a paintbrush and scissors.

Mix 1 tablespoon vinegar and 2 tablespoons glue together. Apply a thin coat of this mixture with the paintbrush to the back side of the wrapping paper. Let dry. Children can cut out shapes and designs of wrapping paper that they want to use for stickers. Children need to lick or wet the stickers with a sponge to use them.

(Contributed by Discovery Place child care center.)

SCAVENGER HUNT

For next week's Activities feature, you will need your time.

BOOK OF THE WEEK

The Thief River Falls public library invites you to browse through its new selection of children's books including the following:

Vagin, Vladimir. The Nutcracker Ballet. Clara is mystified when the wooden nutcracker, that she got as a gift from her godfather, magically transforms into a handsome prince at midnight.

Matthews, Wendy. The Gift of a Traveler. Winter magic is in the air when a mysterious stranger reunites Anica with her family after they are separated in the forest.

VIDEO VARIETY

The Snowman. This delightful animation weaves a spell of magic enchantment as a young boy's snowman comes to life and escorts him on a fantasy dream visit to the North Pole.

**There will be no Storytime until January 24, 1996 at the Thief River Falls public library.

(Contributed by the Northwest Regional Library.)

PARENTING TIPS

Limit-Setting for Children

Children need firm limits. Limits are the foundations of security. Kids who are lucky enough to have limits placed upon them in loving ways are then secure enough to build self-confidence. These children are easier to teach, spend less time acting out and usually get along well with other children and adults.

Setting firm limits is a gift of love. The problem is that we often find setting limits difficult. Children fight limits to see if they are firm enough to provide security. They will test us.

Use "thinking words" instead of "fighting words"

•Avoid giving orders. Orders do not set limits. They encourage battles. "You're not going to talk like that to me!" (fighting words)

•Try to state what you are willing to do. "I will listen to you when your voice is as soft as mine." (thinking words)

•Avoid telling what you won't do. "I'm not giving you any more allowance just because you wasted yours already!" (fighting words)

•Try to state what you will do. "Don't worry. You will have some more money on Saturday, your usual day for allowance." (thinking words)

It is our job to set limits while children are young so that in time they will be able to internalize their own limits and gain self control.

(Next week: More ideas on limit-setting.)

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

SOMETHING TO TALK ABOUT

When you talk with your children, think about whether you are using "fighting words" or "thinking words."

(Contributed by the Early Childhood Family Education department of School District 564.)

Darren and Kathy Sande have a baby girl

Darren and Kathy Sande are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Desirae Lynn, on November 21. Grandparents are Darrel and Bev Sande of Thief River Falls and Lawrence and Dorothy Larson of Scottsdale, AZ.

Quade receives Women of Today medallion

Kim Quade, President of the Thief River Falls Women of Today, received a Presidential Medallion from Christine Jones, President of the Minnesota Women of Today, at the organization's Fall State Awards convention recently held in Minnetonka.

A local chapter president has to be many things, a membership recruiter, organized, a program manager, administrator, and the individual who has the answer to everything. The presidential medallion is designed to show a president's commitment to her local chapter and to her local membership. It exemplifies dedication and belief in the Women of Today. All recipients of this award are selected by the state president.

The Women of Today is a community service and leadership training organization.

Fibromyalgia/CFS support group to meet in January

A Fibromyalgia/Chronic Fatigue Syndrome support group will meet January 4 and 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the Northwest Regional Library in Thief River Falls.

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Area piano students pass music exams

Eight piano students of Marcia M. Knuttila passed various levels of the Minnesota Music Teachers Association music theory exams and piano syllabus exam held at Moorhead State University on Saturday, December 2.

Passing Level I music theory exams were Sarah Brulle, second grade daughter of Janeen and Tim Brulle; Erik Gaden son of Sue and Jim Ayer of Thief River Falls; and Amanda Rudahl, 12th grade daughter of Barb and David Rudahl of Thief River Falls. Nicolas and Marsh have already passed Levels I, II and III music theory exams.

Passing Level II music theory exams were Karl Knuttila, 8th grade son of Tim and Carl Christensen of Thief River Falls; Erin Melby, 10th grade daughter of Barb and Clifton Melby of Oklee; and Robert Larsen, adult piano student, pharmacist at Thieves Drug Store on Thief River Falls. Kelsey, Erin and Bob have already passed Levels I and II music theory exams.

Passing Level III music theory exams were the following: Nicolas Kotz, 10th grade son of Sue and Jim Ayer of Thief River Falls; and Amanda Rudahl, 12th grade daughter of Barb and David Rudahl of Thief River Falls. Nicolas and Marsh have already passed Levels I, II and III music theory exams.

Passing Level VIII piano syllabus exam: Sarah Knuttila, 9th grade daughter of JoAnne and Steve Knuttila of Detroit Lakes.

WIC will be held at Redeemer

The Women, Infants and Children's Supplemental Nutrition Education Program (WIC) is being held the month of January 1996.

Infants and children up to the age of five and women who are pregnant or breast feeding may be eligible for the program. Prenatal nutrition is a vital part of producing a healthy baby and it is important to apply for WIC early in the pregnancy. No proof of pregnancy is needed.

All potential clients must write or call WIC and complete an application.

The following is the schedule for WIC clinics to be held at Redeemer Lutheran church in Thief River Falls for November:

- Friday, January 5
- Monday, January 8
- Thursday, January 18
- Friday, January 19

Note: Immunizations will now be given by the county nurses. Contact Inter-County Nursing Service in Thief River Falls at 681-5930 for dates and times.

For further information about the WIC program, call or write WIC/IPS, Quai County, P.O. Box 190, Red Lake Falls, MN 56750 or telephone 1-800-223-1591 or 218-253-2125.

The WIC program must treat everyone the same. A person cannot be treated unfairly because of race, color, national origin, age, sex or handicap. If you feel you have been treated unfairly, write Administrator, Food and Nutrition Services, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 3101 Park Center Drive, Alexandria, VA 22302.

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Eight piano students of Marcia M. Knuttila passed various levels of the Minnesota Music Teachers Association music theory exams and piano syllabus exam. Pictured above are: (front row) Kelsey Christensen, and Amanda Rudahl; (back row) Robert Elevan, and Nikolas Kotz. Pictured below are: Sarah Brula, Karl Knuttila, Erin Melby, and Michael Langland.

Deer park Garden Club holds December meeting

The Deer Park Garden Club held their December meeting on Thursday, December 15. Following the evening meal, President Norma Hanson briefly discussed the club members' monetary gift to the MN State Horticulture Society. Money were collected to be mailed to St. Paul.

The club's program books were distributed. The printing of the books was courtesy of Ernest Swanson.

Club members guests were Ernest Swanson, Lynn Hanson, Richard Rudnicki and Mr. Hanson of Fertile. Members present were Lois Swanson, Norma Hanson, Ethel Woeth, Helen Chenevaud, LaVonne Rudnicki, Bea Israelson, Evelyn Myrum, Willis Prestegaard.

Ethel Woeth, program chair of the December meeting, hand crafted a small pixie skirt and a decorated Christmas stocking for each member of the club.

There will not be a meeting in January.

Guess Who's 50?
On Dec. 26

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ON THE OTHER HAND

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I HATE Christmas shopping! Yes, believe me, I'm a jolly Christmas shopping. The mass stress is because of those evil, metal shopping carts. They are monsters with teeth. Every time I go shopping, I get hot or run over by a cart. A couple of times someone has nearly taken a toe, and not once have I heard a person say "sorry" for giving me bruises.

Maybe there should be stop lights put up in stores so people won't get run over or hit by carts—either that or people should have licenses to handle them. Maybe even bicycle horns would work to warn people of the presence of an unarmed model Lincoln Tank approaching. Or, if people don't heed the warning, why is it people come up behind you with carts and wheel them right on your heels? Is it too hard to go around or say "excuse me?" They get so close to me sometimes that I could jump right into their carts.

Another thing that ticks me off is how rude people are when they have a shopping cart in their hands. They act like a herd of wild elephants. Some of them like to shove and push while others don't move at all. And if they do move, they move slower than a lazy "Wim that much room I might as well try to hurtle over them. I have dealt with people who like to stand right in the middle of the aisle and people who are in such a hurry they run into you. Of course, they totally know you right on your butt. If I had my way, they would have tried out for football.

One of my other reasons why I don't like Christmas shopping is because of the lines. When I'm in a hurry, I like to go through the express lane. That means that the line should go fast, but do they? No. People are in line with carts full of things when the sign usually says four items or less.

I'm sorry if I am sounding like a scrooge. I am not saying everyone is rude, but there are some people that I would love to run over with my own shopping cart. It seems during the Christmas holiday that people do their insensitive action of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde. This holiday is supposed to be a happy and pleasant holiday. People are supposed to be cheerful or at least have a little kindness in them.

Just watch out next time. If someone hits me with a shopping cart, I will get my own, and I may start a demolition derby.

Veteran's checks to be delayed due to shutdown

Over 3.3 million veterans and their dependents face delays in the receipt of their benefit checks as the result of the second partial government shutdown which began December 16, according to Douglas M. Kenyon, director of the VA Medical and Regional Office Center in Fargo, ND.

He explained that the department cannot issue payments unless funding is provided by Congress. Each day after December 21 that the VA does not have a budget or an appropriation from which to pay benefit checks delays the payment of those checks by one day.

For instance, if funds were appropriated by 6 p.m. on December 22, benefit checks would be delivered by January 2. If funds were appropriated by 6 p.m. on December 23, benefit checks would arrive on January 3.

The delay will affect over 13,000 beneficiaries in North Dakota and northwest Minnesota who receive service-connected disability payments or needs-based pension benefits. Checks to veterans who receive GI Bill education assistance may also be delayed.

However, if telephones from the VA Medical Center lose been sent home on furlough, the Center continues to provide full patient care, Kenyon said. Over half of the employees assigned to the VA regional office have been furloughed and claims processing has come to a halt.

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I have a lot to learn about being a parent.

It's pretty easy in the beginning when you take a baby home from the hospital. You feed him when he cries, burp him, change his dirty diapers, cuddle and love him, and he sleeps most of the time.

But as this child grows, the process becomes a little more complicated. There are many, many situations that first-time parents aren't aware of and aren't prepared for.

Now that my son is five years old, I've decided that I'm probably not suited for this parenting stuff. I have three possible explanations: glaucoma, my son's tendency to fog; or only one side of my brain works.

The reason I don't know how things work is because it's been a long time since I was a youngster and my brain doesn't register EVERYTHING from way back when. And I don't have an older child on whom to experiment.

I operate by trial and error. Oftentimes I'm way to my husband: "Aren't you glad I'm not YOUR mother?"

For instance, during show and tell last year I had my son choose something I thought was interesting. Something that he could carry around in his school bag. Something that would be small enough to fit in his bag. Something that would be lightweight. Something that would be easy to carry around. Something that would be relatively inexpensive. Something that would be hard to lose. Something that would be easy to find if he did lose it. Something that would be easy to clean if it got dirty. Something that would be easy to replace if it got broken. Something that would be easy to share with his classmates.

Guess what I chose? A rock.

Now, I'm not stupid. I knew that my son would be the only kid in his class who would be bringing a rock to show and tell. So when other kids were bringing bear shaped objects, my child was bringing his favorite stuffed toy. When the other children brought something blue, my five year old was bringing something red. Luckily, he didn't seem to notice, but I felt pretty silly when I figured it out.

The same applies to many other occasions now that he's entered preschool and is involved in social activities. I debate all the questions, make a decision, and later find out how you're REALLY supposed to do it.

Take Valentine's Day. I know you buy those little cards here your child sign his name, and give one to each student in the class. But do you include a candy treat inside or attach it to the card on the outside? What would then be? Or nothing at all? By the time I figure out this fast-food certificate are OK, the restaurant has run out of them. Now what?

How about May Day? Do we still participate in this goody-giving day? Are you still supposed to make up cute little baskets, leave them on the doorstep, ring the bell and run? Or is that rude? I didn't know, so I skipped May Day last year. I think my sister and her kids kept up the tradition, though.

I have the same indecision with birthday parties. What do you buy a child, when you've never played with his toys, but your son has? We stand in front of the toy section and ponder and ponder. And ponder. And ponder. Do we buy a toy that's appealing but seem dumb to us? Most often the child has at least one just like it at home. And, during the party, are the parents supposed to stay and supervise their child or should they go shopping?

The dilemma was reversed when I planned my son's first birthday party, that for the first time involved friends instead of just relatives. I struggled with every decision: how many kids should we invite; which kids should we ask; where should we have it; should the parents be invited; how long should it last; just cake, or cake and ice cream; are you supposed to give the attendees a little treat bag to take home? Help! Where is the child's birthday party etiquette book when you need it?

I also underestimated the first day of preschool and the holiday concert. I dressed my son casually for these events and sent him off to school. I left my wife home at home. Whoa! Was I wrong. I hope he never realizes that his mother underdressed him and that there weren't many photos of these momentous occasions. Just wait, I'll know better when he's in kindergarten next year.

It's not only special events that I seem to space out on. It's also any activity that involves arts and crafts. For instance, I signed my son up for a class in which he made gingerbread houses. The idea was simple: frost a small milk carton, affix graham crackers to the side, and decorate. But I had a small problem creating the roof with a graham cracker. My son kept saying, "I want mine to look like theirs." When I looked at "theirs" I realized how you were REALLY supposed to do it.

Now, it may seem silly to worry about all of these details. But it can be a terrifying experience when you've never done this before. After all, as a parent, I don't want to fail! After each situation I learn what you're REALLY supposed to do. I just hope someone doesn't change the rules on me. Then I would really be in trouble.

Now, do you still think you want ME to be YOUR mother?

Desiree Verner and Kelly Rogalla of the Violence Intervention Project accepted gifts for the Umbrella Bus Safety Center from the children of the Challenger Launch program. The three-and four-year-old children donated gifts to the program instead of exchanging with one another. The Launch program is a learning readiness program taught by Karen Odegaard and educational assistant Holly Stainhauer.

Seaverson cited for achievement

John Seaverson of Thief River Falls is among 1,313 students at St. Cloud State University who received a certificate of scholastic achievement during the fall quarter by completing a minimum of nine credits with a grade point average of 3.75 or higher in courses graded A through F.

Ammerman and Eriksen join Kappa Delta Pi

Leslie Ammerman and Amy Eriksen of Thief River Falls have been inducted into the Bemidji State University chapter of Kappa Delta Pi, international honor society, organized to recognize excellence in education.

Ammerman is a junior and Eriksen is a sophomore. Both are majoring in elementary education.

Kappa Delta Pi promotes interaction between current and future teachers as well as presents programs on issues relating to the classroom.

Kne wins $9,000 playing Lucky Kitty lottery

Margaret Kne of Thief River Falls won the top prize of $9,000 playing the Minnesota Lottery's Lucky Kitty instant game, claiming last prize on Monday, December 19. She bought her winning ticket at the Super Valu store in Thief River Falls.

Lucky Kitty is a $1 tic-tac-toe game where players scratch the prize box and nine balls of same color appear. Those who match three rows of three must in any row, column or diagonal, win a prize from $1 to $9,000. Overall odds are more than four to one against winning anything.

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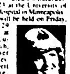
Lynne Bylander, 37

Thief River Falls — Lynne Bylander, 37, died on Saturday, December 23 at the University of Minnesota Hospital in Minneapolis.



Services will be held on Friday, December 29 at 3:30 p.m. at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls with Rev. Terri Cuppett officiating. Special music will be by organist Mrs. Joyce Halbach and vocalists Jan and Diedre Nordin. Selections are "How Great Thou Art" and "Amazing Grace."

Casket bearers are Bill Robson, Floyd Hageman, Sandy Peterson, Linda Croy, Sally Erickson and Tom Anderson. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Visitation will be on Thursday, December 28 from 1-9 p.m. and at the church on Friday for one hour prior to services. The Green Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Lynne Marie Meier was born on March 25, 1958 at Wisconsin Rapids, WI to Rexall and Marilys (Hokanson) Meier. She was baptized and confirmed in the Christian faith, attended the Washington Elementary School, West Junior High and graduated from Lincoln High School, all in Wisconsin Rapids. WI. In 1981 she graduated with a Master's Degree from Stout State University at Menomonie, WI.

On October 4, 1980, she was united in marriage to Daniel Bylander in Wisconsin Rapids, WI. The couple lived in St. Paul before returning to Menomonie in 1982 where they both received their master's degrees. In December of 1983 they moved to Thief River Falls and Lynne has worked for the Occupational Development Council and in the later years has worked for the State of Minnesota as a rehab counselor.

She is a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church, Women of the Elks and Women of Today where she served as president during the 1990-91 year.

She is survived by her husband Dan; two sons, Nathan and Cole, all of Thief River Falls; her parents, Rexall and Marilys Meier of Wisconsin Rapids, WI; her paternal grandmother Ruth Meier, Prescott, WI; one sister Terrylea Ness, Hector and two brothers, Jeffrey, Plymouth and James, Cottage Grove and nine nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather and maternal grandparents.

Evelyn Arneson, 84

Thief River Falls — Evelyn Arneson, 84, died Thursday, December 21 at Valley Home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, December 23 at Our Saviors Lutheran Church, rural Grygla with Rev. Roberta Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Berniece Jelle and soloist Alicia Torgerson. Congregational hymns were "Old Rugged Cross" and "Rock of Ages."

Casketbearers were Wade Sundberg, Carter Torgerson, Scott Torgerson, Douglas Torgerson, Paul Sundberg, Steven Sundberg, Mark Askeland and Larry Askeland. Interment was at Our Saviors Cemetery, Hamre township, Beltrami county. Green Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Evelyn Josephine Jelle was born on August 17, 1911 in Beltrami county to John and Thora (Moe) Jelle. She grew to adulthood and attended school in the Grygla area.

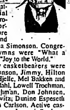
She was united in marriage to Halvor Arneson on May 8, 1934 at Grygla. The couple farmed and raised their family in Lee township, Beltrami county until 1957 when they moved to Thief River Falls. In 1963 they started and operated Arneson's Boarding Home until retiring in 1990.

She was a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Grygla.

She is survived by her husband Halvor, Thief River Falls; daughter Judy Halvorson, Thief River Falls; son Orley, Norco, CA; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; brother Jorgen, Springfield, MO; sisters, Violet Olufson, Thief River Falls, Grace Askeland, Grygla and Esther Sundberg, Grygla.

Eunice Sorenson, 70

Thief River Falls — Eunice Sorenson, 70, died on Friday, December 22 at Northwest Medical Center, Thief River Falls.



Services were held on Tuesday, December 26 at 2 p.m. at the Faith Lutheran Brethren Church, with Rev. George Davis and Duaine Espeseth officiating. Special music was provided by organist Lenore Johnsen and vocalist Lisa Simonson. Congregational hymns were "What a Friend," and "Joy to the World."

Honorary casketbearers were Norman Johnson, Jimmy, Hilton and Kenny Hjelle, Mel Bakken and Elton Underdahl, Lowell Trochman, Norris Trochman, Don Johnsen, Dean Paskewitz, Dunine Espeseth and Kenneth Carlson. Active casketbearers were Jeremy Seglum, Jason King, Don King, Chad King, Chad Anderson, Richard Sorenson, Scott Steedsman, Danny McMahon. Interment was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Newfolden. The Green Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Eunice JoJane Hjelle was born on July 8, 1925 in Warrenton township, Marshall county to the late Otto and Marie (Nyflot) Hjelle. The family lived in the Warren, Argyle, Viking and Newfolden area and she attended school in New Solum township.

On January 13, 1959 she was united in marriage to Norman Sorenson at Newfolden. The couple lived in Newfolden for a short time and moved to Thief River Falls where she has since lived.

She was a member of the Faith Lutheran Brethren Church and the Eagle's auxiliary.

Eunice is survived by her daughters, Margie Rendulich, Thief River Falls and Mary Madden, International Falls; sons, John of Erskine and David of Thief River Falls; ten grandchildren; one great-grandson; two sisters, Carol Potucek, Warren and Lila Hjelle, Thief River Falls.

She was preceded in death by her parents; nephew Layton Hjelle and two infant brothers.

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Loyal Oistad, 87

Karlstad — Loyal Martin Oistad, 87, died on Sunday morning, December 24 at his home.

Services will be Thursday, December 28 at 2 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church, Karlstad with Pastors Mary Carol and Cordell Strug. Interment will be in Karlstad Cemetery.

A complete obituary will appear in the January 3 edition of the *Times*.

Dear Readers,

The end of the year has come. As we look back on 1995, we remember the joys and sorrows, the achievements and disappointments, and we welcome the new year as a fresh beginning. We wish each of you happiness and prosperity, and may the peace and love from the holiday season remain in your heart.

Sincerely,

Belmont Funeral Home

Larry Belmont

Arthur Gustafson, 88

Thief River Falls — Arthur Gustafson, 88, died on Monday, December 18 at Oakland Park Nursing Home in Thief River Falls.

Funeral services were on Friday, December 22 at Ebenezer Lutheran Church in rural Plummer with Pastor Clarence Johnson officiating. Special music was provided by organist Gelene Lundeen. Congregational hymns were "How Great Thou Art" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Fred Wilde, Olaf Stolaas, Joel Chervestad, Clarence Nelson, Orlan Stolaas, Verner Arveson. Interment was in Ebenezer Lutheran Cemetery with Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Arthur Fred Gustafson was born September 22, 1907 in Deer Park township, Pennington county to Peter and Hildur (Peterson) Gustafson.

On August 4, 1934 he was united in marriage to Emma Olson in Hickory township, Pennington county. They spent their entire life around Deer Park township farming and raising their family.

Arthur was a member of the Ebenezer Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his wife Emma, one son, John of Fargo, ND, one daughter, Helen LaCoursiere of Milwaukee, WI; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren and two sisters, Mildred Olafson, Chisholm, and Irene Miner, Sartell.

Arthur was preceded in death by his parents; brother Carl, sisters, Mabel Stolaas, Edith Olson, Hazel Gustafson and Jeanette Sävola.

Gilman Stennes, 86

Strandquist — Gilman Stennes, 86, died on Saturday, December 23 in the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Home.

Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 27 in Bethania Free Lutheran Church of rural Newfolden with Rev. LeRoy Flickinger officiating. Special music will be provided by Orpha Schaffhauser and soloists Emory and Jennifer Flottea. Selections are "Near to the Heart of God" and "Abide with Me." Congregational hymns are "Rock of Ages" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers are Todd Stennes, Leif Stennes, Lyle Westman, Gerald Hanson, Wesley Bring and Rodney Liedberg. Interment will be at the church cemetery with Green Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Visitation will be one hour prior to services at the church.

Gilman Belvin Stennes was born on May 16, 1909 at Shelly to the late Ole and Caroline (Hillstad) Stennes. At the age of two years he moved with his family to West Valley township, Marshall county and there he attended school and grew to manhood. He was baptized and confirmed in the West Valley Church.

On October 29, 1941, he was united in marriage to Adeline Dahl at the parsonage in Viking by Rev. Harlan Peterson. The couple lived and farmed in West Valley township until retiring in 1976 when they moved to the city of Strandquist. On May 5, 1995, he entered the Karlstad Memorial Nursing Home and has since resided there.

He was a member of the Bethania Free Lutheran Church where he was a trustee for many years.

He is survived by his wife Adeline; two sons, Robert, Marine on the St. Croix, and Merrill, Newfolden; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; one sister, Gladys Lunde, Bloomington and two sisters-in-law, Florence Rhodes, Des Moines, WA and Helen Stennes, Thief River Falls; and several nieces and nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers, Edwin, Curtis, Kenneth and Roy; one nephew Willis Stennes and one niece, Merillee Vanek.

Lila Hams, 76

Red Lake Falls — Lila Hams, Mrs. Arlie Hams, 76, died on Saturday, December 23 at the Hillcrest Nursing Home in Red Lake Falls.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, December 28 at the St. John's Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls at 11 a.m. with the Reverend Curtis Brooks officiating. Special music will be provided by organist, Casey Wieland with duets by Cheryl Beyer and Kristi Osagie. Congregational hymns are "I Know that my Redeemer Lives" and "Joy to the World." Special music was "The Rose" and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Caskebearers are Keith Bakke, Harvey Bakke, Doug Lizotte, Steve Beyer, David Hams and Loren Hams. Honorary casketbearers are present and past Sunday school staff and students. Interment will be at Oak Grove Cemetery near Red Lake Falls with Petterson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Visitation will be Wednesday, December 27 from 5-8 p.m. with a 7 p.m. prayer service at the Petterson Funeral Home in Red Lake Falls and for one hour prior to services at the church on Thursday.

Lila Millie Weiss was born on April 4, 1919 in Browns Creek township near Red Lake Falls, the daughter of Fred and Mary Hilse Weiss. She was baptized May 4, 1919 and confirmed on June 18, 1933.

On October 23, 1950, she was united in marriage to Arlie Hams at St. John's Lutheran Church in Red Lake Falls. The couple lived in Red Lake Falls where they owned and operated the Hams Pure Oil Cafe for several years. She also cooked in the local restaurants and was head cook at Lafayette High School in Red Lake Falls.

Lila was active in St. John's Church, the ladies aid, taught Sunday school for several years and adult Bible classes.

She is survived by her husband Arlie Red Lake Falls; one daughter Kathy LaPlante, Red Lake Falls and three grandchildren. She is also survived by sisters, Mildred Lizotte, Red Lake Falls, Evelyn Wagner, Crookston, Adeline Beyer, Red Lake Falls, Marie Casovan, Red Lake Falls and several nieces and nephews.

Lila was preceded in death by her parents and an infant brother.

Mary Reese, 87

Fertile — Mary Reese, 87, died December 19 at Fair Meadow Home in Fertile.

Mass of Christian burial was held on Friday, December 22 at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Thief River Falls with Father Joe DeCrans officiating. Special music was provided by Elizabeth Odette and the Resurrection Choir. The cantor was Shelly Burkel.

Casketbearers are all of Mary's grandchildren. Interment was in the church cemetery. Green Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mary Margaret Foster was born March 28, 1908 in Armah, IA to the late Edward and Elizabeth (George) Foster.

On June 24, 1924 she was united in marriage to William B. Reese at Badger. The couple moved to the Thief River Falls area in 1943 where they raised their family and lived until the time of her move to Fertile in 1992.

Mary loved the Christmas Season and loved to be Mrs. Santa Clause.

She was a member of S. Bernard's Catholic Church, Thief River Falls VFW Auxiliary and the Moose Lodge in International Falls.

She is survived by one daughter Rose Needham, Goodridge; six sons, Bernard, Thief River Falls, Ambrose, Plainville, CT, Charles, Euclid, Ronold, Highlond Ranch, CO, James, Anchorage, AK and Matthew, Mentor; 28 grandchildren; 62 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; one sister, Delphin Cook of MI iron and several nieces and nephews.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband William; her parents; seven brothers, Arnold, Sanford, Ernest, Donold, Dean, Edgar and Gallitzin and two sisters, Grace Foster and Lou Vicia.

Richard Price, 62

Karlstad — Richard Henry Price, 62, died Monday, December 18 at the Kittson Memorial Nursing Center in Hallock.

Services were held Wednesday, December 20 at Collins Funeral Chapel, Karlstad, with Father Richard Hoger officiating. Special music was provided by Kristine Stusynski.

Casketbearers were his nephews Robert Price, Donald Price, Tim Urbaniak, Jim Kuznia, Tom Tulibski and Larry Kuznia.

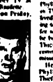
Richard Price was born to John P. and Antoinette (Wilebski) Price on July 14, 1933, at Augsburg township, Marshall county, near Florian. He grew to manhood there and was baptized at the Assumption Catholic Church in Florian. Richard later resided at Fergus Fall and Brainerd prior to moving to the Valley Group Home in Karlstad where he has since resided.

Richard is survived by one brother John of Stephen and one sister Dorothy Urbaniak, Argyle; in addition to several nieces, nephews and relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother in infancy and two sister, Loretta and Barbara.

Alvin Jablinski, 79

Baudette — Alvin Jablinske, 79 formerly of Thief River Falls died on Tuesday, December 19 at Lakewood Care Center, Baudette.



Services were held on Friday, December 22 at the Green Funeral Home Chapel in Thief River Falls with Reverend Robert Leen officiating. Special music was provided by Louise Leen. Selections were "Going Home" and "Suppertime."

Casketbearers were Randy Harger, Al Iverson, Brent Olson, Erwin Olson, Dale Torea, Jim Trainer. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Alvin Albert Jablinske was born on December 21, 1915 at Farmont to Rudolph and Mianie (Meyers) Jablinske. He came to the Thief River Falls area as a youngster and attended Daisy Dale rural school in Sanders township, Pennington county.

He was united in marriage to Phyllis Doucette on April 16, 1940 in Thief River Falls. The couple lived in Thief River Falls until moving to Baudette in 1984. He worked for several places until 1949 when he began working for the City of Thief River Falls. He was street commissioner and sanitation commissioner until retiring in 1981.

He is survived by his wife Phyllis, Baudette, son Robert of Thief River Falls, daughter Judy of Red Lake Falls, seven grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren; three sisters, Alonda Olson, Thief River Falls, Marie Peterson, East Grand Forks, and Lydia Spaars, Burlington, WA; five brothers, Wilbert, Thief River Falls, Lawrence, Linwood, WA, Maynard, Linwood, WA, Adolph, Linwood, WA and Leslie, Linwood, WA.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Roy and Herbert; sister Melvina Owens; and two in infancy, one granddaughter Penny Sorenson and one great-grandson.

Anna Hammershoy, 87

Detroit Lakes — Anna Hammershoy, 87, formerly of Thief River Falls, died on Tuesday, December 19 at Emmanuel Nursing Home in Detroit Lakes.

Services were held on Tuesday, December 26 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls with Rev. John Wollenzien officiating. Special music was provided by organist Ida Nordvall and soloist Jan Peterson. Selections were "Behold A Host" and "When Peace Like a River." Congregational hymns were "What a Friend" and "Amazing Grace."

Casketbearers were Melroy Thoreson, Oliver Myhra, Jerome Narum, Tom Bendickson, Jim Haugen, Mark Haugen. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Thief River Falls.

Anna Mathilda Myhra was born on May 13, 1908 in Stanley, ND to Christian and Regina (Kittelson) Myhra. She was baptized and confirmed at Knife River Lutheran Church in Stanley, ND and attended rural school in the Stanley area.

Anna worked at various jobs in North Dokota and in St. Paul. On September 19, 1937 she was united in marriage to Eric Hammershoy at Scobey, MT. The couple resided there until moving in 1938 to Rolette, ND. In 1960 they moved to Thief River Falls. Anna worked at Jungs Bakery and other bakeries in Thief River Falls for many years. Mr. Hammershoy died in 1989. Anna continued to reside in Thief River Falls until moving to Detroit Lakes in 1992.

She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, the Golden Years group and church circle.

She is survived by her daughter Marie Ash, Detroit Lakes; son Eric, East Kingston, NH; three grandchildren; three sisters, Betsy Narum, Michigan, ND, Gina Ellenburg, San Jose, CA, and Clara Thoreson, Minot, ND.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Eric; grandson Mitchell Ash; son-in-law Dean Ash; four brothers, Henry, Carl, Melvin and Anton; two brother-in-law, Carl Narum and Sanford Ellenburg; three sisters-in-law, Selma, Mollie and Dolly Myhra.

Rev. Theodore Weltzin, 84

Watford City, ND — Rev. Theodore J. Weltzin, 84, died Sunday evening, December 24 at the Good Shepherd Lutheran Nursing Home.

Funeral services will be held at the Farland Lutheran Church northwest of Woterford City, ND, on Thursday, December 28 at 2 p.m. Rev. Kerry Eversole will officiate and interment will be at the Farland Cemetery. A chapel service, open to the public, will be held at Good Shepherd Nursing Home in Woterford City on Wednesday, December 27 at 4 p.m.

A complete obituary will appear in the January 3 edition of the *Times*.

Katy Olson, a seventh grader at Franklin Middle school in Thief River Falls, (right) receives the "School Bus Conduct Award" from her driver, Cliff Mattson. Mattson says Katy's friendly attitude and interest in other students has a good effect on school bus behavior on route 3. Mattson, a former State Patrol officer, has been driving for the school district for five years.

Katy Olson wins bus conduct award

Katy Olson, a seventh grader at Franklin Middle school in Thief River Falls, has received the District 564 "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award." The award was presented to Katy by her driver, Cliff Mattson, and Transportation Superintendent Fred Mykleby.

Mattson says, "Katy's friendly attitude and her interest in other students has a good influence on school bus behavior and ultimately effects bus safety for everyone on Route 3." Mattson, a former State Patrol officer, has driven for School District 564 for five years.

The "Driver's Choice School Bus Conduct Award" was implemented this year to promote safe ridership and recognize student attitudes that make transportation to and from school a friendly, fun experience. One award will be made this school year on each of the 26 transportation routes in the Thief River Falls and St. Hiloire school district.

David Kiesow is UMD graduate

David Kiesow of Thief River Falls is among nearly 400 students who graduated from the University of Minnesota—Duluth during the fall quarter. He received a bachelor of arts degree in criminology.

Fewer reports to LEC during Christmas

Reports to the local law enforcement center seemed to have slowed down during the Christmas holiday.

Accidents. On December 19 at 10:35 a.m. police received a report of an accident at the frontage road and Highway 59. Sandra Dee Miller, Thief River Falls, was driving a car south on Highway 59. Lucas James Anderson, Starbuck, pulled out onto Highway 59 from the frontage road and collided with Miller. Police estimated damages at about $1,500 to the Miller vehicle, and $1,000 to the Anderson vehicle.

On December 16 at 9:15 p.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a snowmobile accident in section 9 of Rocksbury township. The operator, Gordon Harold Hall, Thief River Falls, was driving a snowmobile when it hit a field approach and he was thrown from the machine. Damage was estimated at about $2,000. Hall had a cut to his forehead.

On December 24 at 1:35 a.m. the sheriff's department received a report of a snowmobile accident in Black River township. Brad Hagh Scheie, Red Lake Falls was driving a snowmobile southbound and, not thinking he was driving into a deep ditch, drove off a ledge and fell 15 to 20-feet into a ravine or culvert bottom. He complained of a sore chest. Damage to the snowmobile was estimated at $1,500.

Disorderly conduct. On December 22 at 12:44 a.m. police were called to a residence in the 300 block of North Arnold. Bret Ervin Colden, 30, Thief River Falls, was brought to the law enforcement center on charges of disorderly conduct.

Thefts. On December 25 a security guard at Arctco reported finding a hole in a chain link fence. Snowmobile tracks were leading from the interior fence area. A 1996 Ski-Doo Summit was missing. It appeared that several machines had been tried but only one taken. Theft loss was estimated at about $6,800. Damage to the fence was estimated at about $150.

On December 24 at 2:41 p.m. police received a report from a local woman that a Christmas present had been taken from her car, which was parked outside of her garage. One wrapped gift was taken, and other items were left. The theft loss was estimated at $10. A yellow powder was also left behind.

Driving while intoxicated. On December 24 at 2:01 a.m. Jean Pablo Elizondo, Thief River Falls, 18, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

On December 22 Dale Duane Opdahl, 26, Thief River Falls, was arrested for driving while intoxicated.

Strandquist

F. Myrtle Vagle

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Cathy Thompson had a beautiful Christmas party at her home on Friday evening. She served a delicious dinner to all the Women's Missionary group of the Assembly of God church, and after games were played gifts were exchanged by secret pals. All had a wonderful time. Merry Christmas to all who get to read this and a wonderful New Year.

"Snow and more snow" seems to be the main topic on the TV these days. It even comes before the government shut-down. Perhaps it will give all 900,000 laid off government workers time to shovel out their driveways. Yesterday we had to go to Grand Forks and with Roy's eyes dilated, I had to chauffeur him home after dark. Driving at night with loose drifting snow is a mean trick, but thankful I am that it wasn't farther. One thing for sure we can plow out the snow but in places where they have to move upstairs in their homes and use boats in the streets it makes us thankful for snow.

The Strandquist residents seem to be all ready for the Christmas season with the beautiful Nativity scene in the gazebo at the civic center. Vance Lefrooth puts up this scene each year. Thanks Vance. It is great to know that we are aware of the reason for the Christmas season. It is fortunate that we have recordings of the lovely old Christmas songs that we can play at home as on the TV they are "so loudly" silent.

This week I had a letter from Lloyd Roseland from Maple Grove who asked me to let the people around here know about one of the early residents of Strandquist, Anna Sjoquist Gabrielson who was born December 22, 1895. She will be 100 years on Friday and I'm sure she would be pleasantly surprised to get greetings from a lot of us, even if they were late. Lets make her days. Her address is Box 582, Grandview, Manitoba, Canada. RoLoYo.

Many of the Strandquist people were at the Karlstad Nursing Home visiting with friends and relatives and enjoying the party given by the Home. The program and all these delicious pies were a real treat. We saw Melford and Mily from Buena Park, CA and Phillip and Yvonna Boen dining with Phillip and Melford's mother, Grace Boen, and had a nice visit with them.

Derwin and Pat Holmstrom of Minneapolis spent the weekend at Dean and JoAnne Holmstrom's on Saturday evening they visited Elsie Lefrooth.

Sunday, Isaac and Betsy Thompson enjoyed the Christmas programs at Hegland, First Lutheran church and the Gospel Tabernacle.

Robert Thompson has been busy plowing folks roads and driveways open so they can get out to shop and celebrate. He cleaned out Peter's road on Wednesday and by Thursday it was full again. He also cleaned out Elsie Lefrooth's yard.

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American Legion Post 117 and auxiliary recognized a number of military veterans and auxiliary members in the community before Christmas. Among the recipients at Valley Home were (left to right), front row, Bee Hanson, Bertha Sculthorp and Gladys Isaacson; second row, Vernon Rysted, Ralph Boutain, Gordon Johnson, Elving Nielson, Tilmen Swenson and Elmer Johnson. Not pictured is Donald Olson. Standing are Ormond Johnson, Post 117 service officer; Donne Poole, Auxiliary Unit 117 secretary; and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Molstad, Post Commander and Unit President, respectively. The post provided fruit baskets and the auxiliary gave $10 cash and memberships in the auxiliary to the ladies.

Warroad women dies in accident Wednesday night

Sixty two year old Cassandra Caskey Warroad was killed in a one vehicle accident near Salol Wednesday evening.

Minnesota State patrol received a report of the accident at 9:25 p.m. Wednesday December 20. The accident happened on Highway 11 one and one-eighths of a mile west of Salol. According to the accident report Caskey was driving a 1991 Geo Metro west on Highway 11 and failed to negotiate a curve. The vehicle entered the west ditch and rolled. Caskey was pinned in an open door. She was pronounced dead upon arrival at the Roseau hospital.

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Tuesday night the Holly Hock home makers held their monthly meeting at the home of Kathy Juneau. It was a fun filled evening. Everyone exchanged names for next years secret pals. Christmas gifts were exchanged. The project for night was the making of Christmas ornaments to decorate their trees and homes. Kathy then served lunch.

Auxiliary Christmas Party

Plummer unit 623 of the American Legion held their Christmas party Thursday. President Karan Fossall introduced our honored guest, ninth district auxiliary president Beverly Johnson and Secretary Frances Fortuik of Warren. There were readings by Alice Jobe, first vice president and by Fern Eskelt the Chaplain. Amelia Eskelt lead a Christmas sing a long. Christmas gifts were exchanged and another "Plummer" delicious lunch was served.

Christmas Program

Sunday evening was the Christmas program at Immanuel Lutheran church. Christmas stories and songs were done by Kindergarten thru ninth grade. The congregation joined in singing Christmas hymns and The Lord's Prayer. The offering went to an area food shelf. Coffee and goodies were served by the Grace and Ruth circles and Christmas gifts were given and exchanged. Teachers and students did a good job.

Santa Comes to Plummer

Saturday was a very special day for the children of Plummer. With the help of the Plummer Lioness Clubs Santa came to the Plummer Hall to visit with the children. There was treats for the children and apple cider, cookies and a craft bake sale.

Bertha Hughes celebrates 80th Birthday

Saturday evening Bertha's daughter Mary, Tom and grandson Andrew Kutz of Plymouth, son Roger, Connie Hughes, grandson Brad and Shelly Hughes and granddaughter Lori, Brian and Nicholas Schindler helped their mother grandmother celebrate her 80th birthday by having a dinner party for her at the Best Western in Thief River Falls.

Sunday Bertha's family had a party for her at her apartment building in Thief River Falls. Attending were Bertha's family that had attended the Saturday party and Bertha's daughter Priscilla [illegible] and family from Dilworth and Bertha's many friends from her buildings. There was coffee, cake and many birthday wishes.

On Wednesday Bertha enjoyed lunch with a few friends at the Lantern in Thief River Falls. Attending were Dorothy Myhre and Veronica Boucher of Brooks, Kathy Juneau, Amelia Eskelt, Bunny DuChamp and Edna Hyde of Plummer. After lunch they adjourned to Bertha's apartment where they enjoyed coffee and Moca bars. Bertha received cards, gifts and hugs with wishes for many more happy birthdays!

Hello Erika Jo

Affectionately know as Plummer's grandma, Edna Hyde announced Friday, December 15th, 1995 that her granddaughter Stacey and husband Greg Swanson of Fargo, ND are the proud parents of a new little 8 pound baby girl. Erika Jo was born at the Merit Care Center in Fargo, ND. Helping mom and dad with Erika Jo will be her big sister Amy Beth and Great Grandma Edna sending love and goodwill.

Christmas Light Contest

Judging for the Christmas Light Contest was held on December 18th. The winners were: first place Carl and Joyce Magers, second place Dean and Jill Torkelson, third place Mann and Judy Engesather and a honorable mention goes out to Roger Skjerven and his classic tractor. Otter Tail Power Company and Red Lake Electric showed their support of the Plummer Community again this year in matching funds given by the Plummer Community Club as prizes for this event. As had become tradition Roy Nanonen hosted a get together after the judging. Approximately fifteen people enjoyed food and refreshments served by the gracious host. Thanks Ray! Our Community Club meets the third Monday of each month at 7:00 in the evening and We Need You! Come join in it's fun and what a great feeling it is when we help not just ourselves, but others.

George and Hazel Ollie had a nice visit with John and Evelyn Kuiper in Red Lake Falls and Sunday.

Francis Schiefert returned home to Plummer on Sunday after spending a week in Minneapolis with her son Sidney. While there she visited her sister Dora who is in a nursing home. She was also an overnight guest of her niece Barb Ellingson and her cousins Marie and Chris Brand.

Monday morning callers at Ruth Wilkens home were Veronica Boucher and Dorothy Myhre from Brooks.

Frances Schiefert visited her brother and sister-in-law, Henry and Pauline Knott near Red Lake Falls.

Lyndon and Mary Leming were in Plummer to visit with Charlotte Leming on Friday afternoon, then went to Thief River Falls to visit daughter Sara Leming spending the night also at the home of Dr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Bemidji.

Avis Froland with Amelia Eskelt on piano had a fun filled Christmas sing-a-long then the old walnut game. What fun guess what the twenty five items in that little walnut is. What do you know I won. Hazel Ollie won the other game of Christmas scrabbled sentences, also much harder than the game I won. Avis read a wonderful German Christmas story about the spiders and the webs. Door prizes went to Lillie Halvorson and George Ollie.

Wednesday afternoon, Ron and Kathy Juneau went to Thief River Falls to visit Esther Walters who is in the hospital. They gave her a card that was signed by Plummer seniors and a bag of goodies. Hurry home Esther we miss you.

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Worship Services – Bethany: Sundays at 9 a.m.

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Scenes in miniature laid out along a street of concrete strips are the focal point for holiday decorations at the Dayton Silk residence at 601 Gleason Avenue North. Dayton, whose wife died during the past year, said he considered not putting up the display again, but decided to do so in tribute to her memory. Slik won second place in the Thief River Falls Jaycees holiday home decorating contest and an award of a $100 savings bond.

370 Franklin students on second honor roll

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Ulferts, C-Jay Wojciechowski and Brenda Wood;

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Wishing You All A Happy New Year

On Wednesday Mrs. Dorothy Myhre, Veronica Boucher, Mrs. Bunny DuChamp, Ruth Wilkens, Edna Hyde, Kathy Juneau and Amelia Eskelt of Plummer helped Mrs. Bertha Hughes of Thief River Falls celebrate her 80th birthday with dinner at the Lantern and a special birthday cake and coffee at Bertha's home. Happy Birthday Bertha!

Mrs. Bennette Walter of Thief River Falls visited her parents, Walter Sr. and Monica Hovet on Tuesday evening.

Wednesday forenoon guests of Mrs. Pearl Lanel were Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum, Marie Riendeau, Debbie Opdahl and Nathan, Mary Jane Peradis, Pat Prince, Vi Gagner and Martha Gagner.

Mrs. Evangeline Grove and Russell Hince visited their mother Mrs. Lillian Hince on Monday.

Mrs. Mayme Berbench accompanied Mrs. Marlene Harbott of Thief River Falls and Butch Berbench to Bemidji on Sunday and helped Little Marc son of Kevin and Rita Sinner celebrate his 1st birthday. Happy Birthday Marc!

Mrs. Alma Bergeron of Oklee and her son Paul Bergeron of Wisconsin visited with her niece Mrs. Joann Delage on Sunday.

On Tuesday, Sherlie and Evangeline Grove were guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince, her grandson George Bothwell was a dinner guest.

Harvey and Mary Ann Gagner visited with Mrs. Vi Gagner on Sunday.

Russell Hince and Mrs. Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Wednesday.

Dan Gagner a student in Grand Forks UND spent his school break last week at home with his parents Clarence and Diane Gagner.

Saturday guests of Mrs. Lillian Hince were Mrs. Doris Lajambe of Gilee, Rene Kimbro of Erskine, Diane Plante and Evangeline Grove.

Greg and Connie Parenteau and boys of Crookston were Saturday and Sunday guests of Marc and Connie Parenteau, Gary and Dennie Parenteau and boys of Fargo, ND were Sunday guests.

Mrs. Diane Plante, Mabie Sabourin and Evangeline Grove visited Mrs. Lillian Hince on Thursday.

Mrs. Dennie Parenteau of Fargo, ND visited with Marc and Connie Parenteau Tuesday to Thursday. Little Ryan and Marc visited their grandparents Virgil and Theresa Radniecki of Oklee.

Mrs. Hilde Kvaale of Gully visited her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Hamrum on Friday.

County to have hike in revenue

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welfare is also anticipated. The county is planning to levy for $1,100,000 for the welfare fund. Last year the county levied for $1,060,000 for the welfare fund.

Aids to the county account for a significant portion of the county's revenue. In 1996, HACA aids are expected to decrease from $696,179 in 1995 to $653,209 in 1996. Disparity aid is expected to remain the same at $131,486.

The total budget, including all revenues and transfers of reserve funds or budget reserves is expected to be $11,521,404, an increase from $10,026,606 in 1995. Total expenditures are expected to be $11,521,404.

The county held its Truth in Taxation hearing on December 12. Other than county commissioners and department supervisors, there were no other individuals in attendance.

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Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Thursday night, Eloda Knutson and Elva Fiedler went to Della Gamma Christmas party in Thief River Falls.

Joan, Jessica, and Mayme Johnson attended the Christmas program held at the Ekolund Lutheran church on Sunday night.

Thursday visitors and coffee at the Vernon Iverson home were Norman Kriel and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson.

Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and had coffee with Adeline Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Solberg, Joyce and Kristian attended the Sunday school Christmas program at the Ekolund Lutheran church on Sunday night. Kristian Solberg took part in the program.

Friday noon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and lunch guests at the Hazel Huot home in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Marquis visited with June Johnson one day during the week.

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Kicking Off A Year of Centennial Celebration

In the planning stages for the past couple of years, the year-long observance of 1996 as the Thief River Falls Centennial year will officially begin on Monday, January 1, with a family activity day and Centennial kick-off program. Activity will be centered aroued the National Guard armory.

Ceotenelal commiliee and special event committees working on the kickoff celebration ere hoping for a good public turn-out for the afternoqn and early evening. Sliding oo the ermory bill, Kitty Cat rides, sleigh rides and serving of hot coffee, cider and chocolate will get underway at 2 p.m. A bonfire will be lighted with a flaming arrow later in the afternoon.

Activity will move inside the armory for the 5 p.m. Centennial kick-off program, which will be followed by a free lunch and entertainment. The celebration should be wrapped up by 7 p.m.

What no one can predict, however, is what the turnout will be, which makes preparation difficult and uncertain. Much is dependent on the weather, as is the case with any event in northwest Minnesota at this time of year. The decision has already been made to cancel the event in case of blizzard or temperatures colder than 20 degrees below zero. That liberal tolerance for winter testifies to the hardy nature of people in this area—we can enjoy ourselves unless the weather gets *really* nasty or cold.

The New Year's Day eveet will be just the proverbial "tip of the iceberg" as Centenelal activities go. Many events are already scheduled throughout the coming year and more are sure to be added as time passes. Each month has a predetermined theme for celebration and emphasis. Many annual events are being planned to include a Centennial flair and eew activities—such as the beard contest and all-school reunion—will add interest and enthusiasm for many.

The Times is planning a special Centennial souvenir publication later in the year and more will be announced on that in forthcoming issues.

But first things first....and the first thing is the kickoff on New Year's Day. Try to arrange your schedule to take in at least some of the festivities Monday and be a part of celebrating 100 years of Thief River Falls history.

Governor Seeing The Light? At Least One Eye Is Open....

"Federal mandates have taken the cnmmon sense out of the work place," Gov. Arne Carlson is quoted as saying in a news release from Minnesota Planeing. "We simply must remove costly and burdensome mandates and allow communities to set their own priorities and make their own decisions."

Bingo! The governor is starting to get his numbers in a row.

Gov. Carlson's comments are concurrent with the release of Minnesota Planning's publication entitled *Strings Attached: The Price of Federal Mandates*, which focuses on the effecta of unfunded or partially funded federal mandates on Minnesota governments. It considers the types of mandates, some problems and various options for addressing them. It also presenta an inventory of more than 80 major mandates that include their origins, fiscal effects and sanctions for non-compliance.

Minnesota Planniog points out in a news release that many mandates "...are general laws of the land, applying to both government and the private sector. These ieclude numeroua environmental and civil rights requirements, such as those of the Occupational Safety and Health *Administration* (OSHA) and the Americans with Disabilities Act. Many are costly and come with no financial assistance.

"The report notes that mandates generally are imposed for important public purposes, such as ensuring uniform rights for all citizens," the news release continues. "Yet mandates can become overly prescriptive, dictating how activities are to be carried out, rather than the goals to be accomplished."

We don't know if the governor's recognition of aed stated aversion to federal mandates la something long held or suddenly newfound, but if his vision ends with the federal mandates he has only one eye open. State mandates as they apply to local governmeets and private citizens are no less costly nor intrusive. In an number of cases they are more stringent than the federal requirements—witness the Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act.

Ie another pair of press releases received last week, the Minnesota Extension Service tells about a eew program called "Active Citizenship," started by Sen. Roger Moe of Erskine and Lt. Gov. Joanne Benson. Sen. Moe told participants at a training session: "Don't let politicians preempt your work. We have a wav of definine things in our own image."

Diana Martenson, program leader, emphasizes that "without active citizee participation, democracy doesn't work. Since the 1950s many people depended on 'experts' for answers to complex questions. By depending on 'national experts,' we negated our local responsibilities as citizens. Now people are finding the answers don't come from eational experts. Local people are the experts—it's a different perspective."

The admissioe seems to be that governments and their agencies, bureaus and representatives have reached a point where they expertly have screwed up everything so bad that the oely place they can go for help is back to the local people—the real experts. If there is light at the end of the tunnel, it is generated by local people at work.

If the governor isn't really ready to see the light this legislative session, he is certain to feel the heat. It seems the first sensation would be a whole lot more comfortable.

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Newfolden News

Mrs. Arnold Larson
874-4331

January Birthday's and Anniversaries

January Birthday's 1-Irene Eveland, Joyce Magner. 3-Marge Olson. 4-Gordon Colline. 5-Keri Jeeme, Natalie Uslend, Michelle Prestebek, Chad Henson. 6-James Sethre, Joan Bjorgaard. 9-Debbie Jahnson, Sharon Aahlert. 10-Wesley Bring. 11-Shari Waterworth, Avis Mattson. 12-Elaine Thompson, Jr. Olson, Bruce Bjorgaard, Jennifer Hogberg, Pat Moen. 13-Elsie Berggren. 14-Gene Busch, Vernon Nelson. 15-Jamie Lysne, Crystal Green, Jan Kregnees, Jeremy Nelson. 16-Greg Grahem, Ceraf Petersan. 18-Nicole Nelson. 19-Sybil Peterson, Edgar Rokke. 20-Gordon Bring, Kevin Hodne. 22-Mylee Hogberg, Michelle Rose. 23-Brent Elseth. 24-Don Hanson, Jacob Hansen. 25-Joshua end Andy Larson. 26-James Olson, Randy Knutson. 28-Gerald Nelson. 29-Bernice Uslend, Shene Andersen. 30-Ruby Holmaas, Percy Stokke, Earl Halfaday.

January anniversaries. 3-Randy and Joy Knutson. 4-Vernon end Peggy Gunderson. 10-Jerry end Darlene Olson.

Friday evening visitors end luncheon guests of the Shirley Lefrooth home were Arnold and Vernice Larson end Lorraine Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Berggren end Della Elseth were last Sunday evening visitors et the Jean Roppe home.

Last Friday, December 15th, Curt and Elaine Thompson did some shopping and then were invited out for coffee end Christmas goodies and visit with Gib end Clarice Trontvet. Harvey Skyberg was also e guest there.

Gladys Stromberg visited on Monday afternoon. Also enjoyed lunch with Henne Moen. Gladys also brought Hanna e Christmas gift.

Saturday, Roy end Laura Roppe attended the 80th birthday party for Richard Larson et the Newfolden Community Center.

Della Elseth end Jean Roppe visited at the Norman Roppe home and Kurt Hanson home at Strathcona on Saturday. They also took in the Open House for Richard Larson on his 80th birthday in Newfolden.

On Thursday, December 7th, Shirley Wagner, Olga Thampson, Curt end Elaine Thompson brought Happy Birthday wishes to Emma Kammen end brought birthday wishes end gifts to her. All enjoyed birthday cake, coffee end goodies. Many happy returns Emma.

Friday afternoon Arnold and Vernice Larson visited and enjoyed coffee with Hanna Moen.

Monday evening, Della Elseth end Jean Roppe attended the wake service for Anna Rud at Karlstad.

Harvey Skyberg was a Thursday, December 14th, evening visitor at the Curt and Elaine Thompson home.

Saturday visitors et the Hanna Moen home were Kameron end Kelhy Harstad and Marvin end Betty Moen.

Gladys Gerive, Elmer Holmstrom end Della Elseth visited at the Jean Roppe home on Thursday evening.

Floyd end Adeline Nelson visited Tuesday evening with Olga Thompson and also brought gifts and Christmas goodies. A big thank you to Adeline and Floyd Nelson.

Jim and Marsha Larson, Bryce end Rachel of Mounds View came up on Friday evening to attend the 80th birthday party for Richard Larson on Saturday afternoon at the Newfolden Community Center they left for their home on Sunday.

Wednesday evening visitors at the Joe Novak home were Elmer Holmstrom and Jean Roppe.

Last Sunday, December 17th, Curt and Elaine Thompson attended the Bethlehem Christmas Sunday school program at 3 p.m. then Clyde and Bev Swanson came over had lunch, visited and also brought over some delicious Christmas goodies. Then et 5 p.m. we picked up Olga Thompson along with Clyde and Bev end we all went to the New Hope program and delicious supper then et 7 p.m. Curt and Elaine Thompson attended the Free church program. All the programs were very good the kids did an excellent job.

Wallace and Joan Roppe were Friday evening visitors at the Jean Roppe home.

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Agder Community News

Ida Rupprecht
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Homemakers Meet

The Silver Creek Homemakers hold their Christmas party at the home of Betty Swanson on Friday beginning with a potluck dinner. After dinner games were played and gifts were exchanged. Those present besides the hostess were Ruth Hanson, Adeline Moe, Carmen Gustafson, Ethel Nelson, Ida Rupprecht, Bernice Knutson, Bernice Trochmann, Myrtle Solberg, Lorraine Sannes, Margaret Rupprecht and Esther Fuller. Carmen showed a video of Norway in song and scenery. Lunch was served at the close of the afternoon.

Ethel Nelson, Mary Boker and Ida Rupprecht visited with Gladys Gutterud following the program at Valley Home on Saturday.

Shirley and Ron Osborne from Moose Lake were houseguests at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home from Sunday to Tuesday.

Doris Kaushagen attended the circle meeting at the home of Gerry Nelson on Thursday.

Martha and Jarvis Torgerson, Virginia and Roy Hokkanen, Carla Torgerson, Jordan, Mariah and Kaleb helped Tilde Uggerud celebrate her 95th birthday at the Oakland Park Nursing Home. Martha and Jarvis, Virginia and Roy enjoyed an early Christmas supper together before the Hokkanen's left for Fargo, ND to make the acquaintance of a new grandchild.

Ruth and Lyla Haagenson were coffee guests at the Mabel and Eddie Anderson home one day last week.

Judy Jonos, David and Casey were afternoon visitors and supper guests at the home of Ida Rupprecht on Sunday.

After attending the Christmas program at Our Savior's church on Sunday, Stacy and Steve Beierman, Justin and Matthew were supper guests at the home of Carmon and Larry Gustafson.

Silver Creek's sunshine girls, Jean Nelson and Bernica Knutson, visited and brought Christmas cheer to Peter Klungness at Oakland Park Home, Gladys Gutterud at Valley Home and to Edna Rupprecht and Jerrold Nelson at CNC at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Wednesday afternoon.

Jean and Dean Kaushagen and Doris Kaushagen visited with Edith Nebben at the Good Samaritan home in Warren on Tuesday evening.

Ethel Nelson and Ida Rupprecht visited with Edna Rupprecht on Tuesday afternoon.

TURNING BACK THE TIMES

Donna Myhrer

1895 — One Hundred Years Ago

—Jennie Robinson, the soprano singer, will appear here with Meade and Allen's New Year Ideals at the city hall Friday evening.

—School closed for the holiday vacation last Friday. It will commence the first Monday in January.

—On Christmas evening the Norwegian Congregatlonal church erected e tree which was loaded with presents and highly decorated.

1905 — Ninety Years Ago

—Ole O. Lien and John P. Amb, two optimistic homesteaders who filed on marshland in the Mud lake area, are ewaiting e ruling from the U.S. Land office in Washington on the validity of their homestead proofs. The swampy character of the land has rendered their claims unworkable.

—The Dobner-Meehan building, eew home of the First State bank, has been made into handsome quarters with walls and ceiling of oxidized copper, a tile floor and fixtures of highly finished mahogany.

—The eneuel meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance company will be held Jaeuary 8 ie St. Hilaire.

1915 — Eighty Years Ago

—The first coecert by the Thief River Falls band, under the leadership of Director Greenfield, will be presented Sunday evenieg et the city auditorium.

—An order for 100,000 "Trade at Home" stickers, for use by local merchants, has been placed with e Michigae label house and will be available in January.

—The Commercial club has e handsome new cue rack with 12 lockers ordered for the club rooms.

1925 — Seventy Years Ago

—Wayne E. Wheeling, a Duluth attorney, addressed a local audience in support of the Ku Klux Klan, a unit which is being organized in this community.

—Mollie Hermanson became superintendent of nurses at Oakland Park sanatorium.

—Thirty-five local men have beee employed ie highway construction in this district in the past several months.

1935 — Sixty Years Ago

—Ward W. Long was named president of the local Farmer-Labor club.

—Elks lodge was host to the local children at a movie party at the Avalon theatre.

—Legian post and auxiliary distributed Christmas baskets to 26 families.

1945 — Fifty Years Ago

—An income tax school for farmers will be held in Thief River Falls January 9.

—Home Theatre company, with headquarters at Brainerd, purchased the Falls and Avalon theatres here and nine others of the 13 movie houses owned by the Bachs interests in northern Minnesota.

—Building permits issued in Thief River Falls in 1945 totaled $212,619.

1955 — Forty Years Ago

—Joey Poole was named presideet of the Lincole high school Alumni association.

—Local building permits totaled $653,710 in 1955.

—Christmas mail showed a sharp increase over last year, according to Postmaster R. J. Dryden.

1965 — Thirty Years Ago

—Building permita issued in Thief River Falls during 1965 nearly doubled the 1964 total, with $1,335,250 worth of permits being issued.

—Reflectieg the additional volume caused by the merger with Karlstad Cooperative Creamery ie 1964, the Thief River Falls Cooperative Creamery association showed an increase ie virtually every department in 1965 sales or gross returns of $1,176,794, an increase of $152,652 over the 1964 figure.

—Charles Will, Pennington county's new assistant agricultural agent, began work Monday morning at the county extension office.

1975 — Twenty Years Ago

—Vandalism and theft of several signs on the Viking snowmobile trail have been reported to police.

—Bible Baptist church of Thief River Falls is in the midst of a building program with construction anderway on a new church building on county road 62, east of the Seventh Day Adventist property.

—Team Arctic snowmobile race driver Larry Coltom of Thief River Falls woe the Edgar Hetteen cup as the top point driver in the Dayco Holiday Spectacular seowmobile race in Alexandria.

1985 — Ten Years Ago

—Anthony Kozojed of Thief River Falls graduated from the U.S. FBI academy.

—A proposal to locate its headquarters ie the Arctco building has been made by Arctco, Iec. and Jobs, Inc. of Thief River Falls to the Northwest Regional Developmeet commission, presently located ie Crookston.

—Faith Rud, sociology instructor of Northland community college, has been appointed to the governor's job training council for a four-year term.

Star News

Mayme Johnson
378-4333

Mike Boyer of Minneapolis spent the weekend with his mother June Johnson.

Sunday evening, Mr. end Mrs. Alfred Iverson attended the Sunday School Christmas program at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Randy Mostrom was a caller et the Larry Kotrba home on Monday.

Saturday morning, Mr. end Mrs. Norman Kriel attended the breakfast served by the St. Anne's Men's Club in Goodridge et the Catholic church.

Mrs. Gena Merquis visited at the Jim and Doreen Aakre home in Clearbrook on Monday.

Monday night, Shirley Johnsrud end Steven Weber were visitors and supper guests at the Tim Lundeen home.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Obert Hovet were visitors and lunch guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Jean Johnson and Dolly Kainz visited with Wallace Jonas at the United Hospital in Grand Forks on Thursday and later they went shopping at the Columbia Mall.

Bruce Bjerklie, Jami and Bryan were visitors at the Gene Merquis home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud, Erica, Kelsey, Elroy and Tyler attended a Christmas program at the Goodridge school on Tuesday evening.

Elva Fiedler attended a workshop in Crookston on Monday.

Mayme Johnson had dinner with her granddaughter Monica Johnson at the Jean Johnson home on Monday evening.

Thursday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson were visitors and coffee guests at the Vernon Iverson home.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Johnsrud, Erica, Kelsey, Elroy end Tyler attended the Sunday school Christmas program at the Ekelund Lutheran church.

Shirley Johnsrud visited with Bonnie Johnsrud at her apartment in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Sunday night, Joel Fiedler and Brady end Elva Fiedler attended the Sunday school Christmas program held at the Ekelund Lutheran church. Brady Fiedler took part in the program.

Donnie Jensen was a visitor and dinner guest on Wednesday at the Leonard Johnson home.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Iverson were visitors and dinner guests at the Tim Rednecki home of Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Verner Arveson visited with Lester Hensen on Friday forenoon.

Those who gathered at the Eloda Knutson home on Thursday morning to sew were Elva Fiedler, Betty Troske, Marion Merquis of Oklee, Merlys Johnsrud, Pat Syzmansky along with Eloda Knutson.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel and Roger Kriel and Jeff Kriel attended the Christmas program in Roseau held at the Catholic church. Mathew and Alisha Verbout took part in the program. They also enjoyed the big supper served to all after the program. Then later that night Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kriel, Roger Kriel and Jeff Kriel attended the Christmas program held at the Lutheran church in Roseau where Gaston and Gannon Kriel took part in the program.

Elva Fiedler visited with Michelle Eidelbes a patient at the Northwest Medical Center in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Callers on Wednesday at the Vernon Iverson home were Dean Hanson, Dale Anderson and Tony Rubischko.

Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Lundeen, Alissa and Shannon attended the Oak Park Lutheran church Christmas program held at the Oak Park church of rural Oklee.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota — December 27, 1945

From The Times Files of Fifty Years Ago

For next week, January 3, 1946

An announcement will be made about a change in bus service from Thief River Falls to two other area cities. To which two cities will there now be service without changing buses?

Advanced question: What is the name of the bus company?

Read next week's Turning Back The Times column to find the answer! The information may also be found at the Thief River Falls Public Library on the microfilm archives of the local newspaper.

Land O'Lakes Seed Plant Hit By $100,000 Fire

"In the most disastrous fire in this city the past five years of more, the central half of the block-long Land O'Lakes feed preparation and seed cleaning plant on the east side of the Soo Line right-of-way at Fifth street was destroyed in subzero weather Saturday night.

"Stuart McLeod, Laed O'Lakes manager here, stated that the loss on the buildieg amounted to $25,000 to $30,000, while the equipment was valued at $50,000, in addition to which a large quantity of grain and feed was destroyed. The equipmeet includes elee seed mills and approximately 40,000 grain and feed bags also burned.

"The plant had been taken over ie 1943 from the Thief River Falls Seed House and had been coesiderably enlarged."

Saturday's Blaze Multiplies Total Fire Loss for '45

"When Fire Chief Roy Langevie last Saturday prepared for the Times an advance summary of 1945 fire losses, it looked like e highly favorable year with losses in the city of Thief River Falls eggregating oely $2,950 up to that time from fifty alerms tureed in compared to the 1944 total of $5,190.

"The record was spoiled that eight however, when in the most disastrous bleze in the past five years, half of the Land O'Lakes feed and seed plant oe the Soo Line right-of-way was destroyed with a loss that put the total for the year over the $100,000 mark."

Wednesday - Thursday
Jinx Falkenburg
in
"Gay Senorita"
Falls Theatre

Mercury Hits Low Mark at 24 Below Monday

"Unseasonably cold December weather prevailed ie this locality during the past week, the mercury reaching a low mark of 24 below zero Monday morning, followed by 22 below Tuesday, according to the power plant thermometer. Temperature reached a high for the week of eight above Wednesday afternooe, but slumped to 12 below zero this morning."

46 Carloads of Christmas Turkeys Go Out of City

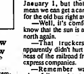
"A total of 46 carloads of dressed turkeys with an aggregate weight of 1,381,322 pounds, left Thief River Falls in December, consigned to holiday markets throughout the country. For the entire year to date shipments amounted to the record total of 136 carloads or 3,970,267 pounds, Soo Line railroad freight officials here announced today."

$212,619 Permits for Construction Issued In 1945

"In marked contrast to the war year of 1944, building construction projects showed a big upsurge, this year, although hampered by shortage of materials, which will make impossible early completion of some of the projects. A total of 102 building permits calling for the aggregate expenditure of $212,619 have been issued in 1945, Roy Langevie, city building inspector, announced this week."

Many Gifts for First Baby to be Born in 1946

"As has been the custom in recent years, the first baby to be born in Thief River Falls in 1946 will be showered with a large collection of useful gifts. Local merchants are contributing preseets to be given the winner of the baby derby next week."



—The telephone company appreciates business, but we'll bet the staff would welcome a few less long-distance calls to extend New Years greetings.

—Tire rationing will end Jaeuary 1, but that doesn't mean we can get a complete set for the old bus right away.

—Well, it's comforting to know that the sun is on its way north again.

—That truckers' strike apparently didn't hurt the business of the railroad freight and express companies.

—Remember way back when folks used to take in the automobile show in Minneapolis after the first of the year?

—Our hope is that when we get in a financial jam we will be able to borrow money on terms similar to the loan by the United States to Great Britain.

—And have you started to practice writing it 1946?

—If it is true, as the calendar says, the winter didn't arrive until December 21, then it certainly had a running start.

—We should ring out the old year in such a manner that we won't have to be wrung out the morning after.

—This commentator must have been asleep at the switch when, in last week's issue he referred the eclipse of the sun on Tuesday night. Excuse it, please.

N. A. H.

ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Polk County, Minnesota — December 25, 1895

From Newspaper Files Of One Hundred Years Ago

Miscellaneous News Items

"The severe winter prophesied by the weather prophets has failed to materialize here as yet and it looks as if it would stay away altogether.

"We were favored with a light fall of snow the latter part of last week but not enough to make good sleighing.

"Another special train with empties for the elevators came up last Sunday."

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Breakfast:

Wednesday, Jan 3. Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk

Thursday, Jan 4. Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk

Friday, Jan 5. Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk

Lunch:

Wednesday, Jan 3. 1-Cheesy burrito, refried beans, shredded lettuce, bread, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

Thursday, Jan 4. 1-Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, roll, cutie pie. 2-Combo line. 3-Taco bar.

Friday, Jan 5. 1-Turkey club sandwich, spicy potato wedges, fruit choice. 2-Combo line. 3-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice

FRANKLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL

Breakfast:

Wednesday, Jan 3. Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 4. Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza, milk.

Friday, Jan 5. Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast, milk.

Lunch:

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Fruit choice. 1-Bacon cheeseburger, spicy potato wedges, veggies with dip, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Thursday, Jan. 4. 1-Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, roll, cutie pie. 2-Chef salad, roll, fruit choice. 3-Bag lunch.

Friday, Jan. 5. 1-Turkey club sandwich, potato rounds, fruit choice. 2-Pizza, salad, bread, fruit choice.

ELEMENTARY

Breakfast:

Wednesday, Jan. 3: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Thursday, Jan. 4: Juice or fruit choice, breakfast pizza.

Friday, Jan. 5: Juice or fruit choice, cereal choice, toast.

Lunch:

Wednesday, Jan. 3: Sausage pizza, bread, corn, fruit choice.

Thursday, Jan. 4: Oven fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, roll, cutie pie.

Friday, Jan. 5: Hamburger on a bun, oven fries, apple slices with caramel dip.

• Menu subject to change.

• Reminder: The 1st day of each month is the last date to make payment for elementary students who take morning and afternoon milk. 1 carton per day is $5.00, 2 cartons per day is $10.00.

St. Barnard's

Breakfast:

Wednesday, Jan. 3: Cereal choices, toast, jelly, fruit, juice, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 4: Waffles, syrup, juice, milk.

Friday, Jan. 5: Cereal choices, rolls, toast, jelly, juice, milk.

Lunch:

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Hamburger pattie on a bun, lettuce and trimmings, oven fries, peach sauce, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 4: Hamburger hotdish, veggie tray, salad, rolls, milk.

Friday, Jan. 5: Polish sausage on a bun, baked beans, pear sauce, chips, milk.

Marshall County

Breakfast:

Tuesday, Jan. 2: French toast, syrup, juice, milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 3: Cinnamon roll, corn flakes, fruit, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 4: Oatmeal, toast, juice, milk.

Friday, Jan. 5: Sausage and egg bun, orange juice, milk

Lunch:

Tuesday, Jan. 2. Pepperoni pizza, whole kernel corn, apple sauce, bread and milk

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Chicken vegetable soup, meat sandwiches, carrot sticks, fruit salad, crackers and milk

Thursday, Jan. 4. Italian spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, garlic toast, applesauce, bread and milk

Friday, Jan. 5. Hamburger on a bun, french fries, pickles, potato with fruit, bread and milk

Goodridge

Breakfast:

Tuesday, Jan. 2. Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

Wednesday, Jan. 3. French toast, butter, syrup, orange juice, milk

Thursday, Jan. 4. Choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

Friday, Jan. 5. Breakfast pizza, juice, milk

Lunch:

Tuesday, Jan. 2. Pizza, corn, pears, PB & PB bread, milk

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Hot dogs, French fries, ketchup, mustard, peaches, milk

Thursday, Jan. 4. Hot ham and cheese, green beans, applesauce, milk

Friday, Jan. 5. Vegetable beef soup, meat and cheese sandwich, fruit, crackers, chocolate milk.

Senior Meals

Newfolden

Tuesday, Jan. 2. Chicken chow mein with vegetables over rice, lettuce salad with dressing, roll, margarine, pineapple tidbits, milk

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Swiss steak, boiled potatoes with gravy, mixed vegetables, bread and margarine, vanilla pudding, milk

Thursday, Jan. 4. Liver and onions or steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, scalloped corn, bread and margarine, cherry delight, milk

Friday evening, Jan. 5. Roast turkey, mashed potatoes, green beans, cranberries, rolls, margarine, sherbet, milk

Monday through Thursdays are noon meals. Friday is an evening meal at 6:00 p.m.

Discovery Place

Breakfast:

Monday, Jan. 1. Milk, apple juice, bran muffins, Cheerios

Tuesday, Jan. 2. Milk, orange juice, toast, cream of wheat

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Milk, oranges, French toast, syrup

Thursday, Jan. 4. Milk, apple juice, scrambled eggs, toast

Friday, Jan. 5. Milk, apple juice, Chex, cinnamon toast

Lunch:

Monday, Jan. 1. Homemade beef stew, sliced cheese, bread and butter, fruit cocktail, milk

Tuesday, Jan. 2. Hamburger on a bun, coleslaw, carrots, pears, milk

Wednesday, Jan. 3. Beef chow mein, chow mein noodles, lettuce salad with french dressing, bread and butter, pineapple, milk

Thursday, Jan. 4. Escalloped potatoes with ham, carrot and raisin salad, applesauce, milk

Friday, Jan. 5. Cream of tomato soup, saltines, grilled cheese sandwiches, pickles, sliced peaches, milk

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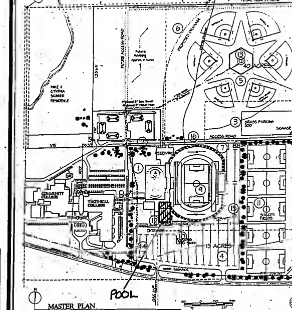

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Nicole Kopari of Thief River Falls came up with a clean block on this shot by Darlene Nelson of Marshall County Central in Thursday's championship game of the Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF girls high school basketball tournament. Lisa Swanson of the Prowlers looked on. Thief River Falls won 44-42.

NCTC/KTRF Invitational girls high school basketball...

Prowlers win title game 44-42

Winless coming into the event, Thief River Falls capped a championship effort Thursday with a 44-42 victory over Marshall County Central to finish the first Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational girls high school basketball tournament.

Tri-County beat Red Lake County Central 60-51 for third place, Stephen defeated Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 56-41 in the consolation final and Argyle stopped Kittson County North 43-38 in the seventh place game.

Thief River Falls 44
Marshall Co. Central 42

Lisa Swanson sank two free throws with 5.7 seconds remaining to give Thief River Falls a 44-42 title game win over Marshall County Central to complete a tournament turnaround for the Prowlers, who came in at 0-5.

"It was a fun game," beamed Thief River Falls coach Sally Wiltse. "It had a little bit of everything. It was close, it was exciting, there was lots of strategy involved. It feels great to win three in a row, to win the championship, and to beat a team like Marshall County Central. They're a great team. They played their hearts out, but we were able to match them."

Thanks to eight first quarter points by Alicia Bakken, the Prowlers played the Nordics to a 14-14 tie at the first stop. Neither team generated much offense in the second quarter, with the Prowlers going the final 4 1/2 minutes without a point to fall behind 20-18 at intermission.

Marshall County Central led 30-22 following a Tricia Pederson jumper with 3:52 remaining in the third quarter before Thief River Falls came back to shave the difference to just 32-20 at the horn.

It remained close to the end. Down 42-38 to start the final minute, the Nordics came up with a 3-pointer by Pederson and then a free throw by Brandi Olson to tie it 42-42 with 13.7 seconds on the clock.

Thief River Falls controlled the rebound when Olson's second free throw fell off the rim, and Swanson was fouled bringing the ball up the court against the Marshall County Central pressure defense. She made both shots, and a long desperation throw by the Nordics' Darlene Nelson was off the mark at the buzzer.

"We just made too many mistakes at the end," said Marshall County Central coach Tom Mjelde. "We had the lead and let them take it away. We didn't handle the ball very well at the end."

Mjelde also voiced his displeasure with the officiating, wondering aloud why it took the Nordics until late in the second half before getting to the free throw line, despite battling an aggressive Thief River Falls defense from the opening tip.

Pederson, later named the tournament's most valuable player, finished with 24 points. Miki Waterworth netted 10. Kim Stenseth led a balanced Thief River Falls attack with 11 points.

The Prowlers shot 39 percent from the field (19/49) and went 4-for-10 at the free throw line. The Nordics shot 35 percent from the floor (18/51) and 4-for-8 at the line. Marshall County Central had a 28-22 rebound edge, but also had more turnovers, 14-11.

Marshall County Central is 3-3 for the year.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Thief River Falls	14	4	12	14	44
MCC	14	8	12	10	42

TRF - Lisa Swanson 8, Kim Hook 9, Holly Bjorgaard 3, Kim Stenseth 11, Nicole Kopari 6, Alicia Bakken 9

MCC - Brandi Olson 3, Tricia Pederson 24, Lacey Hirst 1, Miki Waterworth 10, Darlene Nelson 4

Tournament Results

■ Quarterfinals - Red Lake County Central 56, Stephen 45; Thief River Falls 55, Kittson County North 29; Tri-County 39, Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 37; Marshall County Central 50, Argyle 26

■ Semifinals - Thief River Falls 56, Red Lake County Central 44; Marshall County Central 43, Tri-County 38 (ot)

■ Championship - Thief River Falls 44, Marshall County Central 42

■ Third place - Tri-County 60, Red Lake County Central 51

■ Consolation semifinals - Stephen 27, Kittson County North 21; Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 33, Argyle 32

■ Consolation final - Stephen 56, Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 41

■ Seventh place - Argyle 42, Kittson County North 38

All-Tournament Team

Marshall County Central - Tricia Pederson (MVP), Darlene Nelson; Tri-County - Melinda Britten, Anna Bogestad; Thief River Falls - Nicole Kopari, Kim Stenseth; Stephen - Sarah Grabowska; Red Lake County Central - Angie Chervestad; Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke - Jill Schuler; Kittson County North - Naomi Wilebski

Tri-County 60
Red Lake Co. Central 51

Red Lake County Central had trouble with the pressure defense employed by Tri-County as the Mustangs dropped a 60-51 third place game decision to the Wildcats.

Tri-County trailed 23-19 late in the first half before slapping on a press that vaulted the Wildcats to a 31-23 halftime lead.

Red Lake County Central battled back to within 37-35, then watched Tri-County use three turnovers to key a 9-2 run that closed out a 46-37 third quarter.

"From the second quarter on, the pressure bothered us," acknowledged Red Lake County Central coach Rick Koivisto. "We didn't react. But, again, if we make some of those easy shots we've been missing, we'd be all right."

Trailing 52-44, the Mustangs lost their strong inside game when Meckenzie Malwitz and Angie Chervestad fouled out within 16 seconds of each other in the middle of the fourth quarter. But they battled back, pulling within 53-51 on a long jumper by Katie O'Neill with 2:04 remaining.

Tri-County, however, scored the final seven points of the game to win going away.

Anna Bogestad, a 5-10 sophomore, had a 20-point game for the winners, while Chervestad, a 6-0 sophomore, led the Mustangs with 25.

Red Lake County Central, beaten by Thief River Falls 56-44 in the Tuesday semifinals, is 3-4 for the year. "The effort was better tonight than it was against Thief River," noted Koivisto.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
RLCC	14	9	14	14	51
Tri-County	11	20	15	14	60

RLCC - Ami Tvedt 2, Katie O'Neill 4, Frances Hageman 9, Catherine Roston 8, Marci DuChamp 2, Angie Chervestad 25, Meckenzie Malwitz 8

T-C - Alison Hanson 8, Mandi Ruud 2, Anna Bogestad 20, Krista Bogestad 4, Breanna Jacobson 2, Mindy Britten 14

Stephen 56
Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 41

Stephen out-scored Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke 32-11 in the second half en route to a 56-41 consolation final victory.

The Wolverines got off to a 16-9 first quarter lead and were up 30-24 at halftime before falling behind 40-32 in the third quarter.

Stephen put 11 players in the scoring column, led by Sarah Grabowska with 12 points. Jenny Johnson scored a game-high 20 points for Goodridge/Grygla-Gatzke.

The Wolverines are 2-5.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Stephen	9	15	16	16	56
Goodridge/G-G	16	14	2	9	41

Stephen - Alena Kuznia 2, Sarah Grabowska 12, Angie Jensen 4, Dana Safranski 4, Amber Grabowska 4, Andi Noel 11, Sarah Kuznia 6, Triska Chwialkowski 6, Laura Pikop 1, Allison Widner 2, Joy Anderson 1.

G/G-G - Jenny Johnson 20, Jenny Nelson 2, Tausha Thomas 2, Deanna Kotrba 2, Jill Schuler 4, Melissa Bernstein 5, Erica Hohe 1, Desiree Kotrba 5

Argyle 43
Kittson Co. North 38

Argyle erased a 30-25 third quarter deficit in beating Kittson County North 43-38 for seventh place.

The two teams played to an 8-8 first quarter tie, with Kittson County North going ahead 21-13 at halftime.

Melanie Dufault led a balanced Argyle offense with 11 points Naomi Wilebski of Kittson County North led all scorers with 17 points.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Argyle	8	5	12	18	43
Kittson Co. North	8	13	9	8	38

Argyle - Amanda Shane 10, Branna Morberg 11, Melanie Dufault 1, Laura Hapka 5, Lindsey Bergeron 8, Jenny Mercil 7.

KCN - Nancy Luplen 9, Mary Hokanson 9, Nikki Nordin 1, Naomi Wilebski 17, Meloni Olsonowski 2.

Bemidji boys beat TRF 72-34

Bemidji shut out Thief River Falls 17-0 in the third quarter and out-scored the Prowlers 48-14 in the second half Thursday as the Lumberjacks rolled to a 72-34 boys high school basketball win.

Thief River Falls was unbeaten and within 24-20 of Bemidji at halftime before the roof caved in on the visiting Prowlers in their first Class AA test of the season after three wins over Class A teams.

"We went into halftime feeling pretty good about ourselves," said Thief River Falls coach Scott Brekke. "We weren't shooting real well, but we were playing good defense and we were boxing out under the boards. But we didn't pick it up a notch in the third quarter. We no longer played good defense, we no longer boxed out and we turned it over too many times. We made a lot of mistakes without them forcing it."

Keith Salscheider led the Bemidji assault with 22 points, while Jon Solheim had 16 and Ben Caron 13. Lone Thief River Falls scorer in double figures was Jared Brandt with 10 points. The Prowlers were without center Kyle Sanden, sidelined for the second straight game by a knee injury.

Thief River Falls shot 36 percent from the field (16/45) and went 4-for-11 at the free throw line. Bemidji shot 40 percent from the floor (27/68) and 9-for-15 at the line. The Lumberjacks pounded the Prowlers 41-26 on the boards, grabbing 15 offensive rebounds. Thief River Falls topped the turnovers charts 25-11.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Thief River Falls	8	14	0	14	34
Bemidji	10	14	17	31	72

TRF - Ryon Swenson 2, Stefan Ronchetti 4, Karl Anderson 3, Paul Kopari 4, Jared Brandt 10, Courtney Skjerven 7, Robbie Farbo 4.

Bemidji - Gunner Geller 2, Brad Arel 3, Kelly Muetzel 9, Corey Woodland 2, Adam Wiechmann 4, Matt Rellinger 2, Keith Salscheider 22, Brett Winkke 2, Jon Solheim 16, Ben Caron 13

Swim team picks up second win

Several solid individual performances added up to team success Thursday as Thief River Falls defeated Crookston 110-66 in a boys high school swim meet at the Franklin Middle School pool.

It was the second dual win at home in three days for the Prowlers, who beat Bagley/Fosston earlier.

The Prowlers won eight of the 12 events, including a double by Chris Pribula in the 200 freestyle and 100 butterfly. Other wins came from Josh Curfman, diving; Zach Olson, 500 freestyle; Josh Engevik, 100 backstroke; Engevik, Aaron Sjaaheim, Nick Tveitbakk and Sam Adams in the 200 medley relay; Pribula, Tveitbakk, Adams and Sjaaheim in the 200 freestyle relay; and Pribula, Olson, Chris Efta and Engevik in the 400 freestyle relay.

Engevik came up with an exact match of the Section 8-qualifying 1:08.59 in the 100 backstroke.

Other highlights, pointed out Thief River Falls co-head coach Brian Olson, included a 15-second drop for Nate Keller in the 500 freestyle; Pribula's 2:03.48 in the 200 freestyle; and a 2-3-4 grouping by Sjaaheim, Keller and William Packard in the 50 freestyle.

TRF Places

200 medley relay - 1. TRF Josh Engevik, Aaron Sjaaheim, Nick Tveitbakk, Sam Adams, 1:55.6

200 freestyle - 1. Chris Pribula, 2:03.48; 2. Zach Olson, 2:10.94; 4. Chris Efta, 2:25.12

200 I.M. - 2. J.J. Efta, 2:43.56; 3. Rory Hoven, 2:47.73

50 freestyle - 2. Aaron Sjaaheim, 25.26; 3. Nate Keller, 27.17; 4. William Packard, 30.48

Diving - 1. Josh Curfman; 2. Anders Brown

100 butterfly - 1. Chris Pribula, 1:06.68; 4. J.J. Efta, 1:17.85

100 freestyle - 2. Aaron Sjaaheim, 56.52; 3. Sam Adams, 1:01

500 freestyle - 1. Zach Olson, 5:54.52; 2. Nate Keller, 6:05.38; 4. Rory Hoven, 6:27.76.

200 freestyle relay - 1. Chris Pribula, Nick Tveitbakk, Sam Adams, Aaron Sjaaheim, 1:45.02; 3. William Packard, Matt Gustafson, J.J. Efta, Michael Hahne, 2:04.12

100 backstroke - 1. Josh Engevik, 1:08.59; 3. Mike McEnelly, 1:15.87.

100 breaststroke - 2. Nick Tveitbakk, 1:16.32; 5. Mike Hahne, 1:44.47

400 freestyle relay - 1. Chris Pribula, Zach Olson, Chris Efta, Josh Engevik, 4:05.58.

Grygla-Gatzke beats Warroad with fast break

Grygla-Gatzke cranked up the fast break Thursday en route to an 83-63 boys high school basketball win over visiting Warroad.

The Eagles were coming off a 72-68 loss to Red Lake County Central in the finals of the Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF Invitational, while Warroad was fresh from a 97-45 thumping of Badger/Greenbush-Middle River.

"We made good use of our opportunities on the fast break," noted Grygla-Gatzke coach Vern Johnson. "We took a little better care of the basketball – cutting our turnovers down – and we did a much better job rebounding."

Grygla-Gatzke is 3-1. The Eagles will be idle until Jan. 5 when they host Badger/Greenbush-Middle River.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Warroad	18	9	16	20	63
Grygla-Gatzke	18	19	23	22	83

Warroad - Pat Frolander 11, Charlie Peterson 8, John Oeckler 5, Chris Hoppner 2, Nic Thompson 12, Brandon Landin 3, Andrew Tuli 3, Adam Paulson 13, Tim Daniels 6

G-G - Jim Engelstad 5, Brian Hayes 2, Aaron Holthusen 7, Scott Simpson 3, Anthony Holthusen 6, Shaun Velbout 19, Jamie Lunsetter 15, Scott Hogenson 24

Prowlers host first part of new Hockey Classic

What used to be a two-day, four-team holiday high school hockey arrangement between Thief River Falls and Crookston has been expanded this year to include another day, two more teams and East Grand Forks as a third host site.

The first McDonald's Holiday Classic starts today (Wednesday) in Thief River Falls, moves to East Grand Forks Thursday and then winds up in Crookston Friday.

Three games will be played at each site each day. Joining the Prowlers, Green Wave and Pirates will be Red Lake Falls, Fargo South and Grand Forks Red River.

Daily admission will be $2 for students and $4 for adults.

Tournament Schedule

■ Round 1 Wednesday, Dec. 27 - (at TRF) East Grand Forks vs. Red Lake Falls, 4 p.m.; Crookston vs. Fargo South, 6 p.m.; Thief River Falls vs. Grand Forks Red River, 8 p.m.

■ Round 2 Thursday, Dec. 28 - (at EGF) Crookston vs. Grand Forks Red River, 4 p.m.; Thief River Falls vs. Red Lake Falls, 6 p.m.; East Grand Forks vs. Fargo South, 8 p.m.

■ Round 3 Friday, Dec. 29 - (at Crookston) Red Lake Falls vs. Grand Forks Red River, 4 p.m.; Thief River Falls vs. Fargo South, 6 p.m.; Crookston vs. East Grand Forks, 8 p.m.

Falcons back to defend TRF title

■ Russ Smith Northwest Holiday Classic

Defending champion Fertile-Beltrami heads the field for the 13th annual Thief River Falls Russ Smith Northwest Holiday Classic boys high school basketball tournament, scheduled to begin a three-day run today (Wednesday).

The tournament made its debut in 1983 when Fertile-Beltrami beat Argyle 56-52 in the finals. Kennedy won in 1984 before host Thief River Falls rattled off consecutive championship performances in 1985, 1986, 1987, and 1988. Argyle won back-to-back titles in 1989 and 1990; Fertile-Beltrami emerged again in 1991; Badger-Greenbush-Middle River in 1992; Roseau in 1993; and Fertile-Beltrami in 1994 with a final-game 79-71 victory over Thief River Falls.

All games will be played at Lincoln High School. Junior varsity portion of the event will be played in the auxiliary gym – where pairings will duplicate the varsity match-ups that will take place two hours later.

All-day ticket prices will be $2 for students and $4 for adults. A special price, which kicks in after 8 p.m., will be $1 for students and $3 for adults.

Tournament Schedule

■ Quarterfinals Wednesday, Dec. 27 - (Upper Bracket) Roseau vs. Fertile-Beltrami, 3:15 p.m.; Badger/Greenbush-Middle River vs. Clearbrook-Gonvick-Trail, 5 p.m.; (Lower Bracket) Kittson Central vs. Marshall County Central, 7 p.m.; Argyle vs. Thief River Falls, 8:45 p.m.

■ Semifinal Thursday, Dec. 28 - (championship round) Upper Bracket winners, 7 p.m.; Lower Bracket winners, 8:45 p.m.; (consolation round) Lower Bracket losers, 3:15 p.m.; Upper Bracket losers, 5 p.m.

■ Finals Friday, Dec. 29 - seventh place, 3:15 p.m.; consolation, 5 p.m.; third place, 7 p.m.; championship, 8:45 p.m.

Baseball Association will meet January 10

Annual Thief River Falls Baseball Association meeting will be held Wednesday, Jan. 10, at 7 p.m. at the Eagles.

Designed for Thief River Falls Baseball Association members, parents of the players involved in the baseball program, the players and coaches, the meeting will recap the 1995 season, discuss survey results and elect officers for the 1996 season.

TRF Sports

Wednesday, Dec. 27

■ Basketball - TRF Russ Smith Northwest Holiday Classic boys tournament.

■ Hockey - McDonald's Holiday Classic (at TRF).

Thursday, Dec. 28

■ Basketball - TRF Russ Smith Northwest Holiday Classic boys tournament.

■ Hockey - McDonald's Holiday Classic (at EGF).

Friday, Dec. 29

■ Basketball - TRF Russ Smith Northwest Holiday Classic boys tournament.

■ Hockey - McDonald's Holiday Classic (at Crookston)

Gators' free throws net win over Tigers

Badger/Greenbush-Middle River cashed in on 17 of 21 free throw opportunities Thursday to secure a 56-53 boys high school basketball win over Stephen in Greenbush.

The Gators trailed at the quarter stops 18-15, 36-30 and 47-45 – falling behind by as many as 10 points in the third quarter. But they limited the Tigers to just one final-period field goal with a defensive switch. "They were making the outside shot earlier, but we took it away from them," explained Badger/Greenbush-Middle River coach Eldon Sparby.

Meanwhile, the Gators became intent on attacking the basket and drawing fouls, which led to a 15-for-17 second half showing at the free throw line.

The Gators were 18-for-47 from the field (38 percent), while the Tigers went 20-for-46 from the floor (43 percent) and 9-for-15 at the line. Badger/Greenbush-Middle River had a 33-20 rebound advantage. The turnovers were even at 17 apiece.

It was the fourth win in five starts for the Gators, with each win coming by five points or less. The lone loss was a stunning 52-point blow out at Warroad, 97-45.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
Stephen	18	18	11	6	53
B/G-Middle River	15	15	15	11	56

Stephen - Nathan Smith 11, Jason Danielson 7, Vernon Kuznia 11, Matt Kroulik 9, Kevin Pagnac 7, Barrett Borowicz 8

B/G-MR - Justan Rose 8, Matt Kujava 10, Aaron Rislov 12, Guido Oussenholen 5, Jed Geer 4, Andy Schenkey 8, Daryl Wockenfuss 8

Bemidji wins 70-49 over TRF JV squad

Bemidji was a 70-49 winner over Thief River Falls Thursday in boys junior varsity high school basketball.

The winners led at the quarter stops 12-5, 37-11 and 55-22.

Anthony Hendricks led the 2-2 Thief River Falls squad with 14 points.

Bemidji skates past TRF hockey JV, 6-2

A 3-0 first period lead propelled Bemidji to a 6-2 junior varsity high school hockey win over Thief River Falls Friday.

Adam Swanson and Adam Nordin scored the goals for the 1-3 Thief River Falls squad, out-shot 25-17.

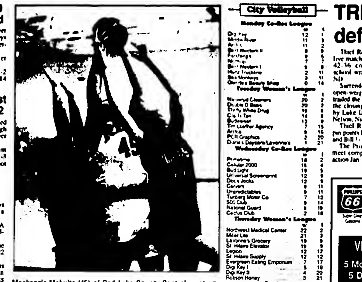
TRF freshman boys lose pair at Bemidji

Thief River Falls freshman boys high school basketball teams lost a pair of games at Bemidji Thursday.

Bemidji rolled to an 86-30 A game win with quarter leads of 23-1, 45-8 and 71-14.

In the B game, Bemidji led at the quarter stops 10-8, 25-16 and 35-22 en route to a 43-35 win.

Leading Thief River Falls scorers were Kelly Cota with 12 points in the A game and Aaron Hendricks with 13 points in the B game.



Meckenzie Malwitz (45) of Red Lake County Central went up between Breena Jacobson (left) and Melinda Britten (44) of Tri-County for the ball during Thursday's third place match-up in the Northland Community and Technical College/KTRF girls high school basketball tournament. The Wildcats beat the Mustangs 60-51.

Arena Schedule

Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center

Wednesday, Dec. 27 - 6-8 a.m. DPFS; 8:15-9:45 a.m. public skating; 10-11 a.m. Squirt Group 2; 11:15 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. DPFS; 1 p.m. Pee-Wee A; 4 p.m. McDonald's High School Hockey Classic (4 p.m. East Grand Forks vs. Red Lake Falls; 6 p.m. Crookston vs. Fargo South; 8 p.m. Thief River Falls vs. Grand Forks Red River).

Thursday, Dec. 28 - 6-8 a.m. DPFS; 8:15-9:30 a.m. public skating; 9:45-11 a.m. public skating; 11:15 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. DPFS; 1-2:30 p.m. Bantam B; 2:45-3:45 p.m. Squirt Group 1; 4-5 p.m. Squirt Group 2; 5:15-6:30 p.m. Pee-Wee B and Pee-Wee B2; 6:45-7:15 p.m. Pee-Wee A; 7:30-9 p.m. Bantam A; 9:15-10:15 p.m. Old-Timers.

Friday, Dec. 29 - 6-8 p.m. DPFS; 9:15-9:15 a.m. public skating; 9:30-10:45 a.m. public skating; 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. DPFS; 12:45 p.m. Bantam B vs. Bemidji; 2:45 p.m. Bantam A vs. vs. Detroit Lakes; 4:45-6 p.m. public skating; 6:15-7:30 p.m. public skating; 7:45-8:45 p.m. public skating; 9-10 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Dec. 30 - 8 a.m. Squirt Gold vs. Maroon; 9:15 a.m. Squirt Gold vs. Red; 10:30 a.m. Squirt Blue vs. Green; 3 p.m. Pee-Wee B vs. Red Lake Falls; 4:45 p.m. Pee-Wee A vs. Red Lake Falls; 6:30-7:30 p.m. girls hockey; 7:45-9:15 p.m. DPFS; 9:30-10:30 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Dec. 31 - 1 p.m. Bantam B vs. Bemidji; 3-4:30 p.m. DPFS; 4:45-5:45 p.m. public skating

Old Arena

Wednesday, Dec. 27 - 8-9 a.m. open hockey 8-under; 9:15-10:30 a.m. public skating; 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 open hockey Pee-Wees; 12:15-1:45 p.m. public skating; 2-3 p.m. Squirt Group 1; 3:15-4:15 p.m. 7-year-olds; 4:30-5:30 p.m. 6-year-olds; 5:45-7:15 p.m. Bantam A; 7:30-8:45 p.m. public skating; 9-10 p.m. rental.

Thursday, Dec. 28 - 8-9 a.m. open hockey Pee-Wees; 9:15-10:30 a.m. public skating; 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 open hockey 7-8-year-olds; 12:15-2 p.m. public skating; 2:15-3:15 p.m. open hockey 6-under; 3:30-4:30 p.m. 6-year-olds; 4:30-5:30 p.m. 7-year-olds; 5:45-6:45 p.m. 6-under Group 2; 6:45-7:45 p.m. 8-under Group 1; 8-9 p.m. Warner rental; 9:15-10:15 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 57.

Friday, Dec. 29 - 8-9 a.m. open hockey Squirts; 9:15-10:30 a.m. public skating; 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 open hockey 7-9-year-olds; 12:15-2:15 p.m. public skating; 2:30-3:30 p.m. Squirt Group 2; 3:45-4:45 p.m. Squirt Group 1; 5-5:50 p.m. 6-under Group 2; 5:50-6:40 p.m. 8-under Group 1; 6:55-7:45 p.m. 7-year-olds; 7:45-8:45 p.m. 6-year-olds; 9-10 p.m. rental.

Saturday, Dec. 30 - 8-9 a.m. 8-under Group 1; 9:15-10:15 a.m. 6-under Group 2; 10:30-11:30 a.m. 7-year-olds; 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. 6-year-olds; 1 p.m. Pee-Wee B2 vs. Crookston; 3:15-4:45 p.m. public skating; 5-6:30 p.m. public skating; 6:45-8:15 p.m. public skating; 8:30-9:30 p.m. rental; 9:45-10:45 p.m. rental.

Sunday, Dec. 31 - 12-1 p.m. open hockey 9-under; 1:15-2:15 p.m. girls hockey; 2:30-3:30 p.m. public skating; 3:45-4:45 p.m. open hockey Squirts; 5-6 p.m. open hockey Pee-Wees.

Lumberjacks strike early in 3-2 win over Prowlers

Giving up goals in the final minute of a period is a real no-no in hockey. But Thief River Falls found out that giving them up in the first minute can be just as damaging as the Prowlers lost a 3-2 decision to Bemidji Friday in a high school match-up at the Huck Olson Memorial Civic Center.

The Lumberjacks scored just 36 seconds into the game, and turned a one-goal edge into a 3-1 advantage by scoring 25 seconds into the second period.

Both period-opening goals were scored by Adam Coe. Teammate Brett Fausher also picked up a first period goal.

Thief River Falls goals came from Paul Gonsorowski and Keith Anderson.

The loss dropped the Prowlers to 2-4.

Scoring

First period - Bemidji - Adam Coe (Brett Fausher-Shaun Winkler), :36; Bemidji, Fausher (Winkler), 7:03; TRF, Paul Gonsorowski (Nick Chiodo), 13:13

Second period - Bemidji, Coe (Fausher-Mike Mansson), :25; TRF, Keith Anderson (Aaron Ehrenstrom-Chiodo), 3:02

Third period - none

Goalie Saves

TRF - Shane Dufty 9-0-x, Chance Keele x-10-7; TRF game total - 26. Bemidji - Jim Schoonover 9-8-7–24

RLCC boys lose 78-64

Aaron Chaput scored 36 points and grabbed 11 rebounds; but Red Lake County Central still came up short Thursday in a 78-64 boys high school basketball loss to Win-E-Mac.

"Aaron did a great job, but we were cold from the outside," explained Red Lake County Central coach Brad Borene.

The Mustangs trailed only 17-16 at the first quarter break, but gave up 29 second-second points in falling behind 46-33. They were down 65-44 through three quarters.

"The second quarter was our downfall," noted Borene. "We couldn't stop their penetration. They're a good team, but we didn't rebound very well and we didn't play very good defense."

Red Lake County Central was 21-for-50 from the field (42 percent) and a busy 20-for-30 at the free throw line. Win-E-Mac went 30-for-67 from the floor (45 percent) and 10-for-15 at the line. The Patriots had a 33-25 rebound advantage and had half as many turnovers as the visiting Mustangs, 20-10.

Four Win-E-Mac scorers hit double figures, led by Shawn Hedlund with 22 points.

The game was a make-up date from a Dec. 5 postponement.

Red Lake County Central, 5-3, will not be back in action until a Jan. 5 game against Fisher/Climax in Plummer.

Scoring

	1	2	3	4	T
RLCC	16	17	11	20	64
Win-E-Mac	17	29	19	13	78

RLCC - Aaron Chaput 36, Bryce Huotari 9, Mark Lorenson 6, Shawn Hinca 4, Paul Peterson 4, Dusty Paquin 2, Nick Olson 2, Jacob Anderson 1.

W-E-M - Shawn Hedlund 22, Corey Hanson 16, Jeff Haavan 12, Tony Simonson 12, Shawn Bruggeman 6, Carey Sannes 6, David Rhone 2, Russell Johnson 2

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City Volleyball

Monday Co-Rec League

	W	L
[illegible]	12	1
[illegible]	11	1
[illegible]	11	2
Best Western II	8	5
[illegible]	6	5
[illegible]	7	7
Best Western I	5	8
[illegible]	2	11
[illegible]	3	11
[illegible] Beauty Shop	0	14

Tuesday Women's League

	W	L
Norwood Cleaners	20	2
Double O Bees	20	2
Thrifty White Drug	19	6
Clip 'n Tan	14	8
Budweiser	13	9
Tim Loeffler Agency	7	15
Arctco	6	16
PCR Graphics	2	20
Diana's Daycare/Lavonne's	1	21

Wednesday Co-Rec League

	W	L
Primetime	18	2
Cellular 2000	15	4
Bud Light	19	5
Universal Screenprint	12	9
Doc's Jocks	12	9
Carvers	9	11
Unpredictables	9	11
Tunberg Motor Co	7	12
500 Club	9	14
National Guard	6	19
Cactus Club	2	18

Thursday Women's League

	W	L
Northwest Medical Center	22	2
Miller Lite	21	3
LaVonne's Grocery	19	9
St Hilaire Elevator	19	9
Legion	12	12
St Hilaire Supply	12	12
Evergreen Eating Emporium	7	17
Digi Key I	5	19
Digi Key II	4	20
Robson Honey	3	21

Results

■ Monday, Dec. 18 - results not reported

■ Tuesday, Dec. 19 - no matches scheduled

■ Wednesday, Dec. 20 - (6 p.m.) Carvers def. National Guard, Primetime def. Unpredictables; (6:30 p.m.) Cactus Club def. National Guard, Primetime def. 500 Club; (7 p.m.) Cactus Club def. Universal Screenprint, Unpredictables def. Carvers; (7:30 p.m.) Cellular 2000 def. Bud Light, 500 Club def. Tunberg Motor Co.; (8 p.m.) Universal Screenprint def. Cellular 2000, Bud Light def. Tunberg Motor Co

■ Thursday, Dec. 21 - no matches scheduled

City Hockey

Standings

	W	L	T
St Hilaire Elevator	3	0	0
Silver Bullets	3	0	0
Brodin's/Budget Electronics	3	1	0
The Spot	2	1	0
Wennberg's	1	3	0
Radniecki's	0	3	0
Ruda Construction	0	4	0

Results

Sunday, Dec. 24 - no games scheduled

Schedule

Sunday, Dec. 31 - no games scheduled

TRF wrestlers rally to defeat Larimore 42-36

Thief River Falls swept the final five matches Thursday to pick up a 42-36 come-from-behind high school wrestling win at Larimore, N.D.

Surrendering 18 points on three open-weight forfeits, the Prowlers trailed the Polar Bears 36-12 before the closing rush that featured pins by Luke Davis, Adam Kuch, Kyle Nelson, Nick Dee, and Robert Spry.

Thief River Falls also received pin points from Brent Nelson at 103 and Bill [illegible] at 130.

The Prowlers are 2-5-1 in dual meet competition. They return to action Jan. 4 with a dual at Roseau.

TRF 42, Larimore 36

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	Wins	Losses
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Brodin's Auto	31	13
River Bend Farms	31	18
Arnold Auto Store	30	18
Wealth Farms	29	20
Young Pine Lodge	27	22
Tri State Breeders	26	23
Eberson Drug	26	24
Aas Farms	25	24
Servig Oil	17	32

High Game

Erv Melvie ... 214
Roger Hovet ... 210, 202
Ron Sanders ... 181

High Series

Roger Hovet ... 210-181-208=673 (sic)
Al Vettleson ... 191-172-181=544
Tom Grestle ... 189-198-179=[illegible]
Erv Melvie ... 216-179-123=615

Elks League

	Wins	Losses
Horn's	30	18
Bron's Bombers	28	18
Stompers	25 1/2	18 1/2
Big Boys	25	19
Hogan's Heroes	24 1/2	19 1/2
Sheldon's Greaseballs	22 1/2	21 1/2
Stags	22	22
Bulls	21	23
Putter's	20	24
Hoots	20	24
Alley Ratz	18	26
TNT's	9 1/2	34 1/2

High Game

Tim Hogans ... 233
Don Hajik ... 228
Bruce Williams ... 222
Milan Abrahamson ... 218

High Series

Bruce Williams ... 222-214-207=643
Tim Hogans ... 203-233-156=592
Sheldon Peterson ... 191-200-187=586
Don Hajik ... 187-159-224=570

Tootsie Rollers League

	Wins	Losses
Busch Light	7	0
Pennington Square	5	2
Family Bowl	4	3
Mr. Duane's	3	4
Brodin's	2	5
Farmer's Union	0	7

High Game

Roberta Kloety ... 214, 193
Dollie Newland ... 208
E.J. Johnson ... 195

High Series

Roberta Kloety ... 214-196-193=593
Dollie Newland ... 174-158-208=540
E.J. Johnson ... 195-146-160=501

Nitehawk League

	Wins	Losses
Budweiser	71	34
Creative Clippers	71	34
Arctco	63	42
Loeffler Agency	62	43
Northern Motors	56	49
Kwick Stop	51	54
Bud Ice	42	63
Team #8	4	101

High Game

Deb Pierce ... 210, 202
Dollie Newland ... 202
Sharon Harris ... 202

High Series

Dollie Newland ... 190-179-202=570
Deb Pierce ... 191-210-202=603
Sharon Harris ... 182-177-202=561
Shirley Colden ... 181-169-161=511

Sunset League

	Wins	Losses
Survivors	8	0
Norwest	8	0
Farmers Union	8	0
Imaging Plus	5	1
Dig Alley	5	1
Rusty Nail	3	1
KTRF CAD's	5	1
Eye Fixes	1	3
Material Girls	1	3
Tommy O's	1	3
Bordsons	1	3
Hill Trucking	0	4
NW Medical Center	0	4
NW Eye Center	0	4

High Game

Cindy Vennes ... 210
Rhonda Joppru ... 198, 197
Sharon Stauss ... 181

High Series

Cindy Vennes ... 180-173-210=563
Rhonda Joppru ... 150-198-197=545
Sharon Stauss ... 181-174-181=536
Lorraine Morben ... 154-158-162=474

Commercial League

	Wins	Losses
Sheldon's Auto Parts	319 1/2	180 1/2
Thyren Auto	333 1/2	266 1/2
Pennington Express	319	284
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RV Sports	309 1/2	294 1/2
Kalinowski Construction	278	322
VFW	259	341
1st National Bank	240	360
No. Border Whse.	229	371

High Game

Sheldon Peterson ... 260
Kraig Melvie ... 255
Steve Kloety ... 246

High Series

Sheldon Peterson ... 224-260-235-231=950
Steve Kloety ... 205-246-192-213=856
Ray Wagner ... 212-195-194-236=837

Six Pack League

	Wins	Losses
Amoco 2s	46	18
Glass Farm	43	19
Auction-2-Sell	40	20
B & E Car Wash	32	28
Joe's Floor & Tile	17	43

High Game

Dan Lindquist ... 233
Paul Johnson ... 228
Craig Peterson ... 224
Suzanne Peterson ... 227
Jan Olson ... 186
Diane Peterson ... 182

High Series

Craig Peterson ... 633
Dan Lindquist ... 625
Curt Quesnell ... 596
Suzanne Peterson ... 551
Dollie Newland ... 518
Diane Peterson ... 509
Jan Olson ... 500

City League

	Wins	Losses
FSA	25	10
The Spot	24	11
Milk & Cookies	22	13
Rich's Appliance	21	14
St. Hilaire Elevator	21	14
Hamm's	20	15
Hanson's Repair	16	21
Wilde Builder	14	21
MN/DOT	7	28

High Game

Dan Kuznia ... 213
Dwayne Duckworth ... 213
Dan Shnyder ... 203

High Series

Dwayne Duckworth ... 202-180-213=595
Dean Joppru ... 197-170-179=546
Jim Rone ... 184-179-185=547

Friday Nite Mixed League

	Wins	Losses
Farmers Mutual Health	18	6
Arctco Inc	16	8
Michelob	16	7
Glenn's Electric	11 1/2	8 1/2
Clip N Tan	11	10
Brooks Auto	9 1/2	10 1/2
Peter's Back Hoe	5	16
Firestone	5	16

High Series

Griffin Newland ... 218-155-179=552
Chris Taylor ... 170-162-163=495
Loren Landchess ... 184-180-133=497
Dave Magnes ... 185-187-179=471
Kim Peterson ... 189-161-137=487
E.J. Johnson ... 152-158-167=457
Shawn Newland ... 144-150-158=452
Jan Norson ... 130-161-172=443

Youth Hockey

Pee-Wee B

■ Monday, Dec. 18 - Thief River Falls 8, Crookston 1. TRF goals - Jensen (2), Oyster, Harris, Stinson, Bauer, assists - Swanson (2), Bauer, Juhl, Stinson. Saves - David Lundstrom 17/Crookston 29.

■ Friday, Dec. 22 - Thief River Falls 6, Moorhead 3. TRF goals - Harris (3), Bauer, Gryskiewicz, Jensen, assists - Swanson (2), Bauer, Bulger, Gryskiewicz, Juhl. Saves - David Lundstrom 24/Moorhead 35.

■ Saturday, Dec. 23 - Warroad 2, Thief River Falls 1. TRF goals - Bauer, assists - Jensen. Saves - Melissa Clark 18/Warroad 25.

■ Season record - 9-2.

TRFAHA Schedule

■ Wednesday, Dec. 27 - Pee-Wee B at Grafton, 11:15 a.m. and at Park River, 4 p.m., Pee-Wee A vs Warroad, 1 p.m., Huck Olson MCC, Pee-Wee B2 at Bemidji, 6 p.m., Bantam A at Detroit Lakes, 9:15 p.m.

■ Friday, Dec. 29 - Pee-Wee B at Detroit Lakes, 11:15 a.m., Bantam B vs Bemidji, 12:45 p.m., Huck Olson MCC, Pee-Wee A at Crookston, 1 p.m., Bantam A vs Detroit Lakes, 2:45 p.m., Huck Olson MCC, Pee-Wee B2 at East Grand Forks, 8 p.m.

■ Saturday, Dec. 30 - Bantam B at Warroad, 8:30 a.m., Bantam A at Baudette, 12-noon and at Warroad, 9 p.m., Pee-Wee B2 vs Crookston, 1 p.m., Old Arena, Pee-Wee B vs Red Lake Falls, 3 p.m., Huck Olson MCC, Pee-Wee A vs Red Lake Falls, 4:45 p.m., Huck Olson MCC.

■ Sunday, Dec. 31 - Bantam B vs Bemidji, 1 p.m., Huck Olson MCC.

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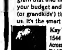

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The family of Myrna E Lapinski would like to express our sincere thanks to the EMT's Forest Resources: Doug Hanson, Brian Wiberg, and Dave Peterson for their quick response, efficient and professional care. We also extend our thanks to the Cook Hospital ER staff for their caring and compassion in planning the funeral. Thanks to Father Lund and Marge Olson for the organists, singers, and pot luncheon. Thanks to the pallbearers for their help and friendship, and to family and friends who came and brought food to our home. Your thoughtfulness was very much appreciated.
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December 27, 1995
CITY PROCEEDINGS
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PENNINGTON COUNTY
OCTOBER TERM, 1995 A.D.
Pursuant to adjournment the Pennington County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners Room in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Tuesday the 3rd day of October, 1995 at 9:00 a.m. Present: Commissioners Bergman, Tiedemann and Carlson. Commissioner Bergman moved the Vision Quest Ranch Residential Treatment Center for Boys, Inc. Crookston, Minnesota, request for a 24 hour, 7 days a week, 365 days a year, 16 bed, Residential Treatment Center for Boys, and its now being conducted in Brooten, Minnesota.
Licensing inspection was completed on the 16th day of September, 1995 and no violations were found. Motion was made by Commissioner Carlson, seconded by Commissioner Tiedemann to approve the request. Motion unanimously carried.
WHEREAS, Pennington County has received a request from Ken Ness, Warren, MN;
WHEREAS, the collection of public health agencies and private clinics, Northwest Health Care Alliance, has requested a 2 years of operation;
WHEREAS, in 2 years of operation, Northwest Health Care Alliance has:
(a) increased the percent of pregnant women receiving prenatal care from 50% to 90%;
(b) increased the immunization rate of children from 50% to 90%;
WHEREAS, these successful outcomes have been achieved through collaboration by clinics provided by Communities Caring for Children, Pennington County and Kittson County;
WHEREAS, Communities Caring for Children has contributed $1,000 to Northwest Health Care Alliance for the 1995 partnership;
THEREFORE, in support of a very successful program, to improve the health of children in Pennington County, Kittson County and Northwest Minnesota;
Court Administrator, Barb Beim then presented the Board with a request from Ronald Cuthbertson for a 2 year renewal of his tanning shelves for her office. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Tiedemann to authorize the Court Administrator to renew the tanning shelves for a 2 year period. Motion unanimously carried. The Chairman then presented the Board with a request from Jerry Gilbertson for a 2 year renewal of his tanning shelves for his office. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Tiedemann to authorize the Court Administrator to renew the tanning shelves for a 2 year period. Motion unanimously carried. The Chairman then presented the Board with a request from Dr. Ronald Cuthbertson for a 2 year renewal of a pneumatic chair for his office. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Tiedemann to authorize the Court Administrator to renew the pneumatic chair for a 2 year period. Motion unanimously carried. The Chairman then presented the Board with a request from Jerry Gilbertson for a 2 year renewal of a pneumatic chair for his office. Commissioner Carlson moved, seconded by Commissioner Tiedemann to authorize the Court Administrator to renew the pneumatic chair for a 2 year period. Motion unanimously carried.
Pursuant to the Minutes of the Pennington County Board of Commissioners for the 19th day of September, 1995 and upon motion duly made and seconded, the following claims were allowed:

Revenue	$69,769.10
Revenue Refunds	1,000.00
Solid Waste Trusts	2,242.32
Payroll	81,267.47
Warrants approved on 10/10/95 for payment	
Revenue	1,000.00
Solid Waste Trust	2,242.32
Association Minnesota Counties	116.00
Bergman, Jerome	116.14
Bergman, Rodney	116.14
Employees Insurance Bureau	116.14
Fuel	1,000.00
G.V. Abramson Business Inc	384.63
Hallock, Tom	116.14
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City of Thief River Falls	1,668.53
Minnesota Mutual Life	1,000.00
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Commissioner of Grand Forks	1,027.00
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Cyb Lindgren	418.60
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Dakota Gas Sales & Thief River Falls	1,000.00
Denny's Construction Fabricators	6,901.20
Dillon, Jerry	116.14
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Jerry's Electric	1,194.00
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Dakota Computing Company	1,180.00
Dakota Erickson	225.12
Fuel	1,000.00
Farm Plan Corporation	1,000.00
Farm Plan Corporation	228.08
Farm Plan Corporation	1,000.00
Fleet Distributors	1,000.00
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Gopher State Ready Mix Inc	1,000.00
The Grand Forks Herald, Inc.	396.88
Hallock Co-Op Oil Mill	1,000.00
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Hardware Hank	122.93
Hallock Publishing	177.60
Holiday Inn-Bloomington	428.20
Hallock, Tom	116.14
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IAAO	125.00
Jerry's Electric	1,194.00
Jerry's Electric	1,194.00
Lake Lillian Township	105.58
Lee Plumbing & Heating	551.00
Lee Plumbing	551.00
Medical Imaging North	1,400.00
Minnesota Mutual Life	1,000.00
Minnesota Mutual Life	1,000.00
Minnesota State Auditor	1,060.00
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Nelson, Ken	116.14
Nelson Equipment of TRF, Inc.	252.10
Nelson, Ken	116.14
North Country Auto Parts	270.77
North Country Auto Parts	270.77
Northwest Medical Center	1,420.00
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Northwest Medical Center	1,420.00
Northwest Regional Library	1,000.00
Oakes Oil	874.07
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Pains and Glass Inventory Inc	1,000.00
Pesco Service	1,000.00
Pennington County Clerk	1,000.00
Howard Person	1,180.41
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Pennington County Clerk	1,000.00
The Reliable Corporation	1,135.32
The Reliable Corporation	1,135.32
Sigma Corporation	154.52
Sigma Corporation	154.52
Stewart's	1,000.00
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Sunny Drive, Inc.	1,000.00
Sunny Drive, Inc.	1,000.00
Thief River Falls Chamber Com.	1,000.00
Thief River Falls	1,000.00
Thief River Jobbing	69.22
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Tiedemann, Ken	116.14
Tiedemann, Ken	116.14
Tomberg Motor Co.	324.62
Tomberg Motor Co.	324.62
Verizon Telephone Center	200.05
Verizon Telephone Center	200.05
Wilson Supply Company	228.90
Wilson Supply Company	228.90
Wilson Supply Company	228.90
Fuel	1,000.00
Fuel Less Than $100	1,000.00
Final Total	110,063.39

Motion carried.
Motion carried.
Motion carried.

Traffic violations listed in court reports

Traffic violations were among the many cases heard in the Pennington County Clairtree Disposition for the past week.

Dispositions of traffic cases: Karl Dunn, Andover, Thief River Falls, 18, seat belt; vehicle expired registration, $48.75. Dwight Edwin Christian, Fertile 36, no seat belt, $47.75; Patrick Jerome Mylnes, St. Hilaire 22, no seat belt, $47.75. Shawn Henry Weitner, Minneapolis, 30, driving after cancellation, $282.50, 30 days at jail stayed for one year. Robert Alan Sullivan, Roseville, 29, $65.75, $64.50. Jon Lowell Wilson Goodridge, 43, expired drivers license, $122.50. Keith Michael Delage, Brooks, 34, 72/55, $87.50.

Pennington county sheriff's department cases: Greg Randy Johnson, Thief River Falls, 33, assault in the fifth degree, $429.50, 120 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; John Wayne Olson Jr., Thief River Falls, 22, gives driving while intoxicated, $1,000.50, 120 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years. Rogger Alan Stoltman, Thief River Falls, 31, aggravated driving while intoxicated, $350.50, 120 days in jail with all but 30 days stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years. Linda Marie Gunderson, Thief River Falls, 32, driving while intoxicated, $410.75, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Dale Rodney Glander, Fisher, 34, issuance of worthless checks, $52.50, $70 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for six months.

Jason Howard Rue, Thief River Falls, 22, issuance of dishonored checks, $157.50, $75 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days; Charles Jay Watt, Deer River, 61, failure to stop for emergency vehicle, $70; Alison Marie Wolbert, Thief River Falls, 20, issuance of worthless checks, $157.50, $89.90 restitution, 10 days in jail stayed for 183 days. Christopher Allen Keller, Shelly, 23, issuance of dishonored checks, $157.50, $85.88 restitution 10 days in jail stayed for one year.

Thief River Falls police department cases: Jacqueline Fae Kosmrewski, Thief River Falls, 29, driving while intoxicated, $352.50, 30 days in jail stayed for two years, placed on unsupervised probation for two years; Bill Michael Styles, Thief River Falls, 22, no insurance, $394, 20 days in jail stayed for one year; Joshua David McDougall, Shevlin, 18, driving while intoxicated, $352.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Marvin Ambrose Moen, Thief River Falls, 43, stop sign violation, $70; Sally Marie Olson, Thief River Falls, 18, consumption under 21, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Tara Lynn Peterson, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Jason Rodney Stevenes, Thief River Falls, 18, failure to yield right of way, $122.50.

Gary Wayne Batchman, Thief River Falls, 43, driving while intoxicated, $582.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Eric Paul Barbers, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; Matthew James Peterson, Thief River Falls, 19, consumption under 21, $87.50, 10 days in jail stayed for one year; James Isaac Larson, Thief River Falls, 20, 40/30, $64.50; Gary Lee Johnson, Newfolden, 20, consumption under 21, $387.50, 30 days in jail stayed for one year; Janet Shirley Swanson, Thief River Falls, 60, failure to yield, $122.50; Charles Alan Wilkins, Medford, 22, 55/55, $87.50; Richard Alan Domarski, Thief River Falls, 17, 40/30, $64.50; Jason Ken Svaleo, Thief River Falls, 21, snowmobile on restricted area, $68.50.

Minnesota department of natural resource cases: Kirby Scott Hamre, Thief River Falls, 28, failure to display registration on snowmobile, $81.50.

Bob and Rita Wald, outstanding conservationists for Pennington county in 1995, were recognized at the annual convention of the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts in St. Cloud recently. They received an award certificate from Gil Gullickson, editor of The Farmer magazine. Also attending the convention from the Pennington County SWCD were board member Leonard Skaar and staff member Maggie Leach.

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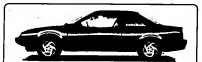

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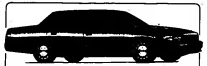

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'95 BUICK SKYLARK
4-Dr., Auto., A/C, Cruise, Tilt, Power Windows and Locks.
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FWD, Auto., Nicely Equipped, Only 72,000 Miles YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $6,495
WHAT A DEAL!

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V-6, Auto., Loaded
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $7,395
TAKE HER HOME!

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4-Dr., Dual Power Seats, 61,000 Miles
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $10,395
LOTS FOR A GOOD PRICE!

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Front Wheel Drive, V-6, Auto., Loaded
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WHOLE LOTTA CAR!

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4-Dr., V-6, Auto., A/C, Cruise, Tilt, Class., Pwr. Locks & Windz., Rear Defroster, YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $12,750
TAKE A LITTLE AWAY $14,000

'95 PONT. BONNEVILLE
4-Dr., V-6, Auto., A/C, Cruise, Tilt, Power Locks and Windows
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $15,950
TAKE A LITTLE AWAY $17,250

'92 CHEV. LUMINA AP VAN
V-6, Auto., Loaded, 57,000 Miles
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $10,995
CHECK THIS OUT!

'92 CHEV. 3/4-TON PICKUP
350, 5-Speed, A/C, Cruise, Tilt
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $11,950
ONE OWNER!

'86 FORD 1/2-TON PICKUP
V-8, Auto., XLT, A/C
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $3,195
GOOD FARM TRUCK!

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2-Dr., 4-Cyl., Auto., A/C, Bright Red, 78,000 Miles
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $5,695
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V-6, Auto., A/C, Cruise, Tilt And More
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $12,950
TAKE A LITTLE AWAY $13,700

'92 CHEV. ASTRO VAN
All Wheel Drive, 7-Passenger, Fully Loaded
REDUCED TO $13,950
COMPARE TO NEW!

'92 OLDS. DELTA 88
V-6, Loaded, One Owner
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $7,995
GREAT BUY!

'86 OLDS. CIERA
4-Dr., 4-Cyl., Auto., A/C
YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $1,995
ECONOMICAL!

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YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $9,750
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3-'94 CHEV. EXT. CAB 4X4's
350, Auto., Loaded, Locally Owned
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$2,495
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YEAR-END CLEARANCE PRICE $2,995
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